

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**
"Surely the Presence of the Lord"

***The Call to Worship** (Psalm 26)
Leader: Vindicate me, O LORD, for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the LORD without wavering. Prove me, O LORD, and try me; test my heart and mind. For your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in faithfulness to you.
People: **I do not sit with the worthless, nor do I consort with hypocrites; I hate the company of eveildoers, and will not sit with the wicked. I wash my hands in innocence, and go around your altar, O LORD, singing aloud a song of thanksgiving, and telling all your wondrous deeds.**
Leader: O LORD, I love the house in which you dwell, and the place where your glory abides. Do not sweep me away with sinners, nor my life with the bloodthirsty, those in whose hands are evil devices, and whose right hands are full of bribes.
People: **But as for me, I walk in my integrity; redeem me, and be gracious to me. My foot stands on level ground; in the great congregation I will bless the LORD.**

***Invocation (Corporate)**
God of mercy, have mercy on us. God of wisdom, illumine our minds. God of light, shine into our hearts. Eternal

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.

Goodness, deliver us from evil. God of Power, be our refuge and our strength, now and forever. Amen.

***Hymn of Praise** **526**
“The Solid Rock”

***Corporate Prayer of Confession (Unison)**
Father God, whose covenant is never broken, we confess that we fail to fulfill your will. Though you have bound yourself to us, we will not bind ourselves to you. In Jesus Christ you serve us freely, but we refuse your love and withhold ourselves from others. We do not love you fully or love one another as you command. In your mercy, forgive and cleanse us. Lead us once again to your table and unite us to Christ, who is the bread of life and the vine from which we grow in grace. 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

Scripture **Psalm 119:97-104, 2 Timothy 1:1-14**

Choral Anthem **Chancel Choir**
“Gifts of Bread and Wine”

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 **Luke 17:5-10**

Message **Rev. Clark Sawyer**
“The Integrating Power of Faith in a Fragmented World”

CALENDAR: October 6th – October 13th

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

Today, October 6, 2019/ Communion

9:00 am Sunday School for All Ages
10:00 am **THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**
11:15 am Buildings & Grounds Meeting

Monday, October 7, 2019

1:30 pm Bible Study
6:30 pm Boy Scouts
6:30 pm Griefshare

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

9:00 a.m. A-Team
7:00 pm AA Meeting

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

9:00 a.m. Material Girls
6:00 pm Stewardship Meeting
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
7:30 pm PNC Meeting

Thursday, October 10, 2019

Friday, October 11, 2019

Saturday, October 12, 2019

Sunday, October 13, 2019

9:00 am Sunday School for All Ages
10:00 a.m. **THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**
Communion – Guest Minister Rev. Paul Aiello
11:15 pm Worship/ME Meeting

VOLUNTEERS☺

GREETERS:

(E) Lisa Barbour
(D) Carol Kopar

NURSERY THIS WEEK:

Angela Badger

NURSERY NEXT WEEK:

Pat Auld

MUP MUFFINS:

TARRY 'N TALK HOST:

Worship/Membership Comm.

LAST SUNDAY'S

ATTENDANCE: 52

LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$3360.00

Mission: \$225.00

Van: \$40.00

Kindness: \$30.00

Roof: \$300.00

Memorial: \$40.00

Total: \$3995.00

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...

September 22nd 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.

SAVE THE DATE/ MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! MUP ANNUAL BONFIRE @ Quality Gardens on Route 228 October 20th! **At 5:00 pm** Deacons will provide the chili, hot dogs, and refreshments. MUP van will also be available for those who would like to come and need a ride to and from! Be sure to bring a chair to sit in, flashlight and a roasting stick. Looking forward to some great campfire fun!

COMMUNITY CAMPFIRE WORSHIP Saturday October 12th at 5:30pm on the lawn at St. John Lutheran Church 420 Beaver Street, Mars. Worship, Songs, Fellowship and Smores following worship. Bring your own lawn chair or blanket.

UPCOMING GUEST MINISTER While Pastor Jim is away, we will have Guest ministers on October 13th. Rev. Paul Aiello will preach on "*Our Secret Weapons*" on October 13th.

MUP OCTOBER NEWSLETTER Hard copies of the newsletter are available in Tarry N Talk. If you would like added to the mailing or emailing list, please contact the office.

Welcome Rev. Clark Sawyer: This morning we welcome Rev. Clark T. Sawyer to worship. During forty-three years of pastoral ministry, Rev. Sawyer served eight churches in Kansas, North Carolina, and Pennsylvania. Most recently, he retired from active service in 2016, after fifteen years at The Hill Church in Butler. Clark and his wife Kathy have eight adult children and ten grandchildren. They currently operate **The Downtown Music Studio** in Butler. Welcome Clark!

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 **\$19,985.47** 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.