



## First United Methodist Church of Trenton

A family of God, through the love of Jesus Christ:  
**Reaching Up, Reaching Out, Embracing Everyone!**



**Welcome,** we are glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. We would like you to know that:

- Nursery services are available upon request. The nursery is located on the second floor.
- An asterisk (\*) located before an event means that we invite you to rise in body or in spirit.
- You are invited to join us for refreshments in the lounge after the service.
- The pastor is available to meet with you to answer any questions or address any concerns about the church you might have, and for pastoral counseling or conversation, and visits.
- We hope to see you again!

June 10, 2018

10:00 am

**Words of Reflection**

**"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3: 16 NIV**

**Welcome:**

**Prelude**

Organist/pianist Jeff Burke

**Call to Worship:** Selected verses from Psalm 138 adapted

Leader: I will praise you, O Lord, with all my heart.

**People: We will praise your name for your love and faithfulness.**

Leader: When I called, you answered me.

**People: You made me bold and stouthearted.**

Leader: Though the Lord is exalted, he looks kindly on the lowly.

**People: Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life.**

All: The Lord will fulfill his purpose for us; your love, O Lord endures forever!

**\*Opening Hymn** "Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above"

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**Opening Prayer:**

**Gospel Lesson: John 3: 1-18**

Response to the Gospel Lesson

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God, for which people say:

**People: Thanks be to God! Amen.**

**\*Hymn**

"We Believe in One True God"

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**Prayers of the People**

What joys or concerns do you want to take to God in prayer?

Do you have a story to share as to how God has worked in your life recently?

**Pastoral Prayer leading into 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**The Epistle Lesson:** II Corinthians 4: 13-5: 1

**\*Hymn** "I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry" # 2051

**Sermon** "God's Enduring Love for Us" Rev. Heidi Reinker

**\*Hymn** "To God Be the Glory" # 98

**Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings**

**Offering Prayer**

**Offertory Music**

**\*Doxology**

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, # 94*  
*Praise God, all creatures here below Alleluia! Alleluia!*  
*Praise God, the source of all our gifts! / Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!*  
*Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! / Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

**\*Benediction**

*It is our tradition to form a circle around the perimeter of the church after the benediction to sing "Let There Be Peace on Earth" while holding hands. If you are uncomfortable with this, you may proceed directly to the fellowship hall for refreshments!*

**Closing Hymn** "Let There Be Peace on Earth" Hymn # 431

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me;  
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.  
With God our Creator, children all are we.  
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.  
Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now.  
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:  
To take each moment and live each moment in love eternally.  
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

**\*Postlude**

Everyone is invited to the fellowship hall for refreshments and a time of fellowship.

**Altar Flowers:** Given by Pauline Arthurs & family and by Nadine Debusk & family in memory of Ceciel & Grace Arthurs and Boyd Arthurs.

**Coffee Hour:** Cheryl Byrd

**Liturgist:** Jan Woolcott

**Greeter:** Ruth Kasenow and Nina Barnsdale

**Liturgical Resources:**

**Call to Worship-**

**Opening Prayer-**

## In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

### Those who are hospitalized:

#### Those who are home:

- *Sandi Brewer*– Ruth Ann Brewer
- *Debbie Moffitt Botta* –Greg Moffitt
- *Cahalan Family*– Joe & Paulette Wilson
- *Mardell Hull*
- *Jo Kampschoer*
- *Ruth Kasenow*
- *Lindsey Liedke*-Betty Lozo daughter
- *Betty Lozo*
- *Pat Menatac*
- *Stan Miller*
- *Kathy Myers*
- *Alex Nicol*– Ruth Ann Brewer
- *Morris Prater*– Father of Tom Prater
- *Shannon Prater*-Lee and Jan Wynn's daughter
- *Donna Partillo*– Karen Roberts friend
- *Ryan Randazzo*– Betty and Stan Miller-grandson
- *Sally Thornton*–Karen Roberts friend
- *Joe Wilson*
- *Janet Wolfe*-Ruth Kasenow's daughter
- *Jeff Wynn*– Lee and Jan Wynn son
- *Lee Wynn*-

