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 March 2, 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)

Sunday, March 2, 2025

9:30 A.M. Worship Service

Transfiguration Sunday

Prelude... "O Perfect love" by Gurney and Barnby

"O Worship the King" by Grant and Haydn

Fred King, Jr., Accompanist

Welcome and Announcements

Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

- * Passing of the Peace
- * Ringing of the Bells
- * Call to Worship:

Leader: Christ has called us here,

People: inviting us to offer praise and prayer.

Leader: May Christ's presence be revealed in this time,

People: showing us the way to go.

Leader: May Christ's glory shine into our worship, **People:** that Christ's glory may shine in our lives.

* Holy Invocation

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* Hymn of Praise #88 vs. 1,2,& 3 (Hymnal)

"Maker, in Whom We Live"

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... "On Jordan's Stormy Banks" by Stennett and McIntosh

* 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... "Jesus Heals a Man Born Blind" (Saddleback Kids) Brandon Dempsey

Scripture... Galatians 2:19-21 (NKJV)

Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

Message... "The True Gospel: Christ, Living in Me"

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

Service of Holy Communion

* Hymn of Dedication #635 (Hymnal)

"Because Thou Hast Said"

- * Benediction
- * Postlude... "The Old Rugged Cross" by Bennard

Memory Verses:

This Week: "I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Galatians 2:12

Last Week: "If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you." John 15:7 (NKJV)

Ongoing Prayer Needs:	Greg Clark
Kathy Irey	Cora Jean Qualey
Jane Jancisin	Jessie Roycroft
Rick Frischolz	

Statistics: Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 50; Sunday School, 2

Homebound: Mrs. Jane Jancisin, Westmoreland Manor, 2480 S. Grand Boulevard,

Greensburg, PA 15601

Anniversary: March 7, Barb and Dave Minnicks

Received February 23, 2025

General Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 3,367.00	\$ 2,435.00	-\$ 932.00
Year-to-date	\$ 26,936.00	\$ 16,844.00	-\$ 10,092.00
Building Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 385.00	\$ 3,690.00	+\$ 3,305.00
Year-to-date	\$ 3,080.00	\$ 13,890.00	+\$ 10,810.00

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. Service of Holy Communion ChangeForGood is for Walk Thru the Bible	
Monday	Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m. Dartball is home, playing Irwin Methodist, 7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	Mid-Week Lenten service at New Hope Presbyterian Church, Lincoln Way, North Huntingdon, 11:30 a.m. Ash Wednesday service, 7:00 p.m.	
Saturday	Daylight Savings Time begins. Turn your clocks ahead one hour. Seniors for Safe Driving, 9:00 a.m1:00 p.m. AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.	

Looking Ahead:

March 9	Friends and Family Sunday
March 16	Hymn Sing Sunday Hoagie orders for March are due.
	Easter flower orders are due.
March 18	Church Council meeting, 7:00 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.

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

Raise the Roof – please check the progress we have made since last Sunday.

Walk Thru the Bible sign-up sheet and registration forms are on the table in the narthex.

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.

Suggestions are needed for ChangeForGood. Please make sure that whatever organization you choose that all of the money goes for the cause and not any or part of it goes to administration fees. See Phyllis Dempsey with your suggestions.

One of the results of our MissionInsite report is all churches need to communicate to their visitors and to the community who they are as a church. When you entered the church today, you most likely noticed a change to the bulletin board in the Narthex reflecting our mission statement, along with a Thank you and Announcements bulletin boards. This is our first attempt at trying to improve communicating who we are to those who are not members. However, your communication team was not gifted with artistic talent. We realize the graphics on the bulletin board could use a lot of help. If you are gifted with these talents and would like to make improvements to this communication, please reach out to Darlene.

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:

Galatians 2:10-21 (NKJV)

For I through the law died to the law that I might live to God. ²⁰ I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the *life* which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me. ²¹ I do not set aside the grace of God; for if righteousness *comes* through the law, then Christ died ^[a] in vain."

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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