

## Go Out as God's People in the World

\*Closing Hymn HB #15: "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

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Childcare offered 9:30 – Noon in the Lower Level Nursery.  
(There are no peanut products in the nursery.)

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Junior Church thru 5<sup>th</sup> Gr., following the children's message – Lower Level,  
except for when there is communion.  
Rob Rawls leads during the month of July!

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PLEASE NOTE: Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary  
during Worship. If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

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If you are visiting today, we thank you for coming and hope you enjoy the  
"Welcome Packet" provided by our Church Greeter.  
Please indicate your mailing address and phone number in the friendship pad,  
so that we can send you a note and call about a potential visit with our new  
pastor, who is visiting everyone in the congregation she can!  
Be sure to also let us know if you have any prayer needs!

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After Worship, please join us in Fellowship Hall for  
coffee, light refreshments, and friendly conversation!

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**July 14, 2019**

FOR PASTORAL CARE, PLEASE CALL:  
The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford at 412-877-9310



### CHURCH STAFF:

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

Elder Assisting: Tom Johnston

Special Reader: Kirk Orr

Today's Musician: Laura Keesor

Nursery Attendant: Linda Flowers

Junior Church Leader: Rob Rawls

# The Lord's Day Worship

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. July 14, 2019 Worship, 10:45 a.m.

## Gathering of God's People

### RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME: *Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ,  
that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you,  
our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.*

### GREETING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*As God has greeted us with his peace,  
so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Also See Old First News Bulletin Insert)

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP (Please sign & pass the black pew pads)

### PRELUDE

*\*Please Stand if Able.*

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalm 102:15-16, 25-27*

The nations will fear the name of the LORD, all the kings of the earth  
will revere your glory.

For the LORD will rebuild Zion and appear in his glory.

In the beginning you laid the foundations of the earth, and the heavens are the  
work of your hands.

They will perish, but you remain; they will all wear out like a  
garment.

Like clothing you will change them and they will be discarded.

But you remain the same, and your years will never end.

\*Hymn of Praise HB #244: "Come, Thou Almighty King"

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

*Unison*

*Psalm 102:1-2*

Creator God, you have made us to glorify you, yet in our sin we turn  
against you. Generous God, you have made us to enjoy you, yet our  
worrying keeps us awake at night. "Hear my prayer, LORD; let my cry for  
help come to you. Do not hide your face from me when I am in distress.  
Turn your ear to me; when I call, answer me quickly." We ask for  
forgiveness of our sin. Amen. (*Pause for silent confession.*)

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Psalm 102:19-20, 13*

"The LORD looked down from his sanctuary on high, from heaven he  
viewed the earth, to hear the groans of the prisoners and release those  
condemned to death." Through Christ, the Son of the Living God, the  
appointed time has come for compassion and favor. Friends, believe the  
good news of the gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

### \*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE NO. 546:

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the  
beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.*

## Proclamation of God's Word

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:

*By Chuck Long*

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

### SCRIPTURE:

John 17:1-5 and more

*see insert*

### SERMON:

"Glory Before the World Began"

*By The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford*

## Response to God's Word

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

*see back of insert*

\*Hymn of Response H.B. #85: "Immortal, Invisible"

### CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

### OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY: Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly  
host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR OFFERING *Psalm 102:17-18, 21-23*

LORD, you respond to the prayer of the destitute and hear their plea.  
Expand our hearts with your compassion that we might do the same.  
May these offerings bring praises through all generations. May your  
name be declared as we assemble in worship and in the course of our  
lives. Amen.

Sharing of JOY and CONCERNS of the CONGREGATION

### THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

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 debts, as we  
forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us  
from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory,  
forever. Amen.

## PRAYER LIST:

Please call the Pastor, Office, or an Elder for any prayer needs and emergencies. Call the office at 740-927-4796 and leave a message for changes in the weekly prayer list, updates or announcements.

- **Linda Goldstein**, heart valve issues will be treated by medication and monitoring;
- **Richard Lord**, safely home after stent procedure completed on 6/10;
- **Jerika Ransomer** (Hungerford's granddaughter) in the military / 5 months pregnant / earthquakes in S. California causing hospitals issues;
- **Elizabeth Rugh**, (*Edith Smith's relative*) pregnancy complications developed while she was in FL / can't come home until baby is born;
- **CPO John Vincent & All Military** – Keep them safe!

