

**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)

**The Call to Worship**  
Leader: Let us worship the Triune God.  
**People: Let us worship God the Father who spoke in the beginning and created something out of nothing.**

Leader: Let us worship the Triune God.  
**People: Let us worship God the Son, who took on the clothing of humanity to set those who were oppressed free.**

Leader: Let us worship the Triune God.  
**All: Let us worship the Holy Spirit who rests continually upon us, calling us from sorrow-filled endings to bright new beginnings.**

**\*Hymn of Praise** **3**  
*"Holy, Holy, Holy!"*

**\*Unison Invocation**  
God of power and might: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, on this Trinity Sunday you know us in more ways than we can count. We marvel at the mystery of life, and wonder at your attention to our lives. As we consider the vast expanses of space, we are fascinated by distances too extensive to understand. The times we have measured are a tiny ripple in

***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.

your eternity. Yet you have honored this planet by revealing yourself in the life and ministry of Jesus and the empowerment of the Holy Spirit. May we experience your presence in this time of worship. Amen

**Unison Prayer of Confession**  
O God, when we are put to the test we do not quickly respond. If called upon to decide, we lack the courage of faith. Confessing commitment, we confuse your will with our own. Seeking security, we turn to devices that we control. Your voice comes from heaven to chasten and discipline. Your commandments Jesus proclaimed as the course we should take. Forgive us for those times when we deviate from the truth you deliver, and increase our trust in you.

**Silent, Personal Confession**  
**Assurance of God's Mercy and Grace**

**Hymn of Baptism** **465**  
*"Baptized in Water"*

**The Sacrament of Baptism**  
Owen David Spada  
Son of Eric and Meredith(Barbour)Spada

Words of Institution  
Affirmation of the Parents and the People

**\*Affirmation of Faith** **Apostles Creed**  
**\*Gloria Patri**

**Welcome and Mars Messages**  
*(the children may come forward during the music)*  
**Children's Moment & Children's Ministry**  
**Message and Prayer**  
Following the Children's Moment, all children (pre-K thru grade 3) are invited to Children's Ministry.  
Departing song "Jesus Loves the Little Children"

**Recognition of Graduates** **Insert**

Psalm Reading **Psalm 8**

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### Church Office Hours:

Tues –Friday from 9 a.m. -3 p.m.

## Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

**Hymn of Preparation** **372**  
*"Our God Reigns"*

**Offertory Sentence**  
**Offertory**  
**Doxology**  
**Prayer of Dedication**

**Epistle Reading** **Colossians 2**

**Sermon** **Rev. Ed Boyce**  
*"Circumcision and Baptism"*

**\*Hymn of Commitment** **401**  
*"The Church's One Foundation"*

### **\* 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 loving memory of husband, Wayne  
Jackson; mother, Jean Clark; sister-in-law, Sue  
Gray; and friend, J.R. Held by Patricia  
Jackson.***

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

*Nursery provided  
during 10:00 am service.*

### **Trinity Sunday**

### **Prayer of Preparation**

*Lord, we come to you  
today with so many  
things on our hearts.*

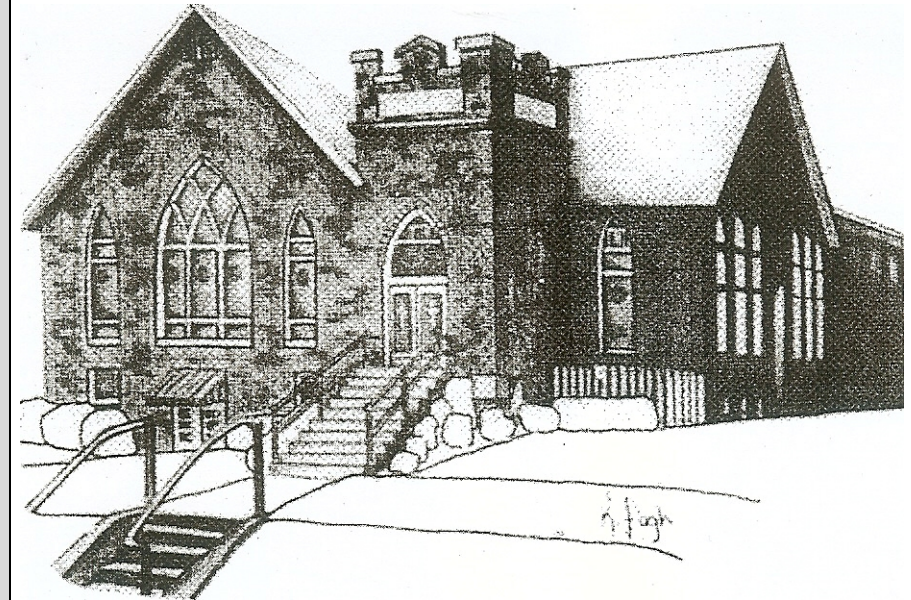
*You call us to be in  
relationship of trust  
and love with you and  
you offer healing to us  
for those portions of  
our lives that are  
broken and injured.*

*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!***

***June 11, 2017***

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

CALENDAR: June 11<sup>th</sup> – June 18<sup>th</sup>

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

Today, June 11, 2017

8:30 am THE EARLY MORNING WORSHIP  
10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE  
12:00 pm Church picnic @ Adams Twp Park

Monday, June 12, 2017

6:30 p.m. Griefshare

Tuesday, June 13, 2017

9:00 a.m. A-Team  
7:00 p.m. AA

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

9:00 a.m. Material Girls

Thursday, June 15, 2017

Friday, June 16, 2017

Saturday, June 17, 2017

Sunday, June 18, 2017 Father's Day

8:30 a.m. THE EARLY WORSHIP SERVICE  
10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

VOLUNTEERS☺

GREETERS:

(D) Dona Gartrell (E) Bill Wentling

NURSERY THIS WEEK:

Pat Jackson

NURSERY NEXT WEEK:

Sue Cook

JR CHURCH THIS WEEK:

Mary Snow

MUP MUFFINS:

TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Mission & Outreach Committee

LAST SUNDAY'S

ATTENDANCE: 116

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$3549.00

Kindness: \$5.00

Mission: \$5.00

Memorial: \$50.00

Total: 3609.00

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** Vacation Bible School will be July 10 – 14, 2017 from 6:00 to 8:30p.m. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the office or Alma Staskiewicz. All are welcome!!

**CHURCHWIDE PICNIC TODAY June 11<sup>th</sup> after the 10:00 service.**

Join us for a wonderful time of Fellowship at Adams Township Park in the Adams Township Park Pavilion (near the playground). Bring a covered dish to share, burgers, hot dogs, beverages and fix'ns will be provided. Games and activities for all ages!! ALL ARE WELCOME AND RESERVATIONS NOT REQUIRED. LUNCH WILL BE ABOUT 12:00 NOON.

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

**JUNE MUP NEWSLETTER** Hard copies of the newsletter are available in the Tarry N Talk area of the church for your convenience.

*Through the end of May, funds have been sufficient to meet the expense and obligations of the church. But with summer months approaching and attendance lower, please remember to continue to submit your offerings on a weekly basis.*

*Thank You*

*Stewardship Committee*