

True heroism is remarkably sober, very un-dramatic, it is not the urge to surpass all others at whatever the cost, but the urge to serve others whatever the cost.

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: From shore to shore -

People: Let God's praise be sung.

Leader: From mountains high to valleys low --

People: Let the echo of praise resound.

Leader: From the mouths of children and the prayers of the saints --

People: Let thanksgiving abound.

Leader: For great is our God

People: And greatly to be praised. AMEN.

***HYMN "America the Beautiful"no. 690**

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Peace, you spread out your radiance in every landscape. You unfold your love in all the twists and turns of our lives. Yet, we miss the signs of your Presence and see only the bends and wrinkles of living. How we yearn to dwell in and how we long for justice to flow in every corner of the world.

Forgive us for letting fear build walls of separation. Forgive us for hesitating to speak when our words could right a wrong. Forgive our halfhearted commitments and our full-blown excuses. Send your Spirit to wrap us in courage and dissolve our fears. Pour out your love so we may be filled with compassion and persistence. Let us live in the way Christ taught that all may enjoy the life of Shalom, your peace for all. AMEN.

+SILENT PRAYER *(please use this time to confess your own personal sin)*

+KYRIE

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Jesus spoke these words again and again – go on your way and sin no more for your sins have been forgiven.

People: These words are and will always be life to us! AMEN.

***GLORIA PATRI.....no. 338**

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

EPISTLE LESSON Galatians 1:6-12 pg. 945

CHOIR ANTHEM "Great Is the Lord"

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 7:1-10 pg. 839

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

***HYMN "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"no. 679**

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

***OFFERING RESPONSE/THE DOXOLOGY.....no. 356**

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

***BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

***HYMN "God of Our Fathers"no. 687**

Let There Be Peace on Earth Gold Hymnal no. 681

CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)

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

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

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

Organist.....Virginia Tobias

Assistant Organist.....Lois Haldeman

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

Treasurer.....Michael Madara

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

Greeters.....Jim Gress

Head Usher.....Amy Miller

The Altar flowers are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. William Sheipe and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palsgrove by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palsgrove and family.

Peace United Church of Christ

PRAYER REQUESTS

While we pray for those whose needs we know, let us also pray for those whose need remain silent.

Doris Fultz Carol Parker Ron Parker
Sully Madara John Baughman

Memorial Day, Monday, May 30th at 11:00 am Peace Church will host a Service of Remembrance at the Cross, in the Grove behind the church. Please join us and invite your friends and neighbors as we pause to remember, reflect and give thanks.

COMING EVENTS

Sunday, June 5th – Last Day of Sunday School Breakfast – 9:30 am

Monday, June 6th – Benevolence – 6:00 pm

Bell Choir Rehearsal – 7:00 pm

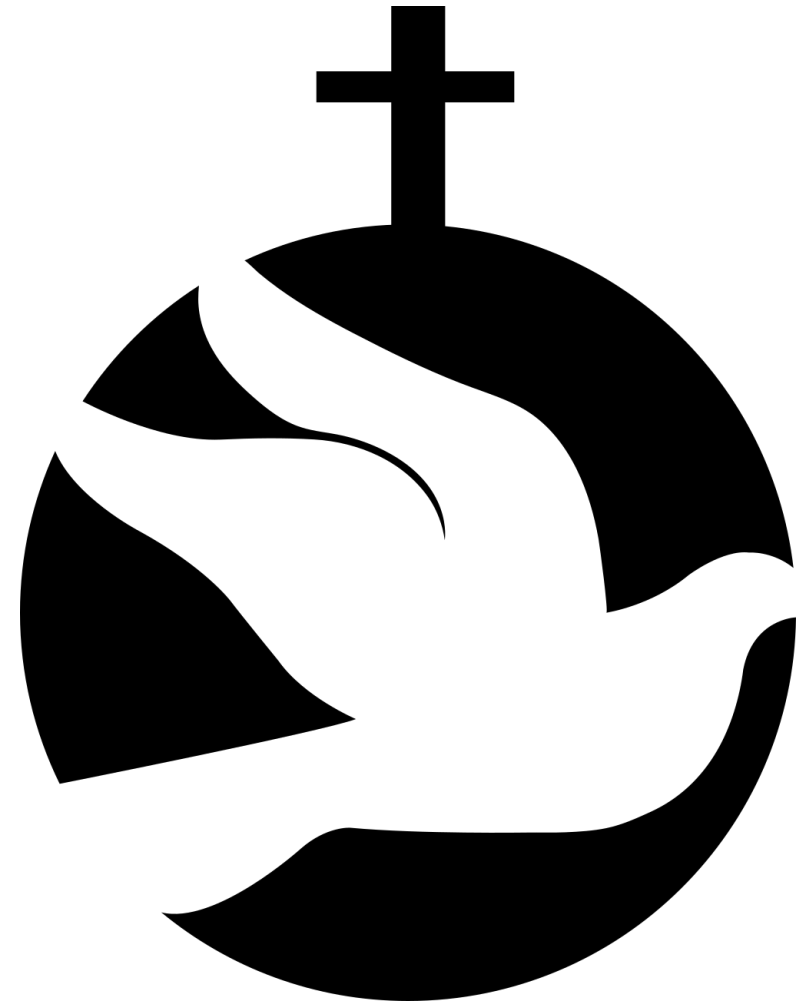
Tuesday, June 7th – Health and Welfare – 6:30 pm

Sunday, June 12th – Summer Schedule begins:

Contemporary Worship – 9:00 am

Traditional Worship – 10:30 am

Tuesday, June 14th – Council Meetings – 6:30 & 7:00 pm



May 29, 2016
Second Sunday after Pentecost