## 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.

## We Gather Before God

(\*Please stand, if able)

Welcome and Mars Messages Prelude

Introit(11:00am)

Chancel Choir

"Surely the Presence"

#### \*The Call to Worship

(Psalm 98)

Leader: Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things; his right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him. The LORD has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations.

People: He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to the house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth, burst into jubilant song with music; make music to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and the sound of singing, with trumpets and the blast of the ram's horn—shout for joy before the LORD the King.

Leader: Let the sea resound, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it.

People: Let the rivers clap their hands, let the mountains sing together for joy; let them sing before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness

People: and the people with equity.

## 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.

## \*Invocation(Corporate)

Great and loving God, your will for us in Jesus is the peace which the world cannot give; your abiding gift is the Advocate he promised. Calm all troubled hearts, dispel every fear. Keep us steadfast in love and faithful to your word, that we may always be your dwelling place. Grant this through Jesus Christ, the firstborn from the dead, who lives with you now and always in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

#### \*Hymn of Praise

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"I Need Thee Every Hour"

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

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is nothing good in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; according to your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord. Grant that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of his name. 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** 

"Sing The Goodness of the Lord"

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)

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Mon -Thurs from 9 a.m. -3 p.m.

"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** 

**Matthew 6:5-13** 

Message

**Reverend Jim Steiner** 

"When You Pray"

## We Respond to God's Word

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

\* Responsorial Hymn

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"In the Garden"

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Offering Doxology

**Prayer of Dedication** 

Offertory Response(11:00)

**Chancel Choir** 

"All Things Come of Thee"

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

**Invitation to the Lord's Table** 

Hymn

"Come, Share the Lord"

**Great Thanksgiving** 

**Words of Institution** 

**Communion of the People** 

**Prayer after Communion** 

## We Are Sent Into the World

\*Hymn of Commitment

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"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

- \* Benediction
- \*Congregational Response (Everyone sings)

"The Time has come .... "

\*Postlude

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

Nursery provided during 11:00 am service.

**6th Sunday of Easter** 

**Prayer of Preparation** 

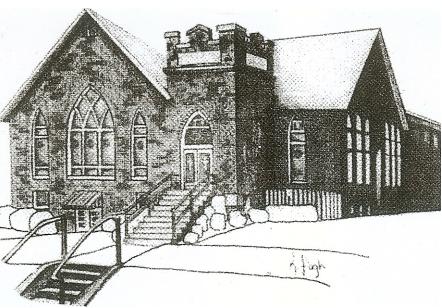
Lord, we come to you today with so many things on our hearts.
You call us to be in relationship of trust and love with you and you offer healing to us for those portions of our lives that are broken and injured. Help us to be open to your mercy and healing love. For we ask this in Jesus' Name.

AMEN.

**Next Sunday Scripture:** 

**Matthew 6:5-13** 

# Mars United Presbyterian Church Welcome!



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

May 6, 2018

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

## CALENDAR: May 6th – May 13th

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

#### **Today, May 6, 2018**

8:30 am THE EARLY MORNING WORSHIP

9:45 am Sunday School for all ages

11:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

12:15 p.m. Building and Grounds Meeting

12:15 pm CE/MO Meeting 6:00 p.m. MS/HS Youth Group

Monday, May 7, 2018

1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study

6:30 p.m Griefshare

Tuesday, May 8, 2018
9:00 a.m. A-Team
7:00 p.m. AA

Wednesday, May 9, 2018 9:00 a.m. Material Girls

**Thursday, May 10, 2018** 

6:00 p.m. Stewardship Meeting 7:00 p.m. Deacon Meeting

<u>Friday, May 11, 2018</u> <u>Saturday, May 12, 2018</u>

Sunday, May 13, 2018 Mother's Day

8:30 a.m. THE EARLY WORSHIP SERVICE

9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

11:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

NO MS/HS Youth Group

## **VOLUNTEERS**

**GREETERS**:

(E) Herb Wellman

(D) Jill Cooper

**NURSERY THIS WEEK:** 

Natalie Llewellyn

**NURSERY NEXT WEEK:** 

Dave McElhinny

JR CHURCH THIS WEEK:

Alma Staskiewicz

MUP MUFFINS: Pam Kennedy and Linda Lees

TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Stewardship Committee

LAST SUNDAY'S

**ATTENDANCE**: 91

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$8133.00

Mission: \$305.00 Van: \$20.00

Recycling: \$300.00 Total: \$8758.00

## PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT

The Stewardship committee is reminding you that if you haven't sent in your Per Capita, please do so ASAP. We are requested to pay \$39.47 to them per member of congregation of confirmation age and older. You can place your assessments in the offertory and ear mark it for your Per Capita Assessments. Many wonder what this money does for us....well, this year we are particularly enjoying the fruits of the Presbytery helping place interim pastor, James Steiner in our midst to help us through our transition period. In addition, they provide support in negotiating salaries, insurances and pensions with our pastors and employees. Most importantly they provide a resource for us to tap into when we are in need of guidance. Please consider paying your Per Capita Assessment as soon as possible as we partner with our Presbytery to become stronger, smarter and more cohesive. As always, we give thanks for your generosity and support.

## PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Lou Beckwith Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)
Wanda Jones Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)
Terry Moore (Sam's cousin) Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)
Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards
Ellaina May Sacony (great niece of Dee Shupsky)

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)
Emma Libert (friend of the McElhinny's)

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

<u>APRIL 29th SERMON</u> Copies of Pastor Jim's sermon last week is available in the Tarry N Talk if you would like to take one home.

**SAVE THE DATE** *MUP Picnic @ Adams Township Park* June 10<sup>th</sup> at the *TOWNSHIP PAVILLION* (*DOWN BY THE PLAYGROUND*). There will be one service at 10:00 am under the pavillion. The picnic will start immediately after the service. Hamburgers, Hot Dogs and drinks will be provided. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish or dessert. *More Details to follow!* 

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL "Shipwrecked"** Registration for VBS is available now online at <a href="https://www.mars-up.org">www.mars-up.org</a>. June 18<sup>th</sup> thru June 22<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 to 8:30 pm. Donations are also needed to help fund this worthwhile community outreach. Please check out the Tarry N Talk bulletin board to see how you can help contribute.

#### **GRADUATE RECOGNITION – JUNE 3RD**

On Sunday, June 3rd, high school and college graduates will be recognized during one of the morning worship services. If your son or daughter is graduating from high school or college, please let us know! We would like the opportunity to recognize their hard work and accomplishments and pray for the next step in their journey! An insert will be made for the bulletin on June 3rd - a photo and 4 to 5 sentence blurb about your graduate is requested.

**MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM** will be during the 11:00 service on May 13<sup>th</sup>. Alma's Angels will be performing with a small program from the Sunday School children. Flowers will be given to the Ladies of the church at both services.

## **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

We will be recognizing our Confirmation class on Sunday, May  $20^{\rm th}$  during the 11:00 Worship Hour.

**MAY MUP NEWSLETTER** Hard copies of the May MUP Newsletter are available in the Tarry N Talk for your convenience. Please take one and if you would like added to the email list or mailing list, notify the office.

**DINING TO DONATE** The Youth Group is sponsoring a Dining to Donate on Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at Applebees on Rt. 228. The funds raised will help defray costs for the youth programs. Please help support this youth Fundraiser. Please take flyers inside the bulletin with you.