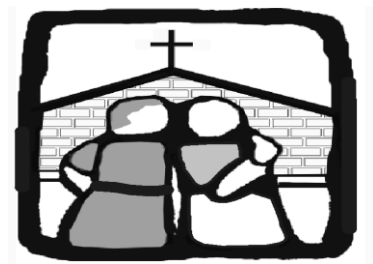


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The Lord's Day

September 30, 2018

Prelude
Songs of Praise #206
Offering
Kids Korner
Reflective Song #58
Bible Message
Benediction

“If anyone **loves** me, they will obey my **teaching**.” (John 14:23)
***WORSHIP** (8:30/10:45) – We express our **love** for Christ
***SUNDAY SCHOOL** (9:50) – We discover the **teachings** of Christ

SPIRTUAL CARE COMMINSION = 5:30 today!

WEDNESDAY 5:30 - SNAK SHAK
 6:30 - children, youth (*COMMON GROUND*), and adult (sanctuary overflow)
 7:40 - adult choir practice

Next Sunday... Day of World Wide Communion. A missionary couple, who we support, John and Debbie Seigel, will be with us. They serve in Russia.

FYIAP... Helen Adams and Alma Hoffman are currently at Menno Haven to receive rehab for recent health issues. You may text, tweet, meet, or greet them (or do it all!). Helen Adams, Menno Haven, 2075 Scotland Ave., Room 111, Chambersburg, PA 17201. Alma Hoffman, Menno Haven, 1427 Philadelphia Ave., Room 525, Chambersburg, PA 17201

Last Week...	
Attendance	245
General	\$ 3,263.00
Missions	\$ 1,941.00
Building Fund	\$ 1,717.10
Sunday School	\$ 145.00

WELCOME TEAM

Sep. 30 – Jim & Joel Hart
Oct. 7 – Tom & Christopher Keely
Oct. 14 – Ben & Brock Widder
Oct. 21 – Scott Garling Family
Oct. 28 – Jim & Joel Hart

Sept. - First Service Ushers
Keith Leckron - Head Usher
Butch Adams
Carlton Hess
John Helman

The Altar Flowers
are in memory of
Harold Leckron
from his family



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	<i>This Week</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
1st Nursery	Gary & Daphne Murray	Connie Tracey
2nd Nursery	Cindy Rawley	
Acolyte	EJ Fleming 1 st Grace Akers 2 nd	Micah Ressler 1 st Klara Helman 2 nd
Greeters	Scott & Annette Garling	Andy & Lori Webb
Prelude	Sherri Michalsky	Leta Sipes

Next Senior Outing, Tue., Oct. 8th.
Van leaves the church at 9:00 a.m. for a hayride, ice cream, and a tour of Misty Meadows. Lunch at Keystone Country.
Cost is \$7 plus your lunch. Send reservations to Bob or Fran Stoner at (717) 597-0189 by 10/7. If it's raining, the outing will be cancelled.



Next WMF Meeting
Thur., Sept. 24, 6:30 p.m.

Come early to help assemble
Operation Christmas Child Boxes
FMI Contact Amy Gour @ (717) 597-9202 or
Jeannie Johnston @ (717) 597-2336



SAVE THE DATE
Annual Fall Picnic – Sunday, Oct 14 @ 5:00 p.m.
Red Run Park, Waynesboro/Rouzerville
Attendance & Food Signup Sheets on the lower lobby desk.



From the RALPH'S RECIPE people... THANK YOU to each person who helped out over the summer! You may have been flippin, sellin, bakin, or buyin. It was greatly appreciated and contributed to a total of \$5,180 raised for different Otterbein ministries.

Classroom Helper needed for 1st & 2nd grade room for the 2nd & 4th weeks of Sunday School. Please contact Tawnya Tracey to volunteer! (717) 597-2530



PUPPETS FOR CHRIST

Puppet practice starts back up on October 7 from 2:00 – 3:00. We are now accepting new puppeteers! Anyone in 4th to 12th grade are welcome to join us. We are also looking for a few more adult helpers. Any questions, please contact Bethany Elliott (717-597-5767 or e_bethany@yahoo.com).

Chanel Wiest has a new address. Currently all of the Muncy Prison mail is being sent to a company in Florida that scans all the mail and then transmits it to Muncy to be delivered. Because all the mail is scanned in black and white, Chanel said it would be better to send her notes on plain white paper, rather than sending cards. **New address labels are on the upper lobby bulletin board. Remember—only plain white envelopes.** *Chanel is in prison for life-without parole, but has become a member of OUB. A note sent to encourage her in her Christian walk would be greatly appreciated. (Hebrews 13:3)

"Inevitably, if the Christian faith is true, it casts a shadow of falsehood on every other religious system. This is naturally offensive to those steeped in other religious ideas as well as being offensive to the "modern" man, being used to relativism and regarding "tolerance" as the highest virtue. But these claims of Christ are not something that may be quietly removed from the gospel. To do so would be to change it into something entirely different than what it is."

Norm Anderson – Christianity and World Religions.

THE GODS...BEYOND THE RIVER

Religion = system of belief that is a person's ultimate _____ for reality, their _____. Jesus noted there are only two sources for such convictions... _____ from God or _____ from men.

(Mark 7:13)

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

So many religions. WHY?

1. _____ God created the hosts of heaven [angels] prior to the creation of this world (*Job 38:4-7*) and gave them _____ freedom. ONE angel, wanting to be in charge, chose _____ (*Ez. 28:14-16*). He was cast from heaven to earth (*Ez. 28:17, Lk. 10:18*).
2. _____ Satan deceived himself (*Is. 14:13-14*), other angels (*Rev. 12:4, 7*), our first human parents (*Gen. 3:1-5*) and many other humans (*Rev. 20:3*). As with Eve, he not only tempts people to _____ wrong, but to _____ lies (*Jn. 8:44*). The lies include every manner of false ideas about the _____ and _____ of God.
3. _____ Driven from the garden (Adam), driven from the Lord's presence (Cain), and finally scattered into separate places and language groups (Babel), mankind developed many different _____ yet remained in _____. From this time of spiritual darkness emerged the _____ of different gods, myths, ceremonies, and systems (religions). Abraham was chosen to start a movement that would bring _____ from the true God to the earth, but had to leave his polytheistic culture in order to do so (*Heb. 11:8-10*).

EMPHASIS OF SOME RELIGIONS

Reason	(be logical!)	Humanism
Ethics	(be good!)	Taoism/Shinto
Law	(be submissive!)	Islam/Judaism
Indifference	(be detached)	Buddhism
Grace	(be saved!)	Christianity
Imagination	(be creative!)	New Age
Obligation	(be responsible!)	Hinduism
Nature	(be afraid!)	Animism

(Psalm 115:2)

Why do the nations say "Where is their God?"

We are God's offspring. So we should not think that the divine being is like an image made by man. In the past God overlooked such ignorance, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent (*Acts 17:29-30*).