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Brenda Michel
Lennie Miller
Pat Sloan
June Statler
Drew Vinisky



————— **May 3, 2020** —————

10:00am Online Worship Service

Call to Worship: Joshua 1:6-9

Prayer of Invocation

Praise Through Song

Special Music: The Smeltzes - *"Alive"*

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Apostles' Creed #627

Message for the children: Rick Pierce

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn # 315 *"The Solid Rock"*

Scripture: Acts 4:23-37

Sermon *"Bold Move"*
Pastor Rich Herbster

Hymn #511 *"Victory in Jesus"*

Benediction

Announcements

MINISTRIES AND ACTIVITIES: All ministry activities at the church have been suspended indefinitely. Including , but not limited to: Youth Groups, Bible Study Groups, Men's Fellowship, Sunday School, Kids' Club, Kids' Choir, Good News Club, the Childcare Ministry, etc.

PRAYER REQUESTS: If you have a request for prayer or would like to update someone's status that is already on the prayer list, please send an email to: info@mpchurchpa.org or call Luann Frasier (724-601-1041).

LIGONIER CONNECT ONLINE BIBLE STUDY: Mt. Pleasant is offering an online bible study course entitled **"Foundations of Grace: New Testament"** through Ligonier Connect. Email invitations were sent out this week. The email invitation contains a link to the Ligonier Connect self-registration page. Once you register, you will be all set to start the online course. Any questions can be directed to the church office email at info@mpchurchpa.org.

COMMUNION: Session has determined that communion will be suspended until we can worship together corporately again in the coming weeks.

MT. PLEASANT UPDATES: Please follow us on Facebook (Mt. Pleasant Church @mpchurchpa) and check the church website for the most recent updates regarding Mt. Pleasant. (<https://www.mpchurchpa.org/>)

ONLINE SERVICES: Watch the Sunday Service on [YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com). Search for "Mt. Pleasant Church PA" to find our channel and the latest Sunday services. Please subscribe to our YouTube channel, like it and leave us a comment!

*Prayer List

Jim Adams	Tim Hare	Silverman Family
Amy Baker	Dorothy Homenick	Mike Silverman
Charlotte Rose	Helen Hotchkiss	Pat Sloan
Lily Dalton	Dolly Hovan	Betty & James Smith
Vicki Dalton	Jesse (nurse)	Carol Thomas
Tracey DeBacco	Carol Kowalowski	Matt Vular
Carol Fuss	Ron & Evelyn Lyle	Carter Dalton Wagaman
Ginger Goebbel	Bill Melvin	Tom Whiteman
Rodney Haymond	Marietta Schriener	Vivian Whiteman

Bereavement: Thomas Mann Family, Gene Frasier Family, Ed Palmer Family, Kathleen Mihalow and Family, Ralph Heinlein Family

Praise: Online Worship Services

God's Care and Guidance: Brandon Mihalik & Family

Weekly Mission Focus: Ethnos 360 (Bill & Debby Bosley)

Special Prayer Focus: Corona Virus, Government & Leaders

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Let us pray...

Almighty God, in Jesus Christ you taught us to pray
and to offer our petitions to you in his name.
Guide us by your Holy Spirit, that our prayers for others
may serve your will and show your steadfast love,
through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen

Catechism Corner

WSC Q. 84. What doth every sin deserve?

A. Every sin deserveth God's wrath and curse, both in this life, and that which is to come.

Keep them in your thoughts by sending a card...



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TITHING REPORT	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$7,831	\$7,640	\$191
YTD	\$124,791	\$129,880	-\$5,089
BUILDING FUND	GIVING	TOTAL	3-YEAR PLEDGE
LAST WEEK	\$555	\$693,551	\$712,859



We're All in This Together!

Did you know that there are lots of resources in Beaver County to help you during these difficult and trying times? If you need help with food, Mt. Pleasant has a "Little Needs Food Pantry" that has recently become a "Big Needs Food Pantry." It is open 24/7 and is located at the top of our driveway at 846 State Route 18 in Raccoon Twp. Because of the pandemic and the need for social distancing, we are now filling our outside food pantry with donated food from our inside food pantry with help from generous members of our congregation, along with recent deliveries from City Mission in Washington County and Faith Restoration in Center Township. We thank all those who are helping us meet this growing need. Special thanks to all of our Deacons who are helping coordinate this effort by keeping the pantry well stocked. We're all in this together and we are here to help you!

Below are phone numbers of other helpful resources in Beaver County that you or someone you know may need. And, if you would like to help us keep our food pantry stocked, we thank you in advance. Checks can be made out to "Mt. Pleasant Church," with "Deacon Fund-Food Pantry" written in the memo of your check.

House of Prayer Lutheran Church in Aliquippa is also distributing take-out meals curbside every Tuesday from 5:30-6:30 pm. They are located at 2100 Irwin St., Aliquippa. No reservation is necessary.

