

Circleville Church

of North Huntingdon, PA



GLOBAL
METHODIST CHURCH

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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

November 3, 2024

***Our mission is to share Christ with the world through worship,
service and witness.***

THE CONFIDENT DECLARATION OF THE DIVINE EXCHANGE

1. Jesus was punished...
... **that I am forgiven. (Isaiah 53:5)**
2. Jesus was wounded...
... **that I am healed. (Isaiah 53:5)**
3. Jesus was made sin with our sinfulness...
... **that I have been made righteous with His righteousness (2 Corinthians 5:21, Philippians 3:9)**
4. Jesus died our death...
... **that we share His life (Hebrews 2:9, John 10:10)**
5. Jesus was made a curse...
... **that I have entered into spiritual blessings (Galatians 3:13)**
6. Jesus became poor on our behalf...
... **that I have become rich (2 Corinthians 8:9, John 10:10)**
7. Jesus bore our shame...
... **that I share His glory (Hebrews 12:2)**
8. Jesus endured our rejection...
... **that I have His acceptance (Ephesians 1:5-6)**
9. Our old self died in Jesus...
... **that I have become a new creation (Colossians 3:-10)**

Prayer for Walk Thru the Bible

Our Lord,

Thank You for the gift of Your Word. Thank You for the opportunity to host Walk Thru the Bible. We ask Your Holy Spirit to be in charge of this event from beginning to end. Fire up our hearts on exploring the Old Testament given to us as promises. May we each learn what you want us to learn from the event. Please draw in people from all over the area to enjoy this fun but enriching learning event. We pray for Your anointing upon Rev. Chuck Hildbold the director of Walk Thru the Bible. In Your wonderful Name. Amen.

(*Please stand, if able)

Sunday, November 3, 2024

9:30 A.M. Worship Service

Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
All Saints' Sunday and Communion

Prelude... *"There is a Fountain"* American Melody

Mary Jane Clark, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

* Passing of the Peace

* Ringing of the Bells

* Call to Worship:

Leader: Lift up your heads, O gates.

People: The King of glory has come.

Leader: Mourning and death shall be no more.

People: Feast on rich food and fine wine.

Leader: Come! Let us worship the God of our salvation.

* The Holy Invocation

* Hymn of Praise #711 vs. 1, 2, & 3 (Hymnal)

"For All the Saints"

Remembering the Saints: If a family member is present, please come forward and light a candle.

Jeong-Soon Cheon, 3-6-2024	Betty Gossar, 12-17-2023	Barbara Petro, 7/4/2024
Choon-Don Lee, 8/29/2024	Carolyn Kalina, 12-20-2023	Pat Lydon, 3-16-2024
Geralyn Robare, 11-12-2023	Chuck Lawson, 1-19-2024	Donald Gabany, 10/7/2024
Aileen Lewis, 12-10-2023	Robert Kistler, 1-11-2024	

All Saints' Prayer (In Unison): **We bless your holy name, O God, for all your servants who, having finished their course, now rest from their labors. Give us grace to follow the example of their steadfastness and faithfulness, to your honor and glory; through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen. (ENGLAND, 20th CENT., ALT.)**

Praises and Prayers

(The Lord's Prayer: **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.)

The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings and ChangeForGood

The Offertory... *"It Is Well with My Soul"* by Bliss

Offertory Response #95 *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

Children's Message... *"Cain and Abel's Offering"* (Saddleback Kids) Brandon Dempsey

Scripture... Romans 8:31-39 (NKJV) Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

Message... *"God's Everlasting Love"* Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

* Hymn of Dedication #100 vs. 1 (Hymnal) *"God, Whose Love Is Reigning o'er Us"*

Service of Holy Communion

* Closing Hymn #666 (Hymnal) *"Shalom to You"*

* Benediction

* Postlude... *"On Our Way Rejoicing"* by Havergal

Memory Verses:

This Week: "What then shall we say to these things? If God *is* for us, who *can be* against us?"

