

*Worship*



*Connect*



*Grow*



*Serve*

**GEORGETOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
GEORGETOWN, DE 19947**

July 28, 2024

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10:00 am

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## CHIMING OF THE HOUR

### INTROIT

***“WE WILL GLORIFY THE KING OF KINGS”***

*We will glorify the King of kings. We will glorify the Lamb  
We will glorify the Lord of lords who is the great I Am*

### WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

REV. BARBARA MACFIE

### PRELUDE

***“HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD”***

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

BASED ON PSALM 145

CAROL ANN STONE, WORSHIP LEADER

Lift praises to the name of our God; bless God's name forever!

**How great is our God!**

From generation to generation we will sing your praises and speak  
of your goodness!

**Great is our God and worthy of praise!**

God, you are righteous in all your ways and faithful in all you do.

**How great is our God!**

### \*PRAYER FOR INVOCATION

### \*OPENING HYMN

***“THOU ART WORTHY”***

#126

***“HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD”***

*How great is our God, sing with me how great is our God  
And all will see how great, how great is our God.*

*The splendor of a King, clothed in majesty,  
Let all the Earth rejoice, all the Earth rejoice.  
He wraps himself in light and darkness tries to hide  
And trembles at His voice, trembles at His voice.*

## FAITH SHARING WITH CHILDREN & YOUTH

### CALL TO CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(UNISON)*

O Christ, when the crowds surrounded you, hungry for bread and for your word, you took an offering—five loaves, two fish—and made for them a feast. Still, O Lord, we doubt the abundance of your grace. Still, O Lord, we are hesitant to share the gifts we have. Still, O Lord, we wonder whether there is enough for all. Forgive us, O God, and make of us a more generous people. Empower us to share the gift of our lives, and enlighten us to see the miracles around us. For you are the giver of grace upon grace, the one who turns want into plenty. Amen.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

#### \*PRAYER RESPONSE      *“HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION”*

*How firm a foundation, O saints of the Lord,  
Is laid for your faith in his excellent Word!  
What more can he say than to you he has said  
Who unto the Savior for refuge have fled?*

<b>FIRST READING</b>	<b><i>EPHESIANS 3:14-21</i></b> <sup>(NRSV)</sup>	NT, P. 182
<b>HYMN</b>	<b><i>“O THE DEEP, DEEP LOVE OF JESUS”</i></b>	#398
<b>SECOND READING</b>	<b><i>JOHN 6:1-21</i></b> <sup>(NRSV)</sup>	NT, P. 91-92
<b>SERMON</b>	<b><i>“THE FULLNESS OF GOD”</i></b>	

*REV. BARBARA MACFIE*

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH***A NEW CREED, 1968**THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA*

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, 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.

**INSTALLATION OF RULING ELDER****JOYS & CONCERNS****PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**CALL FOR THE OFFERING****OFFERTORY****\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

#34

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

**\*DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS**

**\*CLOSING HYMN**

***“BE THOU MY VISION”***

#502

**\*BENEDICTION**

TODAY there is a Planning Meeting immediately after worship for those involved in the Grow, Worship, Serve and Connect teams. There will be pizza!!

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**Prayer for Invocation.** <http://Qunakeymbc.org>.

**Prayer of Confession.** [calltoworshipjournal.org](http://calltoworshipjournal.org).

**Assurance of Pardon.** [calltoworshipjournal.org](http://calltoworshipjournal.org).

**Affirmation of Faith.** “A New Creed, 1968;The United Church of Canada.”

**Call for the Offering.** Psalm 37:4.

**Dedication of Offerings.** Prayers life.com.




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**WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE LIFE  
OF OUR CONGREGATION?**

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***Calendar of Events***

July 28	Install new Elder
July 28	Planning Meeting
July 31	Operation Restoration Set Design in TH from 6-8 p.m.
August 3	Operation Restoration Finish Set Design @ 9 a.m.
August 5-9	Operation Restoration 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
August 4-13	Pastor Barb's vacation
August 17	Work Day! (more info to come)
September 24	Mobile Food Pantry
November 26	Mobile Food Pantry




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***Opportunities to WORSHIP***

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Sunday services

10 a.m. in person, Zoom or  
Facebook Streaming

If you are interested in being a Worship Leader over the Summer, please contact Norman Bergstrom.



## *Opportunities to GROW*



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### **Sunday School**

Our Sunday School is now on Summer break! However, our nursery is continuing for ages 0-4. "Kids Bags" will be available for children in worship!

## *Youth Retreat*

An informational email was sent to all YOUTH this week about the "YOUTH KICK OFF retreat at the Beach" on September 6-8.

