

Apostles' Creed

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.
Amen.*

Gloria Patri

*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.*

Mars UP Church

Come Holy Spirit, Come

The service of worship begins with the prelude; quiet is requested as you enter the sanctuary and prepare for worship. As a community that prays with and for one another, we invite you to share your joys and concerns by using the prayer cards available in the pew. Those parts of the Service of Worship in which the congregation participates in word are noted in bold type.

Prelude

**(Please stand, if you are able)*

Welcome and Mars Messages

***Prayer of Invocation**

The Call to Worship

Leader: What does the Lord require of you?

People: To do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with our God.

Leader: What does God command of us?

People: To love God with all our heart, and all our soul, and all our mind, and all our strength, and to love our neighbor as ourselves.

Leader: God does not call us to ease or to comfort, but to presence, and abundance, and grace in our struggle.

People: Let us worship the God who believes in us, and trusts in us, and abides with us. Let us worship the God who will ask much of us, but will be beside us every step of the way.

***Hymn of Praise**

"Battle Hymn of Republic"

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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 debts,
as we forgive
our debtors;
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 Doxology

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.

***Unison Prayer of Confession**

God, you are our Righteous Judge and Compassionate Sovereign, hear us as we confess our sin. We are prone to punish those who offend us but expect forgiveness when we offend others. We hasten to harm the image of those with whom we disagree. In the midst of the diversity you created, we are quick to determine who shall be saved or condemned while claiming that you alone discern all goodness and truth. Help us to hear again how Jesus Christ died to save all of humanity, and hinder our efforts to decide who will enter your kingdom. Hear our time of silent confession...

***Silent, Personal Confession**

***Assurance of God's Mercy and Grace**

***Affirmation of Faith**

***Gloria Patri**

Apostles Creed

Children's Moment & Children's Ministry Message and Prayer

Psalm Reading

Psalm 13

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

"Praise Him! Praise Him!"

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Offertory Sentence

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 22:1-14

Epistle Reading

Roman 6: 12-23

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Church Office Hours:

Tues –Friday from 9 a.m. -3 p.m.

Sermon **Rev. Ed Boyce**
“When You Are Both More Sinful Than You Could Ever
Imagine and You Are More Loved Than You Could Ever Dare
or Hope, All at the Same Time.”

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper(8:30)

Invitation to the Lord's Table
Hymn **320**
“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”

Great Thanksgiving
Words of Institution
Communion of the People
Prayer after Communion

***Hymn of Commitment** **503**
“Since Jesus Came into My Heart”

*** Charge**

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response** (Everyone sings)

The time has come, O Lord, for us to leave this place;
Guide us and protect us and lead us in Thy grace;
Wherever life may take us as we go our separate ways;
Help us share with others the things we've shared today;
May the peace of God the Father
And the love of Christ His Son
Guide us in the days ahead and strengthen us each one;
May the blessings of the Spirit fill us from within;
God bless us and return us to this fellowship once again.
Amen.

***Postlude**

***Flowers today are provided to the Glory
of God and in thanks for our many
blessings by the Wentling Family***

*Morning Worship:
8:30 am and 10:00 am*

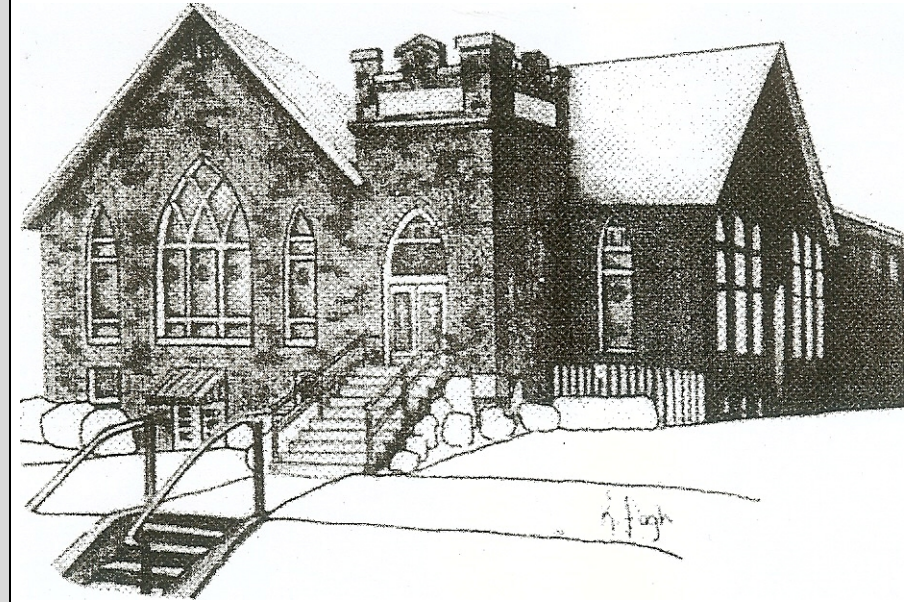
*Nursery provided
during 10:00 am service.*