Last Week: The Confident Declaration of the Divine Exchange

Lectionary Readings:

Ruth 1:1-18

Psalm 146 (Hymnal 858)

Mark 12:28-34

Ongoing Prayer Needs:	Greg Clark	
Kathy Irely	Cora Jean Qualey	
Jane Jancisin	Jessie Roycroft	
Rick Frischolz	Barb & Joe Douglas	

Statistics: Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 48; Sunday School, 6.

Homebound: Mrs. Jane Jancisin, Westmoreland Manor, 2480 S. Grande Boulevard, Greensburg, PA 15601 Room A-115

Birthdays: November 1, Kathy Irely; **November 7,** Grace Aiken; **November 8,** Johnny Petrovay; **November 9,** John Simpson & Tim Thompson

Received October 27, 2024

General Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 3,300.00	\$ 3,957.00	+\$ 657.00
Year-to-date	\$ 141,900.00	\$ 118,621.12	-\$ 23,278.88
Building Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 190.00	\$ 245.00	- \$ 55.00
Year-to-date	\$ 8,170.00	\$ 5,306.00	-\$ 2,864.00

This Week

Sunday	All Saints' Sunday After church: Christmas program rehearsal for all of those with speaking parts.
Monday	Dartball is home, playing Irwin Methodist, 7:00 p.m. Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m. Good News (Circleville Evangelism Training), 7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Walk Thru the Bible, 9:00 a.m. to Noon AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.

Looking Ahead:

November 10	Friends and Family Sunday. Hoagie orders are due. Last day to sign-up for Thanksgiving bags. Shoeboxes should be turned in.
November 17	Make hoagies at 7:30 a.m. and distribute them. Distribute Thanksgiving bags. Poinsettia deadline
November 19	Church Council meeting, 7:00 p.m.
November 28	Happy Thanksgiving
November 29	Office closed.

Notes of Interest:

Please Note: We will be locking the front door around 9:45 a.m. on Sunday morning. If you need to leave and come back in, please let someone know so they can open the door for you.

Thank you Notes:

Pastor Jun thanks the congregation for the flowers, card and monetary gift, for Pastor's Appreciation Month.

The office thanks the anonymous donor of a new desk top copy, scanner and fax machine.

There is a Walk Thru the Bible registration box on the Welcome Desk. If you pay by check, you do not need to fill out a form just write Walk Thru the Bible in the memo section. Cost is \$25 per person. If you can't afford the price, see Grace Aiken in confidence. Children under third grade get into the event for free.

Effective October 1, we officially moved from OVS (Sage) to Tithely Giving. Tithely Giving is an easy-to-use platform that will allow you to give online. You can make both one-time and recurring gifts, give with a credit/debit card or ACH transaction, and even Cover the Fees (which will help your gift go even farther!)

Here's how to get started with Tithely:

1. Please proceed to our website at <https://circlevillechurchgmc.com/>. Click on Online Giving the Upper Right Hand Corner.
2. Click on one of the four categories you would like to give to - General, Building, Fundraisers or Special/Memorial Offerings.
3. This will take you to our online Giving Form at <https://give.tithe.ly/?formId=f2caa4b6-e3eb-4428-9efa-5842ea56d7d8>
4. Since this is your first time giving with Tithely, you will be prompted to create an account that you can use for all future gifts or click on Sign-Up in the upper right corner.
5. The first time, you will also need to add your credit/debit card or ACH/banking info.
6. Once your account has been created, you won't need to enter your personal or payment information. Just enter your PIN and give!

To make this process even easier, you can also set up a recurring gift that will automate your regular giving.

Please feel free to reach out to John Simpson at 412-370-1553 or by email at burghsports4me@hotmail.com if you have any questions. Thank you!

The cost of the t-shirts has been covered. If you would like to help defer the costs of the shirts, please include an additional offering in with your general fund offering. We got an amazing deal on these shirts - all sizes were under \$15. T-shirts are in the office.

Band Meeting Questions

Each week Methodists would meet together in groups of three to five people of the same gender (known as bands), and ask each person the following four questions:

1. What known sins have you committed since our last meeting?
2. What temptations have you met with?
3. How were you delivered?
4. What have you thought, said, or done, of which you doubt whether it be sin or not?

Class Meeting Questions

They also had small group meetings so-called class meeting consisted of 12 people with a series of questions.

