



ST. PETER'S
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

August 9, 2020

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Special large print bulletins and large print hymnals are available.

Please ask one of the Ushers.

**(Stand as you are able.)*

Please turn your radio to 93.5 FM for today's worship service.

A TIME OF GATHERING AND WELCOME

Announcements

Birthdays

Anniversaries

CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 118*

This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!
5..4..3..2..1..GO! Worship has begun.

PRELUDE

The Brightest Trumpet

Franklin Ritter

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*OPENING HYMN: *Morning Has Broken*

By Eleanor Farjeon

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* RESPONSIVE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

All: O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples. Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works. Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice. Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually. Remember the wonderful works he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he has uttered, O offspring of his servant Abraham, children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

Leader: When he summoned famine against the land, and broke every staff of bread, he had sent a man ahead of them, Joseph, who was sold as a slave. His feet were hurt with fetters, his neck was put in a collar of iron; until what he had said came to pass, the word of the Lord kept testing him. The king sent and released him; the ruler of the peoples set him free. He made him lord of his house, and ruler of all his possessions, to instruct his officials at his pleasure, and to teach his elders wisdom.

All: Praise the Lord!

A TIME TO PRAISE GOD WITH MUSIC

You Raise Me Up

R. Lovland

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A TIME OF PRAYERFUL SHARING

Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer (debts, debtors)

A TIME OF LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28

MESSAGE *From Promise to the Pit...Then What?*

REFLECTION HYMN *Standing on the Promises* R. Kelso Carter
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A TIME OF GIVING

OFFERING INVITATION

Offertory: *Prelude on a Welsh Tune (All Through the Night)*
Juliet Calkins Tune: "Ar Hyd Y Nos"

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*Doxology #625 unison prayer of dedication
praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures here below;
praise God above ye heavenly host; **
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(**alternate: Creator, Christ and Spirit, One. Amen)

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A TIME OF GOING OUT

THE PEACE OF CHRIST

(We offer one another the peace of Christ for the week ahead.)

*PARTING HYMN

In the Garden

C. Austin Miles

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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune

Jerry McCrory

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Welcome Everyone! Feel at home, for Christ Jesus is our host.

The Psalmist sings: "Worship the Lord with gladness; come into God's presence with singing... thanksgiving... and praise." We pray peace and joy to you, dear friend. Please fill out an attendance card: thank-you. Refreshments and visiting follow worship, downstairs, in the Hall.

WORSHIP TEAM

Interim Senior Pastor
Zoom Worship
Music Ministry
Special Music

Pastor Arlen G. Vernava
Mary K. Kirsch
Pam Schuster
Brian Schieferstein

St. Peter's would like to thank Jim Buchs and Pastor Jim Edwards for joining us in this month of August while Pastor Arlen is away.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Food Bank Update

St. Peter's UCC Mission is collecting donations for Amherst Food Pantry of Good Shepherd Baptist church after drive- in services today and August 16, 23, and 30.

In need of the following hygiene products:

- Shampoo
- Soap or body wash
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Deodorant

In need of the following paper products:

- Toilet paper
- Kleenex or tissues

Pop your trunk after the drive-in church services and we will walk around and collect the items from there to limit contact and avoid you having to get out of your vehicle.

Thank you to everyone who is able to participate!

Circle Six Update

Circle Six will be having an organization meeting for the 2020-21 year on September 1, 2020 at 12:30 pm at the Picnic Shelter at Beaver Creek Reservation (913 North Lake Street, Amherst, Ohio 44001—right next to the Amherst Police Department). The picnic shelter is right next to the parking lot, and there are restrooms available across the lot. We have some great ideas for the coming year, and possibly making some changes to make our organization more acceptable to more ladies! Please come, bring your own lunch and drink, and a mask! We will social distance to keep ourselves safe. Hope to see many of you there! If you need a ride, please contact Sally Readinger at (440)222-3414 and we will make arrangements to get you there!

Treasurer Update

St. Peter's is looking for an Assistant Treasurer. If this is something you are interested in, please contact Lauri Hubach at 440-988-2459 or treasurer@stpetersamherst.org for job details.

Drive-in and Zoom Worship!

St. Peter's is adding drive-in worship as an additional in-person worship to its continuing ministry. Zoom worship will also continue to be available.

For our Drive-in worship service please enter St. Peter's parking lot via Elyria Ave entrance no later than 9:50 a.m. Upon entrance each car will receive a bulletin and be directed forward to a parking place. Once parked, windows of the car may remain up or be put down during the service. Attendees are requested to stay in their cars during the service. **The audio of the service can be found on 93.5 FM.** At the time of offertory, an usher will carry a basket around to each car to collect the offering. The congregation will sing the Doxology and the Pastor will bless the offering. Upon conclusion of the service, cars may exit through the two exits on Church Street.

On communion Sunday, worshipers should bring their own bread and wine or grape juice to the Drive-in worship service or the Zoom worship service.

If for any reason our Drive-in worship service will be cancelled, a one call will go out to the congregation.

For our Zoom worship you will join one another through a free video and audio conference application. Download to your smartphone, computer, or tablet or use the meeting link below and follow these instructions:

Topic: Sunday Morning Worship

Meeting ID: 524 411 3917 Passcode: 379205

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Mon, Aug 10 MovementWorks 2:30-3:15 PM
Executive Comm. Mtg. 6:30 PM

Tue, Aug 11 MovementWorks 6:15-8:30 PM
Bible Study 7PM Zoom
Trustee Mtg. 7 PM

Wed, Aug 12 MovementWorks 4:30-7:30 PM

Thur, Aug 13 MovementWorks 5:30-7:30 PM

Sat, Aug 15 MovementWorks 9 AM- 12 PM

Sun, Aug 16 Drive-In Sunday Worship Service
St. Peter's Parking lot 10 AM
Sunday Worship 10 AM Zoom

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