

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 82)**

Leader: God has taken his place in the divine council; in the midst of the gods he holds judgment: "How long will you judge unjustly and show partiality to the wicked?"

People: Give justice to the weak and the orphan; maintain the right of the lowly and the destitute. Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked."

Leader: They have neither knowledge nor understanding, they walk around in darkness; all the foundations of the earth are shaken. I say, "You are gods, children of the Most High, all of you; nevertheless, you shall die like Mortals, and fall like any prince."

People: Rise up, O God, judge the earth; for all the nations belong to you!

***Invocation (Corporate)**

Almighty God, you have taught us through Christ that love fulfills the law. May we love you with all our heart, all our soul, all our mind, and all our strength, and may we love our neighbor as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

***Hymn of Praise**

"Rejoice, the Lord is King"

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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.

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

God of Grace and Holy Scripture: You raised up brave and able people to reform the church. We confess that we have lost our way again, and need new reformation. We are content with easy religion, with too much money and too little charity; we cultivate indifference. Lord, let Your Word shake us up, and Your Spirit renew us, so that we may repent, have better faith, and never shrink from sacrifice; in the name of Jesus Christ our only Lord and Savior. 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 3:1-6, 7-19

Message

Rev. Jim Steiner

"The Excellence of the Christ III: Greater Than Moses; The Promised Rest"

We Respond to God's Word

***Affirmation of Faith (from The Westminster Confession of Faith, 6.078-6.080):** The grace of faith, whereby the elect are enabled to believe to the saving of their souls, is the work of the Spirit of Christ in their hearts...By this faith, a Christian [believes] to be true whatsoever is revealed in the Word, for the authority of God himself speaking therein...[The] principal acts of saving faith

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are, accepting, receiving, and resting upon Christ alone for justification, sanctification, and eternal life, by virtue of the covenant of grace. This faith is different in degrees, weak or strong; [it] may be often and many ways assailed and weakened, but gets the victory; growing up in many to the attainment of a full assurance through Christ, who is both the author and finisher of our faith. Amen.

***Responsorial Hymn** **151**

"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

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

We Are Sent Into the World **435**

***Hymn of Commitment**
"God of Grace and God of Glory"

*** Benediction**

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

***Postlude**

Rosebud on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Timothy Choi Cook born July 3, 2019 to Nathan and Sungoung Cook. Proud Grandmother is Sue Cook and Big brother William Cook.

Flowers are presented today to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Nancy Penney by Pat Jackson and family.

Morning Worship:
10:00am

Nursery provided
during 10:00 am service.

**5th Sunday after
Pentecost**

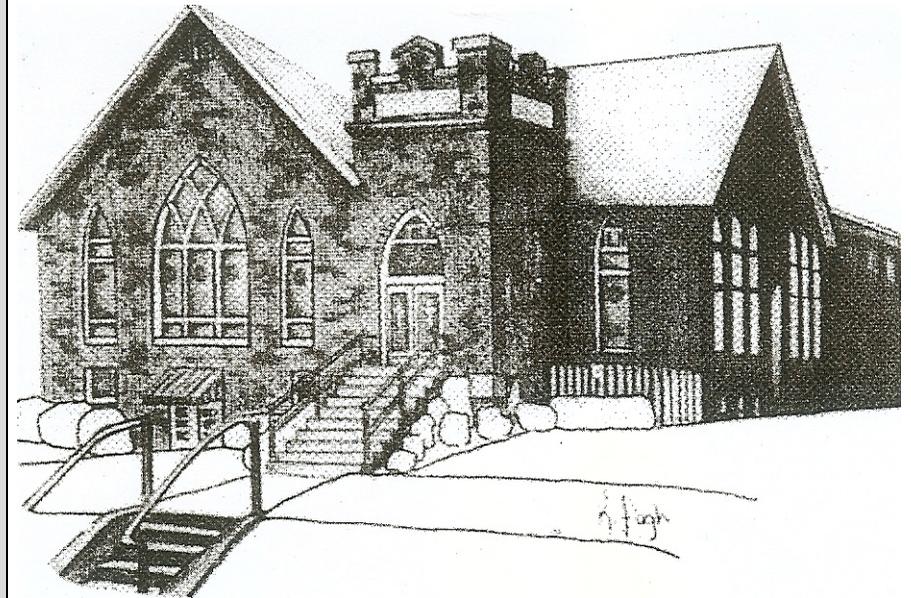
Prayer of Preparation
Lord, we come to you today with so many things on our hearts. You call us to be in relationship of trust and love with you and you offer healing to us for those portions of our lives that are broken and injured. Help us to be open to your mercy and healing love. For we ask this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

Next Sunday Scripture:

Hebrews 4: 1-13

Mars United Presbyterian Church

Welcome!



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

July 14, 2019

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

CALENDAR: July 14th – July 21st

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

Today, July 14, 2019

10:00 am **THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**
4:45 pm VBS “Kick-Off”
6:00 pm VBS

Monday, July 15, 2019

6:00 pm VBS

Tuesday, July 16, 2019

9:00 a.m. A-Team
6:00pm VBS

Wednesday, July 17, 2019

9:00 a.m. Material Girls
6:00 pm VBS

Thursday, July 18, 2019

6:00 pm VBS

Friday, July 19, 2019

Saturday, July 20, 2019

Sunday, July 21, 2019

10:00 a.m. **MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**

VOLUNTEERS☺

GREETERS:

(E) June Stirling
(D) Linda Lees

NURSERY THIS WEEK:

Keith Nichols

NURSERY NEXT WEEK:

Christi Augustine

MUP MUFFINS:

TARRY ‘N TALK HOST:

Buildings & Grounds Comm.

LAST SUNDAY’S

ATTENDANCE: 62

LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Operating Funds: \$5380.00

Mission: \$280.00

VBS: \$20.00

Van: \$20.00

Kindness: \$85.00

Roof: \$80.00

Music: \$200.00

Total: \$6065.00

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...

JULY 7TH 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.

JULY/AUGUST MUP NEWSLETTER Hard copies of the newsletter are available in Tarry N Talk. If you would like added to the mailing or email list, please notify the office.

TONIGHT

VBS- “ROAR” July 14th thru July 18th 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. This year VBS will start Sunday night and to “kick-off” VBS there will be a hot dog and beans picnic at 4:45pm. No need to preregister.

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.

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 **\$17,993.47** 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.