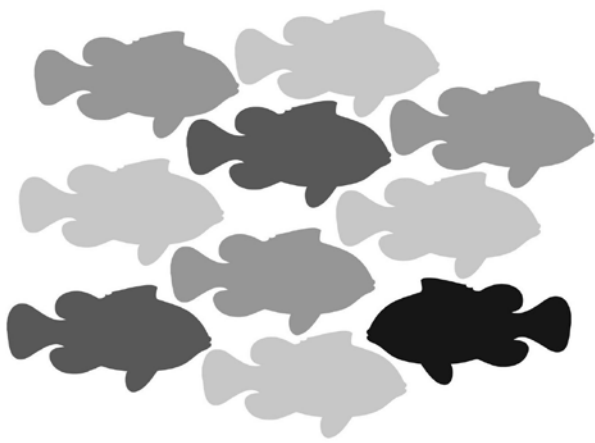


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Calvary United Methodist Church
Mohnton, PA

Sunday, July 8th, 2018

7th Sunday after Pentecost
UMH = United Methodist Hymnal
TFWS = The Faith We Sing Hymnal

July 8th, 2018

9:00AM

* = Please stand if able

Lay Worship Leader – Sean Steffey

~ **GATHERING** ~

PRELUDE: *Concerto for Violin and Piano Mvt 1* -Dmitri Kabalevsky
Maia Ohlinger and Linda Ebersole

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT -Anthony Maniaci

SILENT MANNA QUOTES:

*In all the woods and forests,
God did not create a single leaf the same as any other...
People go against nature because they lack the courage to be different.
You're someone who's different,
but who wants to be the same as everyone else.
And that, in my view, is a serious illness.
~Paulo Coelho*

WELCOME

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We've come to worship God,

People: who loved us before we were yet born,

Leader: who knows us even better than we know ourselves,

People: whose presence never leaves us,

Leader: and whose love for us never ceases.

People: This is our God.

ALL: Let's worship together!

*OPENING HYMN: *God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale* -122 UMH
(Stanzas 1, 3 & 6)

*OPENING UNISON PRAYER

O God, we gather together in Your presence with expectation, hungry for an encounter with You, eager to hear Your Word. Open our eyes and ears to the presence of Your Holy Spirit. May the seeds of Your Word scattered among us this morning fall on fertile soil. May they take root in our hearts and lives, and produce an abundant harvest of good words and deeds. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ, our teacher and our Lord. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

~ PRAYERS & GIFTS ~

SPECIAL MUSIC: *A Gaelic Blessing* -John Leavitt
Deb Bierly, soloist

PRAYER HYMN: *Lord be Glorified* -2150 TFWS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
& THE LORD'S PRAYER (using "debts" and "debtors")

OFFERTORY INVITATION

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Offertory: *Passacaglia* -Handel
Maia Ohlinger and Abdiel Cruz

*The Doxology -95 UMH

*OFFERING DEDICATION

(Please be seated.)

HYMN OF PREPARATION: *Spirit Song* -347 UMH

SCRIPTURE: 1 Samuel 3:1-11 & Matthew 4:18-22 (NRSV)

MESSAGE: *The Person You Were Born to Be (One of a Kind)*

~SENDING FORTH~

*CLOSING HYMN: *Here I Am, Lord* -593 UMH

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: *Wake, Awake, for Night is Flying* -arr. Lynne Trapp



TODAY AT CALVARY

- **LARGE PRINT BULLETINS AND HYMNALS, AS WELL AS HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE.** Please feel free to request any of these items from an usher.
- **SAFE SANCTUARY:** Calvary UMC participates in a Safe Sanctuary environment to ensure a secure and nurturing place for all children and volunteers. Parents are asked to escort children/youth as they leave the sanctuary.
- **THE ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY** are sponsored by Randy & Deb Bierly in joyful celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary which is today!

- **THE 10:30AM NURSERY ATTENDANTS** are Jenn Weitzel & Stacey Shannon.

08 – Sue Bufe
 08 – Ava Clark
 09 – Jeremy Marks
 10 – Jamie Minick
 10 – Mark Fortunato
 11 – Jay Price



12 – Jayden Castetter
 12 – Roxie Bowers
 12 – Karl Bierly
 16 – Toni Calata
 18 – Kylie Brumbach

- **FINANCIAL UPDATE – Giving Through Week 25**

Current Year thru	07/01/2018	Last Year thru	06/25/2017
Received	\$155,450	Received	\$153,048
Annual Budget Need	\$340,929	Actual Given	\$349,213
%Rec'd to Date	45.6%	%Rec'd to Date	45.8%

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

- **TO SEND A CARD TO FRED FICHTHORN** (in lieu of visiting): Reading Health Rehabilitation Hospital, 2802 Paper Mill Rd., Wyomissing, PA 19610.
- **BE SURE TO READ THROUGH THE SUMMER BULLETINS TO CATCH ANY CHANGES TO CALVARY'S CALENDAR.** If you miss a Sunday, copies are available in the narthex & online at calvaryumcmohnton.org. Look for the homepage section entitled, "Newsletters and Bulletins". Additionally, hard copies of the Summer GOS are available in the table outside the church office in the Gathering Area.

