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SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 24, 2015

9:45 A.M.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *"Let the Peace of God Reign"* Mark DeWalt
(Please take this time for quiet reflection in preparation for worship.)

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP (Selected verses from Psalm 104)

Leader: Many are your works, O Lord, and you have made them all in wisdom.

People: *The Earth is full of God's creatures as is the widths and depths of the sea*

Leader: All creatures look to you, O Lord, for you give them their food in due season.

People: *You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; and so you renew the face of the Earth.*

*INVOCATION

*OPENING HYMN # 431 *"Shine, Jesus, Shine"*

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Pentecost: as you have done in every age and place you pour out your Spirit today upon your people, loosening our tongues to declare your praise, binding our hearts together in community, and joining our hands in mission. Yet we resist the work of your Spirit among us. We'd rather die under our own control, than live in the power of your Spirit. Our lives deny the good news of your love, and our life together betrays the unity of the Spirit. Have mercy on us, O God. Breathe new life into us and fill us with the fire of your love, that we may proclaim with passion your glory revealed to us in the face of Jesus Christ. AMEN.

May 17, 2015

Attendance Total—86
Offering Total— \$2835.50
Building Fund— \$975.00

(To meet budgeted income,
we need \$3,000 each week)
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers in the chancel are from the Worship Committee in celebration of Pentecost Sunday.

Newsletter Deadline: Monday, May 25th

MercyMe @ the Canfield Fair: Highlights of "Faith and Family Day" on Sunday, September 6, 2015 at 8:00 pm. Ticket prices can be found on the flyer on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall. When purchased by June 15th, gate admission is included.

Mental Health Psycho-Educational Support Group: Shivonne Costa, MSW, is offering an 8-week group on Thursday evenings from 6:00-7:00 pm starting June 4, 2015 at First Baptist Church of Ellwood. Adults seeking education, support, and/or symptom-relief of mental illness are encouraged to attend. More information can be found on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

Sumer Camp: Brochures and registration forms are available in the office for Seneca Hills, Westminster Highlands, and Camp Lambec. If you are interested in going please see Joe fisher. There are scholarships available.

Mission Trip Opportunity: The people of Old Union Church (together with friends from other congregations) will travel to Bayville, NJ the week of August 9-15, to assist with ongoing rebuilding work from Hurricane Sandy. People of all ages and skills are welcome to join the team. For more information and to sign up, please contact Rev. Peter C. de Vries at 724-538-8672 or oldunionchurch@gmail.com. A \$25 deposit will hold your spot. Total cost will be less than \$75.

Signup Table:

- Grandparents Survey for Newsletter
- Sunday Morning worship service flowers

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

NSPC Member(s) Focus: **Tracy Main**

Presbytery Church Focus: **Unionville United, Butler**

Conflict in the Mid-East, our soldiers and their families

Elise Fisher, continued prayers for health concerns.

Family and Friends of Eleanor Whimer

Butch, Andrea Householder's brother

Vicky Koach, Josh Koach's mother

Clayton Miller, son of Adrienne and Pete Miller, involved in an auto accident (4/30). Has a fractured C-7 vertebrae in his neck and facial abrasions.

Carol Richards, was admitted to the Ellwood Hospital on April 19th.

Sheri Richards-Ault, gall bladder surgery (4/23)

Ron Prokovich, sister passed away on April 21st.

Patty Sole, Michelle Shepler's mother. Recovering from surgery.

Family and Friends of Barbara Rhodes, Tonya Brown's mother.

Pat Wolfe, continued healing.

Steve Trybus, friend of Sue Moore, recovering from a Kidney Transplant (4/7) and the kidney donor, Makayla.

Gale Mussey, friend of Joe Fisher diagnosed with ALS.

Daniel Goodner, Pat Vagias' brother's son-in-law. Recovering from traumatic injury of the brain.

Chad Cuccaro, son of Tony & Jane, military deployment

Tony Cuccaro,

Iola Grant

C.J. Fitzgerald, son of Misty Fitzgerald

Shelly Jackson, sister of Brenda Kriegisch, has been diagnosed with cancer. Cards can be sent to 105 Jackson Way, House 1, Ellwood

Luke Tomko (4 yrs. old) undergoing treatment for leukemia. His parents are Kelly and Jon, friends of Susan Paff

Our NSPC Capital Campaign

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

**May 24.
Pentecost**

9:45 am Worship followed by fellowship time.

11:15 am Sunday School for all ages.

May 25.

Memorial Day

**May 31.
Trinity
Sunday**

9:45 am Worship followed by fellowship time.

11:15 am Last day of Sunday School for all ages.



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***WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

***BRIEF STATEMENT OF FAITH (select portions)**

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the church. The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the church.

In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.

***GLORIA PATRI #812**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Mark DeWalt

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Dr. Judy Angleberger

Acts 2:1-4, 16-18

(Children ages 4 through 2nd Grade are dismissed for We-e Worship)

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER

***UNISON PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION #384** "Spirit Song"

SCRIPTURE READING

John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15 (1678)

SERMON

“Pentecost”
Rev. Dr. Judy Angleberger

RECEPTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory #391 *“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”*

*Response #815 *“Doxology”*

*Prayer of Dedication

CLOSING HYMN #389 *“Spirit of the Living God”*

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

“Spirit Song”

Mark DeWalt

Good Morning!

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today! Our worship experience is enhanced by your presence with us. Please join us after the worship service for a time of fellowship with coffee, tea and refreshments downstairs in the Fellowship Hall.

An adult supervised nursery is provided for children ages 3 and under during the worship service. The nursery is located down the hall, last room on the right.

There are large print editions of the bulletin, with hymns, in the entry way.

In Service This Week:

Liturgist: Dave Sullivan

Greeter: Leslie Richards

Children’s Sermon: Rev. Dr. Judy Angleberger

Wee Worship: Lindsay Koach

In Service Next Week:

Liturgist: Aaron Zimmerman

Greeter: Bonnie Gorrell

Children’s Sermon: Rev. Dr. Judy Angleberger

Wee Worship: Ashley Paff

May Ushers:

Michelle Shepler (Head Usher), Dave Shepler,
Russ and Pat Whisler, Brandon Fisher