

**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**

#### **Chancel Choir**

*"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"*

**\*The Call to Worship** (Isaiah 12)

Leader: In that day you will say: "I will praise you, O LORD. Although you were angry with me, your anger has turned away and you have comforted me. Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. The LORD, the LORD, is my strength and my song; he has become my salvation.

**People: With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation.**

Leader: In that day you will say; "Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done, and proclaim that his name is exalted.

**People: Sing to the LORD, for he has done glorious things; let this be known to all the world. Shout aloud and sing for joy, people of Zion, for great is the Holy One of Israel among you."**

**\*Invocation (Corporate)**

Ever-living God, before the earth was formed and even after it shall cease to be, you are God. Break into our short span of life and show us those things that are eternal, that we may serve your purpose in all we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in unity with the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### *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.

### **\*Hymn of Praise**

**676**

*"O Jesus, I Have Promised"*

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

Almighty God, who sent the promised power of the Holy Spirit to fill disciples with willing faith: we confess that we have held back the power of Your Spirit among us; that we have been slow to serve You, and reluctant to spread the good news of Your love. God, have mercy on us. Forgive our lack of stewardship. Help us to share our time, talent and treasure. Fill us with flaming desire to do Your will, and be a faithful people; for the sake of Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. 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**

**Chancel Choir**

*"Trust in Jesus"*

**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**

**Matthew 5:17-18; 23:1-3**

**Message**

**Rev. Jim Steiner**

*"The Real Reason to Give"*

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

**\*Affirmation of Faith (from The Heidelberg Catechism, 4.042-4.043):** *Since, then, Christ died for us, why must we also die?* Our death is not [punishment] for our sins, but only a dying to sin and an entering into eternal life. *What further benefit do we receive from the sacrifice and death of Christ on the cross?* That by his

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power our old self is crucified, put to death, and buried with him, so that the evil passions of our mortal bodies may reign in us no more, but that we may offer ourselves to him as a sacrifice of thanksgiving.

**\*Responsorial Hymn** **56**  
*"To God Be The Glory"*

**Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer**  
**Offertory**  
**Doxology**  
**Prayer of Dedication**  
**Offertory Response**  
**Chancel Choir**

*"All Things Come of Thee"*

## ***We Are Sent Into the World***

**\*Hymn of Commitment** **597**  
*"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"*

**\* Benediction**

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

**\*Postlude**

***Flowers today are presented to the Glory of  
God and in loving memory of "Poppy" on his  
birthday by Turner, Annabelle and Miriam  
Cox.***

*Morning Worship:*  
*10:00am*

*Nursery provided  
during 10:00 am service.*

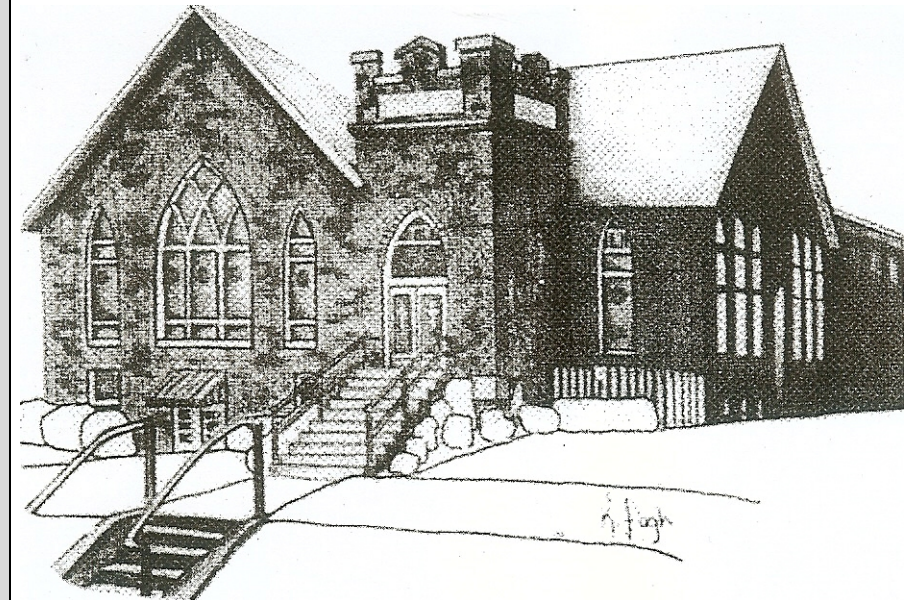
**23rd Sunday after  
Pentecost**

**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:**  
**Jeremiah 23:1-6**  
**Colossians 1:15-20**

## Mars United Presbyterian Church

# *Welcome!*



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

***November 17, 2019***

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

# CALENDAR: November 17<sup>th</sup> – November 24<sup>th</sup>

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

## Today, November 17, 2019

9:00 am Sunday School for All Ages  
10:00 am **THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
11:00 am ME/WO Meeting  
11:15 am Living Nativity Meeting  
CE/MO Meeting following LV meeting