Food Banks in Beaver County

- Faith Restorations, Inc., 186 Wagner Road, Monaca, PA 15061, 724-709-8666, Open to Everyone Distribution Hrs.: Monday for Veterans only, 11:00 am-1:00 pm - All others, Tuesday, 6:00-8:00 pm, Thursday, 11:00 am-1:00 pm. (This is a very large distribution facility located on the road behind Eat'N Park, Center Twp., off Brodhead Road, down from the Beaver Valley Mall. You won't be able to see this building until you go to the end of Wagner Road. You will pass the Fire Hall and go to a dead end. It is located at the end of the Sylvan Crest residential area.
- **Please Note: You need to show a photo I.D., but due to the increased numbers of people utilizing these food banks, this seems to be waived in order to save time and allow all those who need food to be serviced quickly. It does not appear that anyone is turned away during these hard times of the pandemic.**
- Christian House Baptist Chapel, 814 Rte. 18, Raccoon Twp., 9:00-11:00 am, 1st Saturday of month. Serves zip codes 15043, 15050, & 15077, plus Greene, Hanover, Independence, Potter, & Raccoon Twp., Phone #: 724-495-3330.
- Hanover Presbyterian Church, 2462 Rte. 18, Hanover Twp., 3rd Monday, 12:00 noon-1:00 pm. Serves South Side Area School District. Phone #: 724-899-2911.
- Aliquippa Salvation Army, 514 Franklin Avenue, Aliquippa, PA 15001, Tuesday, 11:00 am-1:00 pm. Tuesday. Free bread on Tuesday and/or 1 box of food from pantry once per month at the Salvation Army. Phone #: 724-378-0875.
- Baden United Methodist Church/We Care Food Pantry, 420 Dippold Ave., 5:30-8:00 pm, 3rd Monday & 3rd Tuesday. Serves zip codes 15005 & 15027. Phone #: 724-869-2720
- Salvation Army - Rochester, 378 Jefferson St., 9:00 am-noon, Tuesday & Thursday. Serves zip codes 15009, 15027, 15042, & 15074. Breadline 11:00 am-noon every Friday. No need to register in advance for breadline. Phone #: 724-774-8335.
- Beaver Falls Salvation Army, Mon-Thurs. Fri., 9:00 am-2:30 pm, Wed., 10:00 am-4:00. *Must live in zip codes Beaver Falls zip codes 15010, 15066, and Ellwood City & Wampum zip code area 16115, 16117, 16120, 16136, 16141, 16157. Phone #: 724-891-3605
- Center for Hope, 740 Park Road, Ambridge 15003, 3rd Wednesday (10 am-12 pm) & 3rd Thursday, 1-3 pm. Phone #: 724-251-4899 (serves zip code 15003)
- Midland Salvation Army, Reagan Hall, St. Blaise Catholic Parish, 772 Ohio Ave., 12:00 noon-2:00 pm, 3rd Thursday. Serves zip codes 15052
- Lillyville Church of God, 408 Hickernell Rd., Franklin Twp., 10:00 am-1:00 pm Thursday. Phone #: 724-758-8250.
- Marion Twp. Municipal Building, 485 Hartzell School Rd., 10:00 am-noon, 4th Thursday. Serves zip code 16123 (Marion Twp.). Phone #: 724-452-1986.
- St. Frances Cabrini Catholic Church, 115 Trinity Drive, Center Twp., 6:00-7:00 pm, 3rd Thursday. Serves Center Twp. Phone #: 724-775-6363.
- Church in the Round, Plan 11, Aliquippa, PA 15001, 10:00-11:30 am, 3rd Friday of the month, Bring your own crates.
- Darlington Food Pantry, 1st United Presbyterian Church of Darlington, & 15059. 724-643-2690, 3385 Old Darlington Rd., 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, 3rd Friday & Saturday of month. Serves zip codes 16115, Enon Valley, New Galilee, plus Chippewa & South Beaver Twp. Phone #: 724-630-8206.
- Zelienople Church of the Nazarene, 215 Nazarene Court, Franklin Twp., 10:00 am-noon, 2nd Saturday. Phone #: 724-452-9190

***Please keep in mind that Beaver County has a computerized database online that normally only allows recipients to access only 1 food bank in their designated zip code areas. * (It is best to call ahead to see if proof of income documents may be needed and if income guidelines must be met.)**



Social Services

United Way has started a COVID-19 Community Economic Relief Fund. They will help with bills, rent, and food. Anyone can call 1-866-211-9966 and provide a zip code and will be given a list of local agencies to provide direct assistance.

Contact Beaver Valley Crisis Hotline: 724-728-3650 or 724-375-7693 (Ambridge callers)

Food Stamps/SNAP: 724-773-7300 or 800-343-3135

WIC (Women, Infants, & Children Supplemental Nutrition Program): 1-866-942-2778 / Satellite sites in Ambridge, Freedom, Midland, & Pleasantview Homes.

Dept. of Public Welfare: 171 Virginia Avenue, Rochester, PA 15074 – Phone #:724-773-7300

Women's Center: Rochester: 724-775-0131 (temporary housing for abused women & children)

Domestic Violence Emergency: 724-775-0131

Crossroads Severe Weather Shelter: 724-601-6907 / **Warm Line:** 6-9pm nightly: 724-775-9507

Housing Authority of Beaver County: 724-775-1220

American Red Cross: 724-724-775-9700

Catholic Charities: 724-775-0758

Neighborhood Legal Aid: 724-378-0595, (legal aid)

Veteran's Services: 724-770-4450

Mental Health: Staunton Clinic/Outpatient Services: 724-770-8222; **Emergency:** 724-775-5208

Addiction Recovery: Gateway Rehabilitation Center: 1-800-472-1177

HIV/AIDS – SWPAPC: 877-732-0401

Franklin Center: 724-728-6000

Salvation Army: 724-846-2330

Boy Scouts Contact: Charissa Schwartz - Raccoon Pack 437 - Phone # 724-462-0290