

WARREN FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

October 10, 2021

PRELUDE
(8:00 am)

“Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”
“Word of God, Across the Ages”

Arr. C. Berry
Arr. M Hayes

ORGAN PRELUDE

“The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

Arr. Beck

PIANO PRELUDE

“Ode to Joy”

Ludwig Beethoven

ORGAN PRELUDE

“Blessed Assurance”

Arr. Beck

(10:00 am)

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

***HYMN No. 101**

“From All That Dwell Below the Skies”

Duke Street

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has set this day before us.

People: A day set apart, a day of rest and praise.

Leader: God has set our lives before us,

People: A span of years in which we love, and learn and serve.

Leader: God has set God’s seal upon our hearts

People: So that we might live fully in love. Let us Worship God!

ANTHEM

“Come to Jesus”

Arr. Mark Hayes

(10:00 am only)

A MOMENT WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Rachel Beach

***PSALTER**

Psalm 36

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***GLORIA PATRIA No. 71**

(Psalter and Gloria—8:00 am Only)

SERVANT LEADERS RECOGNITION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

We pledge ourselves to pray for you and for the educational ministry of this Congregation.

We pledge ourselves to enable, encourage, and love you in this ministry.

We pledge ourselves to be learners with you, diligently studying with you the scriptures and traditions of the faith.

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

THE LORD'S PRAYER (using sins)

*Our Father; who art in heaven Hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth,
as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power; and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

ANTHEM

“Jesus Calms the Storm”

Arr. Joe Milton

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(10:00 am only)

*Doxology No. 95

*Offertory Prayer

SCRIPTURE

“Amos 5:6-7”

MESSAGE

“Seeking Life”

Rev. Dr. Mark E. Hecht

*HYMN No. 730

“O Day of God, Draw Nigh”

Jerusalem

BENEDICTION

BEARING OF THE LIGHT

(10:00 am only)

POSTLUDE

“I’ll Fly Away”

Arr. M. Hayes

(8:00 am)

POSTLUDE

“An Exultant Alleluia”

Lani Smith

(10:00 am)

*** Indicates Please Stand if Able**

MUSIC - The pianist and carillon ringer today is Leyton Salvatore. The first anthem is shared by our Chancel Choir, and the second anthem is by our boys choir.

LITURGIST today is Heidi Ketzko.

ACOLYTES today are Hailey Cabisca and Peyton Cabisca.

USHERS today are Team 5, Erik Fincher — Captain.

ALTAR FLOWERS today are in loving memory of John W. Bimber and Eugene O'Neill, given by Kathy and John A. Bimber and Victor, Courtney, Ava and Veronica Pierce.

PEDESTAL FLOWERS today are in memory of Deceased Members, given by the Allen Class.

PRAYER CONCERNS can be found in our weekly email Newsletter.

Offering plates **WILL NOT** be passed during worship but instead will be available at the door.

HARBOR OF HOPE ~ Harbor of Hope is a simple, straightforward study intentionally acquiring its topics based upon the spiritual guiding principles of the well-known 12-step addiction recovery program, designating two weeks of study for each step. The group meets at The Crossings, 350 Pennsylvania Ave. W., Thursdays, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. We will provide the Harbor of Hope workbook and a Life Recovery Bible to participants at no cost.

UNSHOCKABLE LOVE ~ How Jesus changes the world through imperfect people By John Burke. (**NO CLASS TONIGHT**) This class is offered at two different times ~ Same class ~ Two different options to attend! Sunday Evenings 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM and Wednesday Mornings 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM. A sign-up sheet is on the Bulletin Board at the First United Methodist Church across from the office. You can also call 814-723-4930 to sign up.

THE POST QUARANTINE CHURCH ~ Six Urgent Challenges and Opportunities By Thom S. Rainer. This class is offered at two different times ~ Same class ~ Two different options to attend! Sunday Mornings 11:15 PM – 12:00 PM, and Thursday Mornings 10:00 AM – 11:00 PM. A sign-up sheet is on the Bulletin Board at the First United Methodist Church across from the office. You can also call 814-723-4930 to sign up.

DIVORCE CARE ~ Seminar /support group meets Thursdays, weekly from 6:00 PM–8:00 PM in the Covert Room. For more information or any questions concerning this program, feel free to contact Heidi Ketzko through the church office at 814-723-4930. Information is also available at www.divorcecare.org.

