

The Spirit of the Lord
is on me



to preach good news to the poor

to proclaim freedom



for the prisoners

to proclaim the year of the

Lord's favor.

Luke
4:18

August 9, 2009

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10:00 AM

Welcome
Visitors!

We are delighted to have you in our service this morning! Every Sunday, we are privileged to have people attending our church for the first time and we want you to feel welcome among us.

PLEASE SIGN THE FELLOWSHIP BOOK

found in the pews. We would like to know of your presence this morning.

PLEASE SHARE PRAYER JOYS/

CONCERNS on the Prayer card; they will be included in the Prayers of the People during the service, and added to the Prayer Chain.

A PERSONAL SOUND SYSTEM FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED IS AVAILABLE. WORSHIP BULLETINS FOR

CHILDREN are available. Contact an usher for assistance.

SUNDAY SERMON

TAPES are available by contacting the church office.

If you are in need of **Pastoral Care** or know someone who is, please call the church (419-475-4436)



Welcome to worship with the Fairgreen family! The * symbol means, "All who are able, please stand."



19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SILENT REFLECTION

Spiritually means living the ordinary life extraordinarily well. As the old church father said, "The glory of God is a human being fully alive." (William Sloane Coffin)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign fellowship book found in pews.

This is the day that the Lord has made!

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

OPENING SET ~ #2270 " He Has Made Me Glad"

"Only By Grace"

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND CONFESSION

HYMN OF RESPONSE ~ "Softly and Tenderly"

TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH Mike Roadruck

There will be no Kid's For Christ, so the children will remain in the service.

To all Clergy, Church Members and Guests of the churches of Maumee Valley Presbytery ~

I would like to invite everyone to the Synod of the Covenant Synod Assembly worship on Wednesday, August 12. The service will be held at Christ Presbyterian Church at 7:00 p.m. The Rev. Byron Wade, the Vice-Moderator of the 218th General Assembly will be preaching on the "emergent church". This is an opportunity to meet and hear the Vice-Moderator. This might be a good mid summer youth group activity. A church could carpool and a group could come together. During the course of the year there are very few opportunities to have the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator of General Assembly within the bounds of Maumee Valley Presbytery. I would encourage you to come, worship and participate in the life of the larger church.

Yours in Christ,

David Bartley, Moderator of the Synod of the Covenant

Mountaintop Great Banquet Holiday Arts & Craft Show ~

We are accepting calls into the church office (419-475-4436) to register for a 10ft space for this event on Friday, November 13 from 9am-6pm and Saturday, November 14th from 9am-4pm. The cost per space is \$25 for two days. Spaces are limited to a first come first serve. All Vendors are Welcome. All monies and contracts must be signed no later than October 16, 2009. To receive your contract, please come to the church office from Monday thru Friday 8:30am—2pm.

Mark Your Calendar for these Up-Coming Events~

September 12 ~ Men's Prayer Breakfast 8-9am in the lounge

September 13 ~ Rally Day and Sunday School begins

September 19 ~ Deacons Chicken BBQ

Scrip Cards ~ Just a reminder that we have script gift cards available at the Welcome Center on Sundays and see Darlene in the church office Monday-Friday 8:30-2pm. When you purchase these gift cards our church benefits from it financially. Not only are you receiving the card to use it, but the church is receiving a percentage back from each gift card that is purchased. Plan ahead and look at the month to see what cards you will need in making your purchases, eating out, buying gas etc. Thank you for doing your part.

Women's Bible Study for 2009-2010 ~ Joshua: A Journey of Faith is the title overarching the nine lessons on the book of Joshua for the Women's Horizon Bible Study. All women are invited to this Bible study which meets in the church lounge once a month on the third Monday at 4pm, starting in September. The cost of the study booklet is \$6.00 (plus shipping and handling). Please let Darlene Hughes, in the church office, know if you are interested at 419-475-4436 by Friday, August 14th. ***She will then confirm with you the total book cost, before ordering. Scholarships are available!***

Can Tabs ~ We are collecting pop tabs off of the cans and we are asking if you would save those tabs and to turn them into the Deacons.

Great Banquet Meetings ~

Sunday, August 16 ~ Board meeting 4:30pm followed by the Gathering at 6pm.

