

One of the dangers of having a lot of money is that you may be quite satisfied with the kinds of happiness money can give and so fail to realize your need for God. If everything seems to come simply by signing checks, you may forget that you are at every moment totally dependent on God.

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The Lord calls us to hear and heed God's word.

People: We will treasure God's words in our hearts.

Leader: We will teach them to our children.

People: We will talk about them when we are at home and away.

Leader: We will meditate on them when we go to bed and when we rise.

People: We will keep God's words ever before us.

Leader: God's Word lights our way and makes our paths straight.

People: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone! Thanks be to God!

Leader: Let us worship the God who calls and leads us. **AMEN**

***HYMN "This is My Father's World".....no. 6**

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, we confess that we would like a road map for our lives. We want to know where we are and where we are going. We don't like unexpected twists and turns. When we hear you calling us to a task we do not want to do, or a road we do not want to take, we offer our weak excuses.

Forgive the rationalizations we present to you as reasons, the resistance that is most often grounded in fear and unbelief. Forgive our reliance on ourselves and our lack of trust in you, the willfulness that turns away from your will for our lives and the refusal to hear and believe your assurance of the journey. Forgive us all that is past, and free us to a new and living faith in you, through Christ our risen Lord. AMEN.

+SILENT PRAYER

(please use this time to confess your own personal sin)

+KYRIE

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Our God is a God of love and mercy, who allows us always to begin again. By that love and mercy all our sins are forgiven.

People: By God's grace, we are forgiven to walk in newness of life. AMEN.

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

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

EPISTLE LESSON 2 Corinthians 8:7-15 pg. 941

SPECIAL MUSIC "The Love is my Light"

GOSPEL LESSON Mark 5:21-34 pg. 816

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

***HYMN "Give of Your Best to the Master".....no. 516**
Refrain after last verse only

OFFERING/OFFERTORY "The Gift of Love" Margaret Gress

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

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND LORD'S PRAYER**

***BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

***HYMN "Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing".....no. 520**

CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)

POSTLUDE

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

Church website.....www.peaceunitedchurch.org

Pastor (pastor@peaceunitedchurch.org)William Hoch (335.0387)

Organist.....Mrs. Virginia Tobias

Assistant Organist.....Mrs. Lois Haldeman

Secretary (secretary@peaceunitedchurch.org).....Mrs. Beverly Madara

Treasurer.....Mr. Michael Madara

Altar Guild Workers.....Janet Mattis and Mary Getz

Greeters.....Ann Englert

Head Usher.....Vickie Schweitzer

The altar flowers are given in memory of loved ones by Jack and Mary Bernstel.

All Special and Service Music is offered this morning by Arlene Shank. Please welcome her and express your thanks.

A Safe Church Seminar will be hosted at Peace Church on Saturday, July 11th beginning at 9 am. This is to prepare our church to meet the regulations for child safety in our church. If you are volunteering to work with children we encourage you to participate. If you would like to help us formulate our church policy, we invite your participation. This will be a daylong event concluding at about 4 pm.

Peace will be serving the summer lunch program the week of August 3rd. There is a sign-up sheet on the office window for those who would like to help. So far this year we are having a turnout of people greater than we have experienced in previous years.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Royce McCrabb	Patricia Douglas	Sherill Paglia
Dana Keckler	Kathy Leininger	Karen Pannebecker
Norman Davis		

COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, June 30th – Bible Study – 1:00 pm
Monday, June 29th – Mission Trip Planning Meeting – 6:30 pm
Tuesday, July 7th – Health and Welfare Meeting 6:30 pm
Thursday, July 9th – VBS
Meeting 6:30 pm
There will be no Council meetings in July.
July 27th-29th – Youth on their Mission Trip.

The Health and Welfare Committee has placed a number of prayer shawls in the Narthex. If you know someone who would be comforted with one, we invite you to take one and share it with them.

Registration Forms are in for Hartman Center. If you are interested in a Church Camp, please take one of the folders. More information can be found on-line.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be held, with St. Paul's Adamstown, July 19-23. If you would like to help, please speak with 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!*



June 28, 2015
Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time