

11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 5, 2018

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude: "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee" G. Winston Cassler

Invocation

* *Call To Worship*

Leader: Lord, you give us gifts to serve each other.

People: Help us to be worthy of your call.

Leader: But we see others' wrongs and not our own.

People: Reveal us, Lord, to ourselves.

Leader: For it is in knowing we need healing that healing comes.

People: Help us to grow in grace.

* *Hymn:* #515 "I Come with Joy"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Lord of mercy, you have revealed your will. You have touched our hearts with a sense of wrong. But still we are broken. And we are quick to see and judge the wrongs of others, while we are blind to our own. Open our eyes, Lord. Grant us the courage to see our own truth, so that we might mend. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Response: In the Lord I'll be ever thankful; In the Lord I will rejoice! Look to God: do not be afraid. Lift up your voices; the Lord is near. Lift up your voices; the Lord is near. (p.654)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

First Scripture Reading: 2 Samuel 11:26-12:13 (p.272)

**Hymn:* #692 "Spirit, Open My Heart"

Second Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:1-16 (p.182)

Sermon: **Through a Glass Darkly**

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

**Affirmation of Faith* - Apostles Creed (p.17)

The Peace of Christ

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "Andantino" J. Blied

Doxology (p. 606)

**Hymn:* #797 "We Cannot Measure How You Heal"

**Benediction*

Choral Response: "Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day, that in your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to you." (p.748)

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "On Our Way Rejoicing" G. Winston Cassler

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

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of Willis Bernard

Given by Shirley Bernard and Family

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.

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): **NURSERY PROVIDED UPON REQUEST.** Please see an usher if you would like to take your children to the nursery.

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: **Fran Sattazahn**

<u>TODAY</u>	8:00 a.m.	Service of Worship Old Leacock
	9:30 a.m.	Service of Worship Paradise
	7:00 p.m.	Hymn Sing
<u>MONDAY</u>	7:00 p.m.	CCL Meeting
<u>TUESDAY</u>	7:00 p.m.	Christian Ed Meeting

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday is **Communion Sunday**.

Come join us where fun and fellowship are par for the course!



Enjoy an evening of **MINI GOLF** on **August 15** at Water's Edge in Bird-in-Hand. Cost is \$5.50 a person. The sign-up sheet is in the narthex

Leacock Presbyterian Church

First met in Leacock Township in 1724, recognized by the Synod in 1740, moved to Paradise in 1840.



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