

UPPER TUSCARORA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

589 BRICK CHURCH ROAD, EAST WATERFORD, PA 17021

MARCH 5, 2023 – 11:00 AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: God calls with a blessing.

ALL: Our help is in God.

One: God calls with a promise.

ALL: Our help is in God.

One: God calls through our questions.

ALL: Our help is in God.

One: God calls through the spirit.

ALL: Our help is in God. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE..... “WHEN I SURVEY THE WON'DROUS CROSS”..... #101

CALL TO CONFESSION

One: When we least expect it, even when we are not ready, God comes to us, calling us to trust, calling us to follow, calling us to set aside our foolish lives, for the grace-full ones which are offered to us. Let us confess how often we choose not to follow, as we pray together saying,

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in Unison)

Spirit of help and hope, be with us this day. Breathe into our prayers and praise. Breathe into our spirits. Breathe into our worship with your promise of help, your promise of rebirth and your promise of blessing. In faith and trust, we pray. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: Our hope, our help, our peace, our joy? All come from God, the One who loved us, and the world so much, that Jesus came to bring us salvation.

ALL: Keeper of our souls, be with us; Watcher of our days, lead us; Salvation of our lives, have mercy on us. Amen.

*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.*

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON PSALM 33:20-22

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON ROMANS 12:12

SERMON..... “COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS” ED KERLIN

*HYMN “BREATHE ON ME, BREATH OF GOD” #316

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

You trust us enough to place your blessings in us, so may we be as faithful in offering them back to you, so others might be kept in their loneliness, might be fed in their emptiness, might receive hope in their despair. This we ask in the name of Jesus. AMEN.

*SENDING HYMN..... “BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS” #438

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE - "Amen, Amen"

*POSTLUDE

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

ALL HYMNS ARE FROM THE BLUE HYMNAL

UPCOMING WORSHIP LEADERS

MARCH 19, APRIL 2 & 16 - Ed Kerlin

MARCH 12 & 26, APRIL 9, 23, & 30 - Rev. Pat Roller

PLEASE PRAY FOR....

VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE

PEACE AROUND THE WORLD, ESPECIALLY IN UKRAINE & RUSSIA

EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS IN TURKEY AND SYRIA

Pastor Joe Barrett
(Salem UM Church Pastor)

Barb Hile

Courtney Borge

Tony & Virginia Hockenberry

Ruth Burdge

Trudy Hockenberry

Mark Coons

Pat LeMay

Derek Corwell

Iva Mae Love

Dick & Gail Corwell

Paul & Edie McClure

Erma Crouse

Mike Meloy

Bobby Dunn

Nick Robertson

Milissa Marie Fogle

Harold & Janet Shearer

Harold & Lucy Goshorn

Mason Walters

Harry "Hoppy" & Bonnie Goshorn

Jessie Westman

Rick Goshorn

Jim Yarnell

Bill Harlan

Louise Yohn

Shaleen Herus

AND OUR LOCAL SERVICE PERSONNEL

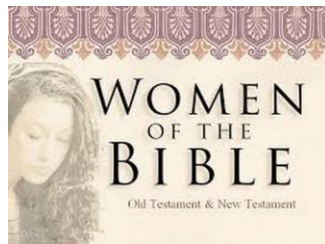
Grant Speer

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study will continue TOMORROW,
March 6, 2023 at 10:00 AM in the UT Social

Hall. The topic for the bible study is
"Women of the Bible." **EVERYONE**

WELCOME!!



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