

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

10:00 AM

July 18, 2010

**GATHERING BEFORE GOD**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

*(Please sign the Welcome Pads at the end of each pew)*

MINUTE FOR MISSION PW Mission Barb McCullough

CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT Ken Medema

“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”

CALL TO WORSHIP Micah 6:8

LEADER: God has told you what is good; and what does the Lord require of you,

ALL: **But to do justice and to practice faithfulness, and to walk humbly with your God?**

\*HYMN #469 “Morning Has Broken” *Bunessan*

\*CONFESSION OF SIN

**Holy God, in Christ you have saved us, and have brought us into a new relationship with you. You call us to “love God and neighbor.” You call us to practice “justice, faithfulness and humility.” You call us to live out the faith we profess, and be shining stars in the darkness around us. This morning we bow before you and confess our failure, our fear, and our faithlessness.**

*(Silent confession)*

**Merciful God, forgiven in Christ, we pray you would continue your work in us, so that we would will and do all that you call us to as followers of Jesus Christ. May our lives, and our life together, bear witness to the new life, hope and love for which so many still long to know. This we pray in the name of the one we follow, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE #280 v.1 “Amazing Grace” *Amazing Grace*

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**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Paula Haehnel

THE GOSPEL READING Luke 10:25-37

STORIES OF FAITH  
*(A brief story about the experience of following Jesus.)*

SOLO “Light the Fire Again” Brian Doerksen  
Missa Eaton

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING Deuteronomy 31:24-32:5

THE GOOD NEWS FOR THE YOUNGER DISCIPLES  
*(Children 0-4 years return to the nursery, and children grades K-5 are dismissed to “Children in Worship.”)*

THE NEW TESTAMENT READING Philippians 2:12-16

THE GOOD NEWS FOR THE OLDER DISCIPLES Dr. Hink  
“On the Corner of Faith and Life”

**RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD**

\*HYMN #418 “God Bless Your Church with Strength” *Diademata*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER  
*Pastoral Prayer/Silent Prayer/Congregational Prayer*

OFFERING  
Offertory – Piano Duet “This Is My Father’s World” L. Shackely  
\*Response (insert) “God, We Honor You” *Abundant Blessings*  
*(Please sing this as a 3-part round.)*  
\*Prayer of Dedication and **The Lord’s Prayer**  
*“...sins, as we forgive those who sin against us...”*

\*HYMN #538 “Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing” *Sicilian Mariners*

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\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE #432      “Song of Hope”      *Argentina*

*The conclusion of worship, and the beginning of service.*

\*Please stand if you are able.

The flowers are in memory of  
**Mr. & Mrs. Guy F. (Nora S. McClellan) McCracken, Sr. &  
Mr. & Mrs. Earl T. Ramsey**

THE ROSEBUD THIS MORNING is in honor of Ian Patrick Connelly, born June 25, 2010 to Jackie & Pat Connelly. Big sister is Grace Connelly.

THANK YOU to Missa Eaton and Maggie Reel for their beautiful music this morning. As always, we thank Terry Leonard and P J Nespor for playing guitar.

IN THE NURSERY this morning our caregivers, Brenda Hall, Nicole Snyderwine and helpers will care for our youngest believers.

CHILDREN IN GRADES K-5<sup>th</sup>, under the direction of Debbie Derrenbacher, Tracy Plyler and Brian Weigle, will be dismissed to the “Children in Worship” program following the “Good News for Children.” Children will be brought back to Fellowship Hall following the service. Parents please enjoy “Fellowship@First” until the children are brought down. Children 0-4 years old are invited to participate in the nursery program.

FELLOWSHIP@FIRST – You are invited to stay after worship for cookies, beverages, and fellowship. Meet someone new.

YEAR OF THE BIBLE: What information does Luke give us about Mary Magdalene? (Luke 8:2) Which disciples accompany Jesus at the Transfiguration? (Luke 9:28) Why does Haman wish to have all the Jews in Persia executed? (Esther 9:20-26) These questions come from the readings for July 11-15.

THE SESSION MEETING TONIGHT HAS BEEN CANCELLED. But, all elders are encouraged to complete the roster of their ministry teams, establish goals for 2010-11, and contact Dr. Hink to discuss team ministries and goals. (4)

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**“Real people, committed to Christ, living the Great Commandment”**

**July 18<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM Worship  
Dr. Hink preaching

10:00 AM	Worship	Fellowship Hall
11:00 AM	Fellowship@First	Fellowship Hall
11:30 AM	Kids Outing – Pymatuning Water Park	

**Wednesday, July 21**

7:00 AM	Men’s Fellowship Breakfast	Panera’s
8:30 AM	OAM trip to Heinz History Center leaves	Church parking lot

**Friday, July 23**

5:30 PM	Pairs & Spares Picnic & Canoe outing	Shenango Dam
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**July 25<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM Worship  
Rev. Maloney preaching

10:00 AM	Worship	Fellowship Hall
11:00 AM	Fellowship@First	Fellowship Hall



**FPC KIDS WILL BE GOING** immediately after church today to Pymatuning Water Park and then to the Spillway to feed fish. Everyone should have a brown bag lunch to eat on the way. See Debbie Derrnbacher if you would like to attend.

**PAIRS & SPARES PICNIC & CANOE OUTING** – Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> starting at 5:30 PM (picnic first, canoe later) at Shenango Lake at the Dam in Sharpsville. Bring a picnic dish to pass (we’ll provide paper products and drinks.) If you have your own canoe or kayak and want to bring it along, that’s great. **HOWEVER...**Many thanks to Dan Getway for organizing and the Shenango Valley River Watchers for loaning us their collection of canoes for the evening! Weather Backup Plan: Dinner and Bowling at 10 Pin Alley! Check with Laura the day of the event if there’s any question about the weather forecast! RSVP: [Laura@BuhlMansion.com](mailto:Laura@BuhlMansion.com) or call 724-301-0373.

**BACKPACK FOOD MISSION UPDATE** – Our goal was to raise \$6,750 so to feed 30 hungry children at Case Elementary over the weekends during the school year. To date we have received pledges for \$10,914. In addition over 40 people have volunteered to fill backpacks with food one evening a month, and over 30 people have volunteered to be “prayer partners” for this mission. This is a tremendous response to this mission opportunity!!! The Mission Team is now working to organize this mission. All participants will soon be contacted.

**OAM TRIP TO HEINZ HISTORY CENTER** will be Wednesday, July 21<sup>st</sup>. We will tour the Heinz History Center with a stop at the popular Soergel's Market in Wexford on the way home. The bus will leave our parking lot at 8:30 AM. Price is \$5.50 if we have 10 or more and \$9.00 if less. Lunch will be on your own at Reymer’s Old Fashioned Deli which is located on the History Center’s first floor. We will return in the late afternoon. Call the office to register for this bus trip.

**NEW WILMINGTON MISSION CONFERENCE** begins Saturday, July 24 and ends July 30 at Westminster College. Visitors are welcome. Please see the insert for the daily schedule and evening meeting and special events.

**PILLOWCASES TO DRESSES!!** As part of PW Mission the Wednesday Crafters are creating dresses for African children from pretty pillowcases. If you would like to donate new or “good used” cases, please leave them on the dresser in Room #106. Watch, too, for bargains on clothing for infants to age 18, school supplies and hygiene supplies as listed in your spring letter. Thank you.  
- Presbyterian Women Mission

**THE OFFICE** still has an open date for worship flowers – August 8. If you are interested in having flowers in memory of your loved ones or in honor of someone, the cost is \$35 for two bouquets. Please contact the church office if you are interested. Thank you.