

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

GREETERS	Sam & Martha Herman
LAY READER	Linda Howell
ORGANIST	Kay Kratzer
SOUND ROOM	Greg Hetrick, Cathy Polan
VIDEO TECH	Davannah Dunn
PRAISE TEAM	Tony Landis, Brody Hetrick, Tommy Rubillo

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sunday, November 4, Fellowship Hall reserved

Monday, November 5, 9 a.m. Morning Mocha

Tuesday, November 6, 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Election Day Café

7 p.m. Sanctuary Reserved

Wednesday, November 7, 12-4 p.m. Cluster Meeting 6 p.m. Grab-A-Bite,

6:30 p.m. ROCK 7 p.m. Choir practice

Thursday, November 8, 8:30 a.m. Breakfast Girls to the Turnpike Restaurant

10-11:30 a.m. Soaking Prayer 6-8 p.m. Governing Board Meeting

6:30 p.m. REAL Women's Ministry Bible Journaling 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Sunday, November 11, 8 a.m. Prayer & Communion

9 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship

SMASH NEXT WEEK – Nov. 11

Next week in SMASH students will meet in their classroom and will discuss ideas of scripture as inspiration for the arts. Then, students chose to work independently or as a small group to decide on, design, work on, create an arts project as a response to the scriptures.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

A reminder that shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child are due next **Sunday, November 11, 2018!** And questions can be directed to Connie Kratzer or Noelle Buckley.

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Our Mission:

*To make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

Our Vision:

**ENCOUNTER+UNDERSTAND+PRACTICE
GOD'S LOVE**

24th SUNDAY after PENTECOST

November 4, 2018

Series: Hello! My Name Is _____

Today's Theme: Knowing Your Story

A Service of Word and Table

(You are invited to stand, as you are able, wherever a "*" is marked. **Bold print** indicates congregational participation.)

ENCOUNTER GOD'S LOVE

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

WELCOME & DISCIPLESHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS

***PRAISE SONG**

Days of Elijah

***CALL to WORSHIP**

***HYMN of PRAISE #98**

To God Be the Glory

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)**

UMH#12

SILENT MEDITATION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

***SHARING GOD'S LOVE**

UNDERSTAND GOD'S LOVE

**(Please join in singing the first verse of
O How I Love Jesus as the children come forward.)**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE LESSON

Romans 10:9-14 (CEB)

SERMON

"This Is My Story"

Rev. Brian Lucas, Pastor

SERMON NOTES: _____

ACTION STEP: Based on what I ENCOUNTERED in today's worship experience, one thing I can do this week to ENCOUNTER, UNDERSTAND, and PRACTICE God's love is:

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRESENTATION OF OUR LIVES AND OFFERINGS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UMH#13

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

(The U.M.C. observes an "Open Table" where all are welcome to receive.)

PRAISE SONG

Gracefully Broken

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SERMON "TEXT"

PRACTICE GOD'S LOVE

***HYMN of PARTING #369**

Blessed Assurance

***PARTING BLESSING**

***TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD**

***POSTLUDE**

Next week we will continue our series "Hello! My Name Is _____," with a theme of "The Person Behind the Need," based on James 2:14, 17-18, & 26. What will Pastor Brian have to say?

REAL Women's Ministry is hosting a Bible Journaling and Fellowship evening on November 8 beginning at 6:30 p.m.

DECK THE HALL

P.B., here! I'm thinking about Christmas. I know, it's only October and Hallmark haven't even started showing their Christmas movies yet, but I'm thinking about Christmas anyway. It occurs to me that many families have Christmas traditions, and many of those involve particular items or collections. For us, it's decorating our tree with ornaments collected from vacations covering the last twenty-six years; and displaying a number of nativity sets (I'm pretty sure we have more than a dozen), most of which have significant sentimental value, like the one my parents bought in Israel, the one from a dear friend after she passed away, and the handmade one a friend spent many hours making. What's yours? I'd love to see your collections, and I'm thinking others would as well, so we're going to try a "A New Christmas Tradition: Gather the Past & Enhance the Present." What we're going to do is set up tables in the fellowship hall that you can cover with a table cloth (black would probably make things "pop" the most) and decorate how you want to show-off your personal collection or tradition. This is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, December 15 from 5-7 and will be open to the public (invite your neighbors!). We will probably also have music and refreshments. If you are interested in participating, just contact the office to reserve a half or whole table.



ELECTION DAY CAFÉ

Election Day is almost here! Our Election Day Café needs your help. It will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Help is needed in preparing the food, working in the kitchen, or being a cashier. There is a sign-up sheet on the Mission & Ministry table for all of you to take a look at and sign-up to help.

LETTER WRITERS NEEDED

I need people to help write "open when" letters. In November, we will be putting together college care packages. We will need people to bake cookies and write "open when" letters. They should write on the envelope of the letter "open when" (along with the subject) you are feeling anxious, alone, sad, etc. then enclose an encouraging letter for that occasion. Please put letters in Penny Rudy's mailbox.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Please contact Lyn Levan if you want Offering Envelopes for 2019 & don't already receive them. You do not have to be a member to use our envelopes. People that have been using the envelopes - if you wish to change your status (no longer receive them, or combine family members) please speak to Lyn. With the new membership software being installed, Lyn will need to know any changes or need of new envelopes by Dec. 2nd!

LAST WEEK'S STEWARDSHIP

General Fund	\$1,889.00
Sunday School	27.00
Building Fund	100.00
Land Development	10.00
Eagle Scout Project	10.00



October 28 - November 3

"CIRCLE OF PRAYER" CHURCHES,

Bishop Jeremiah Park,

Rev. Larry Leland, District Superintendent

Bedford Forge UMC, Hopewell, Fairbrook UMC, Pennsylvania Furnace,
Pleasant Mount UMC, Pleasant Mount, Shopes UMC, Hummelstown,
Bethel UMC, Catawissa, Bethany UMC, Felton, West Side UMC, Clearfield
Central UMC, Wilkes-Barre, Rose Valley UMC, Trout Run,
Calvary UMC, Harrisburg

Rev. Dr. Kathleen E. Kind - *Gen. Conf. Delegate (Clergy)*

Toni Oplinger* - *Gen. Conf. Delegate (Laity)*

WE PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Diane Shamory, David Hinds, Paul Kratzer, Carolyn Hassinger, SMASH,
Tombodu UMC & Pastor Jonathan Kellie, Geraldine Stroup, Keith Martin,
John Getz, Byron Hassinger, Jackson Ritter, Darryl Shirk, Mary Ewing,
Matthew Keister, Anna Reigle, Cohen Herman, Sara Seebold, Peg Mattern,
Janet Ettinger, Martha Herman, Goldie Womer, Amy Keerans,
Molly Herman, Paul Snyder, Gavin Keerans, Jennifer Ritter,
Chandis Klinger, Shari Dunn, Davannah Dunn, Denny Levan,
Children's Ministry w/ KrisAnn & Dan Wilcox @ First UMC, Wasilla AK,
Bill Kerstetter, LaDawn Stuck Straub, Shirley Erdley, Ben Keiser,
Janet Kline, Messiah Campus, Betty Drumheller, Stan Ritter,
Peg Aumiller, Kofi Ata, Peggy Rearick, Larry Zechman,
Sarah Reichenbach, Guy Kerstetter, Finley Snook, Linda Hoy

Romans 10:9-14 (NIV)

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**So how can they call on someone they
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November 11th

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November 18th

Next week in SMASH students will be meeting in their classrooms and will be sharing their creations and will work on displaying their creations for everyone to enjoy.