UPPER TUSCARORA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

589 BRICK CHURCH ROAD, EAST WATERFORD, PA 17021

May 15, 2022 – 11:00 AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP (John 13:34-35)

- One: Jesus has given us a new commandment:
- ALL: We are commanded to love one another.
- One: Just as Christ has loved us,
- ALL: So we ought to have love for one another.
- One: By this, everyone will know we are Christ's disciples:
- ALL: By our love for one another.
- One: Come, may we join our hearts in worship:
- ALL: Worship God by loving one another.

CALL TO CONFESSION

One: We show others who we are by the lives we lead, the words we speak, the actions we undertake. Let us confess how we have not been God's little children, when we fail to love as we have been loved.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in Unison)

Who are we to get in your way, Holy God? We put people into neat, little boxes, but you rip them open, so folks can dance in your joy. We imprison others with our unmet expectations, and you set them free with a Word. We build walls around those we don't know, and you tear them down, so they can run wild in the kingdom. Who are we to get in your way, Saving Power, especially in the way of your forgiveness offered to all! Give us your vision that sees everyone as equal - forgiven, graced, loved - even as we seek to follow our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: We know who God is by the love shown to us in Christ Jesus.

ALL: We will show others who we are - and Whose we are - by the loved poured out by our lives. Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! 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.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON	ROMANS 15:1-33
SERMON	JOEL LOVE

*HYMN "More Love to Thee, O Christ"#359

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...... "O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH THEE"........... #357

*CHORAL RESPONSE - "Amen, Amen"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

* - PLEASE STAND, IF YOU ARE ABLE ALL HYMNS ARE FROM THE BLUE HYMNAL

UPCOMING WORSHIP LEADERS

MAY 22 AND 29 – Rev. Pat Roller JUNE 5 AND 19 – Ed Kerlin JUNE 12 AND 26 – Rev. Pat Roller

PLEASE PRAY FOR....

Frontline & Emergency Workers Covid-19 Victims & Families PEACE AROUND THE WORLD, ESPECIALLY IN UKRAINE & RUSSIA

Courtney Borge Ruby Mae Blackwell Emmalyn Clugston & Family Mark Coons Derek Corwell Dick & Gail Corwell Ike Drake Bobby Dunn Reba Freet Harold & Lucy Goshorn Rick Goshorn Shaleen Herus Francis Kerlin Mark Kinley Paul McClure Roy C. Miller Bob Moore Nick Robertson Sara Robinson Richard Sisson Jessie Westman Jim Yarnell Louise Yohn Mary Margaret Yohn

ALL OF OUR TROOPS HERE AT HOME AND AROUND THE WORLD AND OUR LOCAL SERVICE PERSONNEL

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May 15, 2022 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

JOEL LOVE WORSHIP LEADER