

OUR PRAYER PAGE

for the week of August 10, 2025

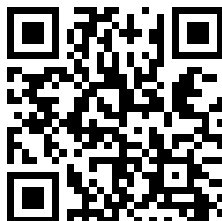
Calvin Beck	Jill Black
Jimmy, Bethany, & Baby David Everett Campbell	
Larry Doyle	Ben Favazzo
Jessie Frank	Donna Grubb
Mike & Nancy Harsh	Jason Haws
Laila Hummel	Laura Keyes
TJ, Kate, & Baby Lindquist	Ashley McBride
Amy Miller	Dean Oyster
Danielle Sadler	Bruce Simmons
Kassi Karlen Smosarski	Jordan Steckel
Rob Sterling	Mary Swartz and Family
Sue Thomas	Marge Bryant
Carol Wearstler	
For the Family and Friends of Dennis Sponseller and Don Church	

Audrey Wood-Clayton, Green Meadows
Craig & Carol Datz, Bel-Air
Peggy Hawkins, Home
Dorothy Oyster, Home
June Truax, St. Luke's

Our Compassion Child Maria Valentina (Colombia)
Mission of the Month: Mission Marlinton

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Welcome to SCIENCE HILL COMMUNITY CHURCH

*"To joyfully share the good news of Jesus Christ
and lovingly care for others."*

9:30 a.m. August 10, 2025

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 118*

*HYMNS *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me #227*
We Are God's People #700

TWO-MINUTE TESTIMONIES

PRAYER CHORUS (seated) *What a Friend We Have in Jesus #622*

SHARING PRAYER CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

OFFERTORY *Offerings can be placed in the wooden box at the
back of the sanctuary before or after the service.*

*DOXOLOGY #809

*HYMN *Built on the Rock #705*

*SCRIPTURE READING *Ephesians 2:19-22 (ESV)*

MESSAGE *"Living Stones" (1 Peter 2:4-10)* *Derek Swegheimer*

*HYMN *Cornerstone (iWorship)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

*BENEDICTION

**(Indicates standing as you are able.)*

The Elders are available to pray with you following worship.

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Jonathan Truax

Secretary/Treasurer: Theresa Marks

Pianist: Nancy Springer

Family Ministry Director: Katie Stiver

THANK YOU FOR SERVING OUR CHURCH

Greeters: Jenny Digianantonio, June Truax

Ushers: Ray & Laura Courtwright, Steven Courtwright

Worship Leader: Derek Swegheimer

Liturgist: Jan Raber

Acolyte: Sabrina Thomas

Bell Ringer: Mike Wilks

FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK

August 3rd: Attendance: In-person 50 and On-line 19

Offering: \$3539.00

THIS WEEK

...Today: 9am Prayer Time; 9:30am Worship

...Monday: 7pm Consistory

...Next Sunday: 9am Prayer Time; 9:30am Worship

NOTICES

...August Mission is Mission Marlinton – the local churches and community leaders offer support to the Marlinton Schools for special events and projects, which also includes the Blessing Bags.

...For prayer chain requests through August 21st contact Rose Wade (330-904-1220) or Peggy Hawkins (330-413-3078); or the church office Mondays & Thursdays 8am-3pm

...Sunday, August 24th: Church picnic after worship. The Church Life Committee will provide hamburgers, hot dogs, buns, lemonade, water, and table service. Please bring a side dish/casserole to share and sign up on the clipboard.

...A Trip to Amish Country on November 1st in Sugarcreek for a buffet lunch and live matinee of "The Road to Damascus" – yellow forms are available in the narthex for you to make your reservations and payment together.

***CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 118**

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever!
Let Israel say,
“His steadfast love endures forever.”
Let the house of Aaron say,
“His steadfast love endures forever.”
Let those who fear the Lord say,
“His steadfast love endures forever.”
Out of my distress I called on the Lord;
the Lord answered me and set me free.
The Lord is on my side; I will not fear.
What can man do to me?
The Lord is on my side as my helper;
I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.
It is better to take refuge in the Lord
than to trust in man.
It is better to take refuge in the Lord
than to trust in princes.
All nations surrounded me;
in the name of the Lord I cut them off!
They surrounded me, surrounded me on every side;
in the name of the Lord I cut them off!
They surrounded me like bees;
they went out like a fire among thorns;
in the name of the Lord I cut them off!
I was pushed hard, so that I was falling,
but the Lord helped me.
The Lord is my strength and my song;
he has become my salvation.
Glad songs of salvation
are in the tents of the righteous:
“The right hand of the Lord does valiantly,
the right hand of the Lord exalts,
the right hand of the Lord does valiantly!”

I shall not die, but I shall live,
and recount the deeds of the Lord.
The Lord has disciplined me severely,
but he has not given me over to death.
Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them
and give thanks to the Lord.
This is the gate of the Lord;
the righteous shall enter through it.
I thank you that you have answered me
and have become my salvation.
The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.
This is the Lord's doing;
it is marvelous in our eyes.
This is the day that the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Save us, we pray, O Lord!
O Lord, we pray, give us success!
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
We bless you from the house of the Lord.
The Lord is God,
and he has made his light to shine upon us.
Bind the festal sacrifice with cords,
up to the horns of the altar!
You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;
you are my God; I will extol you.
Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever!

***HYMN #227 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me**

1. Rock of ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee; let the water and the blood, from thy wounded side which flowed, be of sin the double cure, save from wrath and make me pure.
2. Not the labors of my hands can fulfill thy law's demands; could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow, all for sin

could not atone; thou must save and thou alone.

- 3.Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling; naked,
come to thee for dress, helpless look to thee for grace; foul, I to
the fountain fly, wash me, Savior or I die.
- 4.While I draw this fleeting breath, when my eyes shall close in
death; when I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgment
throne, Rock of Ages cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.

***HYMN 700 We Are God's People**

- 1.We are God's people, the chosen of the Lord, born of his Spirit,
established by his Word; our cornerstone is Christ alone, and
strong in him we stand: O let us live transparently, and walk heart
to heart and hand in hand.
- 2.We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord, for we
have known it, the love of God out-poured; now let us learn how
to return the gift of love once given; O let us share each joy and
care, and live with a zeal that pleases Heaven.
- 3.We are the Body of which the Lord is Head, called to obey him,
now risen from the dead; he wills us be a family, diverse yet truly
one; O let us give our gifts to God, and so shall his work on earth
be done.
- 4.We are a temple, the Spirit's dwelling place, formed in great
weakness, a cup to hold God's grace; we die alone, for on its own
each ember loses fire; yet joined in one the flame burns on to give
warmth and light, and to inspire.

PRAYER CHORUS #622 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

- 1.What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and grief to bear!
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer.
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry, everything to God in prayer.
- 2.Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?

Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer.
3.Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge – take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do thy friend despise forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer.
In his arms he'll take and shield thee; thou wilt find a solace there.

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.

***DOXOLOGY #809**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures
here below; praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father,
Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

***HYMN #705 Built on the Rock**

- 1.Built on the Rock the Church doth stand, even when steeples are
falling; Christ builds his church in every land; bells still are chiming
and calling, calling the young and old to rest, calling the souls of
those distressed, longing for life everlasting.
- 2.Not in a temple made with hands God the Almighty is dwelling;
High in the heavens his temple stands, all earthly temples
excelling. Yet he who dwells in heavens above chooses to live with
us in love, making our bodies his temple.
- 3.We are God's house of living stones built for his own habitation;
he fills our hearts, his humble thrones, granting us life and
salvation . Were two or three to seek his face, he in their midst
would show his grace, blessings upon them bestowing.
- 4.Through all the passing years, O Lord, grant that, when church
bells are ringing, many may come to hear God's word where he

this promise is bringing; “I say my own, my own know me, you, not the world, my face shall see; my peace I leave with you. Amen. “

***SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 2:19-22**

So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.

***HYMN: Cornerstone (iWorship)**