

GATHERING

Prelude: “Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples” (PH 434) Dale Wood
Invocation

*Call to Worship

Leader: The Lord calls us to love.

People: Help us, Lord, learn how to love ourselves.

Leader: The Lord calls us to be holy.

People: Help us, Lord, learn how to love our neighbors.

Leader: The Lord calls us to be perfect.

People: Help us, Lord, learn how to love our enemies.

*Hymn: #478 “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” (w/Bell Choir)

Prayer of Confession (**Unison**)

God of grace, you are holy; you are love. And you call us to be holy, to be different, to be set apart—to love. But we do not answer your call. We gather what we claim is ours and forget the poor and powerless. We steal from others their hope, their joy, when we judge and reject. We tear down your body, the church, when we divide. We parcel out our love, giving some to some, instead of all to all. Oh, Lord, forgive us. Help us become more holy. Help us to grow in grace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Anthem: “Come, Ye Faithful” Barbara Kinyon
Bell Choir and Piano

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Readings: Leviticus 19:1,2,9-18(p102) ; 1 Cor 3:10,11, 16-23(p157)

*Hymn: #358 “Help Us Accept Each Other”

Children’s Sermon

Children may leave for God’s Place for Boys and Girls

Second Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:38-48

Sermon: **WE ARE THE ENEMY**

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*Apostles Creed (p. 14)(Ecumenical Version)

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: “He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought”

*Doxology (p. 592)

*Hymn: #442 “The Church’s One Foundation”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

The End of Worship
The Beginning of Service

*Those who wish may stand
As you leave worship, greet all with the Peace of Christ

Rev. Robert W. Birch, Minister
Mrs. Dianne Yuninger, Organist/Choir Director

VISITORS AND MEMBERS: WELCOME! During the offertory the Friendship Book will be passed from the end of the pew. Please sign it and indicate other information as appropriate. Pass the book back down the pew and notice the names of the other worshippers. Greet one another warmly after the service.

WORSHIP HOUR INFORMATION:

It is an ancient Scottish custom for the pulpit Bible to be brought into the sanctuary and placed by a layperson before the service begins.

8:00 a.m. Janet Huffman

10:30 a.m. Edwin Margerum

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): 9:30 – Mary Alice High & Lois Snader

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Honor of
David and Carol Berkhimer's Anniversary.
Happy Anniversary!
Love, Your Children & Grandchildren

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: David & Bethany Yuninger
Deanna
5870 Swamp Road
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TODAY:

9:30 a.m. Services of Worship
10:30 a.m. Annual Meeting with a Potluck luncheon to follow
7:00 p.m. Youth Group

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 a.m. Centering Prayer
6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY:

5:30 p.m. Community Meal

NEXT SUNDAY: Communion

8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Services of Worship
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for infants through adults
IN THE NURSERY: 8:00 – Karen Boyer
10:30 – David and Carol Berkhimer

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

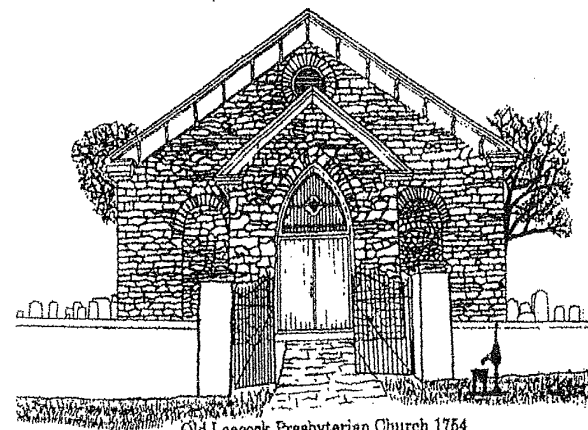
Last week's offering total was \$3438.46

The Community Meal is this Thursday, February 27. Doors will open at 5:15 p.m. Sign-up sheets for helping with the meal are in the Narthex.
Thank you. Mission Committee

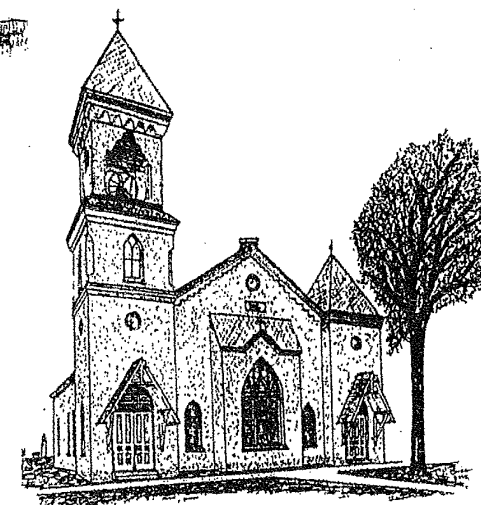
NOW WE'RE TALKING! Healthy Couples Workshops: Interested in enriching your relationship, improving your communication skills, or how to deal with conflict? Sessions are being offered March 1 in Lititz. See flyers in the Narthex for details.

Leacock Presbyterian Church

*First met in Leacock Township in 1724, recognized by the Synod in
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