IN NEED ~ “The clothing closet at WAEC needs boys’ pants—jeans, athletic, or slacks—in sizes 10, 12, 14, and 16. If you have access to any gently used items, please leave them in the container labeled school in the Covert room. Thank you for your help.”

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY ~ Prayer Shawls are creations of shawls or lap blankets, by means of knitting, crocheting, sewing, weaving, and so on, to be given to people in need or at special times of celebration. For more information, contact Coralee Wenzel at 814-723-3667, email, sticksnpins@verizon.net, or Maryann Long at 724-366-8034, email mjlong@atlanticbb.net. Please be in prayer for this ministry as it gets started.

CREATIVITY ~ Creativity will meet in the creativity room on October 12th at 9:30 AM.

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF
October 10, 2021 – October 16, 2021**

SUNDAY

**8:00 AM Service of Word and Sacrament; Chapel
8:45 AM - 9:45 AM Fellowship; Covert Room
10:00 AM Worship Service; Sanctuary
11:15 AM Adult Sunday School; Parlor A
3:00 PM Lay Servant Ministry; Covert Room
6:00 PM Combined UMYF; Youth Room**

MONDAY

**8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
6:30 PM Silver Winds Flute Choir; Music Room**

TUESDAY

**8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Hours
8:20 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
9:30 AM Creativity; Creativity Room
1:00 PM Blue Stocking Group; Covert Room
1:00 PM NO Staff Meeting; Parlor B
1:45 PM Peals of Praise Handbells; Sanctuary
3:30 PM Children & Youth Music Program; Choir Room
6:00 PM Girl Scout Leader's meeting; Founder's Hall
6:30 PM Epworth Handbells; Sanctuary**

WEDNESDAY

**8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Hours
8:20 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
8:45 AM Covenant Disciple Group
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Unshockable Love Study; Covert Rm
3:30 PM LOGOS; Pastor Appreciation
5:00 PM Girl Scouts of Western PA Sign Ups; Parlor A
7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room**

THURSDAY

**8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
8:20 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM The Post Quarantine Church Study; CR
1:00 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room
5:30 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room
6:00 PM Divorce Care Meeting; Founder's Hall
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Warren Philharmonic Rehearsal; FH**

FRIDAY

**8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
12:00 PM Senior Lunch; Founder's Hall**

SATURDAY

6:00 PM—8:00 PM Faith on Foot; The Hub

**2021-2022 SERVANT LEADER RECOGNITION
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Sunday Morning Study Opportunities

Adult Book Study: Mark Hecht

Young Adult Bible Study: Jason Wood

Day/Evening Studies: Mark Hecht

New Members/Confirmation: Tawni Betts

Faith On Foot: Jason Wood, Kelly/Scott Newton
Pastor Kyle Pollen, Jessica Long
Rich Schall, Cheri Kellogg
Ron Casteel, Elsie Giegerich
Rev. C. D. Moore, Melissa Stanton

Harbor of Hope: Melissa Carr, Michael Rutenber
Mary Schall

UMYF Leaders: Cheri Kellogg
Patty California
Brad/Anna Bielawski

Nurture Committee Chair: Lyn McDaniel

Director of Christian Education & Nurture: Heidi Ketzko

Director of Student Ministries: Jason Wood

LOGOS/Young Disciples Club

Kindergarten: Cindy Blodgett

Grades 1 & 2 Libby Yaegle

Grades 3-5: Patty California

Patty Hannold

Hope Punsky

Grades 6-12 Jason Wood

Cheri Kellogg

Pastor Jeff Ewing

Faith Building: Karen Hecht

Libby Yaegle

Creative Preschool

Lindsey Mealy, Director

Cynthia Klenowski

Brenda Bertch

Amanda Wellner

Children/Youth Music Program

Ruth Nelson

Michele Sandberg



**Come Trick-or-Treat at the First United Methodist Church
on Saturday, October 30th from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
for some goodies and fun!**

If you would like to come be a part of this event, helping with the fun activities, or grilling or serving hot dogs, please sign up on the bulletin board across from the church office.

**We especially would like our youth
to be a part of this event.**

You will need to be out front of our church before 5:30
to get ready for the event.

**We also will need donations of bags of candy
to hand out.**

For more information, please contact
Heidi Ketzko through the church office (814-723-4930).

**Let's make this a fun night for the children & youth of our
church and community!!**