**4th Sunday after
Pentecost**

Prayer of Preparation
*Lord, we come to you
today with so many
things on our hearts.
You call us to be in
relationship of trust
and love with you and
you offer healing to us
for those portions of
our lives that are
broken and injured.
Help us to be open to
your mercy and healing
love. For we ask this in
Jesus' Name.
AMEN.*

Mars United Presbyterian Church

Welcome!



***We are your hometown church: Faithful to Tradition,
Loving in Fellowship, & Reaching for Tomorrow!***

July 2, 2017

**We welcome you and we are glad you've chosen to
worship with us today!**

CALENDAR: July 2nd – July 9th

Church Office Hours: Tuesday thru Friday from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Today, July 2, 2017 Communion

8:30 am THE EARLY MORNING WORSHIP/Communion

10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

2:00 p.m. Creation Returns

Monday, July 3, 2017

Tuesday, July 4, 2017

OFFICE CLOSED

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY

Wednesday, July 5, 2017

Thursday, July 6, 2017

6:30 p.m. VBS Meeting for all/Decorating

Friday, July 7, 2017

Saturday, July 8, 2017

Sunday, July 9, 2017

8:30 a.m. THE EARLY WORSHIP SERVICE

10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

VOLUNTEERS ☺

GREETERS:

(D) Pat Auld (E) June Stirling

NURSERY THIS WEEK:

Angela Guesman

NURSERY NEXT WEEK:

Gloria Utz

JR CHURCH THIS WEEK:

MUP MUFFINS:

TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Stewardship Committee

LAST SUNDAY'S

ATTENDANCE: 105

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$6094.00

Kindness: \$20.00

Mission: \$310.00

MUP Van: \$10.00

Total: 6434.00

Galatians 6:9 "And let us not grow weary of doing good,
for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up."

PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Lou Beckwith

Wanda Jones

Terry Moore (Sam's cousin)

Rich Williams

Emma Libert (friend of the McElhinny's)

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)

Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)

Will English (Nephew of Patty Marburger)

Elliana Mae Cicconi (great niece of Dee Shupsky)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS SAVE THE DATE "DEEP SEA DISCOVERY" Vacation Bible School will be July 10 – 14, 2017 from 6:00 to 8:30p.m. Registration is now online at mars-up.org please sign up *TODAY*. If you have any questions, please contact the office or Alma Staskiewicz.

QUIET HOUR Daily Devotions for June – August 2017 are now available in the Library. Please feel free to take one!

JULY/AUGUST NEWSLETTER Copies of the JULY/AUGUST newsletter are available in the Tarry N Talk area of the church for your convenience.

GLADE RUN FOOD BANK SUNDAY is today. Thank you for continuing to support our neighborhood food bank. Summertime is always a greater need with the children home from school.

VBS DECORATING AND MEETING MANDATORY MEETING If you would like to be a crew leader for VBS or are involved with VBS in any area please come to the meeting on Thursday, July 6 at 6:30pm. We will also plan to decorate for the start of VBS on Monday, July 10th at 6:00 All help is appreciated!!

WORSHIP TIME CHANGE Today through Rally Day in September, the summer worship times will change to 8:30 and 10:00am without Sunday School.