Sunday, September 14, 2025

9:00 a.m.

FIRST SCRIPTURE

Patty Reinarts

Romans 1:1-7

(Pew Bible, New Testament, page #152)

As you feel called, offering plates can be found at the back of the sanctuary.

*Please rise in body or spirit as you are able

GATHERING MUSIC

Pastor James Lance WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVOCATION Patty Reinarts

OPENING PRAISE Praise Team

"Open the Eyes of My Heart"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Patty Reinarts

Psalm 111 Selection

Praise the LORD. I will extol the LORD with all my heart in the council of the upright and in the assembly. Great are the works of the LORD: they are pondered by all who delight in them. Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever. He has caused his wonders to be remembered: the LORD is gracious and compassionate.

He provides food for those who fear him:

he remembers his covenant forever.

*OPENING HYMN

"Morning Has Broken"

#145

PRAYER Patty Reinarts

Lord, we know that scripture is a living word. You guide us in our lives. We know that you call us to be fully human and that includes our emotions. May we work to read the emotions you have placed in scripture. May we better understand emotions, in ourselves and in scripture to help us make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation for the world. Amen.

WORSHIP TIME

Praise Team

"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

Pastor James Lance

SILENT MEDITATION/PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

OFFERTORY Jerri Lynn Baxstrom "I Offer Mv Life" with "Take Mv Life and Let It Be Consecrated" arr. Carol Tornquist

*DOXOLOGY (Hymnal #95)

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 BLESSING

Pastor James Lance

HYMN "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" #382

SECOND SCRIPTURE

Pastor James Lance

Philippians 1:1-11, Galatians 1:1-10

(Pew Bibles, New Testament pages #196,187)

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE "Are we tone deaf?" Pastor James Lance

*CLOSING HYMN

"Grace Greater than Our Sin"

#365

*BENEDICTION Pastor James Lance

Announcements

Young at Hearts activity bulletins are available at the back of the sanctuary.

New SS Class! Join us TODAY at 10:15 for an informative meeting. The class, led by Lee Ann Caldwell and Kathy Buchwalter, will be studying Romans, by J.D. Greear.

September Hygiene Closet Needs:

Shampoo Tampons

Body Wash Laundry Detergent (32 load)

Toilet Paper Clorox Wipes Dish Soap Paper Towels

CHURCH SIGN CAMPAIGN

We are raising money for an outdoor electronic/ LED sign.

Our current funds are at \$3.395.

Please mark your donation "Sign Campaign" on your offering envelope.



~Please pray for... [health concerns]

Ukrainians, Jackie Becker, Jenny Wagers, Paul Finley, Barb Tennent, Cathy Rhymer, Lynn Turnbow Sandy Chapman, Diana Yoder, Larry Miller, Martha Scaggs, Jeff Allison, Gail Bersch & others in our Church Family

~Please pray for our Shut-ins...

Elda Imhoff Nancy Mills

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK ...

SUNDAY, September 14

7:45 a.m. Men's Group "The Fundamentals for Men"

9:00 a.m. Worship Service [In-Person & Facebook Online]

10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

MONDAY, September 15

5:30 p.m. Praise Team

TUESDAY, September 16

WEDNESDAY, September 17

8:00 p.m. Basketball

THURSDAY, September 18

8:30 a.m. Prayer Group [Parlor]

11:30 a.m. Young at Hearts @ Applebees

FRIDAY, September 19

SATURDAY, September 20

8:00 a.m. Pickle Ball

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FELLOWSHIP TIME: Lee Ann Caldwell and

Kathy Buchwalter

GREETERS: Dave and Peg Kearnes

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We're glad you joined us today!

"To Love Christ, To Serve Christ, To Share Christ,
No Matter What It Takes"

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