Worship for the Lord's Day

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

* Denotes all may stand if possible

Greetings & Announcements

Refrain: God is good / All the time / All the time / God is good

Prelude – Choral from Suite Gothique by L. Boellmann

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading – 2 Samuel 6:1-5; 12b-19, pew Bible N.T., p 329

Call to Worship

Come, let us worship God with the passion and joy of King David and all the people who sang and danced before the ark of the covenant.

Let us worship our Savior with the songs of praise and thanksgiving of the apostle Paul and all who are blessed with every spiritual blessing.

God has blessed us in our Lord Jesus Christ, destined us to be children of God, and sealed us in the Holy Spirit.

Let us worship God.

*Hymn #258 – Praise Ye the Lord

Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace

Holy, holy Lord, you are the God of glory. We confess that we often forget that your holiness is dangerous. We take our impurities for granted, make excuses for the sins we commit, and expect you to overlook the harm we cause while still demanding justice from others. We do not deserve your mercy. Forgive us, and return us to a right relationship with you for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ. You made us for the purpose of praising you; enliven us with the Holy Spirit so that we can fulfill our calling in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace:

Leader: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The Word in Music – *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

NWPC Men's Ensemble

Second Scripture Reading – Mark 6:14-29, pew Bible N.T., p. 1072

Sermon – So You Think You Can Dance?

The Rev. Dr. Matthew L. Camlin

Song of Praise (on screen and on insert)

Everlasting God by Brenton Brown and Ken Riley

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People

Presentation of Offerings (If you haven't already, please pass the Friendship pads.)

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – Wonderful Words of Life arranged by Darrell Archer

*Doxology, Hymn #592

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn #302 – I Danced in the Morning

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response (on screen and on insert)

May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go with You by P. Sutcliffe

*Postlude – March in D by J. S. Bach

^{*}Response (on screen and on insert), *Breathe* by Marie Bennett

Worship Notes

If you are a guest today we pray that God will bless you through your presence with us. Please sign the pew pad, including contact information, so we may welcome you.

Assistance for worship is available including large print bulletins and hymnals. We also have personal audio receivers that provide sound amplification.

Childcare: The Nursery for babies and toddlers (infants-age 2) is located through the side doors of the sanctuary to the left of the pulpit area. "Thanks" to **Marilyn Reeher** for staffing our Nursery and **Frasier Zahniser** for assisting today.

Children's Church will not meet again until fall, but **Summer Worship Bags** are available and can be found in a basket on the front pew in the transept.

Today's main door greeters are **Tim & Carolyn Cuff**, members of this congregation since they moved to New Wilmington in 1989. They are both professors at Westminster College, in history and mathematics respectively. Their two daughters, Laura and Margaret, were raised in this church. Carolyn and Tim have served our church in a variety of roles during their years here.

The flowers today are given in honor of the 15th wedding anniversary of Tim & Jessica Shelenberger which they celebrated on July 19.

"Thank you" to the members of the Men's Ensemble for sharing their gifts of music today and also to Karen Latta for accompanying them.

"Meet A Missionary Dinner" - Today

<u>ALL ARE INVITED</u> to a dinner hosted by the Presbytery's mission committee. Church congregations, Mission Committees and YOU are invited to share a meal with missionaries who represent us to the world at 5pm here in the New Wilmington Presbyterian Church Social Hall.



At least 18 missionaries are planning to attend including the Kandels and the Wellers, whom we support, and the Ludwigs, who are related to the Dawsons.

There will be a "kids section" with some of our youth entertaining them.

Join us! No reservations are needed!

July 22, 2018 NWMC - Conference Sunday

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Calendar – Week of July 22 - 29, 2018

Sunday (July 22)

9:30am Men's Bible Study, Lillian Martin Room

10:30am Worship

5pm NWMC's "Meet A Missionary Dinner"-Social Hall

Monday (23)

10am Morning Story - Summer Story Time, **Room 206 next to Church Office**

Tuesday (24)

7pm AA Meeting, Balcony-Room 309 (at the top of the stairs)

Wednesday (25)

Thursday (26)

5pm Sweet Survivors, Ryder's Restaurant 7:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Friday (27) New Wilmington Mission Conference ends

Saturday (28)

Sunday (29)

9:30am Men's Bible Study, Lillian Martin Room

10:20am Church Chums gather in SOG Market St. Lobby to worship with residents

10:30am Worship

MEMO—Next Sunday, July 29th Greeters:

N.W. Door S.W. Door S.E. Door

(by Ramp) (Maple & Market corner) (by Nursery) (by Church Library)

Laurie Mackaness Charlene List Joanne Wilson Karen Wallace

Announcements

Sweet Survivors will meet at 5pm on Thursday, July 26th at Ryder's Restaurant. Let Carole Welch (724-946-8836) know if you plan to come.

Concerts on the Green at Shenango on the Green (238 S. Market St.) are on Tuesdays in July at 7pm. Bring your lawn chair. Concerts will be outside unless inclement weather chases us inside. Concerts are free, open to the public and appropriate for all ages. The July 24th concert features Nick Santini (piano).

There will be a Red Cross Blood Drive during the week of NWMC on Tuesday, July 24th from noon to 5:30pm on the Westminster College campus, in Room 105 of Patterson Hall. (Patterson is the building between Beeghly Theater and Orr Auditorium.)

This summer children through age 18 are invited to the pavilion at Heritage Hills for a hearty <u>lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, continuing through Thursday, August 16th.</u> Lunch is served from 12:00 to 1:00pm. Come a bit early for hula-hooping, football throwing, bubble-blowing and a myriad of other summer activities.



With thanks to the Pittsburgh Food Bank and LCAAP in New Castle these meals are provided free of charge. We are only able to serve children and teens. Lunch is not provided for adults, but volunteers may eat after children are served.

<u>Volunteers are needed</u> to deliver the meals to Heritage Hills, to serve meals, and to interact with the kids. <u>Please sign-up to help</u> on the bulletin board in the Ligo Room.

(This Food Program is an outreach provided by New Wilmington Presbyterian Church. If you have questions please contact Joan Dawson at 724 946 8828.)



July's Mission Focus is the New Wilmington Mission Conference! "Conference" has been an intrinsic part of the New Wilmington Presbyterian Church and Westminster College since its inception. Its influence in the lives of members of this congregation is immeasurable in scope. It can arguably be said that this church's strength in missions is largely in part to NWMC. The following paragraph on NWMC comes from the Synod of the Trinity:

At 113 years old, the New Wilmington Mission Conference is the longest-running mission conference in the United States. ...NWMC is intergenerational, Presbyterian-related and youth-focused. About 800 people attend from over 30 states and 20 countries, including several Presbyterian Church (USA) mission co-workers and members of the Niger and Sudan/South Sudan mission networks, for a chance to connect with mission workers and hear what God is doing all over the world. This week-long conference features many well-known and engaging speakers.

"Love Your Neighbor" (Galatians 5:14) is the 2018 theme.

Be sure to attend the Morning Meeting and/or the Evening Meeting at Anderson Auditorium on the Westminster campus this week. Also you may attend the Bible Hour and Mission Study classes. The NWMC schedule is available in the racks by each door.