

THE PEOPLE GATHER

GATHERING MUSIC & THE RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME Joe Montgomery, Greeting Elder
Please Stand And Greet Your Neighbors!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Responsive)

One: Into the birthing of change —
Many: The birthing of an idea, a new perspective.

One: A new lifestyle, a new honesty, a new way of meeting life,
Many: A child of God, born anew —

All: Into all of this change comes at once
the sharpening of our sense of risk and the vigor of expectation.

* **PRAYER OF INVOCATION FOR THE INDWELLING OF THE SPIRIT**

* **SACRED MUSIC** #69 “Here I Am, Lord” NPH

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (Unison)

Be with us, Giver of hope, in the letting go time before we allow change to happen. Then we are hesitant, then we are afraid, then we are taut springs. Remind us that we are builders because of our faith and because of the evidence of your faith in us. Through Christ. Amen.

* **ASSURANCE OF GRACE**

* **PROFESSION OF FAITH** (Unison) **Apostles’ Creed**
(Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

* **GLORIA PATRI** (Unison) #581 NPH

* **THE PEACE** (Response: “And also with you.”)

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READINGS Mark 13:1-8 Pg. 50 NT

TIME FOR THE YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART

Children Leave For Church School Afterwards.

SERMON “Giving Birth To Change”
Rev. Michael P. Catanzaro

* **SACRED MUSIC** #175 “Seek Ye First” NPH

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

(Wave to your neighbors, and those joining via the live-stream.)

OFFERING

(Offerings may be placed in the collection basket at the top of the stairs as you exit the sanctuary following the worship.)

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER, PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD’S PRAYER
(Debts & Debtors; Inside Cover of the Hymnal.)

* **DOXOLOGY** (Unison, Inside Cover of the Hymnal.)

* **SACRED MUSIC** #435 “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy” NPH)

* **CHARGE & BLESSING**

* **Congregation standing; as each person desires.**

Masks are welcome but not required, distance as you are comfortable.



PRAYER REMEMBRANCES

We remember in prayer Dave Patterson and family on the death of Ann, Carolyn O'Connor, Dave Pierce (father of Kristine Potter), Pam Constantine (sister of Barry Walch), Bill and Karen Parker, Mary Theisen, Rich Grayson, Alice Poole, Shirley Norton, Lew Shepard, Marilyn Coir, Christa Lyon, Nick Scelzi, Vern and Arvilla Aldous, Rich Denison, Scott McLain (father of Vicki), Nancy and Mark Brown, the Basford/Rodee Family, Josh Holbrook, Colleen Grant, Else Brown, Bill Parker's sister Rose Ann Manfredi, Janet Favro, Jody Upton and all who are ill in hospitals, nursing homes or at home; those serving our nation and their families who support them; parents raising children and children caring for parents.

Director of Music/Pianist Kathleen Crecco
Church School Director: Andrea Montgomery
Office Coordinator: Christy Dekay

The password for our church wifi network is: Lakew00d4331a
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AT OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK

Today 11/17/24 - In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.)
 - Name Tag Sunday
 - Noisy Can Sunday

Tuesday 11/19/24 - Evening Book Group (7 p.m. Lorna's Lounge)

Saturday 11/23/24 - Holiday Farmer's Market (10 a.m. Fellowship Hall)

Sunday 11/24/24 - In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.)
 - Rev. Mike off, Chris Remick to Preach
 - Greening of the Church (11 a.m.)

Virtual fellowship via Zoom will take place at 11:30 a.m.

Following the worship service everyone is invited to Fellowship Hall for conversation and a light repast.

Birthdays: Wanda Renick (Monday); Janice Poole (Thursday);
James Eller (Friday); Julia Andes (Saturday)

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THE APOSTLES' 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and 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 & 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.

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessing flow.
Praise Him (God) all creatures here below.
Praise Him (God) above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father (Creator), Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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. Amen.