

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

Alan Hassler	Casey Coble	Pat Burky
Ginger Good	Nick Zelgin	Orpha King
Lisa Hoffman and Family		Eugene Moyer
Family of Milla Lynn		Bob Fichthorn

COMING EVENTS

Sun, May 23 – Young Adult Gathering – 6:30
Mon, May 24 – Adult Ministry – 6:30
May 27-31 – Pastor Bill vacation – Selina will lead worship
Tues, June 1 – Women’s Devotions – 7:00
Sun, June 6 – Last Day of Sunday School Breakfast
 Young Adult Gathering
June 13 – No Sunday School – 10:30 worship
Mon, June 14 – VBS Meeting – 7:00
Sun, June 20 – Summer Worship Hours begin – 9:00 worship
June 20 – 24 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – Volunteers are needed,
 please see the sign-up sheet on the secretary’s window.
 Registration forms are located outside the office.

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.

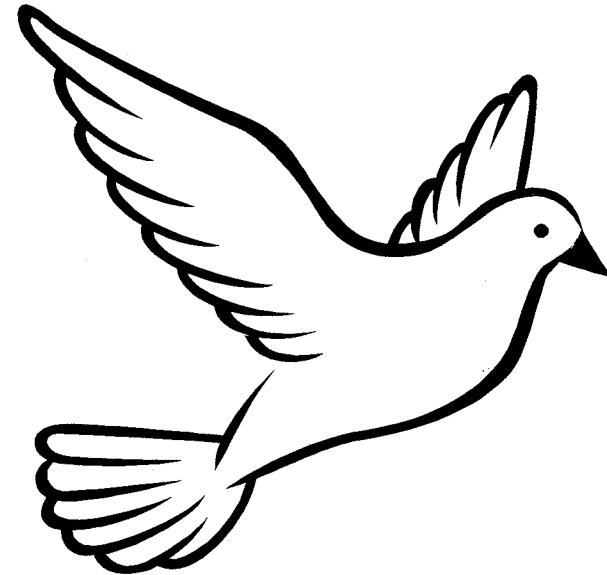
Health and Welfare are looking for people to serve as sponsors for our Special Care and Concern members. If interested, please speak with Kathryn Fitterling or Pastor Bill.

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!*



PENTECOST SUNDAY
May 23, 2010

Thought Before Worship

**There are powers buried in each of our lives,
powers put there by God, to be used to God's glory!**

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "See How Great the Flame Aspires"

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor- The Holy Spirit of God breathed over the waters of creation and there arose creation, light and life!

People- Come Holy Spirit, Come.

Pastor- Through the waters of baptism, the Spirit claims us as children of God.

People- Come Holy Spirit, Come.

Pastor- The Spirit breathed on the disciples creating the church and bestowing upon them the gifts of mission and ministry.

People- Come Holy Spirit, Come.

Pastor- May God's Spirit descend upon us igniting a flame of renewed faith, creating within us a desire to live as God's children. May the Spirit of God dwell with us that we might bear witness to the wonder and power of God's love!

All- Come Holy Spirit, Come for we worship together in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. AMEN.

***OPENING HYMN**

"Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart".....no. 147

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, we come in humility, confessing who and what we are. We are often unresponsive for we are afraid. When your Spirit speaks, we turn deaf ears, for we fear what you might call us to do. When your Spirit touches our lips, we close our mouths, embarrassed to speak your Word. When the wind of your Spirit blows, we close the windows of our hearts, afraid the breeze will disrupt our ordered lives. When the fire of your Spirit touches us, we quench the flame, afraid of the new life it might bring.

Forgive us, O Lord. Awaken us. By your Spirit restore us that we might be filled by, and live by, your grace. AMEN.

+SILENT PRAYER

(please use this time to confess your personal sins)

+KYRIE

+WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Pastor- God knows our need before we ever ask. God knows our sins and bestows forgiveness before we ever pray! Rejoice and be glad, for in Christ we are all forgiven!

People- In Christ we are made new. AMEN.

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

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

BELL CHOIR "Canon in D"

EPISTLE LESSON Acts 2:1-21 pg. 885

CHOIR ANTHEM "Come, Holy Spirit"

GOSPEL READING John 14:8-14 pg. 877

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

***HYMN "Breathe On Me, Breath of God".....no. 161**

OFFERING/OFFERTORY "Dove of Peace"

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

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

***BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

***HYMN "He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought".....no. 606**

CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)

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

Church e-mail address.....peaceucc@dejazzd.com

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

Organist.....Mrs. Virginia Tobias

Assistant Organist.....Mrs. Lois Haldeman

Student Pastor.....Mrs. Selina Hamilton

Secretary.....Mrs. Lori Patterson

Treasurer.....Mr. Michael Madera

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

Acolyte.....Becky Moyer

Greeters.....Clair & Mardel Lausch

Head Usher.....Ray Wolverton

Attendance for May 16.....134

Offering for May 16.....\$2,071.00

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

The Altar flowers are given by Ike & Dawn Gehman in memory of loved ones.