

Order of Worship

July 15 & 16, 2023 - Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Welcome & Call to Worship Passing of the Peace Opening Music

Introduction to the Offering

Offertory

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

Song Reflection: Sara Crosby **Special Music:** "Revelation Song"

Scripture Reading: Revelation 5:1-14; Matthew 17:1-8 **Sermon:** "Revelation Song" - Pastor Scott Johnson

Communion
Closing Song
Benediction

Looking for the Friendship Card?

They are now green and available in the sanctuary chairs.

Prayer Concerns

Please lift these people and circumstances to God in your prayers throughout the week

Prayers for Healing

Dean, Fran S, Dee, Christa, Jill, Bernice, Fran, Audrey, Britt, Madie H, Steve B, Renee B, Emily R, Michelle, Bernice G, Larry, Cooper, Kin, Jerry, Gary N, Bob M, Greta K, Julian R, Maryellen S

Prayers for General Concerns

Norm, Tina M, All graduates going on to college and continuing schools, Sarah, Ryan, Family, Job, Finances, Michele

Ongoing Concerns

Long standing issue, Our country, Our church, Family, Gun control, Linda B, Ben, Upcoming treatment as Roswell, Paula, Mary, Theresa Z, Nancy F, Nick F, Patty, Gerry S, Michele A, Sarah S, Marc P, Fran S

Random Prayer Selection

Each week, we select several random names to receive prayer. Please be in prayer for the names selected and those close to them. This week's names:
Bill & Lynn Becker, Janis Fey, Dale & Janice Hodge, Joseph Milazzo & Christina Miller, Nancy Bonarowski & Ernie Rose, Judy Tyler, Edward & Melanie Ubiles, Errol Zuch

Our Church Family

This Week's Birthdays

- 15 Elizabeth Haniszewski, Elise Leeds
- 16 Mary Pogel
- 17 Becca Haniszewski, Connor Varney
- 18 Deana DeFranco, Gloria Falbo, Kelly Gold, Terry Shenton
- 20 Lynne Rogowski
- 21 Sara Crosby
- 22 Dawn Pietrobono, Alayna Weeks

This Week's Anniversaries

- 15 Jimmy Farrell '00
- 17 James & Diane Askey '00 Erin & Matthew DeVantier - '04
- 18 Kelsey & Marty Loyd '20
- 20 Richard & Doreen Anderson '00 Patrick & Donna Hahn - '96
- 21 William & Lynn Becker '90

This Week's Worship Sponsors

Bulletins & Communion Elements - Harvey Joseph

Please consider sponsoring our worship elements (communion, altar flowers, and bulletins) by signing up in the back of the sanctuary or online at pendletonchurch.org/worship-sponsor.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, July 19, 6:00 PM at Country Cottage at Beach Ridge & Townline Rd.

This month's book is *The Things We*Cannot Say by Kelly Rimmer.

Yvonne Bova, ybova@kaleidahealth.org

THE TOUGH STUFF

Thursday, July 20, 6:30 PM

What's the one question you've never gotten a chance to ask? We're committed to making this table a safe place to explore and discuss hard things. We're not going to argue. We're not going to judge. We're not trying to persuade people that one answer is right and others are wrong. Our goal is to look at as much scripture as possible related to a topic, talk about our interpretations and experiences, and listen to one another. Hopefully, we'll all come away from the journey knowing more about the Bible and these difficult issues Pastor Scott, ScottJohnson@pcumc.org

ATTENTION GARDENERS!

If any veggie gardeners find their crops producing more vegetables than they know what to do with, please keep the Thursday Night Dinners in mind! We would love to take some of your bounty and make it part of our menu! Beans, tomatoes, zucchini, and other favorites could be wonderful for the folks who attend the dinner! Let DJ Mahar know if you have anything to share!

DJ Mahar, dimahar@pcumc.org

CHURCH RETREAT

September 1-3 at Camp Asbury

It's not too late! We still have some availability! The retreat is open to any adults who would like a weekend to relax, relate and renew! Brochures are available by the church doors or online at pendletonchurch.org/retreat.

Linda Zanke, 716-523-0149

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

Millions of people take time every fall to carefully shop for and pack shoeboxes. These simple gifts bring great joy as children and their families learn about the true meaning of Christmas - the Good News of Jesus Christ. However, Operation Christmas Child is not just reserved for Christmas. We will have Christmas in July! Look for our booth out in mission alley.

You can pack a shoebox online for \$25 per box or create your own box and drop it off at church. Either way, you will make a difference in a child's life. Get your shoeboxes done early, or consider filling one now and another in the fall. Pick up a shoebox from Mission Central throughout July. Please return the shoe boxes the first week of August or earlier.



If filling a shoebox is too overwhelming, don't worry, there are other ways to contribute! We collect filler items and donations all year round for our "Shoebox Packing Party" in the fall. Check out our Christmas Tree for items needed, grab a tag, and return the item(s) to our collection box.

New this year! Sponsor a box! In honor of a loved one, you can simply donate \$25 to our church fund. That money will go towards funding items to be packed in a shoebox at our shoebox packing party. It will also cover the cost of shipping. On the inside of the shoebox we will write, "This box was made just for you in honor of ..." Please visit our table in Mission Central to learn more and fill out a form

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

Anna Smith, 716-998-4063

SUNDAE SOCIAL

Bring a chair and join your church family for a great time outside! Fellowship together as we enjoy the warm sun, ice cream, and music from The Gathering Band!

SUNDAY, JULY 23 1:00-3:00 PM



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL August 7-11, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm each day

Ready, Set, Move VBS will inspire kids to:

DO What He Says BELIEVE Who He Is LOVE Who He Loves
SHARE What He Did GO Where He Leads

We want to invite you on a great adventure that will allow your kids to grow in their faith as they understand how they can follow Jesus here, there, and everywhere. It starts with the Bible and utilizes simple, memorable bottom lines to help kids remember how God's Word fits into their everyday lives.

We hope that you can join us for this incredible week together!

VBS will be for all kids going into kindergarten (in Sept.) up to kids who have completed 6th grade this year.

Registration is required *αnd now open* - pendletonchurch.org/vbs

Please consider serving in this wonderful ministry! There's a place for you!

Whether it's in the snack team, as a greeter, a station leader, a story teller, or someplace else, you're help is greatly appreciated!

Interested in serving at VBS? Please contact Adrienne Demmin or look for the sign up sheet in the back of the sanctuary!