### Church Family & Friends with Cancer:

Rich Arasmith, Doug Crawford (Fred G's stepfather), Jane Crawford (Don's sister), Dale Fry, Darrell Glenn (Marshall's brother), Paula Hawley, Jim Hess, Laura L., Bobby Lutz (Karen J's brother), Micki Mason, Carol P., Ann Parkinson (Pam's sister), Kristi Rudolph, Brenda S., Bill Swift, Jon Thom

Church & Family Members at Home/Care Centers: Joan Mauger, Connie & Victor DeRose, Faye Hammond, Claudia Johnston, Anne Nixon

## JULY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 Sara Lee Etter
- 3 Ken & Joyce Mathews
- 12 Marjorie Rensch
- 13 Susan Baird-Rawls,  
Sandra Baird-Gundler
- 17 Nancy Lord, Tom & Claudia Johnston
- 22 Elise Conrad
- 25 Shirley Beckner
- 27 Frank Gieseck, Jr.,
- 31 Richard & Sue Gualtieri



# Olde First News – July 14, 2019

## WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

- SUNDAY:** Sunday School 9:30 a.m. / Worship at 10:45 a.m.  
**MONDAY:** Clogging, 7:30-8:30 p.m.; Scouts Pack #4021, 6-8 p.m.  
**WEDS:** Karate Class, 6:30 to 8 p.m. – Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m.  
**THURSDAY:** Session Meetings, 7p.m. – normally 2<sup>nd</sup> Th Each Month  
**FRIDAY:** Daisy Troop, 6:30–8:30 p.m. (Every other Week)

**Next Berean Meeting: Thursday, July 25 at Noon**

**Next Lord's Day Communion: Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:45 a.m.**

**Next Session Meeting: Thursday, August 8<sup>st</sup> at 7 p.m.**

## UPCOMING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION!

Please bring in empty standard size shoeboxes, cylinder shaped empty pill containers, and old magazines from which pictures can be cut. These are needed for children's education below.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 9:30AM IN THE SANCTUARY ON THE SACRAMENTS FOR FAMILIES OF CHILDREN & YOUTH** (and all who are interested) on the Sacraments in the sanctuary. Those youth who want to take communion with Pastor Janet to members who are homebound, please plan to attend especially **August 4<sup>th</sup>** to learn about communion. **And on the 11<sup>th</sup>**, if able, please bring baptismal dates of all family members and photos to share.

**Kick-off Sunday for the new program year is at 9:30 am in the sanctuary on September 8<sup>th</sup>**, when families receive detailed information about plans for children's spiritual nurture in the nursery and at junior church and for youth in 6<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grades at 6:30p.m. on Wednesday evenings. Look for an email and letter with more information soon!

**Giving Totals for Sunday – July 7:** Deacons \$15 Plate \$3,943  
Memorial \$130 Phortia Stevens Estate \$1,511.21 Rental Proceeds \$1,030  
*Past Attendance & PLATE Offering - Budget needs \$3,700 plate offering weekly*  
June 23: 44/\$2,130 June 30: 55/\$3,370 July 7: 42 / \$3,943

## STREET FAIR is AUGUST 14 - 17 AND WE NEED YOUR HELP!



Here is a list of items we need for Street Fair 2019

### Please donate your time!

SIGN-UP SHEETS will be in fellowship hall after church starting next Sunday, and / or you can donate any of the items listed below:

- CASH: Make checks payable to the church with Street Fair donation listed on the notation line.
- DRINKS: Water, Pepsi/Diet, Coke/Diet, Mt. Dew, Dr. Pepper/Diet, Sprite, 7-UP, A&W Root Beer/Diet  
**PLEASE NO OTHER KINDS OF POP!**
- PIES: Apple, Apple Crumb, Cherry, Blueberry, Peach, or any other type of fruit, Rhubarb, and Pecan.  
Please NO CUSTARD TYPE PIES, Like Pumpkin / No Strawberry
- BROWNIES: With or without nuts / No icing, please!
- Volunteers: Street Fair Booth, KITCHEN HELP, Set-up, Clean-Up

### CHICKEN BROTH

College Inn and Swanson have the best flavor for our purposes, but other brands will help. But please buy the large size cans.

**All donations may be left in the kitchen, but please attach a note to hold for street fair.**

If you have any questions please contact  
Leslie Crawford or Betty Gieseck



## Local Mission News!

The Pataskala United Methodist Church is again feeding children in need this summer.

The lunch program kicks off this year on June 3 and runs through Aug. 10, Monday through Friday, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For many children whose families face financial challenges, daily school meals are literally a lifesaver.

Just because the school year ends, that need continues, a gap the “Kids Eat Free” summer lunch program” at the Pataskala United Methodist Church tries to help fill. Our church has supported this yearly Mission in our community every year since it started in 2012.

New Pataskala United Methodist Church pastor, Nikki Baker, told the local Chamber of Commerce members that the program was started by a church secretary. On average, about 50 meals (a serving) per day are provided. In the most recent service year, 789 volunteer hours were recorded, and 2,111 total meals served.

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A big THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who helped make our church grounds beautiful! Over 90 bags of mulch were put down! It looks great! Thanks again for caring for our lovely church.

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Did you notice the chairs in Fellowship Hall have been cleaned? They look amazing! Thank you to the Berean Class of Ladies for paying for the service to be done!

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## It's official, Pastor Janet is now installed!!!

Thank you to everyone who came to the Installation Service yesterday, July 13<sup>th</sup>! It was a blessed day! Thanks also to those who helped in serving the meal that followed!

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