

Worship for the Lord's Day

* Denotes all may stand if possible

Greetings & Announcements

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

Prelude – *A Joyous Song of Praise* by Samuel Wesley

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *Luke 10:38–42*, pew Bible N.T., p. 1105

Call to Worship

God is good and loving to the faithful.

Give thanks and praise for all that God has done for us.

God is good! Praise the Lord!

*Hymn **339** – *Be Thou My Vision*

Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace

Sometimes, O God, we behave like Martha. We get distracted in our routines, so busy with our daily chores that we forget to take the time to stop and breathe, to look up and to notice the creation you have given and the way it speaks about your love and passion for your people.

Sometimes, O God, we behave like Mary. We devote our time to looking up, thinking that all we are commanded to do is to love God, and forgetting to serve our neighbor, to commit our time to the concrete work of the church, to get our hands dirty.

[Silent Prayer...]

God of balance, help us: forgive us when we do not know when to be workers and when to be hearers. In your mercy, heal our worries and our judgments, so that we can, indeed, keep the best part. In the name of our loving Master, Jesus Christ, Amen.

*Response – *Lead Us Back* by Third Day

Worship Team and congregation sing together:

Lead us back where we belong. Call us as Your very own.

Lead us back – Safe into Your arms.

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

*Song of Praise (on insert and screen) –

Jesus Messiah by Daniel Carson, Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash and Jesse Reeves

Sermon – *Dealing with Distractions*

The Rev. Dr. Matthew L. Camlin

*Song of Praise (on insert and screen) – *Days of Elijah* by Robin Mark

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (“*Forgive us our sins*”)

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

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *Cantilena* by John Sciveyner

****Doxology***, Hymn #592

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn **538** – *Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing*

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response (on screen)

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

*Postlude – *Go Forth in Faith* by David Paxton

Worship Notes

July 21, 2019

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. "Thank you" to **Meridee Bair** and to **Marilyn Reeher** for staffing our Nursery today.

Thank you to those who have responded to the request for assistance in the nursery during Sunday morning worship. Your participation is greatly appreciated. We are eagerly hoping to fill the only summer dates remaining: July 28 and September 1.

The **Children's Bulletin** for two age groups (3 to 6 & 7 to 12) are located in the racks at each entrance to the church. Also, **Summer Worship Bags** can be found in the front pew of the transept.

The flowers today are given by Steve & Amy Warner in honor of their families.

Thank you to front door greeters Pete & Carole Welch who are greeting for the month of July.

The 114th New Wilmington Mission Conference has begun!



Do not miss this opportunity to hear speakers and mission co-workers from around the globe share their stories. **In particular note: Today at 4pm at Wallace Memorial Chapel is a Service of Remembrance for Don "Patch" Patchel**, Conference Director for about 20 years. Our own Karen Latta and Lois Hopkins will be leading the music as they did at NWMC for many years. Also, be sure to attend the Evening Meeting on Thursday, July 25th at Anderson Auditorium, 7:45pm, when the 2019 Summer Service Team to Ethiopia will report. Copies of the conference schedule are available in the Ligo Room. Also, there is information about Sole HOPE, the NWMC 2019 mission project if you would be interested in participating.

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Calendar: Sunday, July 21 – Sunday, July 28

Sunday (21) New Wilmington Mission Conference

9am Men's Bible Study, downstairs in the Lillian Martin Room
10:30am WORSHIP

Monday (22) New Wilmington Mission Conference

Tuesday (23) New Wilmington Mission Conference

7pm AA Meeting, Room 309

Wednesday (24) New Wilmington Mission Conference

Thursday (25) New Wilmington Mission Conference

5pm Sweet Survivors, Ryder's Restaurant (*RSVP to Carole Welch*)

7pm Worship Team Rehearsal

Friday (26) New Wilmington Mission Conference concludes

Saturday (27)

7pm Softball Tournament Makeup Games

Sunday (July 28)

9am Men's Bible Study, downstairs in the Lillian Martin Room

10:30am WORSHIP

🎵 **CONCERTS ON THE GREEN:** You are invited to bring your lawn chair and join the folks at Shenango on the Green (238 S. Market Street) at 7pm on Tuesdays during the summer. All concerts will be held outside unless inclement weather chases us inside. Concerts are free, open to the public and appropriate for all ages. The concert on July 23rd features The Nobel Cause Singers, Gospel and Country.

Copies of the listing of WC Summer Carillon Concerts are available in our 3 literature racks: by the ramp door, in the nursery hallway, and in the Ligo Room.

MEMO—Next week, July 28th Greeters:

<u>N.W. Door</u>	<u>S.W. Door</u>	<u>N.E. Door</u>	<u>S.E. Door</u>
(by Ramp)	(Maple & Market corner)	(by Nursery)	(by Church Library)
Nancy Donatelli	Pat Hanna	Warren Hickman	Kelly Klamut

REMINDER:

Deadline approaching as the start of school is approaching!

For those folks who support our Dominican Republic ministry by providing scholarship money for school students there, please note that all funds are due in the church office by August 10, 2019. *Thank you.*



Ethiopia is our mission focus for July and for great reason; NWPC supports both the work of PC(USA) Mission Co-Workers Michael and Rachel Weller and the 2019 Summer Service Team of NWMC which served in Ethiopia, working with the Wellers.

Here is a brief summary of the Summer Service Team trip from NWMC Director Rev. Ginny Teitt:

For 3 weeks the Summer Service Team explored the city of Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, each day seeing new sights, meeting new people, and learning about the Ethiopian church and culture. The team worked closely with the Mekane Yesus Church, teaching English and having impactful conversations. The focus of the team for this trip was building relationships with the Ethiopian people, learning from them, and sharing stories together. The team also had the opportunity to spend time at the Center for Mentally Challenged children for two weeks, learning from the teachers and connecting with the students. Lastly, the team was in the Gambella region of Ethiopia, where they spent two weeks with Rachel and Michael Weller, PCUSA Mission Co-Workers. While there they worked with youth in trauma healing sessions, connecting with and learning from people in the Gambella region and the Wellers. The team is so very thankful for your continued prayers and looks forward to sharing everything they've learned during this incredible experience!"

The Summer Service Team will be speaking at Conference on Thursday evening at 7:45pm at Anderson Auditorium. Don't miss it!