1. Am I consciously or unconsciously creating the impression that I am better than I am? In other words, am I a hypocrite?
2. Am I honest in all my acts and words, or do I exaggerate?
3. Do I confidentially pass onto another what was told me in confidence? Can I be trusted?
4. Am I a slave to dress, friends, work, or habits?
5. Am I self-conscious, self-pitying, or self-justifying?
6. Did the Bible live in me today?
7. Do I give it time to speak to me every day?
8. Am I enjoying prayer?
9. When did I last speak to someone about my faith?
10. Do I pray about the money I spend?
11. Do I get to bed on time and get up on time?
12. Do I disobey God in anything?
13. Do I insist upon doing something about which my conscience is uneasy?
14. Am I defeated in any part of my life?
15. Am I jealous, impure, critical, irritable, touchy or distrustful?
16. How do I spend my spare time?
17. Am I proud?
18. Do I thank God that I am not as other people, especially as the Pharisee who despised the publican?
19. Is there anyone whom I fear, dislike, disown, criticize, hold resentment toward or disregard? If so, what am I going to do about it?
20. Do I grumble and complain constantly?
21. Is Christ real to me?

GLOBAL METHODIST CHURCH'S BELIEFS & GOVERNANCE

There are nine parts: Doctrine, Social Witness, Local Church, The Ministry of the Called, The Superintendency, Conferences, Connectional Organization, Judicial Administration, Property. Each week we will review one part until finished. There is more detail in each of these sections, which can be found at <https://globalmethodist.org>

PART THREE | LOCAL CHURCH

353. ECUMENICAL CONGREGATIONS

1. Definition. Ecumenical congregations may be formed by a local Global Methodist church and one or more local congregations of other Christian traditions, provided that the doctrine and mission of the other denomination does not conflict with those of the Global Methodist Church. Such congregations are formed to enhance ministry, make wise stewardship of limited resources,

and live out the ecumenical spirit in creative ways responsive to the needs of God's people, as well as to opportunities for expanded mission and ministry. Forms of ecumenical shared ministries include: (a) a federated church, in which one congregation is related to two or more denominations, with persons choosing to hold membership in one or the other of the denominations; (b) a union church, in which a congregation with one unified membership roll is related to two or more denominations; (c) a merged church, in which two or more congregations of different denominations form one congregation that relates to only one of the constituent denominations; (d) a yoked parish, in which congregations of different denominations share a pastor (see ¶ 353.3).

2. **Covenanting.** Congregations forming an ecumenical congregation shall develop a clear covenant of mission, set of bylaws, or articles of agreement that address financial and property matters, church membership, denominational support and apportionments, committee structure and election procedures, terms and provisions of the pastorate, reporting procedures, relationship with the parent denominations, and matters related to amending or dissolving the agreement. Congregations shall notify the presiding elder (district superintendent) of any amending of the covenant agreement and shall consult with the presiding elder (district superintendent) prior to dissolving the covenant agreement.

3. **Connectional Responsibilities.** Cabinets, conference staff, and other leaders shall work with ecumenical congregations at their inception and to maintain ongoing avenues of vital relationship and connection to the denominational church, while recognizing that such avenues must also be maintained with the other denominational partners in that congregation.

Franklin Graham's Samaritans Purse Christmas Shoe Boxes:

The time has come, it's almost here to send some joy and some cheer.

Sunday, **November 10th** is the date to make sure you have all the shoe boxes to the church so we can deliver them to the distribution center.

Use your own shoe box or get one from the display in the Narthex.

Please make sure you have your completed (filled) shoe box(es) to the church by **November 10th**.

Important things to know:

Put the tag on each box specifying the age and if it's for a boy or girl.

(They are at church in the display if you don't have one.)

Make sure there are no items in the box that are listed in the "Do Not Include" Include a donation of \$10 for each box you fill to pay for shipping.

You may also include an extra \$6.00 for [The Greatest Journey](#). This is a 12-lesson discipleship course designed for Operation Christmas Child shoebox recipients.

Thank you in advance for being a part of this wonderful outreach project.

Please place all completed boxes under the table in the Narthex.

