

GRACE Presbyterian Church

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Here we experience the inclusiveness as GOD intended the world to be.,

Sunday, March 11, 2018 + 10:30 AM

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Pastor: Rev. William O. Webster, Jr. Musician: Sherry Stratton
Missionaries: Congregation

GOD Calls Us Together For Worship

"I rejoiced with those who said, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'" Ps. 122:1

Welcome and Morning Announcements *Rev. William Webster*
Prelude to Worship "All Because of GOD's Amazing Grace"

Call to Celebration: *Elaine Gasmire*

L: Come, and celebrate the Lord our GOD.

P: We gather celebrating His love for us.

L: Come and worship GOD, celebrating the great things HE has done.

**ALL: For GOD forgives us, cleanses us and fills us with grace.
Praise the Lord! AMEN**

* Hymn of Praise "To GOD Be the Glory" #66

Prayer of Confession of Sins and Mistakes

Time for personal prayer and reflection

(Unison) GOD of Grace, before You we come confessing our sins, even though there are times when we have tried to deceive ourselves thinking that we are without sin. Before You we admit that we have fallen short of Your glory and have become twisted by pride. We see ourselves pure when we are stained, great when we are small, weak when we should be strong in prayer. For neglecting a prayer time and a prayer life we are sorry. Forgive us for failing to realize the power in prayer. Forgive us for not having a strong relationship with You. Forgive us for neglecting Your teachings. Forgive our every sin and fill us with Your love and grace so we may boldly serve You. For it is in the powerful name of Jesus Christ, that we pray for forgiveness, healing and a fresh start in life. Amen.

The Assurance of Being Pardoned of our Sins

* The Gloria Patri Screen

Lenten Cross *The Brian Grubb Family*

The Children's Sermon *Jim and Anita Albert*

Steps of Faith *(A special learning opportunity for children 3-8 years old)*

Ritual of Friendship *(Take a moment to welcome those worshipping with us!)*

Hymn "If My People's Hearts Are Humbled" #574

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer *(Debt & Debtors)*

Special Music "HE's Still the King of Kings" *Chancel Choir*

We Hear GOD's Word to Us

"Thy Word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path." Psalm 119:105

Scripture Lesson: 1st John 1:8-2:2 *Elaine Gasmire*

The Good News: " "

The Rev. William O. Webster, Jr.

* Hymn of Service 'At Calvary' #338

We Offer Our Gifts and Lives Before GOD

"They gave themselves first to the Lord." 2nd Cor. 8:5

Prayer of Dedication of our Tithes and Gifts to GOD

Offertory "Worthy the Lamb" *Chancel Choir*

* Doxology Screen

* Blessing and Sending *Rev. William Webster*

* Blessing Response "Go Now and Live for The Savior" Screen

* Prayer Circle *(Every Sunday, immediately following worship, anyone desiring special prayers is invited to join the staff and Elders at the front of the church for additional prayer.)*

*GRACE Church is a church with a great heritage and a greater future!
Come and be part of it!*

* *Indicates that those who are able are invited to stand for worship*

My Notes:

**NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS OF
GRACE CHURCH
THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

Sunday	9:20 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Celebration Coffee Hour hosted by the Adult Sunday School 7:00 PM Common Grounds Worship in Youth Center
Monday	6:30 PM Bible Study with Sherry in Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	5:30 PM T.O.P.S. (Webster Hall) 7:00 PM Monthly Trustees Meeting
Wednesday	11:00 AM Staff Meeting in the Choir Room 2:00 PM Bible Study in the Annex 5:30 PM Free Legal Aid Clinic at Webster Hall 7:00 PM Choir Practice
Thursday	11:00 AM Project Forward Meet at Webster Hall
Friday	6:30 PM 40 Day of Prayer in Fellowship Hall

DEACONS ON CALL for MARCH

Remember, call the church office or a Deacon On Call if you or a loved one is hospitalized!

- Margi Roberts 740-633-1656
- Willa Wilkins 740-338-0413

WORSHIP LEADER NEXT SUNDAY 10:30 AM: Paula Benline
GREETERS 10:30 AM: Elaine Gasmire, Brian Grubb, George Sorge
GREETERS 7:00 PM: Shirley Greathouse & Phyllis Clark
GREETERS NEXT SUNDAY: Jim Albert, Rob Dunn, D. J. Hood
AM: Acolyte: Kyle Grubb



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To help minimize distractions during worship, please silence phones. Also, please refrain from taking food or beverages into the worship center. Thank you for your cooperation!

March 11, 2018

WELCOME TO GRACE Presbyterian Church

GRACE Church is an open, welcoming church where diversity is celebrated as a rich gift of GOD and where Christ is central. We have a passion for GOD and compassion for people. Thank you for worshipping GOD with us. Whether your stay with us is for an hour, or a lifetime, we want you to know that here you are welcome, accepted and embraced. We want you to feel welcome and accepted in worship and in all the activities of our church. Each week in our service of worship, we encourage the full participation of people of all ages, especially the children, as we look to experience the presence of GOD at work in our midst. We take pleasure in having children fully participate in worship. We enjoy having children grow in worship. Whoever you are or wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

OUR INTERNET CHURCH

We broadcast every worship celebration over the internet in our Internet Church. During worship, the camera may capture your image, which will appear over the Internet. Feel free to tell your friends and relatives to 'tune in' at www.gracemf.org to see and join in our Internet Church!

