

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you the lucky winner? Well look inside your bulletin and if you have a 40th Anniversary gold/green sticker, then you have won! That's right! To claim your gift please stop by the Welcome Center on your way out and someone will present you with this gift.

Now is a great time to begin inviting people to come and join us for an evening of "Pasta and Praise". This event is scheduled on Saturday, February 25 from 4:30-7:30 pm. The cost of the meal is \$7 for Adults, \$3 for children 8 and under. The carry-out service and dinner will be served from 4:30pm until 6:30pm. The entertainment portion of the evening will begin at 6:45pm and run till at least 7:30pm. What better way to reach out to your friends, family and co-workers and treat them to a wonderful evening out with dinner, fellowship, enhanced by beautiful music and entertainment. It sounds good to me! You can purchase tickets in advance from Jan Anderson at Coffee Hour or from Connie Winslow.

We have a lost and found basket setting on the table below the Name Tag Board, which is filled with a bunch of items that need to go to the appropriate people. So, please stop by that table in the Narthex and check it out! Thanks!

Charity Church Mouse was a little overwhelmed of what he found when he opened up the refrigerator doors in the church kitchen. There are boxes of food, items that are not labeled or dated, etc. Charity would like your help! Please stop by the kitchen and take a peek into the refrigerator to see if any of those items are yours. If so please put a date, name on them. It's just way too much food for it to go to waste and Charity will have to throw it out if the food is not claimed. See if you can help Charity out of this dilemma.

For all those who have not yet received a 2006 Church Directory or a 2005 Annual Report and would like one. Please give Darlene a call at the church office at 419-475-4436 between the hours of 8am-4pm Monday through Friday.

Next Sunday, February 19th, we are asking each ministry, if possible, to put together an article for the Newsletter and submit it into the church office on that Sunday. Let's see what we can do to get the word out about what's happening here at Fairgreen Presbyterian Church.

Fresh fir wreaths...Thanks to all of you who supported IHN by purchasing one of the fresh fir wreaths during the Christmas season! We are so thankful for your continued support of this mission. We sold 200 wreaths and mine is still gracing my front door with a red ribbon (Valentine's Day)!



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 stop by the Welcome Center right after service. We have a special gift for you.**

In Rev. Pat's absence we ask that if you have a Pastoral need, please call Dee Smale (419-475-4436) or at her home (734-847-8872).

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 9:15 service, and added to the Prayer Chain if submitted at the 11:30 service.

A PERSONAL SOUND SYSTEM FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED IS AVAILABLE. WORSHIP BULLETINS FOR CHILDREN are available. Contact an usher for assistance.

TAPES OF THIS SUNDAY'S SERMON are available. Contact the church office or Art Sattler.

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**In a race the runners
all compete,
but only one receives
the prize.**

1 Corinthians 9:24



9:15 AM



Welcome to worship with the Fairgreen family! The * symbol means, "All who are able, please stand." † indicates when latecomers may be seated.



SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PRELUDE Shannon Smith

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign fellowship book found in pews

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

CALL TO WORSHIP Bruce Smale, Liturgist

One: We gather together in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

All: Let us sing praises to the One who calls us by our name.

One: Let us worship God who created us, sustains us, and loves us with an everlasting love.

*HYMN #263 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

*CALL TO CONFESSION Bruce Smale

*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, You have put within each of us a longing for Your Word and a hunger for Your Truth. We confess that often we turn away from that which produces wholeness in order to grab that which withers and dies in an instant. Forgive us for looking to the world for satisfaction, instead of coming to the One who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Give us strength to make the good choices and to seek Your Presence in all of life. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

*SILENT CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Let us remember the Good News

All: Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners. He bore our sins in his body on the cross

One: That we might be dead to sin and alive to all that is good. Alleluia! Praise God.

*RESPONSE OF PRAISE "The Gloria Patri" (#579)

THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH Bruce Smale

Children second grade and younger may leave afterward for Kids for Christ.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING **Psalm 30** pg.867 (OT) in the pew bible

ANTHEM **"Just As I Am"** Geneva Choir

NEW TESTAMENT READING **I Corinthians 9:24-27** pg.1782(NT) in the pew bible

SERMON **"GIVE IT YOUR ALL"** Deanne Smale

OUR RESPONSE

*HYMN #359 "More Love To Thee O Christ"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH ~ The Fairgreen Creed Inside Cover of Hymnal

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD
OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY One 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.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts) pg.16 in the hymnal (traditional)

WE GO FORTH TO SERVE

*HYMN OF SENDING #388 "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

*CHARGE & BENECTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE— SANCTUARY (Sing it through twice)
(Those who are able, join hands, forming lines across the aisle to symbolize a growing commitment to unity.)

**Lord prepare me, to be a sanctuary Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living Sanctuary for you. CCL#1025014**

POSTLUDE Shannon Smith