#### 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

\*The Call to Worship

(Psalm 85)

Leader: You showed favor to your land, O LORD; you restored the fortunes of Jacob. You forgave the iniquity of your people and covered all their sins. You set aside all your wrath and turned from your fierce anger.

People: Restore us again, O God our Savior, and put away your displeasure toward us. Will you be angry with forever? Will you prolong your anger through all generations? Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?

Leader: Show us your unfailing love, O LORD, and grant us your salvation. I will listen to what God the LORD will say; he promises peace to his people, his saints-but let them not return to folly. Surely his salvation is near those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land.

People: Love and faithfulness meet together; righteousness and peace kiss each other. Faithfulness springs forth from the earth, and righteousness looks down from heaven. The LORD will indeed give what is good, and our land will yield its harvest. Righteousness goes before him and prepares the way for his steps.

## \*Invocation (Corporate)

Eternal God, protector of all who put their trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Fill us

# 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. with your mercy and your grace, that, with you to rule and guide, we may so use the good things of this present life that we do not neglect those of eternal worth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### \*Hymn of Praise

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"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

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

Great God, you are Master of Life. In every time and circumstance, your wisdom and power are relevant to our lives. We fail to recognize that we cannot avoid your presence and that there is no benefit in being apart from you. Help us to embrace your guidance and direction for our lives. Forgive our reluctant participation in the building of your Kingdom. Often, we are content to be spectators. We do not enter into the ministry to which you have called us. By your Holy Spirit, empower us to have a significant impact on the lives of others. Help us to minister to the broken and needy in our community and around the world. Strengthen our faith for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. 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

#### **Moment with Children**

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**

Hebrews 4:14-16;5:1-11

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#### Message

Rev. Jim Steiner

"The Great High Priest"

## We Respond to God's Word

\*Affirmation of Faith (from The Westminster Confession of Faith, 6.043): It pleased God, in his eternal purpose, to choose and ordain the Lord Jesus, his only begotten Son, to be the Mediator between God and man, the prophet, priest, and king; the head and Savior of his Church, the heir of all things, and judge of the world; unto whom he did, from all eternity, give a people to be his seed, and to be by him in time redeemed, called, justified, sanctified, and glorified. Amen.

\*Responsorial Hymn

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"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer Offertory Doxology Prayer of Dedication Offertory Response

#### We Are Sent Into the World

\*Hymn of Commitment

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"Tell Me the Old, Old Story"

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

  "The Time has come...."
- \*Postlude

Flowers are presented to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Nancy Penney whose birthday is July 27<sup>th</sup> by Ruth and Jay Wilson. Morning Worship: 10:00am

Nursery provided during 10:00 am service.

7th Sunday after Pentecost

**Prayer of Preparation** 

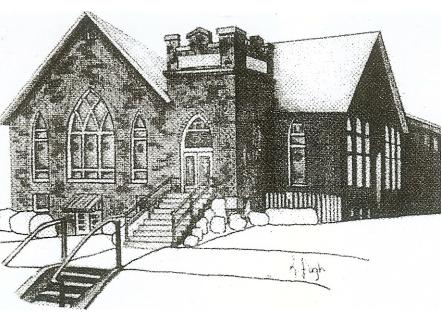
Lord, we come to you today with so many things on our hearts. You call us to be in relationship of trust and love with you and you offer healing to us for those portions of our lives that are broken and injured. Help us to be open to your mercy and healing love. For we ask this in Jesus' Name.

AMEN.

**Next Sunday Scripture:** 

Hebrews 5:12-14;6:1-12

# Mars United Presbyterian Church Welcome!



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

July 28, 2019

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

# CALENDAR: July 28<sup>th</sup> – August 4th

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

**Today, July 28, 2019** 

THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 10:00 am

Monday, July 29, 2019

**Tuesday, July 30, 2019** 

9:00 a.m. A-Team

7:00 pm AA Meeting

Wednesday, July 31, 2019

9:00 a.m. Material Girls

7:00 pm PNC Training Session

Thursday, August 1, 2019

Friday, August 2, 2019

Saturday, August 3, 2019

Sunday, August 4, 2019

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE/communion 10:00 a.m.

#### **VOLUNTEERS**

**GREETERS:** 

(E) June Stirling

Lou Beckwith

Wanda Jones

Terry Moore (Sam's cousin)

Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards

(D) Linda Lees

**NURSERY THIS WEEK:** 

Christi Augustine

**NURSERY NEXT WEEK:** 

Carley Stoy

**MUP MUFFINS:** 

TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Buildings & Grounds Comm.

LAST SUNDAY'S

**ATTENDANCE**: 60

LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$2723.00

Mission: \$67.50 Van: \$20.00

Kindness: \$85.00

Total: \$2895.00

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)

Emma Libert (friend of the McElhinny's)

Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)

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

JULY 21<sup>ST</sup> SERMON Copies of Pastor Jim's sermon from last Sunday are available in the Tarry N Talk if you would like to take one home.

#### SOAPS, SHAMPOOS, DEODORANTS, LOTIONS, etc. - MARS HOME FOR YOUTH

Help us provide soap, shampoo, conditioner, lotions to the children and teens of MHY Family Services (Mars Home for Youth). All sizes and types are needed to provide for children/teens in the Home's short-term stabilization/rehabilitation program (including soaps/shampoos you may have collected during your recent stay at a hotel/motel). A box is available in Tarry n Talk to receive your donations.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR MUP PEACH PIES This year the Buildings and Grounds committee has decided to make peach pies instead of the ALL YOU CAN EAT peaches and ice cream event. Pies will be pre-ordered and available to purchase on August 16<sup>th</sup>. Many volunteers are still needed to peel peaches and roll crusts for the pies. More details to follow! Any Questions please see Ruth Wilson or contact the office.

**PINE VALLEY BIBLE CAMP** On July 31<sup>st</sup> we will be participating in Summer Serve at Pine Valley Bible Camp. We will have the opportunity to serve the campers a meal, help clean up, serve a snack, and interact with the campers as we serve them. We will be providing 100 frozen treats as their snack. We need to be at Pine Valley at 5:30pm to help serve. If you have an interest in attending and helping or providing funds to purchase the frozen treats, please contact the office or Jenny Ivory. This is a simple act of love that goes a long way.

**KENNYWOOD** On September 2<sup>nd</sup> Mars UP Church will be participating in Church Community Day at Kennywood. The day and cost will include an ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT buffet style lunch in a designated pavilion. Cost will include the catered lunch and admission. Please see the insert included in today's bulletin for more information and costs. A Sign-up sheet will be in the Tarry N Talk.

## **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. We have collected **\$19,053.47** since the campaign started. We still 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.