

The 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time— July 25, 2010

GOD'S PEOPLE PREPARE FOR THE WORD

Organ Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Our Friendship in Christ

*Gathering Hymn: #342

Come Christians Join To Sing

*Call to Worship (*Responsive*):

Holy, holy, holy God, we worship and adore you—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Today in our worship we long for a glimpse of your glory, seen perfectly in Christ, our Lord. As we worship, may we gain new insight about the mystery and wonder of your love. And may we sense new ways to mirror that love in our world, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Let us worship together.

Hymn of Praise and Celebration: (*See screen*)

Here I Am To Worship

Prayer of Confession (*Unison, including a time of silent prayer*):

Triune God, we praise you as the God of love and life. Though Jesus prayed that we would be one, we confess that we fail to live in unity with each other and with you. We break our communion through hostile words and unkind actions.

(*A time for silent confession*)

O God, We long for your Spirit to heal us and to correct us. We long for you to help us experience communion with you and with each other as we gather around your Word. Even now, dependent on your grace, we commit ourselves to live more fully in the unity you desire. Through Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon (*Responsive*):

God not only listens to the cries on our lips, but also pays attention to the groanings of our hearts. God restores us to wholeness, and invites us to a new way of living.

We are welcomes, we are loved, we are given new life, we are filled with peace. Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! Amen.

*Congregational Response: Hymn #292, vs. 1

Because He Lives

GOD'S PEOPLE RECEIVE THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

The Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 43:1 (Pew Bibles, pg. 637)

The New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6 (Pew Bibles, pg. 182)

The Children's Sermon

Young children may worship with their families or their parents or may take them to the Infant-Toddler Room [Infants to young 3] behind the sanctuary. Older children may sit with their parents in the Sanctuary.

Sermon: "The Calling To Which You Have Been Called"

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND TO THE WORD

*Hymn of Reflection: #147

Spirit Of God, Descend Upon My Heart

Prayers of The People and the Lord's Prayer
Joys & Concerns

Presenting our Tithes and Offerings

The invitation to the offering

Offertory

Congregational Response: Doxology #382

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn of Dedication: Blue songbooks #11

Great Is The Lord

*Charge & Benediction

Postlude

****Please stand, if able.***

Opportunities for the week of July 25th

Tuesday	7/27	6:45 p.m.	CHUP Softball Game
Thursday	7/29	7:00 p.m.	Cross Trainer's Closing ceremony
Sunday	8/1	9:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Study
		10:00 a.m.	Worship – Youth Mission Commissioning
	8/1-8/7		Youth Group Mission Trip

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR TODAY

Leading in Worship: Barbara Prevost & Tyler Gargis

Infant and Toddler (Up to 3 years): Erlina Mae Adler

Greeters: Paul & Cheryl Reed

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR August 1st

Leading in Worship: Glenn Mack & Matt Markus

Infant and Toddler (Up to 3 years): Mollie Sam

Greeters: Alice Schnelbach & Lil McConnell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Printed copies of the Sermon are also available on the shelves in the back of the sanctuary and on the web at: www.chup.org. Each worship service is also recorded on audio CD.

1. The CHUP Youth Group will be leaving today for West Virginia **TODAY** for their **annual mission trip**. This year, our group will help at Rock Forge Neighborhood House where we will help with various cleaning projects and serve others in the area. Please pray for the whole team as we work, learn, play and serve together. The Youth Group Team.
2. Please join us! Thursday, July 29th is this year's **Closing Ceremony for Cross Trainers**. Come see what we have been up to all summer at camp. The ceremony starts at 7pm in the sanctuary. There will also be a reception in Fellowship Hall following the program. See you there – and bring a friend!!
3. **Best wishes to Ann Wilson, who turned 101 on July 21!** If you'd like to send her a belated card (hint, hint), you can mail it to her at: Marian Manor, Room 204B, 2695 Winchester Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15220.

My Daily Time with God This Week July 25th to Aug 8th.

One of the ways that we can best remember who we are, and who God calls us to be, is to spend time in His presence. In 2010, we will follow the devotional schedule published by *The Upper Room*. This popular devotional is available in either print or electronic versions. To get a copy of the magazine, call the church office. To receive devotions in your e-mail each day, simply visit <http://www.upperroom.org/devotional/email/> and sign up. May God bless you as you seek Him!

God's Promise: "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

(2 Chronicles 7:14)

Psalm for the week: Psalm 85 (*Read this through prayerfully each day. As you do so, you will concentrate less on yourself and more on your Lord.*)

Daily Scripture Readings:

Monday	Hebrews 12:1-3	Friday	Titus 3:3-8
Tuesday	Romans 5:5-11	Saturday	Ezekiel 37:1-14
Wednesday	Lamentations 3:19-26	Sunday	Galatians 6:2-10
Thursday	Psalm 34:1-10		

Speaking with your Creator:

- about your own life
- about those in our family of faith

--**members** –Gert Clokey, The Szumigalski family, The Musko family, Ed Kososki, Linnea Kunicky, Cheryl Prepelka, Justin Barth, Cheryl Reed, Iona Kraus, Barbara & Jeff Voeltzel, Eric Barth, Sally Barth, the homebound and those in caring facilities.

--**friends & relatives** – Don Bowers (Erlina Mae's uncle – cancer), The Twichell family, Sara Dorman (Allegheny General Hospital), Paul Bower (friend of Erlina Mae Bowers), Cross Trainers staff and children, Dave D'Amico, Fran Fox, Josephine Orris (Season Ciechanowski's grandmother), The McGaha family, Michael Lignos, Dianne Cooper, Phyllis Petry, Marian Murray, Thad Ciechanowski's grandparents (Tony & Lillian), Ruth Berry, Daniel Gordon, Brandon & Liam Murray, Cheryl Strayer, Bill Wehner

--**about our world** –Friends & Family in the Armed Forces, World peace, the Mbenjere Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, veterans & disabled, poor & needy, those persecuted and martyred for their faith. (*If you would like to include someone in your prayers, please fill out an "I Wish" card from the pews.*)

Listening to your Creator: -a time of silence

Going out into your world: -remembering that God sends you to the people that he loves.

Church Prayer Families: Dani Anderson and Rebecca Weaver

Open Door Prayer Family: Hayley's Family