Thank you to everyone for supporting us as we grieve the loss of our daughter, Jeanne. We are grateful for your prayers, visits, cards, notes, comforting words, and contributions to Calvary's memorial fund. We also appreciate the friendship, prayers, and care for her that you have given during her good times and her difficult times. May memories of Jeanne bring comfort to you as they do to us.

~Carol and Jim Adams

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

TODAY	9:00AM	Traditional Worship
	9:00AM	Adult Christian Ed./Prayer Room
	10:30AM	Praise & Worship
	10:30AM	Children, Youth & Adult CE
MON 07/09	7:00PM	Church Council
TUES 07/10	5:40PM	Golfing @ Hawk Valley
WEDS 07/11	8:00AM	Prayer Group
THURS 07/12	9:30AM	Adult Bible Study/Chapel Library

SUPPORT THE MIFFLIN COMMUNITY FOOD MINISTRY by SHOPPING at the GROCERY OUTLET!



FOOD DRIVE

Give \$5, Get \$5*

Visit groceryoutlet.com/donate or donate food or cash in-store.

Donate \$5 or more and receive a coupon for \$5 off a future purchase of \$25 or more. Limit one coupon per donation. Restrictions vary by store. See store or groceryoutlet.com/donate for restrictions.

All of July
Fight hunger in our community.
All donations stay local.

Our friends at **SHILLINGTON GROCERY OUTLET, 3 Parkside Ave, Shillington (next to K-Mart)** have partnered with the Mifflin Community Food Ministry and Mary's Shelter to support their missions. All monies collected in July will be split between these two local organizations!

If you donate \$5 throughout the month of July at the Shillington Grocery Outlet, get a \$5 coupon toward groceries the next time you stop in!

PRAYER LIST

(Revised 7/6/2018)

SHIRLEY AYRTON
THOMAS BAKER
FRAN BIDDISH
RUTH BURKHART
TREVOR COMEAU
MICHELLE DANIELS
SEAN DIBIASI
SAM DOCK JR.
GLENNA ENSINGER
FRED FICHTHORN
NANCY FICHTHORN
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MARY FREY
HENRY FUNK
WHITNEY GEHMAN
REV GLENN
ANITA GRAY
VERNON GRIFFIN
FAM. OF TIM HARVEY
JAMES HEBRANK

DON & GLADYS HERBST
BRIAN HIBSHMAN
FAM. OF JOHN HIGGINS,
SR.
JESSE HOMAN
NIKKI HUNSBERGER
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CHRIS NIELSEN
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KATIE ROCHE
NEIL RUSH
JASON STALNECKER
GRANDMOM STARHAWK
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DALE TABOLSKI
BETTIE TRUPE
SUSAN WAHL
AMIE WANNER
LAURA WEISSER
MAUREEN WELSH
BOB WERNER
PHYLLIS WINTZ
VINCENT ZAMPELLI

First Week

Leonard Mott – Good friend of the Hibshman's who is now under hospice care
Wanda Steffey – Wearing a "boot" while fracture is healing

Second Week

Kurt Clemmens – Jeff Fichthorn's father-in-law; waiting for major intestinal surgery
Fred Fichthorn – Continuing to experience add'l post-surgical issues/discomfort; no visitors, but cards appreciated
Fam. of Tim Harvey – Husband of Marie; lost his battle with brain cancer on June 23rd; the service is private
Fam. of John Higgins, Sr. – Lost his battle with cancer
Jing Maniaci – Home from Dupont and ambulating, as able; outpatient PT will be scheduled in a couple weeks
Mary Morton – Wife of Bruce; possible breast cancer
Safety & Freedom from violence in our schools
Robin Sommers – Fell at an event and broke her ankle; home recuperating
Rako Zech – Friend of Mark Wagner; recent cancer surgery went well and the cancer has not metastasized, but follow-up treatment needed

JULY

Mifflin Food Ministry List

- ❖ Peanut Butter
- ❖ 100% Fruit Juice
 - ❖ Cereal
- ❖ Canned Fruit
- ❖ Spaghetti Noodles

SCHOOL SUPPLIES: 3" binders, colored pencils, markers, highlighters, glue sticks, pencils & erasers, spiral notebooks and book bags

Volunteers are also needed for the distribution Saturdays--third Saturday of the month, 8:45 to 11AM. Last month, we had few volunteers--both adults and youth. Our clients leave with a box, plus 2 or 3 bags of food which makes it necessary to have help in carrying to their cars. This of course requires at least one other person and often two extra people who are able to go up the steps from the basement and walk to the car. Many clients are senior citizens who cannot help to carry a heavy load and some of our volunteers cannot do this either. Last month clients had to wait till volunteers became available.

Please consider volunteering your time on a Saturday that fits your schedule and if you can't come for the full time, the busiest is between 9 and 10. If you have any questions or can volunteer, please see Angie Juckem. Thank you

Angie Juckem
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Monetary donations ~ Please make your check payable to *Mifflin Community Food Ministry*

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The Congregation, the arms & legs of the Risen Christ