

Flowers that are planted around the church property are planted in honor to God and in thanks for all the love and the foundations of faith that our mothers have given to us.

In the month of May the Peace Pantry will be collecting items for our **LoveINC Home of Hope**. The items are laundry detergent, (Gain or Tide) dish detergent and kitchen trash bags

### PRAYER REQUESTS

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| Beatrice Stauffer       | Katherine Fitterling | Stuart Mohn  |
| Richard Reppert         | Steven Leininger     | Connie Wolf  |
| William & Mary Haldeman | Glenn Doermann       | Dennis Moore |
| Family of Bill Spangler | Nathaniel Gentry     |              |

HEALTH AND WELFARE NEWS – The Committee is having a silent auction for a quilt. Proceeds will be given to the cost of replacing the roof. You can register for a number before and after worship and place your bids.

### COMING EVENTS

Sun, May 20 – Confirmation Sunday – morning worship  
Last day for quilt bids

Tues, May 22 – Spring Program at Colonial Lodge – 6:30

Weds, May 30 – Summer Lunch Program Planning Meeting – 7:00

Sun, June 3 – Sunday School Breakfast – 9:00  
Come celebrate the end of another year together!

Mon, June 11 – Benevolence Meeting – 7:00

Tues, June 12 – Spiritual Council – 6:30  
Church Council – 7:00  
VBS Planning – 7:00

Sun, June 17 – Summer Worship Hours begin!

June 17 – 23 – Mission Trip to Kentucky

June 24 – 28 – Vacation Bible School

Fri, July 20 – Barnstormers Game – Dinner at the Stadium, Game and Fireworks!

The Bible School Decorating committee is in need of some paint for a back drop. If you have any usable left over paint please bring it to the church by Sunday May 20th.

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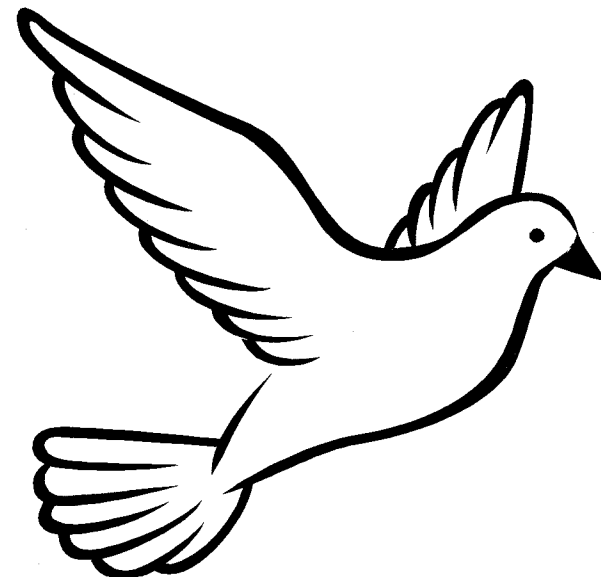
# PEACE

*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!***



May 13, 2012  
Happy Mother's Day

God didn't promise days without pain, laughter without sorrow, or sun without rain, but He did promise strength for the day, comfort for the tears, and light for the way.

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "If With All your Hearts"

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: What sorrow do you carry to this place today?

**People: We lay it at the feet of our Savior!**

Leader: What burden weighs your spirit down?

**People: We lay it at the feet of our Savior!**

Leader: What pains you so deeply that it brings tears so quickly?

**People: We lay it at the feet of our Savior!**

Leader: What sin feels binding, unforgivable and inescapable?

**People: We lay it at the feet of our Savior!**

Leader: God invites us, just as we are. We lay ourselves before the feet of the Lord and worship in the name of Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **AMEN**

\*HYMN "Blessed Be the Name".....no. 352

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Most Holy God, we know that your grace is sufficient for us and we desperately need it today. Our sin feels so weighty, so burdensome, so tiring. Only you can free us and we ask that you would. We want to be holy as you are holy, but it is only through your Spirit's power in our lives that we can hope to live without sin.**

**Draw us closer to your Holy Spirit. Let us hear your gentle nudging, reminding us that we have the power to flee when the temptation of sin feels too great. We are so thankful for the blood of our Savior that makes us clean. Thank you for saving us and for granting us mercy. We ask all this in your precious name. AMEN.**

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

+KYRIE

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader- Friends, God is faithful and just to forgive us and cleanse us from every unrighteous thought, word and deed. Receive this pardon that is freely offered to you!

**People- And we will walk as those who are made whole again.**

**AMEN.**

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

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

BELL CHOIR "Hymn Melodies"

EPISTLE LESSON Acts 10:44-48 pg. 895

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GOSPEL LESSON John 15:9-17 pg. 878

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

\*HYMN "A Christian Home".....no. 538

OFFERING/OFFERTORY "Lift Thine Eyes"

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

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER

\*BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN

\*HYMN "What a Friend We Have in Jesus".....no. 466

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.....                         | Audrey Youndt & Sally Romich |
| Acolyte.....                                     | Cassie Heil                  |
| Greeters.....                                    | Jack & Linda Long            |
| Head Usher.....                                  | Pat Acebo                    |
| Attendance for May 6.....                        | 115                          |
| Offering for May 6.....                          | \$5,772.00                   |
| Month to Date Offering.....                      | \$5,772.00                   |
| 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. Davilla Hassler and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fasnacht by Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fasnacht and Family