Please reserve your spot by contacting Sharon Lawrence and sending in a \$20.00 deposit to the church office. Bobby and Caroline are planning fun activities and time to create a beach Worship. Everyone is invited to share in this worship on the Beach Sunday morning, September 8th.

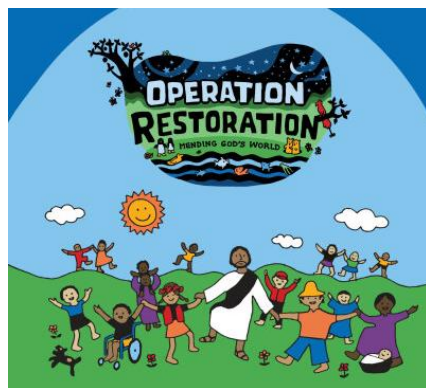
Time to be announced closer to the date as we consider the weather.

If you need more details contact Sharon Lawrence  
[sleeargast@gmail.com](mailto:sleeargast@gmail.com).

## Operational Restoration (an Intergenerational Summer Learning)

Come one, come all to "Operation  
Restoration"!!

**Monday, August 5 through  
Friday, August 9, 2024  
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.**



In a world damaged and needy what does God teach us?  
In song, scripture, story and arts we'll explore the topics together!!

### Daily Topics:

Monday	Food
Tuesday	Healing
Wednesday	Prayer
Thursday	Forgiveness
Friday	Rest

We need YOUR HELP to create and set up Operation Restoration. On the bulletin board at the bottom of the steps, there are sticky notes with opportunities for you to donate something or just loan an item for our "Intergenerational Summer Learning" aka VBS. Jackson (Xander) and Zoe (Abby) are the main characters of the skits each night however, we are looking for actors and actresses to fill supporting roles. If you would like to join this creative group let us know. If acting is not your gift, how about joining Travis George in the creation of the set for the skits? We will be creating and painting on Wednesday, July 31 from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm and then finishing up on Saturday, August 3rd at 9:00 am until completion. Please come join the fun!

Don't forget to fill out the registration form to save a spot. You may find these registration forms at the Welcome Table each Sunday or online from the email sent to your home. Looking forward to spending time with you.





## *Opportunities to CONNECT*



### **SAVE THE DATE**



**Tuesday, September 24, 2024** – Trip to Sight and Sound Theater, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Sponsored by Grace United Methodist Church  
 Call Michele Fletcher if you are interested  
 302-249-0262 – mkchele08@gmail.com

Price: \$115.00



Covers transportation, show, lunch and all gratuities.

#### Itinerary:

- 7:00 Bus arrives at Grace Church
  - 7:30 Bus departs (light breakfast snack served on bus)
  - 10:15 Arrive at Sight and Sound
  - 11:00 Show "Daniel"
  - 1:45 Bus to "Bird-in-Hand" for luncheon buffet
  - 2:00 Lunch and shops
  - 3:30 Board bus for home
  - 6:15 Bus arrives at Grace Church
- (Restroom on bus)

**DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT THE BULLETIN BOARD AT THE BOTTOM OF THE STEPS TO SEE WHAT YOU CAN EITHER DONATE OR LEND TO OPERATION RESTORATION!**



			
July 29	Juliann Taylor	August 17	Sarapheen Mall
July 31	Troy Abbott	August 24	Sumbal Gulab
August 6	Cheryle Choudhary	August 25	Bob Chudakewich
August 12	Gail Brown	August 26	Abigail Gulab
August 15	Paul Vanella	August 27	Andrea Garvilla
			
August 29	Asher & Rukhsana Gulab	Sept 1	Mike & Karen Berry



## ***Opportunities to SERVE***



### **First Fruits Cart**

This month the Wesley Pantry has requested chicken noodle soup, tomato soup, pancake mix, and pancake syrup. Please place any non-perishable food in the yellow cart in the foyer as you come in. Thank you!

*Everything that lives and moves about will be food for you. Just as I gave you the green plants, I now give you everything. (Genesis 9:3)*

### **Mobile Food Pantry**

The Mobile Food Pantry is being scheduled for ***September 24***.

More information to come! Volunteers are always needed.

Please contact Gail Brown or Linda Wolfe for more information.



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**IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US— WE ARE GLAD YOU’RE HERE!**

*WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US EACH SUNDAY MORNING AT 10:00 FOR WORSHIP.*

*FOR INFORMATION ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP, CONNECT, GROW, AND SERVE, OR FOR JOINING OUR FELLOWSHIP, PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AT (302) 856-6842.*

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#### **CLERK OF SESSION**

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