

**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 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.*

### **We Gather Before God**

(\*Please stand, if able)

#### **Welcome and Mars Messages**

#### **Prelude**

**Introit (11:00am)**

**Chancel Choir**

*"Great is The Lord"*

**\*The Call to Worship**

(Psalm 34:1-8, 19-22):

Leader: I will extol the LORD at all times; his praise will always be on my lips. My soul will boast in the LORD; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. Glorify the LORD with me; let us exalt his name together.

People: **I sought the LORD, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. Those who look to him are radiant; their faces are never covered with shame. This poor man called, and the LORD heard him; he saved him out of all his troubles.**

Leader: The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and he delivers them. Taste and see that the LORD is good; blessed is the man who takes refuge in him. A righteous man may have many troubles, but the LORD delivers him from them all; he protects all his bones, not one of them will be broken.

People: **Evil will slay the wicked; the foes of the righteous will be condemned. The LORD redeems his servants no one will be condemned who takes refuge in him.**

**\*Invocation(Corporate)**

O God, who alone can probe the depths of the heart, you hear the prayer of the humble and justify the repentant sinner. Grant us the

### *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.

gift of humility, that we may see our own sins clearly and refrain from judging our neighbor. We make our prayer through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

**\*Hymn of Praise**

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*"Jesus Calls Us"*

**\*Corporate Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

God of light and love, we cherish the faith experiences we've had. We need those times to give us energy and renew our faith. Forgive us when we cling to those experiences, missing opportunities and challenges that help us grow in faith. Forgive us our spirits of timidity, our failure to move on, to come down from the mountain to do the ministry to which You called us. Forgive us for being so comfortable living in ruts and routine. Give us courage to seek out new vision for acting upon our faith. Through Christ who gives us light and life, Amen.

Silent, Personal Confession

Assurance of God's Grace and Pardon

**\*Gloria Patri**

**\*Passing of the Peace**

### **We Receive God's Word**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Choral Anthem (11:00am)**

**Chancel Choir**

*"Our Refuge and Strength"*

**Moment with Children (11:00am)**

*All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, 17 so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work (2 Timothy 3:16-17)*

*"So now all of us are here in the presence of God to listen to all the Lord has commanded you to say" (Acts 10:33b)*

**Scripture**

**Mark 10:46-52**

**Message**

**Reverend Jim Steiner**

*"What do you want me to do? (Part 2)"*

### **We Respond to God's Word**

**\*Affirmation of Faith (from The Confession of 1967, 9.23-24):**

The new life [in Christ] does not release a [person] from conflict

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with unbelief, pride, lust, fear. He still has to struggle with disheartening difficulties and problems. Nevertheless, as he matures in love and faithfulness in his life with Christ, he lives in freedom and good cheer, bearing witness on good days and evil days, confident that the new life is pleasing to God and helpful to others. The new life finds its direction in the life of Jesus, his deeds and words, his struggles against temptation, his compassion, his anger, and his willingness to suffer death. The teaching of apostles and prophets guides men in living this life, and the Christian community nurtures and equips them for their ministries.

**\* Responsorial Hymn** **151**  
*"A Mighty Fortress is our God"*

**Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer**  
**Offering**  
**Doxology**  
**Prayer of Dedication**  
**Offertory Response(11:00)**  
**Chancel Choir**

*"All Things Come of Thee"*

***We Are Sent Into the World*** **330**  
**\*Hymn of Commitment**  
*"Are You Washed in the Blood?"*

**\* Benediction**  
**\*Congregational Response** (Everyone sings)  
*"The Time has come...."*

**\*Postlude**

***Rosebud on the altar is to honor the birth of Lidia Sue Stoy born October 12, 2018. Proud parents are Joe and Carley Stoy.***

***Flowers are presented to the Glory of God and in memory of Lisa's father, Richard McCartney by Jack and Lisa Barbour.***