PALM SUNDAY – MARCH 25th

We will host the Community Lenten Worship Service at 4:00 PM on Palm Sunday with Rev. David Stammerjohn preaching. **DONATIONS** of cookies would be very much appreciated for the reception time following worship.

BOUNTIFUL BASKETS

On Palm Sunday, the Deacons will assemble the Bountiful Baskets for our shut-ins. The Deacons will supply fresh fruit for the baskets. **DONATIONS** of packaged crackers, Jello, pudding and fruit cups can be placed in the container under the piano, from anyone who would like to contribute until March 20th.

SONRISE SERVICE-RESURRECTION BREAKFAST

The Christian Education Committee is preparing for our Easter morning Sunrise Service that will meet at the church and walk up 4th Street to Walnut Grove Cemetery at 7AM. We will then return to the Fellowship Hall for breakfast prepared by Christian Ed.

THIS WEEK REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Bill Ankeny, Betty Arbogast, Carole Archer, Baby Rose, Heather Benline, Myles Bettinazzi, Gale Blust, Fred Burda, Gina Cerasoli, MPC Church, Jim Coleman, Michael Connors, Frank Donda, El Buen Church, Jack Dagan, Wendy Benline Dean, Gina Douglas, Sami Eimer, Peggy Eimer, John & Jerri Gallagher, Jackson Grills, Residents of Wayne Hays Apt. Building, Jack Hill, Rosa Hill, Marge Hood, Mary Jenree, Davida Kay, Patti King, Idora Kimbro, Rick Klempa, Rick Kolb, David Konieczkowski, Mary Kohler, Ron Kunze, James Lasco, Bill Leach, Amy Maffee, Caitlin Marriott, Joyce McCrea, Tanner McDaniel, Jean Meadows, Sonya Micker, Becky Miklas, Joann Morando, Max Myers, JoAnn O'Toole, Donny Powell, Charlene Regis, Karen Rinkes, Ethan Roberts, Gene Schuster, Lori Scott, Doug Shafer, Debbie Shamsoum, Wilda Sherman, Sister Kathleen, Jack Sloan, Cody St. John, James Statler, Anthony Stone, Bill Taylor, Nancy Toto, Michael Travis, Charlene Triveri, Randy Turvey, Michelle Tweardy, Ron Vargo, Willie Wallace, Luke Wayt, Martha Weber, Bob & Bonnie Wetzels, Jen Wheeler, Stephanie White, for our Country; our Leaders, for peace.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR OUR FAMILIES

Sarah Shreve Natalie Shreve Nate Shreve
Kirstin Smith Lauren Smith Rose Smith

*Since Lent 2006, every week we are praying
for different members of our church family.*

PRAY

In Matthew 9:38 Jesus said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field". So, every day at 9:38 AM & 9:38 PM stop and pray. Pray for our church. Pray for the growth of our church. Pray for the harvest, and for all of our workers.

TRASH AND TREASURER SALE

Annual Trash and Treasure Sale will be held on Friday, April 6th from 9:00AM-1:00 PM and Saturday, April 7th from 9-11. The sale will be held at Webster Hall this year and will include a bake sale on Friday. Be sure to save your trash and treasure items for April! And our **Gathering of Daughters** dinner will be held on Monday, May 7th at 6:30 PM!

COMMUNITY CHOIR

The Community Choir will sing at the Good Friday Service at Methodist Church. We will practice 2 Sundays before Easter, March 18th and March 25th at 1:30 PM. We meet at the First United Methodist Church to practice

PAGE TURNER'S BOOK GROUP

Book Discussion for the Month of March is "Beneath a Scarlet Sky" by Mark Sullivan. We will meet at Panera Bread in St. Clairsville on Thursday, March 22nd at 7:00 PM. Linda Webster leads discussion. All are invited to join us!

SAVE THE DATES

- Annual Quarter Auction – Friday, May 4th while you're doing your spring cleaning, when you find something new that you have tucked away and will never use yourself, make sure you re-gift it for use at the auction! Even the small gifts help as we can make lovely baskets out of a few small items. At your convenience, bring them in and give them to Sherry or Ida Mae.
- Annual Wings & Things Festival – Saturday, September 1st
- Annual Craft/Vendor Fair – Saturday, October 6th

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EASTER FLOWERS ORDER FORM

Your Name _____

In Memory/Honor of _____

Please write how you would like to appear in the bulletin.

Choice of Flowers:

Tulips _____

Hyacinths _____

Daffodils _____

Lilies _____

Pots of flowers are \$13.00 each, please enclose payment with your order.