

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 30, 2019

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude: "God Is Spirit"
(John 4:24)

James Southbridge

Invocation

**Call To Worship:*

Leader: When it was the time of the cross, Jesus went.

People: Let us follow the Lord.

Leader: Jesus calls us to go his way.

People: Let us follow the Lord.

Leader: There are two ways—the way of the flesh and the way of the Spirit.

People: Let us follow the Lord.

**Hymn:* #308 "O God in Whom All Life Begins"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Forgiving God, when we were dying you showed us in your Son the way to life. You send your Spirit to guide us. But we try to go two ways, the old killing way and the new living way. Then, we lose our way. Lord, have mercy. Seek us. Lead us back. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

***Choral 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 Lord's Prayer

First Scripture Reading: Luke 9:51-62 (p.66)

**Hymn:* #623 "I've Got Peace like a River"

Second Scripture Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-25 (p.179)

Sermon: **Who Comes First**

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: "Open My Eyes" Robert Thygerson

Doxology (p.606)

**Hymn* #726 "Will You Come and Follow Me"

**Benediction*

Silent Prayer (be seated)

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)

Postlude "To God Be the Glory" Robert Powell

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.

Please remember to silence your cell phone before the beginning of service.

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 FAMILY THIS WEEK: **Kirk & Deborah Beane**

<u>TODAY</u>	8:00 a.m.	Worship Old Leacock
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Paradise
<u>MONDAY</u>	7:00 p.m.	CCL Meeting
	7:30 p.m.	Softball: Leacock v. Weaverland #2

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be no Worship Committee meeting in July or August.

Share the Bounty

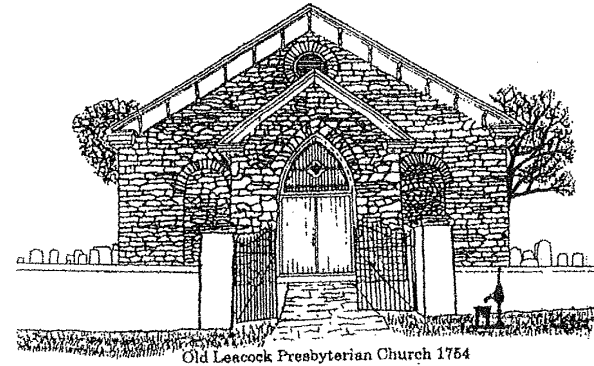
We have been blessed, each of us in different ways. And Jesus made it clear that we should share our blessings. He took the little the disciples had and found a way to feed a multitude. That's the way of grace.

We now have a "**Share the Bounty**" table following Sunday morning worship. Anyone with surplus produce or flowers may place them on the table. Anyone who could use any of these items may take them home. There is no fixed cost. Instead, there will be a freewill donation box, with all proceeds going to the general fund of our church. In this way, in giving and receiving, we can multiply grace.

Our **Annual Barnstormers Outing** is **Wednesday, July 24**. Tickets are \$10.00 and of that, \$4.00 comes back to our church Mission Fund. To get tickets, send in your check for the number of seats you want and say in a note that you are from Leacock Presbyterian Church and *Shirley Smith will be picking up your tickets. This will save you a \$5.00 shipping fee!* Thank you, Shirley! The mailing address is Lancaster Barnstormers, 650 North Prince Street, Lancaster, PA 17603. Order your tickets today for a very enjoyable evening. See the flyer in the narthex for details.

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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