

Please take notice of the sign-up sheets on the secretary's window –

1. To serve as host or hostess for Fellowship Hours – Host or hostess would organize, serve and clean up after Fellowship hour, or be a volunteer to be willing to provide the baked goods that would be served
2. Children's Ministry Frisbee Golf Event in the church grove on August 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:00
3. Provide supplies for Sunday School Breakfast on Sunday, September 11
4. Assisting as Liturgist for Sunday morning worship by – lead call to worship and/or read scriptures
5. Church Picnic Sign up – Hamburger, hotdogs and beverages will be provided. If your last name begins with a letter from A-L you are asked to provide a side dish, M-Z you are asked to provide a desert.

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Beatrice Stauffer      Don Weber      Richard Neider  
Dick Beam              Beverlea Manderbach  
Samantha Heinbach

#### **COMING EVENTS**

Wed, Sept 7- Health and Welfare picnic/meeting at Erla Hartraft's House 5:30 pm  
Sat, Sept 10 – Cleaning Party – washing down the pews in sanctuary and general cleaning in Sunday School Rooms – 8:00 am  
Sun, Sept 18 – Church Picnic immediately following worship – Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided, please see the sign-up sheet for ideas as to what you may bring.

We return to our regular Fall schedule bringing on Sunday, Sept 11 – Sunday School at 9:00 and worship at 10:30.

Quilters of Valor Meeting- Every Tuesday in August from 9-12.

The Altar Guild is in need of a few new members. The major duties include taking care of the Altar flowers and Communion Ware after Sunday worship services. Please see Vicki Sweigart if interested

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# PEACE

*United Church of Christ*

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***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!***



Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 28, 2011

**Thought Before Worship**

**Faith isn't blind, it's visionary. Faith is believing that God is on our side, and the God knows what He is doing.**

Gold Hymnal

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** "Morning Has Broken"

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Seek the Lord while God may be found.

**People: We call upon God who is near to us.**

Leader: Let the wicked abandon their way of life.

**People: Let everyone turn from their old ways and turn to God.**

Leader: May all people return to God who is merciful,

**People: Who longs to forgive and restore us to full life.**

Leader: God's thoughts are different from ours; they surpass anything we might think.

**People: God's ways are not like ours; they are beyond what we could imagine.**

Leader: God's word promise is everlasting. May it take root and grow in us as we worship in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **AMEN.**

**\*HYMN** "To God be the Glory".....no. 363

**\*CALL TO CONFESSION**

**+PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Merciful Savior, we confess that in the heat of the moment, we allow our tempers, our impatience and our selfishness to overcome the heart of goodness and compassion you have created within us. We respond in ways that hurt one another and do not honor you. We confess that though we long to have the mind of Christ and to respond in all situations as he has modeled for us, but sometimes we fail. We are short-sighted, forgetful and fearful. We ask for your forgiveness, Lord. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and the love of all humankind. AMEN.**

**+SILENT PRAYER**

*(please use this time to confess your personal sins)*

**+KYRIE**

**+ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader- Friends, we have this assurance, Jesus Christ came in order to redeem the world. Believe the Good News: We are forgiven!

**People- May God help us to forgive others as we have been forgiven! AMEN.**

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

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE**

**OLD TESTAMENT** Exodus 3:1-15 pg. 44

**SPECIAL MUSIC** "Come Unto Me"

Michael Good & Virginia Tobias

**EPISTLE LESSON** 1 Peter 1:13-21 pg. 983

**MESSAGE**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

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

**\*HYMN** "Take Time to be Holy".....no. 457

**OFFERING/OFFERTORY** "Take Up Thy Cross"

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

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

**\*BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

**\*HYMN** "Take My Life and Let It Be".....no. 458

**CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)**

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

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Church website.....	www.peaceunitedchurch.org
Pastor (pastor@peaceunitedchurch.org)....	William E. Hoch (335.0387)
Organist.....	Mrs. Virginia Tobias
Assistant Organist.....	Mrs. Lois Haldeman
Secretary (secretary@peaceunitedchurch.org).....	Ms. Olivia Moyer
Treasurer.....	Mr. Michael Madara
Altar Guild Workers.....	Lillian Messner & Erla Hartraft
Acolyte.....	Nate Moyer
Greeters.....	Chris & Linda Fitterling
Head Usher.....	John Haldeman
Attendance for Aug 21.....	82
Offering for Aug 21.....	\$2,359.00
Month to Date Offering.....	\$8,172.25
Amount needed each month to meet budget.....	\$15,284.00

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The Altar Flowers are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Schweitzer by Stella Weaver