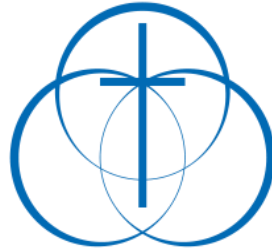


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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

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January 26, 2025

***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)

(*Please stand, if able)

Sunday, January 26, 2025

9:30 A.M. Worship Service

Third Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude... *"Prelude"* by Chopin

Mary Jane Clark, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

John Simpson, Worship Leader

* Passing of the Peace

* Ringing of the Bells

* Call to Worship:

Leader: Day pours forth speech and night declares knowledge.

People: What voices speak without words or speech?

Leader: The heavens are telling the glory of God.

People: We listen but do not understand.

Leader: The Law of God is perfect, reviving the soul.

People: Who will teach us, that our hearts may rejoice?

Leader: Pray in the Spirit and you will perceive.

* Holy Invocation

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* Hymn of Praise #73 vs. 1, 2, & 3 (Hymnal)

"O Worship the King"

Introduction of Staff Parish Relations Committee

Reception of New Members

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

The Offertory... *"Soliloquy"* by Broughton

* 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

Song of Invitation for Children #2233 (TFWS)

“Where Children Belong”

**This, this is where children belong,
Welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.
Water, God’s Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song:
This is where children belong.**

Children’s Message... *“Moses and the Tent of Meeting”* (Saddleback Kids)
Brandon Dempsey

Scripture... John 6:22-35 (NKJV)

John Simpson, Worship Leader

Message... *“Christ, My Bread of Life #2”*

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

* Hymn of Dedication #473 (sung twice)

“Lead Me, Lord”

* Benediction

* Postlude... *“Lift Up Your Head”* by Ritter

Memory Verses:

This Week: “Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.” Philippians 4:6-7 (NIV)

Last Week: And Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst.” John 6:35 (NKJV)

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| Ongoing Prayer Needs: | Greg Clark |
| Kathy Irely | Cora Jean Qualey |
| Jane Jancisin | Jessie Roycroft |
| Rick & Joyce Frischolz | |

Statistics: Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 39; Sunday School, 7

Homebound: Mr. Glenn Neubert, 714 Ellsworth Avenue, Jeannette, PA 15644

Birthdays: **January 27,** Michael O’Rourke; **January 28,** Glenn Neubert

Received January 19, 2025

| General Fund | Budget | Received | Status |
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| Last Week | \$ 3,367.00 | \$ 1,567.00 | -\$ 1,800.00 |
| Year-to-date | \$ 10,101.00 | \$ 5,693.00 | -\$ 4,408.00 |
| Building Fund | Budget | Received | Status |
| Last Week | \$ 385.00 | \$ 200.00 | -\$ 185.00 |
| Year-to-date | \$ 1,155.00 | \$ 380.00 | -\$ 775.00 |

This Week

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| Sunday | <p>Worship Team meets every Sunday at 9:15 a.m. behind the sanctuary. Anyone wishing to make announcements should also meet at that time.</p> <p>Pick up hoagies and wedding soup.</p> <p>After worship Leadership event in the sanctuary. Everyone is welcome to stay for the event and then go to the Fellowship Hall for lunch. Following lunch all leaders are asked to stay and report on what your committee is doing in 2025.</p> |
| Monday | <p>Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Dartball is away, playing West Newton, 7:00 p.m.</p> |
| Saturday | <p>Private use of the Fellowship Hall.</p> <p>AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.</p> |

Looking Ahead:

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| February 2 | <p>Service of Holy Communion</p> <p>ChangeForGood will be for the military.</p> |
| February 9 | <p>Friends and Family</p> |
| February 16 | <p>Hoagie orders are due with money.</p> |
| February 18 | <p>Church Council, 7:00 p.m.</p> |
| February 23 | <p>Pick up hoagies</p> |
| February 27 | <p>Girl Scout meeting, 5:00 – 6:15 p.m.</p> |

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.

As you entered the sanctuary today, you may have noticed a digital display to the right side of the altar. Reviewing surveys made available to our communications team from our Allegheny West Global Methodist Conference, results show visitors to the church like 2 things - traditional items (like the cross) and PowerPoint/digital displays. Our drop-down screen does not allow for those to occur at the same time. As a result, we are looking for your feedback on the option you

see today. The existing drop-down screen in the center of the sanctuary is still there. We are testing a digital display to the side of the cross. We realize that some vantage points will have what stadiums and concerts refer to as "obstructed views." The good news is that we have lots of open seating for you to move to see the display more easily. On the other hand, if you do not like the digital media you can move to where you will not see the display. Please let Darlene or John (communications team members) know your thoughts on this option along with your suggestions to accommodate seeing the cross at the same time as seeing a PowerPoint/digital display. Thank you!

A HUGE THANK YOU to everyone for supporting the wedding soup sale! Our goal was to make/sell 50 quarts of soup. We sold 74! That's amazing! We made over \$600 on this fundraiser. And even more exciting - this drew 4 people into our church from the online sales. We pray they will return to worship with us the next time they consider worship services. Thank you to everyone for your support. - John and Darlene

Our Food Pantry needs the following: Shells & Cheese, soups (all kinds), cereal, canned potatoes, pineapple, Mandarin oranges, jelly, peanut butter and tuna. We **do not need canned vegetables**. We have so many cans, and people are not taking the vegetables.

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?

Sermon Notes:

²² On the following day, when the people who were standing on the other side of the sea saw that there was no other boat there, except ^[a]that one ^[b]which His disciples had entered, and that Jesus had not entered the boat with His disciples, but His disciples had gone away alone— ²³ however, other boats came from Tiberias, near the place where they ate bread after the Lord had given thanks— ²⁴ when the people therefore saw that Jesus was not there, nor His disciples, they also got into boats and came to Capernaum, seeking Jesus. ²⁵ And when they found Him on the other side of the sea, they said to Him, “Rabbi, when did You come here?”

²⁶ Jesus answered them and said, “Most assuredly, I say to you, you seek Me, not because you saw the signs, but because you ate of the loaves and were filled. ²⁷ Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him.”

²⁸ Then they said to Him, “What shall we do, that we may work the works of God?”

²⁹ Jesus answered and said to them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in Him whom He sent.”

³⁰ Therefore they said to Him, “What sign will You perform then, that we may see it and believe You? What work will You do? ³¹ Our fathers ate the manna in the desert; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’ ”

³² Then Jesus said to them, “Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. ³³ For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.”

³⁴ Then they said to Him, “Lord, give us this bread always.”

³⁵ And Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst.

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.

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