

UPPER TUSCARORA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

589 BRICK CHURCH ROAD, EAST WATERFORD, PA 17021

APRIL 28, 2024 – 11:00 AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 148)

One: Let everything that has being praise the name of the Lord!

ALL: Mountains and hills, fruit trees and all cedars, shall praise the name of the Lord.

One: Young men and women alike, old and young together shall praise the Lord.

ALL: We shall praise your name, O God, for your glory is above earth and heaven.

*HYMN OF PRAISE “FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH” #473

CALL TO CONFESSION

One: Let us name our sins to God before his throne of grace and seek His forgiveness.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in Unison)

O God, sustained by your mercy we make bold to confess our sin. We expel strangers and deny hospitality. We judge others all too freely. Our hasty words cause conflict and tension. We are disturbers of your peace. As you sent Christ to reconcile your people, forgive the failings of one unredeemed humanity and show us once again the image of your Son, who loved his enemies and taught us to do the same. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: Now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For e is our peace and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, hostility between us. As we dwell in Christ, so let us also receive his forgiveness of our sins.

*GLORIA PATRI..... “GLORY BE TO THE FATHER”

*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.*

GOSPEL LESSON JOHN 15: 1-8

SERMON..... “TIME FOR GREEN THUMBS” REV. DR. PAT ROLLER

*HYMN “THIS IS MY FATHER’S WORLD” #293

CONFESSION OF FAITH – “The Apostle’s 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 Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and was 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.

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

*PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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 and ever. Amen.

*PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY..... “PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW”

*Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*SENDING HYMN “WHEN MORNING GILDS THE SKIES” #487

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE – “A-men, A-men, A--men”

*POSTLUDE

*** - PLEASE STAND, IF YOU ARE ABLE**

ALL HYMNS ARE FROM THE BLUE HYMNAL

PLEASE PRAY FOR....

Marsha Bailie	Tina Harpster
Jim Breon	Hannah Hart
Dave Clark	Tony & Virginia Hockenberry
Mark Coons	Iva Mae Love
Seth Dowling	Paul McClure
Gene Dukeman	Gerald McMath
Bobby Dunn	Ray Rossi
Flo Fegan	Pat Shoop
Barb Foster	John Swarner
Harry & Reba Freet	Frank Westman
Isaac Glenny	Anderson White
Harry "Hoppy" & Bonnie Goshorn	Mary Jane Williamson
Lucy Goshorn	Jim Yarnall
Bryan Haines	Louise Yohn

AND OUR LOCAL SERVICE PERSONNEL

Kyle McNitt
Grant Speer

UPCOMING CALENDAR

Monday, April 29 10:00 AM Bible Study in Social Hall
Sunday, May 5 10:00 AM Sunday School
Sunday, May 5 11:00 AM Worship
Monday, May 6 10:00 AM Bible Study in Social Hall
Sunday, May 12 10:00 AM Sunday School
Sunday, May 12 11:00 AM Mother's Day Worship
Monday, May 13 10:00 AM Bible Study in Social Hall
Sunday, May 19 10:00 AM Sunday School
Sunday, May 19 11:00 AM Pentecost Sunday Worship
Monday, May 20 10:00 AM Bible Study in Social Hall
Sunday, May 26 10:00 AM Sunday School
Sunday, May 26 11:00 AM Holy Trinity Worship
Monday, May 27 NO BIBLE STUDY Memorial Day Holiday
Sunday, June 2 10:00 AM Sunday School
Sunday, June 2 11:00 AM Worship

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APRIL 28, 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

PASTOR -- REV. DR. PAT ROLLER