

August 16, 2026

Video Introduction

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship Blue Hymnal 766

*Opening Hymn "Christ is our Cornerstone" Blue Hymnal 43

*Centering Prayer Blue Hymnal 742

*Praise Medley on screen, guitar

Old Testament Lesson Deut. 4:23-24 Pew Bible 255

Offering Meditation unison

"God, as we bring our offerings before you, we ask for your guidance in fine-tuning our faith. Help us to trust you more deeply, to step out in faith, and to follow where you lead. May our giving today be an expression of our growing faith in you. Amen."

Offering

Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, you Heavenly Host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

Prayer of Blessing

Children's Story Lona Bridenbaugh
Sing "Jesus Loves the Little Children" as the kids come forward

Sharing of Joys and Prayer Concerns

Hymn "Open my Eyes" Blue Hymnal 517 v. 2

Morning Prayer

Special Music Bill Shorb

Scripture Malachi 3:1-4 Pew Bible 1368

Message "The Anvil and the Forge" Pastor Mark

*Closing Hymn "For Christ and the Church" Blue Hymnal 416

*Benediction

*Closing chorus on screen

Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*

VISITORS

Welcome to our service today!

We encourage first time visitors to fill out a pink card located in the pew rack and take it to the Welcome Center after worship.

Restrooms are available at the back of the sanctuary (handicapped accessible with baby changing station), outside the fellowship hall at top of ramp and on our lower level (down the stairs near the entrance, then to your right).

The Calm Room in the back of the sanctuary is available for families to use if you need a quiet, private space for children.

Please Uplift in Prayer

Family of Evelyn Dickensheets, Pat & Paul Knaub

Announcements

Newsletter Article Deadline: TODAY, August 16.

Budget Worksheets: Due to the office next Sunday, Aug 23.

Date Change for Movie Night: New date is Sunday, August 23, at 6 pm. Hope to see you there!

Celebration of Life Service: for Mary Kate Henry today at 3 p.m. here at the church.

Game Night: Friday, August 21 at 6 pm. Please bring a snack to share!

Blessing of the Backpacks: Sunday, August 23.

Outdoor Trim Repair: The Property and Finance Commission is having the dentil trim (wood trim under the soffit) of the church repaired and painted. The cost is \$9,750. If you would like to make a donation towards this repair, just write 'wood trim' or 'dentil trim' on your envelope or check. Thank you!

Car Show: Saturday, September 12 from 9:00 to noon. Rain date is Saturday, September 26.

Yard Sale: Friday, September 18 & Saturday, September 19. To volunteer to help, see Amy.

Offering Emphasis for August: HACC Changing Lives.

Attendance Last Week

Sunday School - 28 Worship - 80

Giving Last Week

General- \$2,531 Building Rental- \$120 Mem. Gifts- \$275
HACC- \$100 Wood Trim- \$20 Mowing- \$10 Comm Aid- \$74.10
(Budget Need Per Week - \$4,202)

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Activities This Week

Sunday, Aug 16

Conf. Report - 9:00 am/Worship - 10:30 am

Newsletter Article Deadline

Monday, Aug 17

Line Dance - 6 pm

PAL@HACC

Al Anon - 7 pm

Tuesday, Aug 18

Bible Study - 11 am

AA - 8 pm

Thursday, Aug 20

Crafts - 9 am

Friday, Aug 21

Newsletter Assembly - 9 am

Game Night - 6 pm

Upcoming Activities

Sunday, Aug 23

Sunday School - 9:00 am/Worship - 10:30 am

Budget Worksheets Due

Movie Night - 6 pm

Monday, Aug 24

Line Dance - 6 pm

Al Anon - 7 pm

Tuesday, Aug 25

Bible Study - 11am

AA - 8 pm

Thursday, Aug 27

Crafts - 9 am

Assisting Us

Worship Leader

Music Director/Pianist

Organist

Deacon of the Month/Welcomer

Head Usher

Bulletin Board

Brooklyn Kneller

Roxie Schloyer

Bev Wolf

Pat Conrad

Roger Bollinger

Kim Smith