NEWS OF INTEREST

<u>Pennies From Heaven</u>: the monies collected help send children to the camp of their choice (mostly Seneca Hills). Your donations are appreciated and well spent. Other charities are often contributed to as worthy causes from Pennies From Heaven also.

PRAISES AND PRAYER

Please pray for God's guidance in the future of our church. Please pray for the peace of the world. Pray for the leaders of our country as they earnestly seek peaceful solutions to the problems and crises around the globe. Please pray for our military and police forces and their safety throughout each day. Pray for our public school system. Pray for the mental health of people everywhere. Pray for our mission to Ghana. Pray for all the Christian's who are being persecuted in the world.

Would you like to know what our church has been up to? On the bulletin board in the entryway are the minutes and financial ledgers for each month. Please feel free to copy them and if you have a question, ask any session member or the pastor. We think this is the best way to keep everyone informed.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS AT HOME or HOSPITALS

Jen & Marty Gilliland, the unspoken request, Dottie Dillin, Bonnie, Pam Bottomley, John Karns, Skip & Nancy Davison, Elliot Crawford, Amy Zemanski, Christian & Megan and family, Carol Morrow, Mary Lou Buckley, Pat Feltenberger, June Mawhinney, Rose, Betty Moore, Sarah, Hank, Lori and granddaughter, Holly, Hunter Anderson, Kris, Mark, Dale, Alberta, Diane, Lisa's family, Althea, Violet, Linda MacDonald, Rich, Bryan Hudson, Larry, Steve Caldwell, Dennis Dingle, Rachel Johns, East Palestine OH, Lisa's cousin Bonnie, Ellen Kelly, our country, Pat Stewart, Rhonda Atkins, Olivia Russell, Dan Rockwell, Yvonne, Bill Jarris, Reb Taylor, Brian, Polk Center people, Mary Vickers, Denny Adams and family

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Upcoming dates & activities:

6/4 Communion Sunday 6/6 6-8pm Community Father's Day Tureen at Polk Fire Hall 6/13 10am Making blankets 6/18 Father's Day & Baby Boomerang to be collected 6/26 6pm – Father's Day Banquet at Polk PC in Friendship Hall



Polk Presbyterian Church Calendar of Events June 2023

Sunday School at 8:30am
Children Sunday School at 8:30am
Bible Study on Wednesdays at 6:30pm: at the church & via Zoom
https://us04web.zoom.us/j/559705244 Meeting ID: 559 705 244 The passcode is 202020 We will be studying Romans.

2023 Baby Bottle Boomerang is requesting our donations. There is a large baby bottle in the vestibule to put your donations (make check payable to Polk Presbyterian). Due by Fathers Day.

2023 Mission: "Revival is a Team Effort"—We will be coordinating with other local churches to attend and participate with their mission programs and events. Specific events will be advertised as they are announced throughout the year.

2024 Mission: "Revival...It Is Time" –We will be hosting our Revival Weekend on 7/12/24. **Revival** is 7 days a week; 12 months of the year; 24 hours a day. Join us in prayer and planning as we prepare for this mission event.

Camp Lambec Summer Camps schedule is posted in the vestibule. Starting date is June 18th. A place apart to explore God's love!

VARHA No-show Barnyard Olympics: asking for donations to be mailed to 150 Wagner Drive, Franklin, PA 16323.

Sign-up sheet in Narthex for updating Polk PC Prayer Chain.



Polk Presbyterian Church, June 4, 2023 Trinity Sunday

*The Introit What a Mighty God We Serve # 177
What a mighty God we serve.
What a mighty God we serve.
Angels bow before Him, heaven and earth adore Him;
What a mighty God we serve.

Time for meditation and reflection.

Call to Worship

Psalm 8:1-6

L: O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

- P: You have set your glory above the heavens.
- L: When we look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established;
- P: What are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?
- L: Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor.
- P: You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet.

*Praise Hymn O How He Loves You and Me (Hymnal) # 214
O how He loves you and me, O how He loves you and me;
He gave His life what more could He give?
O how He loves you, O how He loves me,
O how He loves you and me.

Prayer of Confession

Gracious and holy God, we admit the concept of the Trinity is a great mystery to us. Yet, we humbly come to confess our individual and corporate sins before the throne of a Triune God. Allow the Holy Spirit to convict, regenerate, and empower us. Teach us to place our faith in the faithfulness of the Son of God who paid our sin debt with his human life. Enable us to become the obedient children of Almighty God

whom we call Father. We lift this prayer in the name of our risen Lord, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Ephesians 1:3-8

L: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places,

- P: Just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love.
- L: God destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved.
- P: In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us.

*Gloria Patri # 42

(No choir special)

CHILDREN'S CHAT

MOMENTS FOR MISSION:

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Joys and concerns:

Happy Birthday: Teri Chisholm

Happy Anniversary: Gary & Teri Chisholm; John & Pam Vickers; Marty & Jen Gilliland

Presbytery Prayers: District Pastors Rev. Francis Adjei; Second Pastor, Rev. Foster Mawusi; Bimbilla District, Upper Northern Presbytery, 17 Congregations

THE LORDS 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.

HYMN OF PREPARATION

Holy, Holy, Holy! (Hymnal vv. 1,4) #41

RETURNING THANKS TO GOD

*THE DOXOLOGY # 39

*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING: Genesis 1:1-2:4a

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

(P) Thanks be to God

SERMON "Understanding the Trinity"

Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed 2.1-.3 I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and

earth,

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S SUPPER

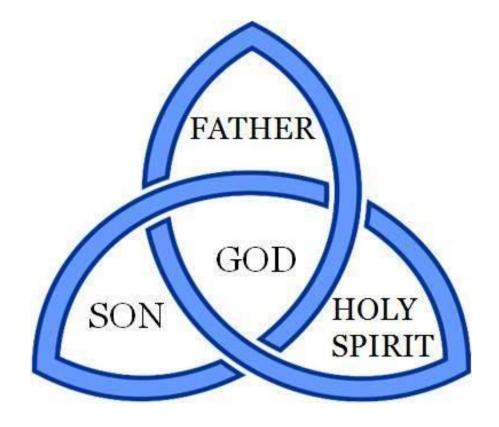
Let Us Break Bread Together (Hymnal) #162

*CLOSING HYMN Father, I Adore You) (Hymnal) # 45

*THE BENEDICTION

*Our Response Spirit of the Living God # 201

Spirit of the Living God, fall fresh on me!
Spirit of the Living God, fall fresh on me!
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me!
Spirit of the Living God, fall fresh on me!



Pastor: Rev. Larry Myers Music: Debbie Myers