Saturday, August 22 ~ #1 Team meeting 9-12:30pm

Saturday, August 29 ~ #2 Team meeting 9-12:30pm

Communion Table Flowers ~ If anyone would be interested in having flowers placed on the Communion table on Sunday's to celebrate an occasion or maybe in loving memory of a loved one who has passed away, please feel free to contact Darlene in the church office and she will be more than glad to order the floral arrangement through our Florist at a cost of \$25.

THE WORD OF GOD

UNISON PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Lord, open to me. Open to me light for my darkness, courage for my fear, hope for my despair, peace for my turmoil. Open to me strength for my weakness, wisdom for my confusion, forgiveness for my sins, love for my hates. Open to me Thy Self for my self. Amen. (Howard Thurman)

FIRST READING

Matthew 5: 1-11

pg.1501 (NT) in the pew Bible

ANTHEM

"The Reconciliation Song"

Praise Band

**SECOND READING
SERMON**

Luke 4: 14-30

pg.1596 (NT) in the pew Bible

"WHY JESUS SAT DOWN"

Rev. David C. Young

OUR RESPONSE

***HYMN #2155**

"Blest Are They"

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Stewardship is everything we do after we say "I believe."

Stewardship is granting your pastor sabbatical time for rest and renewal.

OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY (#592)**

Old Hundredth

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

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

***HYMN #2165**

"Cry of My Heart"

***CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

Rev. David C. Young

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE— "Sanctuary"**

**Lord prepare me, to be a sanctuary
Pure and holy, tried and true
With Thanksgiving, I'll be a living,
Sanctuary for you.**

Next Week ~ 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time ; Rev. David C. Young ~ Guest Preacher; Celebrating Communion by Intinction and there will be special music and the organ will be played. Great Banquet Board meeting at 4:30pm followed by the Gathering at 6pm.

Texts: 1 Kings 2: 10-12, 3:3-14; Psalm 111; Ephesians 5: 15-20; John 6: 51-58

Calendar for the Week of August 10-16, 2009

- Monday, Aug. 10~** Prayer of Discernment at 6:30pm
Deacons meeting at 7pm in the lounge
- Friday, Aug. 14 ~** Church Office Closed
10-12pm—Food Pantry
12:30-1:30pm—Food Distribution
- Sunday, Aug. 16 ~** Worship Service 10:00am; Rev. David Young ~ Guest Preacher; Communion by Intinction; Great Banquet Board meeting at 4:30pm followed by the Gathering at 6pm

Deadline to receive any information for the Next Newsletter is Sunday, August 23, 2009.

Nursery Room (birth – 4 yrs. old).....Rm.105

Join us for Coffee Hour after worship in the Commons.

Visit **THE CARD TABLE** in the narthex to sign or request cards to remember members of the Fairgreen family.

Are you in need of prayer? The **FAIRGREEN PRAYER CHAIN** is here for you. Call Leone Sattler at 419-474-1723 or Darlene in the church office at 419-475-4436 or indicate that you have a request for the Prayer Chain on your Prayer card.

Number who worshiped with us on August 2, 2009: 68

TODAY'S USHERS: Dan Yeager, Capt./ Jesse Murray, Betty Geniac, Kay Amendola

TODAY'S GREETER: Joyce Koback

NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS: Fred King, Capt./ Bev King, Linda Hoover, Tim Eichenauer

NEXT SUNDAY'S GREETERS: Ken & Mary Ellen Campbell

NEXT SUNDAY'S LITURGIST: Kendy Edinger

Special Announcements

Summer Study Series ~ "Praying the Psalms" We will be looking at the Psalms as poetry and "Praying the Psalms". We will be meeting on Sunday, August 30 from 11:15-12:15pm in the church lounge.

Kairos Prison Ministry Dinner ~ Join us on Saturday, August 15, 2009 for dinner at 6pm with a program to follow at 7:30pm at WPOS-FM Christian Radio Station, 7112 Angola Road, Holland Ohio. The cost of the dinner is \$15 and your check is to be made out to Kairos Ohio. The keynote speakers are Tom Amstutz, former University of Toledo Head Football Coach, Chaplain Frank Vloch from the Toledo Correctional Institution and Greg Roesser a Kairos Weekend #1 graduate. All proceeds to go to the Kairos Prison Ministry at the Toledo Correctional Institution. There will be door prizes of an assortment of gifts donated from local donors.