

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
Before the Service – Speak to God!
During the Service – Let God speak to you!
After the Service – Speak to each other!

(*Please stand, if able)

Welcome and Mars Messages

Prelude

Pastoral Invocation

The Call to Worship

Leader: Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith.

People: and be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.

Leader: Let us approach the throne of grace with confidence.

People: Knowing that God will provide & help us in our time of need.

Leader: Let us sing of God's amazing grace.

Hymn of Praise 343 (v. 1,2,4,5)
"Amazing Grace"

Apostles' Creed

***Doxology**

***Prayer for the Offering**

***Distant Socializing** (greet your fellow worshippers with a wave and a smile)

Children's Chat

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.

Choral Anthem

"My Shepherd is the Lord"

Chancel Choir

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Praise 691(v. 1, 2)
"Surely Goodness & Mercy"

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Luke 15:1-10

Morning Message

Rev. Paul Aiello
"Who Cares?"

Prayer of Commitment

Hymn of Commitment 688(v. 1,2,4)
"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response** (Everyone sings)
God be with you 'till we meet again,
By His consoles guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you,
God be with you 'till we meet again.

Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus' feet;
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.

***Postlude**

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Church Office Hours:

Mon -Thurs from 9 a.m. -2:30 p.m.

MUP Session

Class of 2023
Lisa Barbour
Mary Ann Croop
Don Lewis
Herb Wellman

Class of 2022
Linda Lees
Mike Bocheff
Susan Cox
Sally Olsen

Class of 2021
Keith Nichols
John Ivory
Bob Riefer
Christi Augustine

Clerk of Session: Herb Wellman

MUP Deacons

Class of 2023
Sharon Gibbs
Carol Kopar
Alice Leonberg

Class of 2022
Jay Wilson
Pat Jackson
Dee Aiello

Class of 2021
Ruth Wilson
Marsha Haley
Jill Cooper

Moderators: Jill Cooper & Ruth Wilson

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS

Pastor Aiello recommended the devotional booklet "Praying the Scriptures" for our use this year. It has been emailed to everyone who has an email address. Hard copies were mailed to those who do not have email.

Extra hard copies are available each week for those who prefer that format rather than email.

The pastor's weekly sermons during Lent will explore the same themes highlighted in the weekly devotionals. Hopefully, our faith will be strengthened and our service to our Lord a blessing to others.

*Morning Worship:
10:00 am*

2nd Sunday of Lent

Prayer of Preparation
*Come among us, living
Lord, we come to hear
your living Word.*

*We meet together in
the name of Christ to
share your mission and
your sacrifice; to receive
the power that only you
can give, that we might
live!*

*Come fill this time of
silence with your
presence. Amen.*

Mars United Presbyterian Church

Welcome!



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

February 28, 2021

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

CALENDAR: February 28th – March 7th

Church Office Hours: Monday -Thursday from 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Today, February 28, 2021

9:00 a.m. The Sunday School Hour

10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Monday, March 1, 2021

1:30 pm Women’s Bible Study

6:00 pm Griefshare

6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts

7:00 p.m. Greater Cranberry Chorus

7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

9:00 a.m. A-Team

7:00 pm AA

Wednesday, March 3 2021

6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts

7:00 p.m. PNC Meeting

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 4, 2021

Friday, March 5, 2021

Saturday, March 6, 2021

Sunday, March 7, 2021 Communion Sunday/Karl Kennedy

9:00 a.m. The Sunday School Hour

10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

VOLUNTEERS☺

LAST SUNDAY’S In-House
ATTENDANCE: 40

LAST SUNDAY’S OFFERING:
Operating Funds: \$2636.00

Mission: \$60.00

Kindness: \$30.00

Per Capita: \$83.82

Total: \$2809.82

Welcome to all who are Worshiping with us today!

Guests

We sincerely hope our service is a blessing to you. We ask that our guests please take a few minutes to complete one of the Connect Cards found in the pew holder.

Should you have questions regarding any aspect of our church, including membership, please contact the church office during the week at 724-625-1365. Thank you for being with us today.

PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Pat Jackson

Lou Beckwith

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling’s nephew)

Cathy Loeffler(friend of Mary Ann Croop)

Diane (Kennedy) McDonald(Steve McDonald Daughter-in-law)

Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards)

Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling’s niece)

Sue Morris

Mary Ellen Grau

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT

It is that time of year, our individual Per Capita Assessment is due to the Butler Beaver Presbytery. We are requested to pay **\$40.82** 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. The BBP help 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.

GRIEFSHARE is a special weekly seminar/support group for people grieving the death of someone close. It’s a place where you can be around people who understand how you feel and the pain of your loss. GriefShare meets every Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The meetings are being sponsored by McDonald Aeberli Funeral Home and they meet in the Board Room of MUP. No preregistration is required.

THE QUIET HOUR The Spring Quiet Hour devotional booklets are in Tarry N Talk for your daily walk with God. The Quiet Hour Series will help your time of devotion become an important part of your day.

MARCH NEWSLETTER Hard copies of the MUP newsletter are in the Tarry N Talk. If you would like to receive the newsletter via email or mail, please contact the office.