



PENTECOST

Order of Worship

May 27 & 28, 2023

Pentecost & Confirmation Sunday

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Passing of the Peace

Opening Music

Introduction to the Offering

Offertory

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Confirmation

(Sunday at 9:00 AM)

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21, John 14:15-21, 25-27

Sermon

Pastor Scott Johnson

Communion

Closing Song

Benediction

Notes:

Prayer Concerns

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

*You can share your prayer requests or blessings on your Friendship Card in the bulletin
or online at pendletonchurch.org/fc*

Prayers for Healing

Patti, Bonnie F, Bonnie R, Jan G, Britt, Fran, Audrey, Marci, Ron, People who have addictions, Ed C, Larry, Kim, Cooper, Jane, Bernie G, Sharon M, Kevin M, Ben, Paula, Mary L, Jo, Bob M, Jacquie B, Julian B, Julian R, Ron E

Prayers for General Concerns

Dee M, Jessica D, Chase D, Sally, Safe travels for young drivers, Christa, Jill, Bernice, Family, Job, Finances, Shane, Ryan, Wisdom with nation's leaders, Susan R

Ongoing Concerns

Ongoing concerns are left on the prayer list for one month.

Sherry J, Michele A, Sarah S, Mike K, Tina M, Our country, our church, Sally, Bless young drivers, Mass shootings, Bear Ridge solar project, Bobbie H, Sheri B, Compromise & understanding between people & nations, Granddaughters

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:

Robert Benigno & Kayla Cline, Brenton & Deur Granville, Chris & Terri Krystofik, Violet Nelson, David & Amanda Pluff, Carolyn Smith, Jack Smith, John & Carolyn Zienkiewicz

This Week's Birthdays

28 - Robin Selino

29 - Kristin Clark, Rachel Kim-Kubiak, Nick Semsel

30 - Bonnie Bush, Jill Hackett, Abigail Lukasik

31 - Elizabeth Geary, Mary Licata, Jacek Mitrowski, Sonja Nelaimischkies

1 - Justin Daigler, Theresa Gear, Tom Valentine, Lori Wildt

2 - David Oswald

3 - June Phillips, Sydney Riexinger, Madelyn Scalzo

This Week's Anniversaries

30 - Joseph & Beatrice Mattina - '92, Timothy & Jeanne Prendergast

2 - Phil & Sharon Haendiges - '62

2 - Keith & Holly Varney - '01

This Week's Worship Sponsors

Communion Elements are sponsored by the Confirmands.

Altar Flowers are sponsored by Shirley Schlee, "in honor of Sarah's graduation."

Please consider sponsoring our worship elements (communion, altar flowers, and bulletins) by signing up in the back of the sanctuary!

Welcome!

We're glad to have you here with us today!

Whether this is your first time here or you're a member of our church family, we desire to welcome you and offer the opportunity for you to engage in worship and teachings from the Word of God.

Everyone, please fill out a Friendship Card - it helps us know you were here today! You can fill one out digitally on our website or by using the card inside and putting it in an offertory box.

Ways to Give

Give In-person

Place your offering in the plate when it is passed.

Give Online

Visit:
pendletonchurch.org/give

Give by Mail

6864 Campbell Blvd.
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Jr. Church

Children are always welcome in our worship service - we have kids bulletins available in the back. Jr. Church, a program designed for 3 years old - 6th grade, is also offered during the Sunday services. If you would like your child to participate in Jr. Church, bring your children to the Ark before service.

Nursery

Our Nursery is open at our 9:00 AM service with volunteers to watch your 1-2 year-olds while you enjoy the service. At our other services, the Nursery is available as a place for families to watch the service with their children as they play. A Family Room is also available in the back of the sanctuary by the sound booth to use at any time.

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END OF SUMMER Church Retreat

The snow stopped us last year, but we're back with a plan. **Our Church Retreat is earlier this year, on September 1-3.** Yes, it's Labor Day weekend, but we'll be back by Sunday afternoon, so you can still have a Labor Day cookout.

It will be held at Camp Asbury in Silver Lake, NY. Amherst Trinity UMC is co-sponsoring the retreat, but it is open to anyone who would like a weekend of faith, fellowship, and fun, so bring a friend! There are flyers posted around the building and brochures are available by the church doors or online at pendletonchurch.org/retreat. The cost is \$200 per person, which includes two nights lodging and four meals. A \$50 deposit is due by July 1, but it is first come, first served, so reserve early!

If you have any questions, please contact Linda Zanke at 716-523-0149 or call the church office. Hope you can join us!

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

The United Women in Faith will not meet on June 1; **we will meet on Thursday, June 8, at noon, at the Fieldstone Restaurant,** for our end-of-the-season luncheon. *If you still need to sign up, please call Naomi at 716-622-2360,* so we can add you to the reservation list. We will not meet again until September.

FEEDING HOPE

The folks we serve are enjoying the great weather - numbers have picked up. It's good to see. **On Wednesday, June 14,** we are looking to serve tuna casserole. **We need donations of packages of egg noodles, cream of chicken soup, cheddar cheese, frozen peas and carrots, canned fruit, and mayonnaise.**

Let's keep shining the light for all to see!

Sandy Houck, 716-903-5183



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

AUGUST 7-11 | 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM EACH DAY

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

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.



pendletonchurch.org/vbs (Registration opens June 18)



BIBLE STUDIES OPPORTUNITIES

The Tough Stuff

Tuesday, May 30 at 7:00 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

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Women's Study - Wednesdays at 7:00 PM

Alright Ladies! Anyone interested get your books! We will watch the video together and follow the study provided in the book *Luke: Gut Level Compassion* by Lisa Harper. Hope you can join us!

*Linda Barczykowski,
lindab125@outlook.com*

Luke: Jesus and the Outsiders, Outcasts Thursdays at 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM

Explore the life, teachings, death, and resurrection of Jesus as told in the Gospel of Luke.

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WORSHIP SPONSORS

Would you like to sponsor our Altar Flowers, Bulletins, or the Communion Elements for a weekend? Is there a date you'd like to acknowledge in the near future? If you are interested in sponsoring, you can do so easily!

- ▶ On the sign-up sheets in the back of the Sanctuary
- ▶ Online at pendletonchurch.org/worship-sponsors
- ▶ Contact Heather Miner in the office by phone or heatherminer@pcumc.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

View the full calendar:

pendletonchurch.org/calendar

Youth Group

End-of-Year Party - Sunday, 6/4, 5-9p

Angel Wings Intergenerational

Saturday, 6/10, 12-3p

Parents' Night Out

Saturday, 6/17, 4-9p

Registration Required

pendletonchurch.org/parentsnightout

Weekly Groups

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Sundays, 10a, Connection Room 2

Niagara County Senior Lunch

Mondays, 10a, Fellowship Hall

Monday Night Adult Small Group

Mondays, 7p

Watercolor Class

Tuesdays, 1p & Saturdays, 10a, Art Room

Pendletones Handbells

Wednesdays, 6p, Connection Room 1

Men of Hymn

Wednesdays, 7p, Music Room

Niagara Falls Community Dinner

Thursdays, 5p at First UMC, Niagara Falls

Boy Scouts

Thursdays, 7p, Gym

Upcoming Mission Moments

Alex's Lemonade Stand - June 3 & 4

ALS is a national childhood cancer foundation dedicated to raising funds for research into new treatments and cures for all children battling cancer. We'll also have our very own lemonade stand outside church this weekend.

Nicaragua - June 17 & 18

Ann Marie Zon began working with Father Alfonso in Nicaragua more than 25 years ago. Your generosity supports people of all ages, from infants to the elderly and everyone in between!