### **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

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### **Upcoming dates & activities:**

6/15 Father's Day

6/18 Bible Study (Genesis) 6:30 pm

6/19 Father / Son Banquet 6 pm

6/25 Bible Study (Genesis) 6:30 pm



### Polk Presbyterian Church Calendar of Events June

Sunday School at 8:30am Children Sunday School at 8:30am

Bible Study on Wednesdays at 6:30pm at the church & via Zoom <a href="https://us04web.zoom.us/j/559705244">https://us04web.zoom.us/j/559705244</a> Meeting ID 559 705 244 The passcode is 202020

Prayer Blankets will not be done in June, July or August.

**Baby Bottle Boomerang (May 11-June 15)** 

Lynn Harriger from Nazarene church in Franklin is collecting grocery bags to make Mercy Mats. Amy Zemanski will see that Lynn gets any donations.

Save your Poptabs for a hospital in Pittsburgh. There is a container in the Narthex.



Polk Presbyterian Church, June 15, 2025 Trinity Sunday Father's Day

\*The Introit "Come Now is the Time to Worship #117 (Praise Book)

Time for meditation and reflection.

### **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Ephesians 1:3-14

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, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love.

P: He 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.

L: In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit;

P: This is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

\*PRAISE HYMN: "Surely the Presence #159 (Praise Book)

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Compassionate heavenly Father; forgive us when we listen to a culture that encourages us to hope in material possessions, personal ambitions, and worldly desires. Have mercy upon us when we make our Lord second best by striving after false idols of our own creation. Teach us that we are justified only by faith in the blood of Jesus the Christ, stand before God only by grace, and place our hope in eternal salvation in the work of the triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Empower us to love others only by realizing we were first loved by our risen Lord, in whose name we humbly pray. Amen.

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Ephesians 4:1-7

L: Lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love.

## P: Making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

L: There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

P: But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift.

\*Gloria Patri

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### **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

### **MOMENTS FOR MISSION:**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:** Joys and concerns

**BIRTHDAYS: Jeff Karns (6/16)** 

ANNIVERSARIES: Larry & Debbie Myers (6/16); Gary & Julie Motter (6/19)

PRESBYTERY PRAYERS: Lake City Commissioned Pastor Deb Rimmer; Nick Barber Financial Administrator, Presbytery of Lake Erie

### 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 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #393 (Hymnal)

#### **RETURNING THANKS TO GOD**

\*THE DOXOLOGY

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\*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** John 16:12-15 (P) Amen

Romans 5:1-5 (P) Thanks Be to God

**SERMON**: "Trinitarian Hope"

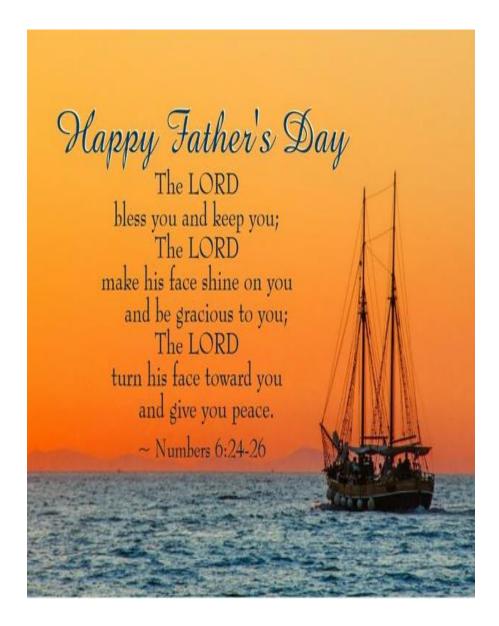
<u>AFFIRMATION OF FAITH</u>: The Second Helvetic Confession 5.016

GOD IS THREE. Notwithstanding we believe and teach that the same immense, one and indivisible God is in person inseparably and without confusion distinguished as Father, Son and Holy Spirit so, as the Father has begotten the Son from eternity, the Son is begotten by an ineffable generation, and the Holy Spirit truly proceeds from them both, and the same from eternity and is to be worshipped with both. Amen.

\*CLOSING HYMN "The Solid Rock" #340 (Hymnal)

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*OUR RESPONSE "Majesty" #8 (Praise Book)



Pastor: Larry Myers Lay Reader: Jeff Karns Music: Deb Myers