

**UPPER TUSCARORA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**  
**FEBRUARY 19, 2017**

**PASTOR DARWIN GOSHORN**                      **GUEST PASTOR**

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

- L: CALLED HERE TO GOD'S TEMPLE, YOU ARE THE TEMPLE OF GOD.  
P: **WE ARE THE TEMPLE OF LOVE.**  
L: CALLED HERE TO WORSHIP, YOU ARE THE PEOPLE OF GOD.  
P: **WE ARE THE CHILDREN OF GOD.**  
L: CALLED TO BE LOVE, YOU ARE A HOLY PEOPLE.  
P: **WE GATHER IN THE HOLINESS OF GOD'S LOVE**

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*OPENING HYMN ..... *"LORD, I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN"* .....#372

SILENT CONFESSION & PRAYER OF CONFESSION

HOLY ONE, YOU KNOW WE ARE NOT PERFECT. EVEN AS WE HEAR YOU CALLING US TO BE YOUR TEMPLE, OUR MINDS WANDER AND PULL US AWAY. EVEN AS YOU BUILD US UP TO BE YOUR CHURCH, WE ARE TORN DOWN BY DIVISION AND DISAGREEMENT. EVEN AS YOU SET US UPON THE FOUNDATION OF CHRIST JESUS, WE FALTER AND FIND OUR FEET ON SHIFTING SAND. COVER OUR IMPERFECTIONS WITH YOUR MERCY, AND PLACE OUR FEET ON THE SOLID GROUND OF CHRIST'S GRACE AND COMPASSION. ESTABLISH YOUR LAW OF LOVE IN OUR CHURCH AND IN OUR LIVES, THAT WE MAY BE THE TEMPLE OF LOVE YOU CREATE US TO BE. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*GLORIA PATRI

\*APOSTLE'S CREED

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

TEACH US, O GOD, THE WAY OF YOUR LOVE, SPEAK TO US IN THESE WORDS, AND REVEAL YOURSELF IN THIS COMMUNITY. LEAD US ONTO THE PATH OF COMPASSION AND THE WAY OF YOUR LAW OF LOVE. AMEN.

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

GOSPEL LESSON ~ MATTHEW 5:38-48

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON ~ ROMANS 12:17-21

PASTOR: THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD.

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD!

SERMON .. "SEPARATING THE WHEAT FROM THE CHAFF" .... PASTOR GOSHORN

\*HYMN OF THE DAY ..... *"JESUS LOVES ME"* .....#304

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*CLOSING HYMN ..... *"LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL"* .....#447

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

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

*ALL HYMNS ARE FROM THE BLUE HYMNAL*

***THE GLORIA PATRI, DOXOLOGY, APOSTLE'S CREED AND LORD'S PRAYER ARE PRINTED, LAMINATED AND PLACED IN THE PEWS FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE FOR OUR WORSHIP SERVICES.***

UPCOMING GUEST PASTORS

FEBRUARY 26 – REV. JOY KAUFMANN

MARCH 5 – REV. BARRY VANCE

MARCH 12 & 19 – PASTOR DARWIN GOSHORN

## ANNOUNCEMENT

IF ANYONE HAS A PARTICULAR PASSAGE OF SCRIPTURE OR SOME ISSUE THEY WOULD LIKE TO HEAR A SERMON ABOUT, PLEASE LET PASTOR DARWIN KNOW.

## UT CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26** – BRIEF CONGREGATIONAL MEETING FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE. THE CALL FOR THE MEETING IS SPECIFICALLY FOR THE BY-LAWS.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR....

LIZ ARMSTRONG	RANDY MOTTER
CAROL DANIEL	EVELYN MURRAY
DESTINY DEVLIN	JOHNNY ROBERTSON
GARY & SANDY DINSMORE	ROCKY ROSSI
GRETCHEN DUKEMAN	DORIS SHELTON
LUCY GOSHORN	MAXINE STEWART
HEATHER HAMMOND	DOUG STUART
JANET JAYMES HORNBAKER	VALERIE THOMAS
BRAD JOHNSON	DICK WAGNER
REVS. DICK & ALICE MELOY	BILL WARTON
MARY MONTAGUE	JEN ( <i>MISSIONARY</i> )

## ...AND OUR SERVICE PERSONNEL

MADDIE ATHERTON	DONNIE MCALLEN	ANTHONY SHELDON
WESTON DARROW	NATHAN PARSONS	ZACH SNYDER
MATTHEW FONTENOT	ERIC PATTERSON	KALIB YOHN
SHAE GREENLAND	NATHAN PATTERSON	TODD YOUTZY
PHILIP & BETH LOCKE	JOHNATHAN ST. CLAIR	

## CONGREGATIONS TO PRAY FOR

CLEARFIELD CONGREGATION, *REV. JIMMY HOPPER, INTERIM PASTOR*  
COALPORT CONGREGATION, *REV. ROBERT BRUINOOGUE, MODERATOR*

**FOR PASTORAL CARE, PLEASE CONTACT PASTOR DARWIN**  
**AT (717) 860-9958 OR AT [DEBDAR123@FRONTIER.COM](mailto:DEBDAR123@FRONTIER.COM)**

# **Upper Tuscarora Presbyterian Church**

**589 Brick Church Road  
East Waterford, PA 17021**

**<http://uppertuscarora.weebly.com>**



## **WELCOME!**

**FEBRUARY 19, 2017**

**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

**PASTOR DARWIN GOSHORN VISITING PASTOR**