

Today

Worship. It does a person good!

Whether we realize it or not, we were designed for worship. We choose if we are going to worship our Creator or the created. From worship flows an intimacy with God.

In looking at the Lord's Prayer or more exact, our prayer model, we see it starts with worship. Following from the powerful expression of worship, our focus begins to shift to inviting God's rule and reign to become the earthly norm.

Today, Pastor David continues to unpack our prayer model in his message, "**Thy Kingdom Come**". The text of the Lord's Prayer is found in **Matthew 6:9-13**.

Please check in today by filling out a Communication Card which can be found in the foyer or through our smartphone app. You can also share prayer concerns through these two options.

11:00 a.m. Congregational Business Meeting

This Week

August 5 - 10

MONDAY

6:30 p.m. Outreach Commission Meeting

TUESDAY

8:00 a.m. Koffee & Konversation, Hellertown Diner

WEDNESDAY

4:00 p.m. Ladies' Swim Party & Picnic

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

This Week's Bible Reading Plan

Week 32

- Hosea 1-3; Matthew 16
- Hosea 4-6; Psalm 58; Matthew 17
- Hosea 7-10; Matthew 18
- Hosea 11-13; Matthew 19
- Hosea 14; 2 Chronicles 26-27; Psalm 61; Matthew 20

Announcements

We have **Hearing Assist Units** available for those who may have difficulty hearing the service. Please speak to the person in the sound room to receive your unit for the morning.

We have a **Staffed Nursery** to care for your children through age three. In addition, there is a **Cry Room** at the rear of the sanctuary to attend to the needs of infants.

There will be **No Sunday School** during the month of August.

Please join the **Quarterly Congregational Business Meeting** today held immediately following our worship service. All are invited to be a part of the discussion.

The **Outreach Commission** will be meeting on Monday evening at 6:30 p.m.

All Ladies are invited to a **Swim Party/Picnic** at Sandy Faust's home this Wednesday, **August 7**, at 4 p.m., beginning with swimming, if you wish, and then having our meal at 5:30 p.m. We will be having taco salad together. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you would like to attend; if you can bring an item, sign up for the one item you are willing to bring. Once all the food items are signed up for, sign up on one of the other lines and just bring yourself!! Come as your schedule permits—for the whole evening or just for a short time!! We hope to see many women in attendance!

A Baptism/Church Membership information meeting will be held on Sunday evening, **August 25, at 6:30 p.m.** This meeting is for all those who have expressed an interest in baptism/church membership or would like to explore this more fully.

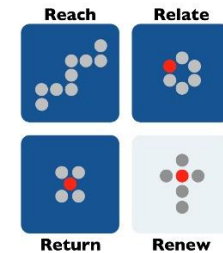
From Guy Lesser: Our **Softball Team** ended the season with a 6 to 4 loss vs. Cedar Crest BFC in the playoffs. Thank you to Dan Reed for volunteering to umpire, Deanna, Karen L, Rachel L. & Baylen for keeping the Score-book & Scoreboard. Also, thanks go to our "grounds crew" of Jason, Brent, Jeremy, Tommy & Geoffrey for installing & removing the bases, pitchers' rubber & home-plate mat for home games, as well as Karlton for lugging the bats to & from games. Also, to the 18 different players who participated in games, particularly a few who sacrificed their own desires for the benefit of the team, & to the congregation for its support, & to Sheryl for her ongoing assistance with communication & coordinating tasks.

Ministry Opportunities & Events

Wilson Adoption Fund – Please turn any remaining envelopes in today, thank you!

The **August SCMC Prayer Guide** is available in the foyer. Please utilize this resource to pray specifically for the people and programs of SCMC.

REACH those far from God
RELATE to those near to God



RETURN blessing as blessed
RENEW a right spirit within

Birthdays and Anniversaries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Collin Cunningham – August 4
Trevor Faust – August 4
Geoff Reed – August 7
Skyla Lesser – August 10

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

Bobby & Britney Kempf – August 6

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON JULY 28: \$6,883.00

WILSON ADOPTION FUND: \$2,504.00

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5,385.00

YTD OFFERING: \$162,935.13

YTD BUDGET: \$161,550.00

ATTENDANCE ON JULY 28: 94

Serving Others

SUNDAY

Nursery Becky Brooks
Autumn Willard
Worship Ldr. Sandy Faust

NEXT SUNDAY:(Aug 11)

Sue Reed
Jaylen Lesser
Dan Reed



Information

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“Thy Kingdom Come”

Matthew 6:9-13
Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



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Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.