### Those serving our country:

- *SPC Bradley Cookson* (Army) - grandson of Faith Cookson
- *Lieutenant Colonel Nathaniel Davis* (Army, New York)
- *CPT Charles Dvorak* (Army) - brother of Emily Neubauer

**Please contact the church office if you would like a name added to the list**

## Trenton First UMC Announcements



### Breakfast & Devotion

If you're looking for a way to start the week with good food, great company and a brief devotion, then come join us at the diner.

The next breakfast will be  
Monday, June 18 at 8 am at  
Mom's Restaurant.

## Liturgists & Greeters Ministry

Greeters and Liturgists are needed for the  
2018 calendar year.

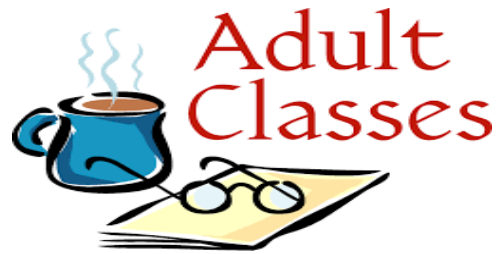
If you are interested, sign-up sheets are  
located in the lounge.



### Adult Bible Study

We gather Tuesdays from 1- 2 p.m. or so to study the scriptures together with Pastor Heidi. We read sections of the scriptures and then discuss them, so there is no homework, and you can jump in and join us anytime. So just bring your Bible and join us in the meeting room for this study. All are invited to attend. We are studying Galatians.

All are welcome!



### Adult Discussion Group

We meet after worship to look at the scriptures from worship that week to dig deeper into their meaning and how they connect to our lives as disciples. We gather in the meeting room after folks have gotten a chance to grab a few refreshments .

## Trenton First UMC and Community Announcements Continued



No choir or praise band practice after June 14th until September.

***Thank You!***

Thank you to Ira Neubauer for fixing the air conditioner and the leak.

Thank you to Jerry Ward for trimming the cedar tree by our side entrance and working to make it healthier.

Thank you to our liturgists so far this year Jan Wynn, Lynn Lash, Paulette Wilson, Tim Whalen and Jan Woolcott. We still need liturgist for July through November!



**Trenton Summer Festival**  
**Fri, June 22nd to Sun, June 24th**

We will need help with during the festival. If you are interested in helping or donating, like baked goods or soda, please see the sign up sheets in the lounge.

**Book Sale**  
**Fri and Sat 10-6; Sun 12-4**

**Sanctuary Café- Our hrs open:**  
**Fri and Sat 10-6; Sun noon-until food runs out**

We need people to help host, during the festival as well as set up and clean up.

**Cotton Candy**  
Friday, Saturday and Sunday. 12-4

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### June

**Sunday: 6/10:** 10 am worship

**Tuesday: 6/12:** 1 pm Bible Study; 7 pm Church Council meeting

**Sunday: 6/17:** 10 am Father's Day worship

**Monday: 6/18:** 8 am Breakfast & devotions at Mom's Restaurant;

**Tuesday: 6/19:** 9-11 am book sale set-up; 1 pm Bible study

**Friday: 6/22:** Trenton Summer Festival— our church book sale, café and cotton candy -  
10 am-6 pm (the festival runs 10 am-11 pm)

**Saturday: 6/23:** Trenton Summer Festival— our church book sale, café and cotton candy -  
10 am-6 pm (the festival runs 10 am-11 pm)

**Sunday: 6/24:** Worship 10 am. Our book sale will run 12-4 or so, our Sanctuary Café will run  
12-4 pm or until the food runs out; the cotton candy giveaway will run also.



Using the QR Code at right



Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

**The people of The United Methodist Church™**