## Monday, November 18, 2019

6:30 pm Boy Scouts  
6:30 pm Griefshare

## Tuesday, November 19, 2019

9:00 am A-Team  
7:00 pm AA Meeting

## Wednesday, November 20, 2019

9:00 am Material Girls  
9:00 am Turkey Bash Prep  
6:30 pm Cub Scouts Meeting  
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 pm PNC Meeting

## Thursday, November 21, 2019

12:00 pm Turkey Bash  
7:00 pm Session Meeting

## Friday, November 22, 2019

10:00 am Festival of Trees @ Quality Gardens  
5:00 pm Festival of Trees @ Quality Gardens

## Saturday, November 23, 2019

9:00 am Festival of Trees @ Quality Gardens

## Sunday, November 24, 2019

9:00 am Sunday School for All Ages  
10:00 am **THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**

## VOLUNTEERS☺

### **GREETERS:**

(E) Lisa Barbour  
(D) Carol Kopar

### **NURSERY THIS WEEK:**

Keith Nichols

### **NURSERY NEXT WEEK:**

Christi Augustine

### **MUP MUFFINS:**

### **TARRY 'N TALK HOST:**

Buildings & Grounds

**LAST SUNDAY'S SUNDAY  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: 28**

**LAST SUNDAY'S**

**ATTENDANCE: 105**

**LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:**

Operating Funds: \$2938.00

MUP Van: \$20.00

Kindness: \$140.00

Bldg Improv: \$5.00

**Total: \$3103.00**

# PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Lou Beckwith

Wanda Jones

Terry Moore (Sam's cousin)

Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards)

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...*

**November 10th 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.

**DO WE HAVE YOUR CELL PHONE NUMBER?** Many members are no longer using their land lines for calls, and have switched to cell phones. Please provide the church office with your cell phone(s) number, so if we need to contact you, we can!

### **MINUTE FOR MISSION**

Jill Ceasar, Director of My School Preschool will be giving a "Minute for Mission" on November 24<sup>th</sup> during the worship hour. Jill will give us some updates on the preschool. If you would like to look at their website, please view at [www.myschoolpreschool.org](http://www.myschoolpreschool.org).

**STEWARDSHIP, BUILDINGS & GROUNDS COMMITTEE** are sponsoring a small fundraiser for the roof campaign. Harvest Bounty Notecards are available in Tarry N Talk to purchase. There are 6 Blank cards for \$10.00 with scenes of our church Thanksgiving Altar. Please stop by Tarry N Talk and look over the display. If you would like to purchase a package, place \$10.00 in an envelope marked "Cards" and place in the offering plate or leave in Tarry N Talk.

**HELP NEEDED!** Hanging of the Church Greens will be **November 30, 2019 @ 9:00 am**. Please come and help decorate the church for the holiday season. Refreshments provided.

**NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER** Hard copy of the MUP newsletter is available in Tarry N Talk. If you would like added to the email or mailing list please contact the office.

**FESTIVAL OF TREES** Please come to the Hosanna Industries annual Festival of Trees fundraiser! It will be held at Quality Gardens on Friday, Nov. 22 from 10 am-1 pm and 5-8 pm and Saturday, Nov. 23 from 9 am to 2 pm. There will be live entertainment, sweets and treats, Santa and bid on/buy beautifully decorated Christmas trees, all for a great cause!

**TURKEY BASH HELPERS NEEDED!** Please consider helping with our very large service project of serving Thanksgiving Dinner to all our friends in the church and community. Please see the signup sheet in the **Tarry N Talk** to donate some of your time.

Also, if you are planning on attending please fill out the enclosed reservation form by **TODAY!!!!**.

## 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 **\$20,470.59** 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.