*Morning Worship:*  
*8:30 am and 11:00 am*

*Nursery provided*  
*during 11:00 am service.*

**23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after  
Pentecost**

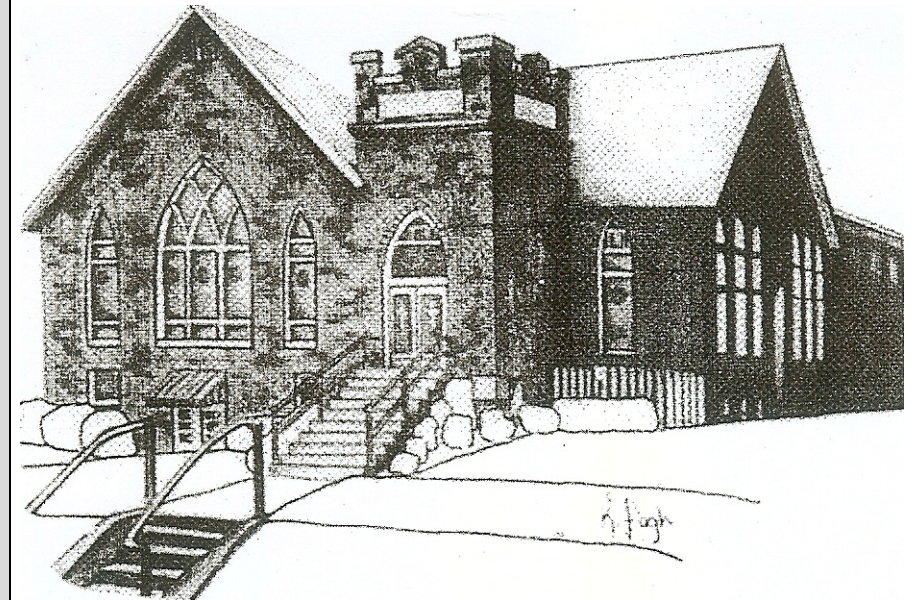
**Prayer of Preparation**  
*Lord, we come to you  
today with so many  
things on our hearts.  
You call us to be in  
relationship of trust  
and love with you and  
you offer healing to us  
for those portions of  
our lives that are  
broken and injured.  
Help us to be open to  
your mercy and healing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

**Next Sunday Scripture:**

**John 1:1-14**  
**Hebrews 1:1-4**

## Mars United Presbyterian Church

# Welcome!



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

*October 28, 2018*

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

# CALENDAR: October 28th – November 4th

Church Office Hours: Monday -Thursday from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

## Today, October 28, 2018

**8:30 am THE EARLY MORNING WORSHIP**  
9:45 am Sunday School for all ages  
**11:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
7:00 p.m. Youth Group

## Monday, October 29, 2018

6:30 p.m. Griefshare  
7:00 pm BoyScouts

## Tuesday, October 30, 2018

8:30 p.m. WIC  
9:00 a.m. A-Team  
7:00 p.m. AA

## Wednesday, October 31, 2018

9:00 a.m. Material Girls  
7:00 pm Pastor Bible Study

## Thursday, November 1, 2018

9:30 am Pastor Bible Study

## Friday, November 2, 2018

## Saturday, November 3, 2018

## Sunday, November 4, 2018

**8:30 a.m. THE EARLY WORSHIP SERVICE/communion**  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages  
**11:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
7:00 pm Youth Group

## VOLUNTEERS☺

### GREETERS:

(E) Keith Cuyar  
(D) Carol Kopar

### NURSERY THIS WEEK:

Marsha Haley

### NURSERY NEXT WEEK:

Jill Cooper

### JR CHURCH THIS WEEK:

MUP MUFFINS: Pam

Kennedy and Linda Lees

### TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Worship/Member Committee

### LAST SUNDAY'S

ATTENDANCE: 78

### LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$3965.00

Mission: \$80.00

Sunday School: \$2.00

Bldg. Improv. \$5.00

Roof Campaign: \$50.00

Computer: \$950.00

Total: \$5052.00

# PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Lou Beckwith

Wanda Jones

Terry Moore (Sam's cousin)

Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards)

Ellaina May Sacony (great niece of Dee Shupsky)

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)

Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)

Emma Libert (friend of the McElhinny's)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Bulletins are printed Thursday mornings; let us know if you have an announcement...*

**OCTOBER 21<sup>st</sup> SERMON** Copies of Pastor Jim's sermon is available in the Tarry N Talk if you would like to take one home.

**PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY:** Pastor Jim will begin his Bible Study on **Wednesday, October 31st, 7:00 PM**. This will be a one-hour study. Also, the same study will take place **Thursday mornings at 9:30 AM**. We will begin with a look at the Parables of Jesus. Regarding food, we will let things develop on their own. If anyone wants to organize refreshments, the group can decide. Please join us!

**VETERANS SUNDAY** On November, 11<sup>th</sup> during both services, we will honor our veterans with the lighting of a candle. We are asking this year to bring a photo with the enclosed slip to recognize the veteran. These will be placed on a board in Tarry N Talk for all to see.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** There will be a congregational meeting on November 18, 2018 at **10am**. **Sunday School will not be held this Sunday due to the meeting. Worship services remain the same. 8:30am and 11:00am**

Purpose of meeting threefold (a) elect officers for 2019, (b) receive the budget for 2019, and (c) change the Bylaws to make the required quorum for Congregational Meetings 15% of membership.

Current Bylaw # 11, **A quorum for Congregational meetings shall consist of the moderator, secretary, and fifty eligible voters.**

Proposed change of Bylaw # 11, **A quorum for Congregational meetings shall consist of the moderator, secretary, and fifteen per cent of our membership as eligible voters.**

**FAIR TRADE SALE** The Mission Group of Holy Sepulcher Church is hosting their 10th annual *Fair Trade Sale* on Saturday, November 10 to benefit the San Bernardino School in Patzun, Guatemala. Flyer with more info on the bulletin board in the back hallway.

## CHURCH ROOF

As you may be aware, the roof of the church will need to be replaced in the next three years. The cost is estimated to be \$70,000. Our goal is to raise this amount over the next three years. We need five members to lead this campaign for the next three years. If you would like to be on the committee, please contact the church office.