

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN

(9:00 a.m. Worship)

Children of all ages are invited to come forward for the children's message. Following this time, children 3 years old by September 1, 2008 through grade 2, are welcome to leave for special programs; 3's 4's and kindergarten in Westminster Hall: Grades 1 and 2 in Room 11. Unless parents make other arrangements, these children will be taken to their Sunday School classrooms at the conclusion of these programs. Infant and Toddler Care (through age 3) is available in Rooms 101 and 102 throughout the service.

(11:15 a.m. Worship)

At the 11:15 am Worship Service, since there is no children's message, young children are welcome to sit with their families throughout worship. There is childcare available in the following rooms: infants-1 year old in Room 102, 2 years-kindergarten in Room 101.

SUNDAY MORNING CHILDCARE

We provide childcare on Sundays for each worship service and for the educational hour in between. Childcare runs continually from 8:30 am until 12:15 pm in both rooms. Room 102 is for infants through walking toddlers. Room 101 is for Toddlers around age 2 through age 3. Our rooms are staffed by paid and volunteer caregivers.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

CHILDREN AND YOUTH (A complete list of children/youth classes is posted in the hallways and printed on flyers in the back of the Sanctuary).

1) Creative Movement and Music (ages 3-K) in Westminster Hall following the Children's Message at the 9:00 worship service.

2) Children and Worship (Grades 1-2) meets in Room 11 following the Children's Message at the 9:00 worship service. Children are then picked up by their teachers and taken to Sunday School.

3) Sunday School Classes for all children and youth meet at 10:00 a.m. following the service.

ADULT EDUCATION

"Jews and Judaism in Modern Israel: A Spectrum of Religiousness in a Land called "Holy"

Alan Benjamin, a Lecturer in Jewish Studies at Penn State, offers this discussion. Israel today includes Jews called "Ultra-Orthodox" plus those opposed to religion, and a majority who fall in between. We will explore the complex patterns in religious practice and in "being Jewish" in a nation that is both secular and officially "Jewish". Come to Westminster Hall at 10:15 am.

"Matt Black and His Life After Seminary"

Matt Black will be sharing an autobiographical presentation on life after seminary, with a particular focus on his work with the Presbyterian Peace Fellowship. The time will be very interactive, with lots of time for questions and answers and stories. Matt is a candidate for ministry under care of Huntingdon Presbytery, a member of SCPC, and a graduate of McCormick Theological Seminary. He lives in Chicago with his partner Kristin and five other people in an intentional community, and he works as a web developer of PPF and also the Council for a Parliament of the World's Religions. Please join us in Room 10 at 10:15 am.

FEBRUARY 1, 2009

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AND 11:15 A.M. WORSHIP

PRELUDE

"Voluntary"

-John Stanley

INTROIT

Come to the House

This refrain will be introduced by the piano, then the choir/cantor, please join in singing on repeats.

Rory Cooney

The musical notation is written on two staves. The first staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. Below the staff, the lyrics are: "All the earth, all you peo- ples, lift your voic - es as one." The second staff begins with a fermata over the first note, followed by the lyrics: "Come to the house of God: _____ this is your home. _____".

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Diana Malcom

*HYMNAL NO. 487

"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

(9:00) Deannine Shipman (11:15) Diana Malcom

O God of Freedom and Responsibility, you call from generation to generation with the Word of Life for all who will hear. Yet we have chosen to close our ears and harden our hearts. We have rejected your generous gifts for the meager return from our own striving. We speak of resurrection with our lips, but do not believe it in our hearts. Forgive us. Renew us. Bring us to the rebirth which is ours in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Jerry Hartman

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ANTHEM
(9:00) "Lord, My Strength" -Dean Krippaehne
LOGOS First and Second Grade
(11:15) "How Lovely Are the Messengers" -Felix Mendelssohn
Chancel Choir

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you are worshiping with us today. Please take a moment to sign the pew pad and pass it along to your neighbor, and then pass it back so that you may take the opportunity to greet those sitting near you after the service. Please provide your address and your e-mail address so that we may contact you about upcoming events that may be of interest to you.

MINUTE FOR MISSION Souper Bowl of Caring

OFFERING

Offertory
(9:00) "Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above" -Jody Lindh
LOGOS Third, Fourth and Fifth Grade

(11:15) "Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain" -Alfred Fedak

*Doxology

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*HYMNAL NO. 334 "When Israel Was in Egypt's Land"

SERMON "Action in the Brickyard" Charles Curley
*"Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel,
'Let my people go!'"*
Exodus 5:1

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER
(9:00) "Lord, Hear Our Prayer" -Ned Wetherald
(11:15) "Through Our Lives and By Our Prayers" -John Bell

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE—The Lord's Prayer

*HYMNAL NO. 115 "Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE
(9:00) "When the Music Fades" -Ned Wetherald
(11:15) "Amen" -John Bell

*THE PEACE

Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

(please turn and greet those sitting around you especially taking time to welcome those who are visiting))

*Postlude

SOUPER Bowl Sunday—This backyard movement started 20 years ago in a South Carolina congregation and has grown to churches throughout the country raising funds to help the hungry in their own communities. In those 20 years, over fifty million has been raised. Let's keep that number growing! WPF students will be at the doors of our sanctuary today holding pots for your donation. Please be a part of this great movement as we share God's love. EVERY penny of this donation will go to the State College Area Food Bank. Go Team!!!

YOU ARE INVITED
For coffee and fellowship in the Social Hall
between the worship services