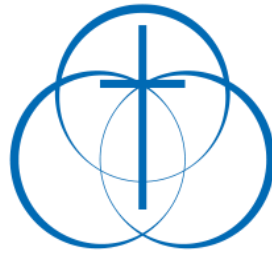


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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

July 27, 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, July 27, 2025

9:30 A.M. Worship Service

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude... *"Eternal Father, Strong to Save"* by Williams
"Safely Through Another Week" by Mason

Mary Jane Clark, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Scott Heckert, Worship Leader

* Passing of the Peace

* Ringing of the Bells

* Call to Worship:

Leader: Before we even knock,

People: Christ opens the doors and invites us in.

Leader: Before we even ask,

People: God knows our every need.

Leader: Come to seek; come to pray; come to worship,

People: for the Spirit has called us here.

* Holy Invocation

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

* Hymn of Praise #90 (Hymnal)

"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones"

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 ChangeForGod

The Offertory... *"How Long Has It Been?"* by Lister

* 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

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

Scripture... Matthew 16:1-4 (NKJV)

Scott Heckert, Worship Leader

Message... “” Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

* Hymn of Dedication #173 (Hymnal)

“Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies”

* Benediction

* Postlude... *“A Flag to Follow”* by Peterson

Memory Verses:

This Week: “A wicked and adulterous generation seeks after a sign, and no sign shall be given to it except the sign of ^[a]the prophet Jonah.” And He left them and departed.” Matthew 16:4 (NKJV)

Last Week: “If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.” John 15:7 (NIV)

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

Statistics: Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m. 42; Sunday School, 8

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

Birthdays: August 2, Caitlin Dempsey and Russell Verbanec

Anniversary: July 27, Mike and Ginny O’Rourke

Received July 20, 2025

General Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 3,367.00	\$ 1,129.00	-\$ 2,238.00
Year-to-date	\$ 87,643.00	\$ 83,503.00	-\$ 14,140.00
Building Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 385.00	\$ 85.00	-\$ 300.00
Year-to-date	\$ 11,165.00	\$ 28,860.00	+\$ 17,695.00

This Week

Sunday	ChangeForGood for Texas disaster. We will also collect next Sunday, August 3 rd .
Monday	Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m.
Saturday	AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.

Looking Ahead

August 3	Service of Holy Communion New Bible study, "Christ's Last Words from the Cross." See poster in the back of the bulletin.
August 9	Membership Class , 10:00 a.m. – Noon followed by lunch. If you are interested in uniting with Circleville Church, please see the sign-up sheet on the long table in the narthex.
August 10	Church Picnic at White Oak Park , Maple Pavilion, 2:00 p.m. Dinner to be served at 3:00 p.m. See the sign-up sheet in the narthex and sign-up if you are coming and what you will bring. The Church supplies the chicken. See the poster in the bulletin.

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), Instant oatmeal (in packets), Chef Boyardee pastas, peanut butter and jelly, Pop-Tarts, Lipton Rice/Noodle mixes, Mandarin oranges, pineapple, regular & spaghetti noodles, Ramen noodles, regular boxes of cereal, tuna, gravy, spaghetti sauce, stuffing. **Especially needed:** canned potatoes, creamed corn, canned kernel corn, canned carrots, canned peas but **please no green beans**. We need canned fruit. Thank you to all who donated.

Message from Superintendent Jeff Greenway of the Allegheny West Conference. Friends, the needs are profound in Texas. Therefore, I am calling for a “disaster relief” special offering to be taken in the churches of the Allegheny West Conference between now and August 1 to support the recovery efforts of the Mid-Texas Conference.

ChangeForGood will be collected today and next week, August 3rd.

SUNDAY, JULY 20 and SUNDAY, JULY 27 God is at work.

It has been a few weeks since I have updated you about Embrace Grace. In that time, God has been at work! At this point we have had 5 girls reach out to us expressing interest in our Embrace Grace meetings. They have not committed to the meetings yet so please pray for these girls.

We have ordered all the curriculum for all 3 portions of the ministry. Meeting rooms are ready for the Moms, the Dads, and for any children they may have. Other churches have been contacted in our community to help us reach these young families.

We still need your help. Please continue to pray for the young families, and for those who have stepped up to lead these families. We are so grateful to those who have agreed to work with the shower, the prayer warriors, or with the groups themselves. We still need 1 more woman to work with the Embrace Life Moms and 2 more men for the Embrace Legacy Dads. Please prayerfully consider stepping out to help these young families develop a relationship with Christ.

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 meetings consisting 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:

Matthew 16:1-4 (NKJV)

Then the Pharisees and Sadducees came, and testing Him asked that He would show them a sign from heaven. ² He answered and said to them, “When it is evening you say, ‘*It will be fair weather, for the sky is red*’; ³ and in the morning, ‘*It will be foul weather today, for the sky is red and threatening*.’ ^[a] Hypocrites! You know how to discern the face of the sky, but you cannot *discern* the signs of the times. ⁴ A wicked and adulterous generation seeks after a sign, and no sign shall be given to it except the sign of ^[b]the prophet Jonah.” And He left them and departed.

Message of Salvation

Are you saved?

Are you confident that you would go to heaven if you died 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 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.