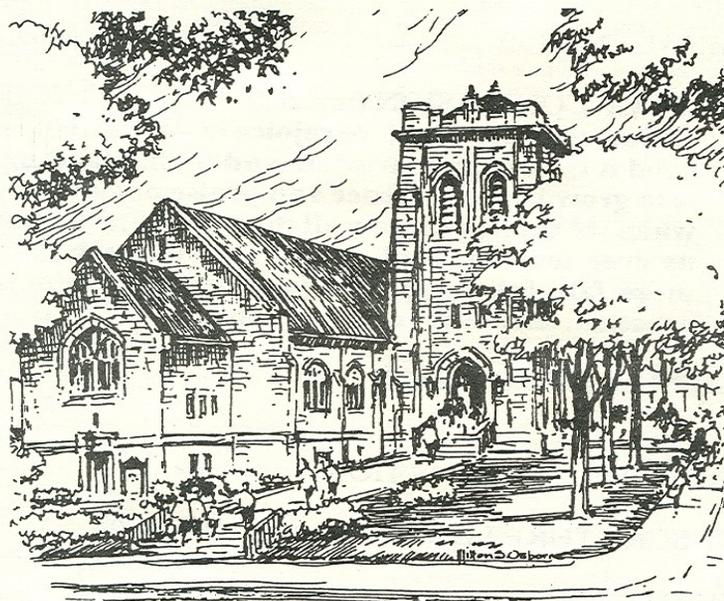


The church building is closed, but our ministry and mission continues. We are checking voicemail (814-238-2422) and emails (officescpc@gmail.com) daily. Please reach out if there is anything we can do for you.

If you have access to a computer, please check the website (www.scpresby.org) and our Facebook page for spiritual offerings and for church information.

- On this Memorial Day weekend, we remember all families who have lost loved ones in armed conflict and pray for healing from the wounds of war.
- Please join us for Adult Education today as Allison Maus offers another in her series "Lessons We Learn from on Mothers." This week's topic is Ruth and Naomi. You may find it on the State College Presbyterian Church Youtube channel.
- On Tuesdays at noon, we offer a brief virtual Prayer meeting on Zoom led by Allison Maus and the Spiritual Life Ministry Unit. Join us as we share joys and concerns, praying for our community and world.
- Don't forget this week to send in your picture, wearing or waving something red, for our Pentecost Celebration. Send them to Martha Trout via email: marthascpc@gmail.com
- Also, next Sunday we will join in the Lord's Supper with reverent and thankful hearts. Worshippers who wish to participate in the meal will need to have bread and cup ready as the service begins.
- We welcome your offerings in support of the ministries of State College Presbyterian church. You may send them in via check or using the code below. Other options for remote giving are listed on our website. Please visit scpresby.org for that information and other updates on church activities.



The State College Presbyterian Church

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7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

PRELUDE "Elegiac Prelude" -Gerald Bates

CALL TO WORSHIP Britta and Vivian Petrich

HYMN NO. 315 (see insert) "In the Midst of New Dimensions"

CHILDREN'S TIME Deannine Shipman

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-11 Page 986

12 Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. ¹³But rejoice in so far as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. ¹⁴If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you.

6 Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. ⁷Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. ⁸Discipline yourselves; keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. ⁹Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters throughout the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. ¹⁰And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. ¹¹To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.

MEDITATION "An Apocalyptic Joy" Michael Ozaki

HYMN NO. 463 (see insert) "How Firm a Foundation"

CALL TO OFFERING Dean Lindsey

OFFERING PRAYER

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Allison Maus

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE 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 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.

BENEDICTION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

POSTLUDE "Hymn Fantasia on 'Melita'" -Charles Callahan