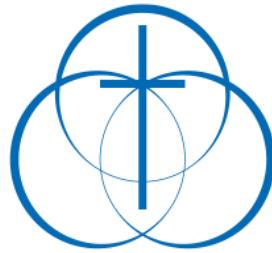


# *Circleville Church*

*of North Huntingdon, PA*



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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

**Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor**

**February 9, 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, February 9, 2025

9:30 A.M. Worship Service

**Fifth Sunday after Epiphany**

Prelude... *"Sweet Hour of Prayer"* by Bradbury

Mary Jane Clark, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Phyllis Dempsey, Worship Leader

\* Passing of the Peace

\* Ringing of the Bells

\* Call to Worship:

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord.

**People: Sing God's praises.**

Leader: Call on the Lord.

**People: Seek God with hearts full of song.**

\* Holy Invocation

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

\* Hymn of Praise #79 vs. 1, 4, & 5 (Hymnal)

*"Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"*

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... *"Love Found a Way"* by Lies

\* 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 worshipping throng.  
Water, God’s Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song:  
This is where children belong.**

Children’s Message... *“The Parable of the Wealthy Man”* (Saddleback Kids) Brandon Dempsey

Anthem... *“Come, Ye Disconsolate”*

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Soloist

Scripture... John 10:1-10(NKJV)

Phyllis Dempsey, Worship Leader

Message... *“Christ, The Door to My Safety”*

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

\* Hymn of Dedication #349 (sung twice)

*“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”*

\* Benediction

\* Postlude... *“On Our Way Rejoicing”* by Havergal

### Memory Verses:

**This Week:** “The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have *it* more abundantly.” John 10:10 (NKJV)

**Last Week:** Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, “I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life.” John 8:12 (NKJV)

<b>Ongoing Prayer Needs:</b>	<b>Greg Clark</b>
<b>Kathy Irey</b>	<b>Cora Jean Qualey</b>
<b>Jane Jancisin</b>	<b>Jessie Roycroft</b>
<b>Rick &amp; Joyce Frischolz</b>	

**Statistics:** Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 53; Sunday School, 6

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

**Birthdays:** February 9, Christina Gabany; February 14, Mary Jane Clark & Scott Goodish

**Received February 2, 2025**

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Status</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>\$ 3,367.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,916.00</b>	<b>-\$ 451.00</b>
<b>Year-to-date</b>	<b>\$ 16,835.00</b>	<b>\$ 11,279.00</b>	<b>-\$ 5,556.00</b>
<b>Building Fund</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Status</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>\$ 385.00</b>	<b>\$ 820.00</b>	<b>+\$ 435.00</b>
<b>Year-to-date</b>	<b>\$ 1,925.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,290.00</b>	<b>-\$ 635.00</b>

**This Week**

Sunday	Worship Team meets every Sunday at 9:15 a.m. behind the sanctuary. Anyone wishing to make announcements should also meet at that time. Friends and Family Sunday
Monday	Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m. Dartball is home, playing Paintertown, 7:00 p.m.
Thursday	Grief and Loss Support Group, 10:30 a.m.
Saturday	AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.

**Looking Ahead:**

February 16	Hoagie orders are due with money.
February 17	March newsletter deadline.
February 18	Church Council, 7:00 p.m.
February 23	Pick up hoagies
February 27	Girl Scout meeting, 5:00 – 6:15 p.m.

**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.

**The February newsletter** is on the gift table. Please take a copy and sign your name on the sheet provided.

**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.

**Building Fund Up-Date:** We currently have \$3,320 on the chart (\$2,000 from this year's fundraisers so far, \$820 from last week's building fund offering and a \$500 donation from Lenhart's Tire & Auto Service, our neighbor's across the street) on our way to \$18,900 for the roof.

**As many of you know**, we have applied for a grant to help with the completion of the roof. Unfortunately, we were not chosen but the roof still needs repaired. We are asking, as a church, to pray daily for God to help us answer this need. Please use this prayer daily.

**1 Thessalonians 5:18.** Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Our Heavenly Father, Jehovah-Jireh (the Lord will provide). There is no one like you. No one who loves us more than you. We praise your Name.

We humbly ask for you to open doors for the funds to complete our church's roof. We are in need of \$18,900 to repair the rest of the roof. For us this is huge, but with You all things are possible.

But even more than this request please also open our hearts as we seek to become more like you and reach out to spread Your Word and bring the lost to Christ. Thank you for all you have and will do for us.

We pray this in the name of Jesus and through the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## **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:

Scripture John 10:1-10 (NKJV)

**10** “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the door, but climbs up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber. <sup>2</sup> But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. <sup>3</sup> To him the doorkeeper opens, and the sheep hear his voice; and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. <sup>4</sup> And when he brings out his own sheep, he goes before them; and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. <sup>5</sup> Yet they will by no means follow a stranger, but will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers.” <sup>6</sup> Jesus used this illustration, but they did not understand the things which He spoke to them.

<sup>7</sup> Then Jesus said to them again, “Most assuredly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep. <sup>8</sup> All who *ever* came <sup>[a]</sup> before Me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not hear them. <sup>9</sup> I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture. <sup>10</sup> The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have *it* more abundantly.

To be read after Pastor Jun’s message:

Lord, what are You revealing through my senses—through sensation, seeing, hearing, smelling, touching, and even tasting? Sanctify my senses, Lord, so I may perceive You in every way You choose to reveal Yourself. Open my physical senses to discern Your presence and hear Your voice. In Jesus' name, Amen.

# 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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