

**UPPER TUSCARORA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
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PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

- L: Teach us Your way, Oh God  
P: **Show us Your great mercy**  
L: Teach us to be good and righteous  
P: **Showing mercy to one another**  
L: Let us worship God in word and music

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

Let us bless the Lord at all times. Let us praise Him continually with every breath we take. Let us magnify the Lord and exalt His name together. For happy is the man who takes refuge in Him and happy are we this day for the love You gave us through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. AMEN.

\*OPENING HYMN.....*"BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS"* ..... #438

SILENT CONFESSION & PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Faithful and loving God, we confess that we do not always live in faith and love. You call us to live a life of justice, but we sometimes seek to satisfy what we want. You call us to serve You by serving others; but there are times when we pass by neighbors in need. Forgive us, God of Grace, help us to lead lives that are pleasing to You; growing in faith and knowledge and bearing fruit in every good way, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose name we pray. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*GLORIA PATRI

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - "THE APOSTLE'S CREED"

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Prepare us, O God, and guide us by the words and spirit of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Help us to realize the truth so that we may find peace and contentment in our hearts and in our daily living through Jesus Christ, our Lord, and Savior. AMEN.

TODAY'S NEW TESTAMENT READING ..... JAMES 5:7-16

TODAY'S GOSPEL READING ..... MATTHEW 26:36-46

SERMON ..... "TO PRAY OR NOT TO PRAY; ..... ELDER HOWES  
DOES IT MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE?"

\*HYMN OF THE DAY ... *"WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS"* ... #403

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*CLOSING HYMN.... *"LORD, DISMISS US WITH THY BLESSING"* ... #538

\*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 WORSHIP LEADERS

JULY 30, AUGUST 6 AND 27 – Elder Stan Howes

AUGUST 13 AND 20 – Pastor Darwin Goshorn

### PLEASE PRAY FOR....

Donnie Allison	Doug Johnson	Maxine Stewart
Haylie Boden	Jacob Jones	Doug Stuart
Carol Daniel	Sam McMath	Valerie Thomas
Destiny Devlin	Rev. Alice Meloy	Rev. Dave Vogan
Gary & Sandy Dinsmore	Mary Montague	Dick Wagner
Lucy Goshorn	Evelyn Murray	Bill Warton
Heather Hammond	Johnny Robertson	Jeremy West
Janet Jaymes Hornbaker	Rocky Rossi	Louise Yohn
Brad Johnson	Doris Shelton	Jen ( <i>Missionary</i> )
The family of Jayson Appleby		

### ...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

**WARD AVENUE CONGREGATION IN ALTOONA**

*Kenneth Lynch, CRE*

**WEST KISH CONGREGATION IN BELLEVILLE**

*Rev. Helen Kester, Temporary Supply Pastor*

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# Upper Tuscarora Presbyterian Church

## WELCOME!



**Sunday, July 23, 2017**  
**11:00 AM**

**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**ELDER STAN HOWES**

**WORSHIP LEADER**