

# 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 – *Procesion Alegre* by Garry A. Cornell

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *Hosea 11:1-11*, pew Bible O.T., p. 961-962

Call to Worship (*from Hosea 11:3-4*)

We are children of God, learning to walk.

***Day by day, we are learning to be the church.***

God is a loving parent, teaching us to walk.

***God loves us, leads us, and feeds us.***

\*Hymn **422** *God Whose Giving Knows No Ending*

Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace

***Nurturing God, you continue to lead us in upright ways on account of your love for us. Yet we do not always follow your call; we turn away from you and go our own way.***

[Silent Prayer...]

***Forgive us, and return us to our rightful home in you, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.***

\*Response (on screen) – *Trisagion*

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

Scripture Reading – *Luke 12: 13 - 21*

Sermon – *The Best-Laid Schemes*

The Rev. Dr. Matthew L. Camlin

\*Song of Praise (on insert and screen) – *Living Hope* by Phil Wickham

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

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

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *How Majestic Is Your Name* arranged by Mark Hayes

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

***\*Prayer of Dedication***

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

***People: And also with you.***

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

***People: We lift them up to the Lord.***

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

Leader: ...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

***People: Holy God, Holy and Mighty,  
Holy Immortal One,***

***We praise thee, we praise thee. Amen.***

Leader: ...Great is the mystery of faith:

***People: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.***

Words of Institution

The Communion of the People

The Prayer After Communion

**SENDING**

\*Charge and Benediction

\*Benediction Response (on screen)

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

\*Postlude –*Song of Praise* - J. S. Bach

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## 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. “Thank you” to **Susan Cumming** and to **Marilyn Reeher** for staffing our Nursery today.

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 from Jack & Diana Reed, “*In honor of our amazing parents, Dick and Jan Marks and Bob and Lin Reed.*”

**Thank you to Cathy Smith**, front door greeter for the month of August.

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# Calendar: August 4 through August 11, 2019

## **Sunday (August 4)**

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

## **Monday (5)**

## **Tuesday (6)**

7pm AA Meeting, Room 309

## **Wednesday (7)**

5pm Worship Committee Meeting, Room 206  
7pm Trustees Meeting, Balcony Room 309  
7pm Reconciliation Steering Committee, Room 206

## **Thursday (8)**

1pm Presbytery's Sudan Partnership Committee Meeting, Social Hall  
7pm Worship Team Rehearsal, Sanctuary

## **Friday (9)**

## **Saturday (10)**

2-4pm Harms Anniversary Open House, SOG (*See invitation below.*)

## **Sunday (August 11)**

9am Men's Bible Study, downstairs in the Lillian Martin Room  
10:30am WORSHIP  
6pm Ministerium's Community Hymn Sing, NWPC Sanctuary (*See insert*)

### **MEMO—Next week, August 11<sup>th</sup> Greeters:**

<u>N.W. Door</u> (by Ramp)	<u>S.W. Door</u> (Maple & Market corner)	<u>N.E. Door</u> (by Nursery)	<u>S.E. Door</u> (by Church Library)
<b>Will Parish</b>	<b>David Mistretta</b>	<b>Angie Urban</b>	<b>Buddy Stuart</b>

*Clarence & MaryAnn Harms  
invite you to attend their  
65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House  
on Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup> in the  
Community Room of Shenango on the Green  
from 2:00 to 4:00pm  
They welcome the attendance of all.*

♫ **CONCERTS ON THE GREEN:** Bring your lawn chair and join the folks at Shenango on the Green (238 S. Market Street) 7pm on Tuesdays. All concerts are held outside unless inclement weather chases us inside. Concerts are free, open to the public and appropriate for all ages. The concert this week, on August 6<sup>th</sup>, features Eintract Manchor and Kinder Chor.

**Westminster College has announced the appointment of Dr. Andrew Withington as its new Director of Choral Activities.** Dr. Withington is a native of New Zealand, making his arrival in New Wilmington, PA, much more than the typical move. While he will be living in Gateway, and furniture is being provided, **we have the opportunity to welcome him to our neighborhood by providing other household and pantry items** that we take for granted every day, but which doesn't fit easily into suitcases for a trans-Pacific relocation! Please see Dan Forsberg in the Ligo Room following worship today to participate in this ministry of welcome, or contact him for more information.



## **COMING THIS FALL**

### **\$-Financial Peace University:**

6:30pm on Mondays, September 16—November 11

### **\$-Smart Money, Smart Kids** (for parents AND kids ages 3 – college):

From 6-7pm, on 6 Sunday nights between September 15 & December 1<sup>st</sup>  
Childcare will be provided.

More details to come – free up your calendar NOW!

Contact: Anne Bruening, 724-651-3499 or Doug Phillips, 724-372-4180



**Our Mission Focus for the month of August is Burundi.** Our congregation supports the ministry and programs of the organization known as Five Talents which works in many other countries as well as Burundi.

Burundi is a small land-locked country in Eastern Africa with a population of 8 million. It is the world's most rural country and ninety percent of the population relies on agriculture and subsistence level farming. Since independence in 1962, Burundi has been plagued by ethnic and political conflict. The country is still recovering from a civil war that devastated civil society structures, contributed to high illiteracy rates and poor health care, exacerbated gender disparity and plunged large numbers of the population into abject poverty. Burundi is one of the poorest countries in the world, ranked 184 out of 188 countries on the UN's Human Development Index (2015). The life expectancy at birth is just 56 years, and only 5.2% of women have at least a secondary education, compared to 9.2% of men. Some or all of these factors result in many women becoming vulnerable and further trapped in poverty. This is especially true in remote areas where women are often marginalized and face fewer opportunities for training or for credit to support income generating activities.

#### Program Overview

The Mothers' Union Literacy and Development Program has been successfully training Burundians in literacy and numeracy since 2005. The program reaches vulnerable, low-income communities through a grassroots network of Mother's Union and the Anglican Church of Burundi. This network extends across the country to all major regions and to nearly one thousand communities. Five Talents provides business skills training as well as savings and credit group formation to the literacy program participants. Members have access to mentorship, basic financial services, and emergency funds. To date, over 40,000 members have joined community savings and loan associations. Eighty percent of these groups are now self-managing.

For more information about Five Talents see one of our Mission Committee members or our information boards around the church for pamphlets or their website, <https://fivetalents.org/>



Come let us sing!

You are invited to join the  
the New Wilmington Ministerium  
for their second old fashion

Hymn Sing

here in our own NWPC sanctuary  
Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> at 6pm

Participating churches are asked to please bring  
cookies to share after our service in the Ligo Room.

## Our **SHOP** – Our School Helping Our People

The goal of this project is to provide our students with a resource for common everyday needs – clothing, school supplies and hygiene products – within the school itself. The vision is to create a culture where students feel a community of support and where they have immediate means to acquire appropriate resources, especially when times are tough at home.

The resource room will be available for Wilmington Area School District students in grades 5 – 12. It is located across from the cafeteria.

A separate checking account has been set up specific to this project. Financial contributions can be made to

WAHS – Our SHOP

350 Wood St

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Donated items that would be most beneficial for Our SHOP:

NEW socks, NEW shoes, new or gently used winter coats,  
winter hats, gloves, school spirit wear

Deodorant, body soap, hand sanitizer

Backpacks, pens, pencils, pencil boxes, highlighters,  
markers, notebooks, note cards, binders, color pencils

There is a box in the Ligo Room for donated items.

If you have questions, please contact –

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Emily Mortimer (high school teacher and initiator of project)  
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