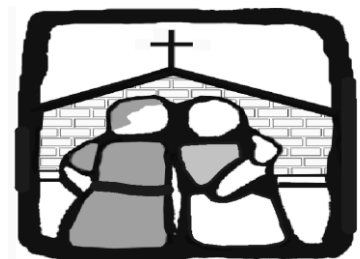


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The Lord's Day

April 30, 2017

PRELUDE

SCRIPTURE (Psalm 86)

CHORUSES OF WORSHIP

PRAYER

**How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty!
My soul yearns and faints for the courts of the Lord.
My heart and flesh cries out for the living God. (Ps 84)**

SPECIAL MUSIC (Max and Madison Webb)

OFFERING / PEW PADS

KIDS KORNER

**Better is one day in your courts than a thousand elsewhere.
I would rather be a door keeper in the house of God than to
dwell in the tents of the wicked. (Ps 84)**

HYMN (222) "Hear The Bells Ringing"

BIBLE MESSAGE

HYMN (197) "Hear The Story"

BENEDICTION

We rejoice that you are able to participate in this hour of WORSHIP today.
God is holy and the time we spend with Him is sacred. WELCOME!

WEDNESDAY

10:00 **am** - Bible Readers ... discussion Philippians/Colossians (overflow)

5:30 - Snak Shak 6:30 - groups for children, youth, adults

*Choirs (6:00) HOSANNA (7:40) ADULT

NEXT
SUNDAY

Join us for some music. It's SPRING and we're going to SING!
Worship music. Special Music - Mindy Hartman, a blind lady
who loves to sing will be our guest. You will be inspired! FOOD
and FELLOWSHIP in the basement afterward (6:30 pm)

Last Week...

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| Attendance | 266 |
| General | \$ 3,700.00 |
| Missions | \$ 2,172.00 |
| Building Fund | \$ 380.00 |
| Sunday School | \$ 124.00 |

WELCOME TEAM

April 30 – Jim & Joel Hart

May 7 – Tom & Christopher Keely

May 14 - Ben, Brock, & Kiersten Widder

May 21 - Scott Garling

May 28 - Gary & Grant Murray

Apr. - First Service Ushers

Bob Stoner - Head Usher

Dick Bartles

Lynn Michalsky

Ed Tracey

Sean Tracey

*The altar flowers are in
honor John & Sandy
Alleman's 38th Wedding
Anniversary*



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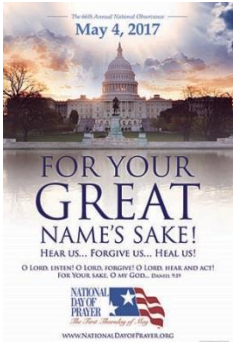
| | <i>THIS WEEK</i> | <i>NEXT WEEK</i> |
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| 1st Nursery | Judy Bowman & Celina Stoops | Tim & Holly Ressler |
| 2nd Nursery | Cindy Rawley & Connie Tracey | Cindy Rawley & Sylvia Clement |
| Acolyte | Josh Rayarao (1 st) Grace Akers (2 nd) | Micah Ressler (1 st) Kinsley Helman (2 nd) |
| Greeters | Jan & Georgianna Horst Family | Wayne & Sharon Baumbaugh |
| Prelude | Susan Adams | Sandy Dunkle |

May 9, 2017 - U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center in Carlisle, PA. Leaving church at 9 am. Lunch will be dutch treat. To sign up and for more information, contact Bob & Fran Stoner (597-0189)



May 16 - Rhodes Grove Ladies Spring Tea, 11:00 We are on “stand by” for a table. Normally a table does become available closer to the date. If you are interested in attending, please contact Holly Ressler at 301-739-8063 or thjmrress@aol.com.

This THURSDAY is the National Day of Prayer, an opportunity for Americans to gather in public prayer for our nation. Our local meeting for prayer focusing on Greencastle/Antrim will be at 11:00 at the First U.M. Church on N. Washington St. Please come! God hears the prayers of our hearts and he will move his hand as we pray.



MAKER FUN FACTORY

SUMMER 2017 VBS June 11-15

We will be looking for teachers/volunteers to help. Child Protection clearances are needed.

For more information, contact Cindi Keely
(301-733-3139)



National Bible Bee - Program for students, ages 7 - 18,
This summer program gets students into the Bible and
gives them the tools to study God's word.

Registration is now open at biblebee.org. Isabella
Morganthal is hosting a local group. For more
information, contact her at 717-504-0119



*Many thanks to those that helped in the kitchen at the
Antique Engine Show yesterday. Your hard work is very
much appreciated.*

Rhodes Grove Family Camp - May 26-29

This is a wonderful, relaxing weekend available to families. Cabins, hotel
rooms or camping options available. There are several families from church
that attend and enjoy it year after year. To register, contact

www.rhodesgrove.com.



BE A HERO. WALK FOR LIFE

PMI Annual Walk for Life

Thurs., May 25 (6:30) in Waynesboro or Sat. June 3
(8:00) in Chambersburg. For more information call
267-3738 or visit www.pregnacyministries.org.

Common Ground youth group guys are away this weekend for a Guys
retreat. They will be returning later today. Praying that they not
only had a safe, fun time but that the young men heard from God
during the weekend.

HEAR!

As with the other physical senses, the process of comprehending sound waves as stirring music or soothing speech is incredibly sophisticated. Cartilage, membrane, bone, fluid, hairs and nerves interact like pieces of a complex orchestra to fill our world with sound. Our sense of hearing protects, connects, and inspires us. Sound is a link to life ... and to the Creator of life. Even faith “comes by hearing” (*Romans 10:17*).

Although hear and listen are common in Scripture, they often carry a figurative connotation, that of “paying attention” of hearing with the _____. This is sometimes conveyed by the suggestion of _____ i.e. “lean forward”, “incline your ear”, “turn your ear this direction”, etc. (*Prov. 2:2, 5:1, Isaiah 55:3*)

In ancient days, God heard his people grumbling _____ him (*Ex. 16:7-9, Num. 14:27*) and groaning _____ him (*Ex. 2:24-25, Gen 16:11*). And he hears our _____ today, no matter what their topic or tone (*Ps. 34:15, 65:2, Matt. 6:6-8, I John 5:14*).

A Christian who hears God is actually one who _____ what God communicates. This is the real or spiritual sense of hearing. This was the _____ of the prophets (*Deut. 4:1, Jer. 7:1-8, Amos 7:14-17*) and the _____ of Jesus (*Matt. 11:13-14, Mark 4:9, Rev. 2:7*). Those who do not obey God have “stopped up their ears” (*Zech. 7:11-12, Matt. 13:14-16*). A Christian who does not _____ in understanding and commitment is “dull of hearing” (*Heb. 5:11-12*).

We are used to the _____ voice. However, the voice of God must be listened for with our spirit (*John 4:24*). It may come through to our _____ mind as a mere whisper (*I Kings 19:12-13, Ecc. 9:17*). Yet the voice of the Lord can be heard when _____ (*I Sam. 3:1-10*). Someday it will even be heard by ears which have long been dead (*John 5:28-19*)!