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May 31, 2015

Trinity Sunday

Youth Sunday/Graduation Sunday

WELCOME

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

L: The Peace of Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Please pass the Peace of Christ to your neighbor.

MOMENTS OF INFORMALITY

The mission and ministry of the church

The work of the church

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Here we are Lord, Your creation standing before You.

P: Gathered together to praise You and worship You.

L: This is Your day Father and we thank you for giving this day to all of us.

P: Help us to always remember that each day is a blessing and a gift from You.

L: Make your presence known to us Lord.

P: And hold us close to You each day of our Lives. Amen.

***OPENING PRAYER**

Creator and Ruler of the Earth, we lift up our voices, our eyes, our hearts and our lives to You in praise. Make us Your people. Uphold the weary, for whom praise may be very difficult. Humble the strong, whom may take for granted your abundant blessings. Creator and Ruler of the Earth, continue to form us into Your new creation, that we might welcome You to more fully become the ruler of our hearts and minds. Through Him who came as a servant and now reigns over all creation, Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

***“HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD”**

by Christ Tomlin, ©2004 sixsteps Music, CCLI #4348399

***“MY LIGHTHOUSE”**

by Rend Collective, © 2013 Thankyou Music, CCLI #7002032

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

***“BLESSED BE YOUR NAME”**

by Beth and Matt Redman, © 2002 Thankyou Music, CCLI #3798438

PRESENTATION OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: YOUR GRACE IS ENOUGH

by Matt Maher, © 2003 Thankyou Music, CCLI #4477026

***“HOW HE LOVES”**



CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

DANCE MINISTRY

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SERMON SCRIPTURE: Numbers 22:21-39

SERMON

***"AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)"**

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BENEDICTION

***Those who are able, please stand.**



Rather than putting the green plastic vase that holds your flowers in the trash, why not recycle it? Just return it to the church office when you are finished with it and we will see that the florist gets it back.

THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

Today, Sunday, May 31

Trinity Sunday/Youth Sunday/Graduation Sunday

There will be a reception after each service in honor of the graduates.

- 8:00 Prayer Time
- 8:15 Worship
- 10:45 Worship
- 2:00 FISH & CHIPS

Monday, June 1

6:00 CSA

Tuesday, June 2

6:15 TOPS
7:30 NA

Wednesday, June 3

7:00 College Age Bible Study
7:00 Yoga

Saturday, June 6

6:00 Alternative Worship

Next Sunday, June 7

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Communion

8:00 Prayer Time
8:15 Worship
10:45 Worship
2:00 FISH & CHIPS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN’S COLLECTIONS: The Children’s Collections this week will be sent to the Conference for the “Peace with Justice” offering. This in one of the special offerings established by the General Church to be celebrated yearly in local churches. The “Peace with Justice” offering helps to empower those who spread the gospel of peace and encourage those who courageously stand for justice.

UMCOR: 5/17 – \$190.00 5/24 - \$233.00

PRAYER LISTS: We will be updating the prayer lists in June. All names will be removed from the existing prayer lists. If you have placed someone on either the Continuous Prayer List or the Monthly Prayer List and wish them to remain on, please write their name on a prayer request card in the pew pad folder and place it in the offering plate.

Camp News... Elementary Games - July 19-24 - Ages 9-12 at Jumonville! Do you like sports? Do you like



UNUSUAL sports? Have you heard of disc golf, but want to learn how to play? Do you already know how to play table tennis, but want a chance to hone your skills? Are you already addicted to Ultimate Frisbee? Do you like surprises? Most importantly, do you want to grow in Christian faith or learn about God? Then Ultimate Games is the camp for you! Join us for the most fun week of the year!

This is a 5 day event.

BIBLE STUDY FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS! On Wednesday nights from 7-9pm, starting June 3rd, there will be a Bible study of the book of Romans. Everyone who is a college student/grad or a student/young working adult is invited and would be greatly welcomed. The study is discussion based, and the goal is to create a community of people of this age group with God at the center. It is led by college students, flexible to the wants and needs of individuals, and great for everyone in all stages of the walk with God.

RICHARD SIMMS MEMORIAL WORK TRIP 2015: This year's project will help the Lance family, Kathryn and David and their 14 year old son James. Estimate for the project material is around \$4500.00. Order forms are available on the table in the Narthex in which you can designate your donations (lumber, roofing, drywall, windows, doors) to be in memory of, in honor of, or to the glory of God. Work trip envelopes are located in the pews.



WORK TRIP 2015 NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS- June 7th: To help defray some of the cost for food on the work trip- donations of non-perishable food items will be collected. Food bags are on a table in the narthex- an item of food is written on the bag- take one bag or as many bags as you wish to donate- purchase the item(s)- return the food in the bag next Sunday- June 14th. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

2015 WORK TEAM MEMBERS MEETING: There will be a meeting on Sunday, June 7th. Members and parents of the teens going on the trip are encouraged to attend. It will be at 9:30 in the Kiwanis room downstairs. Information packets/ permission slips will be handed out at this time. An email will be sent prior to the meeting about what will be discussed.

CLEARANCE FORMS: Many people who applied for the State Police criminal background check (Act 34) and the Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance (Childline, Act 33) are receiving them in the mail. Please remember that when you receive your clearances **the office staff needs to see the original and make a copy.**

YOGA: 7pm, First United Methodist Church of Irwin. 6 week series of Christian Style Yoga, \$45 or \$8 per class, Level 1-2 yoga with Scripture, Music and Meditation.
