

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 17, 2021

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude: "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" Anna Laura Page
Invocation

**Call To Worship*

Leader: Behold the glory of the Lord!

People: See it in the creature made in God's image.

Leader: Behold the glory of the Lord!

People: Go beyond ourselves to the rest of creation.

Leader: Behold the glory of the Lord!

People: Be still and know who is God.

*Hymn: #32 "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" (see download)

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Almighty God, part of your greatness is that you were not content with yourself alone. You shared yourself in what you created. Part of our smallness is that we lose ourselves in ourselves. We make ourselves bigger than you. Forgive us. Remind us of who you are. Remind us of who we are. 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. (#654)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Anthem: "Greet the Rising Sun" setting J. Wayne Kerr
(based on hymn #668)

"Golden breaks the dawn, comes the eastern sun
like a rider strong, set the course to run.
Birds above me fly; flowers bloom below;
through the earth and sky, God's great mercies flow."

Children's Sermon

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

*Hymn: #30 "O God, in a Mysterious Way" (see download)

Scripture Reading: Job 38:1-7, 16-17, 34-41

Sermon: **In the Presence of the Whirlwind**

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*Affirmation of Faith – Apostles Creed

The Peace of Christ

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

*Hymn: #20 "All Things Bright and Beautiful" (see download)

*Benediction

Silent Prayer

Postlude: Postlude on "Joyful Song" David Lasky

The End of Worship
The Beginning of Service

*Those who wish may stand

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

**The Sanctuary Flowers
are in Loving Memory of Douglas High
Given by Mary Alice & Family**

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: **Tom and Vicki Burkins**

*******Peanut Butter Bonbons*******

We will be making peanut butter bonbons on Monday, November 8 at 10 a.m. and on November 29. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex if you would like to help make them or donate supplies. There is also a sign-up sheet to order bonbons. You will be able to pick them up here at the church, or you can buy them at Loretta McClarigan's shop. We will have milk chocolate, dark chocolate, or mixed at a cost of \$6.50 per container.

This week at Leacock:



Adult Sunday School meets in the library after today's service. We are reading Acknowledging God. Each week is a separate discussion; come anytime you can.

The first **Children's Sunday School Class** is today! Thanks to the Parents decision that children will attend the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month after the Children's Sermon. The next meeting will be November 7. Nursery is provided for the children 3 years and under. *Children's Sunday School will need "teachers" again; if you would like to sign up to do one Sunday per the school year, contact the church office or Elaine Gouba.*



The **Prayer Shawl Knitters** will meet tomorrow, Monday, and again on November 1 at 9:30 am. We plan to meet following safe guidelines and Leacock policy. Come and join us in the church library.

If you would like to purchase flowers for the sanctuary in honor or in memory of someone or a special occasion Sunday, **October 31** and Sunday, **November 7** are available. Please call the church office **717-687-6619**.



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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