

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Today is our first Sunday School of the season.

The **Chancel Choir** will rehearse following worship today.

PNC meets tomorrow at 6:30 p.m.

**Today's Worship Video.** . . Should it not show successfully during worship or to view again at home, here's the link: <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=ONv9PRDIhes>

VIDEO: 2030 Status of Mother Nature – from Apple 5:25 in length.

**Today's version of the Lord's Prayer** is by the Anglican Church in Aotearoa which was re-published in a new version of a Book of Prayer in 1997. Celebrated by clergy and lay people alike, it combines the traditional Anglican prayers and forms of worship with the rich earth-based spirituality of the Maori and other Pacific Island cultures. It is eloquent in its wonderful simplicity and diversity, and is a worthy addition to anyone at prayer.

**This Tuesday September 26, Jane Witmer celebrates her birthday.** Her address is: Ephrata Manor Rm #107, 99 Bethany Rd., Ephrata, PA 17522

Our **Community Meal** is this **Thursday, September 28** in our handicapped accessible Smith Fellowship Hall from 5:30 - 6:30. The menu will be spaghetti and meatballs, tossed salad, garlic or plain bread, applesauce, and desserts. Please Join Us!

**SPECIAL OFFERING** - this month will be for the painting of the Paradise Sanctuary windows, outside. Bare wood was exposed all around some of the frames, so we had to get professional help other than Trustees to do the sills. The Trustees are good, but we can't handle everything ourselves. Thanks to everyone for your support. Dave Berkhimer

Next Sunday is **World Communion Sunday** and Rev. Charlie Gross will be in the pulpit.

!! Celebrate **Noche Latina** on Saturday, October 7!! Flyers are in the narthex.

**Trustees WORKDAY** - Fall Workday this year is October 7 with the following Saturday as a back-up day in case of bad weather. Beverage and goodies will be provided so bring tools and cleaning supplies for various jobs. If you are not there no doubt you will be the topic for the day, so come and enjoy the fellowship!

The annual **CROP Walk** is Sunday, October 15th. Please see the enclosed insert. The sheets for sponsors are in the narthex.

Our **October clothing drive** will be held the entire month of October. Please look through the clothing you no longer wear and donate it to the Lancaster Clothing Bank so someone else may put it to good use. The last date clothing will be accepted is Sunday, October 29th.

If you wish to purchase flowers for the sanctuary in memory of or in honor of someone or a special occasion, **October 15** is available.