See the information in the newsletter or on the bulletin board of what to buy and how to pack your shoebox.

Message of Salvation

Are you saved?

Are you confident that you would go to heaven if you die at this moment?

Here is the good news for you.

Everyone dies because of sin, and after that ...

You will die someday because of sin. You cannot avoid death, and death is not the end, but the beginning of an eternal life. What's important is where and how you will live eternally. With eternal happiness in heaven or eternal suffering in hell? If you deal with your sin, you can enter the heaven and live there eternally. How?

Jesus Christ has redeemed your sin.

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, came to this world and bore the cross shedding his blood to redeem your sin and triumphed in his resurrection. Through his sacrifice, Christ paid off your sin and purchased a place for you in heaven, which he offers as a free gift.

If you want for your sins to be forgiven and to be saved ...

1. Accept Christ's invitation by repenting your sins by asking,
"Lord, I repent of all my sins. Please forgive all of my iniquities I have committed, and lead me to your kingdom."
2. Confess, "Jesus Christ is my Savior," by praying,
"Lord, I confess that You are my Savior who can deliver me from the eternal damnation of sin and death. Come into my heart and be my master for my entire life."
3. Rejoice, you are forgiven and given an eternal life without condemnation.
4. Congratulations! You become a child of God and a citizen of Heaven.

What's next?

1. Read the Bible, the Word of God, in which you will find Truth and Peace.
2. Join a local church where you will grow in faith
3. Do good works as much as you can. Sharing God's love for others is a form of worship.

If you, having read this, trusted Jesus for eternal salvation, please let us know. We would like to help you to grow spiritually.

Please contact Pastor Gloria Jun at 724-864-1581 or 410-302-4477.

Sermon Notes:

Romans 8:31-39 (NKJV)

³¹ What then shall we say to these things? If God *is* for us, who *can be* against us? ³² He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? ³³ Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? *It is* God who justifies. ³⁴ Who *is* he who condemns? *It is* Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? *Shall* tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written:

“For Your sake we are killed all day long;
We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter.”

³⁷ Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Circleville Cares Food Pantry News and Updates Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is right around the corner, and we will be making up bags of food to distribute to people you may know that could benefit. Last year we distributed 14 bags. Below is a list of Thanksgiving items we need for the bags, plus what we normally need for the pantry.

Please see the sign-up sheet and let us know how many food bags you will need for Thanksgiving. If you are providing for a family, please indicate how many adults and how many children are in the family. The sign-up sheet is on the long table in the narthex. **You are responsible for delivering the bags.**

Last day to sign-up for Thanksgiving bags is November 10th. Bags will be distributed on Sunday, November 17th.

Just a note: The Food Pantry is filled every day. The next day it is empty. Your donations of food or money is very important. Thank you to all who donate.

Items Needed for Pantry	Items Needed for Pantry	Items Needed for Thanksgiving
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Velveeta Shells and Cheese	Instant Oatmeal – in packets	Stuffing
Chef Boyardee Pastas	Chicken Noodle or Rice soup	Idaho Potato Mix
Peanut Butter & Jelly	Pop-Tarts	Turkey Gravy
Lipton Rice /Noodle mixes	Ramen Noodles	Cranberries
Regular noodles	Salmon	Corn (not creamed)
Regular boxes of cereal	Canned Potatoes	Applesauce
Instant rice	Tuna	Tuna
Idaho Potato Mix	Spaghetti Sauce No spaghetti noodles or pastas	Green Beans
Gravy	Tomato Soup	Sweet Potatoes
Noodles	Cream of Chicken Soup	Spaghetti Sauce
Applesauce	Canned Fruits (no pears)	\$25 Aldi Gift Card
Canned Corn (no cream)		

Christmas Poinsettias 2024

Circleville Church

We are ordering Poinsettias (**all red**) from Laurel Nursery Garden Center in Latrobe. Please include a check made payable to Circleville Church and put in the **memo line** “**Poinsettias**” or you may pay by cash. Flowers are \$10 each. Orders must be in by November 17th.

Please circle "in Memory of" or "in Honor of".

In Memory/Honor of _____

By _____

In Memory/Honor of _____

By _____

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