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# The Lord's Day

## October 29, 2017

Prelude
Opening Hymn #454
Choir Anthem
Reading #650
Kids Korner
Offering/Pew Pads
Songs of Praise
Bible Message
Closing Song #455
Benediction

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness.

THEY WILL BE FILLED! (Matthew 5:6)

May the Lord use this worship and fellowship today to FILL you! Welcome!

\*No Sunday School classes today. We hope you will stay and participate in our building addition presentation.

- Next Sunday = congregational vote re: building addition
- Nov. 12 = offering received for Building Fund

### **WEDNESDAY**

10:00 - Bible reading discussion group, Romans 1-8

5:30 - Snak Shak open

6:30 - groups for children, youth and adults

7:40 - Adult Choir

| Last Week            |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Attendance           | 237         |
| General              | \$ 4,625.00 |
| Missions             | \$ 1,562.50 |
| <b>Building Fund</b> | \$ 395.00   |
| Sunday School        | \$ 185.00   |

### WELCOME TEAM

Oct. 29 - Jim & Joel Hart

Nov. 5 – Tom & Christopher Keely

Nov. 12 – Widder Family

Nov. 19 – Scott Garling

Nov. 26 – Gary & Grant Murray

Oct. - First Service Ushers
Greg Elliott - Head Usher
Gary Murray
Grant Murray
Carlton Hess
Helen Orr



CHRISTMAS EVE
DRAMA ... characters and
helpers needed. Interested?
See Pastor David

| Pastor:  |                            | THIS WEEK  | NEXT WEEK   |
|--|----------------------------|--|---|
| David Rawley <a href="mailto:rawley@centurylink.net">rawley@centurylink.net</a> (717) 597-3211 | 1 <sup>st</sup><br>Nursery | The Cloppers   | Sean & Tara<br>Tracey   |
| Youth Director:<br>Josh Lance<br>597-8525 ext. 12<br>504-5604 (cell)                           | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery    | Cindy Rawley &<br>Madison Webb                       | Cindy Rawley &<br>Sylvia Clement                                      |
| joshlance85@gmail.com Secretary: Carol Schwalm office@greencastleub.org                        | Acolyte                    | Owynn Oatman (1st)<br>Grace Akers (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) | Micah Ressler (1 <sup>st</sup> )<br>Kinsley Helman (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) |
| 597-8525 Hours 9 to 4 Tues/Wed/Thurs. Building/Van Scheduling:                                 | Greeters                   | Dave & Linda Baer                                    | Ed & Tawnya<br>Tracey   |
| Holly Ressler facility@greencastleub.org: 597-8525   | Prelude                    | David Rawley   |   |

Prayer Chain: 597-2531

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NEXT SUNDAY ... a U.B. <u>missions</u> program at Rhodes Grove camp (starting at 3:00) followed by an evening worship service. Supper available. Our bishop from Sierra Leone and our U.S. bishop will both be speaking. You are invited. Please register at ubassociation@rhodesgrove.com.



PECANS FOR SALE - \$12/lb. Order deadline is TODAY. Questions? See Alma Hoffman (717-597-2630) or Trudy Ensminger (717-597-8362)

Our G-A community THANKSGIVING service in on tap for Sunday, evening, November 19. Put it on your calendar! Community churches participating.

We would like to put together an email list for OUB college students who are living away from home. Parents... can you help us? Email your student's address to <a href="mailto:office@greencastleub.org">office@greencastleub.org</a>. This will enable folks to send a note of encouragement



Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are waiting to be filled. Empty boxes and labels are located in the upper entry. Collection deadline is Sunday, Nov. 12. For more information, contact Amy Gour (717-597-9202) or go online at <a href="https://www.samaritanspurse.org">www.samaritanspurse.org</a>.





State budget cuts have affected our military hospitals and some things needed for a hospital stay are no longer provided. The Greencastle American Legion is collecting blankets to be donated to the Vets hospital in Martinsburg. If you

wish to donate a new (or gently used) blanket, you may place it in the wicker basket by the lower entry mailboxes. They will be collected on Nov. 12. Questions? See Jamie Lytle (717-504-6162)

HARVEST HOME and HYMN SING – Nov. 12 ... 6:30 pm Bring some non-perishable food items and join us for our annual reflection on the goodness of the harvest. You will enjoy the service including Christian baptism. Fellowship and PIES available following the service.



\*Sign-up sheet for pie donations is on the desk in the lower lobby. Please bring pies to the kitchen on that day by 5:30. For questions or to sign up, contact Mandy Stottlemyer (717-762-5899)

### SENIOR OUTING - November 14



We are venturing to Antietam Battlefield Visitors Center and then to lunch at Bonnie's Red Byrd Café in Keedysville, MD. Cost is \$5 (unless you have a National Parks visitors pass) and your lunch. If you have a pass, please let us know since the pass could cover a total of 3 people.

Vans will leave church at 9:00 and will return around 2:00. RSVP to Bob & Fran Stoner by Nov. 12. (717-597-0189)

WMF Meeting – Thurs., Nov 2 @ 6:30 Reminder: Bring items for fruit baskets and vases/containers for Christmas Tea. Contact Amy Gour (717-597-9202) or Jeannie Johnston (717-597-2336) with any questions.



WMF is inviting all ladies of the church to be part of our Secret Sister 2018. Information and sign-up sheets are on the table downstairs. Sisters will be assigned in early December. For more information, contact Linda Dombrowsky (717-593-9784)

# EARLY SITUATION ... HEAVENLY MOTIVATION (Matthew 5-7)

| Righteousness of Rules (5:20)   |
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| The "scribes and Pharisees" were pious and strict. They worshipped, fasted, tithed, |
| and prayed with regularity and zeal. They were obsessive, compulsive, religious     |
| freaks. YET, said Jesus, they had not even entered into God's kingdom.              |
| FURTHERMORE, need to catch something missed, if would                               |
| enter God's kingdom. Whoa! This is serious and sobering and calls for me to truly   |
| my life.  |
| Righteousness of the Kingdom  |
| that weeps over the   |
| Measured by God's standard, my performance is poor. Unacceptable. It is only        |
| when I for his nature and righteousness and my pride                                |
| that I enter his kingdom and experience his life.                                   |
| that rise above the   |
| It is impossible to be a citizen of God's kingdom while living no differently than  |
| those in allegiance to Satan's kingdom and are                                      |
| ·   |
| that goes beyond the  |
| Laws are never the limit of performance. They are simply the                        |
| Kingdom living (love) sees the rule as a point                                      |
| rather than a place.  |
|   |
| that moves past the   |
| Living in God's kingdom causes my communion with him to be authentic and            |
| sincere and personal and real. He is my King forms and norms,                       |
| applause and approval is  |
| that reaches beyond the   |
| Though living on the earth, my passion and motivation is God's kingdom, both        |
| present and future. Therefore, pursuit of earthly resources and rewards is          |
| my  |
| that sees beneath the   |
| Two houses may be identical except for their foundations, yet that one              |
| is is Obedience to God is the foundation of kingdom                                 |

living.