

Worship: Fourth Sunday after Pentecost		
The Lord's Day	July 2, 2023	
Prelude	Musician	
Welcome/Opportunities	Pastor/Youth Minister	
Choral Call to Worship #572	America, the Beautiful (vs. 1 & 4)	Chancel Choir
^Pledges	American Flag, Christian Flag, and Bible (see insert) Unison	
^Responsive Call to Worship (from Psalm 146)		
Leader: Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God.		
People: Who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever.		
Leader: The Lord sets the prisoners free, opens the eyes of the blind, and lifts up those who are bowed down.		
People: The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the Lord!		
Leader: Let us worship God!		
^Invocation		Laity
^Song of Celebration The Star-Spangled Banner		#576
^Sharing of Christian Peace		The Church
Gospel Lesson	John 8:31-38	Youth Minister
Ministry of Prayer	The Church	
Prayer Needs/Pastoral Prayer		
Ministry of Music		Chancel Choir
Prayer Response #577		Blessed the Nation (vs.1)
Anthem		Heal Our Land
Worship Through Giving		The Church
^Offertory Dedication		#624
^Offertory Blessing		Usher
^Affirmation of Faith		Unison
We are not alone. We live in God's world. We believe in God, who has created and is creating, who has come in the true man, Jesus, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by His Spirit. We trust Him. He calls us to be His Church, to celebrate His presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.		
Junior Church	Youth Minister/Children	

Sermon

Pastor

“Labor, Lust, & Lies”

Genesis 39:1-3, 7-9, 19-21

^Song of Commitment

^Benediction/Blessing of the Meal

Pastor

^Postlude

Musician

^As you are able, please stand.

The Solid Rock

#404

Upcoming Schedule

Weekly Sunday Schedule:

Sunday School for All Ages 8:45, Prayer Room 9:45, Worship 10:00

Today:

Covered-Dish Fellowship Meal Following Worship

July 05:

Chancel Choir Practice 7:00

July 06:

Christian Education Board Meeting 7:00

July 09:

Quarterly Conference 6:00

July 16-20:

Vacation Bible School 6:00

The Board of Trustees now has a set of color-coded notebooks (one for each building and the grounds) in the conference room for reporting repair and maintenance needs.

Circle-4-Christ’s “July 4th Raffle” will take place today. Our heartfelt thanks to all who have supported us in this project.

Altar Flowers:

Given by Brenda Bunn in Honor of Independence Day.

Slide Builder This Week:

Chris Barnes

Ushers Today:

Ann Little and TBA

Housekeeping Sponsors This Week:

Needed

Lawncare Sponsor This Week:

Kitty & Donnie, Jane & Bill

Record of Attendance

6/25/23

In-Person Sunday School: 43

Online Sunday School: 28

In-Person Worship: 85

Online Worship: 32

6/28/23

Choir Practice: 10

Record of Stewardship for 6/25/23

Sunday School

\$35.00

General Fund

\$2201.56

Building Fund

\$130.00 (\$50 parking lot)

Cragmont	\$178.00
Children's Home	<u>\$2.00</u>
	\$2546.56