

The Altar flowers are given by Mr. & Mrs. Larry Fasnacht & family in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Davilla Hassler and Mr. & Mrs. Leon Fasnacht.

Dick or Stephanie Palsgrove will be in the Narthex before and after worship if you would like to support them as they walk for Relay For Life. You may also purchase or get more information about Luminaries.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Art Livergood	Carol Good	Casey Coble
Pat Burky	Earl Hassler	Melanie Kirshner
Jane Hornberger	Ginger Good	Nick Zelgin
Friend of Kendra & Matt Sauder		
Lisa Hoffman and Family		

COMING EVENTS

Tues, May 11 – Health & Welfare – 7:00
Thurs, May 13 – Bible Study – 7:00
Sun, May 16 – OCWM Certificate Presentation
Mon, May 17 – Bell Choir Rehearsal – 7:00
Tues, May 18 – Baking Bunch – 7:00 am
Stewardship – 7:00
Women's Devotions – 7:00
Sun, May 23 – Young Adult Gathering – 6:30
May 27-31 – Pastor Bill vacation – Selina will lead worship
June 6 – End of Sunday School Breakfast
Young Adult Gathering
Mon, June 14 – VBS Meeting – 7:00
June 20 – 24 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The May items for the **Peace Pantry** to be donated to EASS are jelly, cake mixes and tuna.

If you will be graduating from high school or college this year, please give your name, school and degree to the church office.

Health and Welfare are looking for people to serve as sponsors for our Special Care and Concern members. If interested, please speak with Kathryn Fitterling or Pastor Bill.

PEACE

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Denver, Pennsylvania

*To all who are weary and need rest; to all who are lonely and need fellowship; to all who mourn and need comfort; to all who pray and to all who do not but ought; to all who sin and need a Savior; and to whomsoever will come – this church opens wide the door and says in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ,
WELCOME!*



Mother's Day
May 9, 2010

Thought Before Worship

My hope for the future of this nation is predicated upon the faith in God which is nurtured in the home.

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Adoration"

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor: Hear, O my people, hear the words of your God who loves you like a mother loves her child –

People: Even when you turn gray I will carry you. I have made you and I will bear you; I will carry you and I will save you.

Pastor: Hear the words of your God who shelters, nurses, carries, disciplines and loves you –

People: Can a woman forget her nursing child, or show no compassion for the child of her womb? Even these may forget, yet I will not forget you – says the Lord your God!

Pastor: God loves us with an everlasting love. Therefore, let us show our love for God as we worship together in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **AMEN.**

***OPENING HYMN**

"I Love Your Kingdom, Lord".....no. 545

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, if you dealt with us as we deserved, we would not receive any grace or any mercy. We have sinned against you and against our neighbors in thought, word and deed. We have failed to live as your called and chosen people. Our sins permeate every fiber of our being. On our own, there is no escape. But, as we recognize our sins, we recognize that you are a merciful God, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. And so, humbly, we ask for your mercy and your grace. Cleanse us of our sin and unrighteousness.

By the Power of your Spirit, take hold of our hearts so that, not only our actions, but that every word of our mouths and every thought of our hearts, might be acceptable unto you. Set us free by the power of Christ our Savior. AMEN.

+SILENT PRAYER (please use this time to confess your personal sins)

+KYRIE

+WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Pastor- Lift up your heads and hear the Good News – Christ is Lord of all. The prophets, the Apostles, you and I, all bear witness to this truth – if we confess our sins, God will forgive our sins and cleanse us through and through!

People- Thanks be to God. AMEN.

***GLORIA PATRI.....no. 142**

CHILDREN'S CHOIR "He Is Love"

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

HEBREW SCRIPTURE Genesis 1:26-31 pg. 1

CHOIR ANTHEM "Just A Closer Walk With Thee"

GOSPEL READING John 14:23-31 pg. 877

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

***THE CREED.....inside front cover of hymnal**

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

***HYMN "Happy the Home When God Is There".....no. 540**

OFFERING/OFFERTORY "Andante"

***OFFERING RESPONSE/THE DOXOLOGY.....no. 382**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER**

***BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

***HYMN "Now I Belong to Jesus".....no. 637**

CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)

POSTLUDE (those who are able please *- stand, +-kneel)

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Pastor.....Rev. William E. Hoch (717.335.0387)

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Altar Guild Workers.....Audrey Youndt & Sally Romich

Acolyte.....Linnea Bleacher

Greeter.....Rosie Johnston

Head Usher.....Ray Wolverton

Attendance for May 2.....122

Offering for May 2.....\$3,776.00

Amount needed each week to meet budget.....\$3,505.00