

**THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP**  
*Fifth Lord's Day in Easter*

**BALDWIN UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**201 KNOEDLER ROAD**  
**PITTSBURGH, PA 15236**

Rev. Dr. Robert E. Walkup, Pastor  
Mrs. Grace Shearer, Organist & Choir Director  
Mr. Tom Yousko, Liturgist  
Rev. Dr. James K. Smith, Sr., Pastor Emeritus

*Today's Guest Minister: Rev. Eric Hertzog*

11.00 A.M.

May 19, 2019

**WE GATHER IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST**  
*(Please be seated in silence)*

**First Organ Prelude**

**Announcements**

**Second Organ Prelude**

**Call to Worship**

*(Inspired by Psalm 148)*

**Antiphonal**

Leader: Hallelujah! Come, praise the eternal God!

**People: Praise God!**

Leader: All the angels and heavenly hosts above-

**People: Praise God!**

Leader: Sun, moon, and stars in the skies-

**People: Praise God!**

Leader: All living creatures on earth and in the deeps-

**People: Praise God!**

Leader: All peoples, high and low, men and women,  
young and old-

**People: Praise God!**

Leader: Let them all praise the Name of the LORD  
whose glory is over heaven and earth.

**People: Hallelujah!**

**\*Hymn**

**Hymnal Flyleaf**

*“How Great Thou Art”*

**\*Prayer of the Day**

L: The Lord be with you.

***P: And also with you***

L: Let us pray.

Leader: Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life. Give us grace to love one another, to follow in the way of his commandments, and to share his risen life; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

**HIS LIGHT DISPELS OUR DARKNESS**

**\*Call to Confession** **Leader**

Let us confess to God our short-comings so that he might wipe every tear from our eyes and renew us in the power of the Spirit.

**\*Prayer of Confession** **Unison**

*Holy God, look upon us and hear the yearning of our hearts for your fulfillment. You know how we seek to still the turmoil within ourselves by conforming to the conventions of the world. You know how we try to fill our emptiness with things. You know how we seek to calm the restlessness of our minds and spirits with idle thoughts that do not mirror your Kingdom goals. Holy God, help us to face up to ourselves, so that, as you move toward us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive your mercy that restores and renews all things. Hear our prayer for the sake of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ as we together pray the words he gave us, saying: "Our Father....Amen."*

**\*Silent Prayer**

**\*Assurance of Pardon** **Minister**

God has made his home among us and invites us into his future by the repentance that leads to life.

***Thanks be to God.***

**\*Gloria Patri** **#546**

**\*The Peace**

## Offertory

**\*Organ Response** #552

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Doxology** #544

**\*Hymn** #385

*“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”*

## HIS LIGHT GRANTS US VISION

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Unison**

*Holy God, Word made flesh, let us come to this word open to being surprised. Silence our agendas, banish our assumptions, cast out our apathy. Confound our expectations and penetrate the corners of our hearts with this word. We know that you can, we pray that you will, and we wait with eager anticipation. Amen.*

**First Reading**

**Pew Bible pg. 130**

*Acts of the Apostles 11:1-18*

**Second Reading**

**Pew Bible pg. 259**

*Revelation 21:1-6*

**Anthem**

**Gospel Reading**

**Pew Bible pg. 108**

*John 13:31-35*

**Sermon**

**Rev. Eric Hertzog**

**Affirmation of Faith**

**Apostles' Creed**

*Hymnal pg. 12; using "Holy Spirit"*

**Prayers of the People**

**WE BEAR THE LIGHT OF CHRIST TO OTHERS**

**\*Hymn**

**#503**

*"We Have Heard the Joyful Sound"*

**\*Charge & Blessing**

**Minister**

**\*Response**

**# 78**

*"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"  
(Verses 1)*

**\*Recessional**

***\*Please Stand if Able***

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**WORSHIP TEAM TODAY: Jeri Stoehr, Rose Marie Neill, Vince Wisbar**

**WORSHIP TEAM NEXT SUNDAY: Dottie Fisher, Bob David, Cheryl David**

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***Bible Readings***



**SUNDAY:** "Learning To Forgive" Mathew 5:43-48

**MONDAY:** "God Will Make A Way" Luke 12:22-34

**TUESDAY:** "Taste And See" Psalm 96:1-9

**WEDNESDAY:** "Keep Watch" Matthew 26:31-46

**THURSDAY:** "Refuge From the Storm" Psalm 46:1-11

**FRIDAY:** "A Job We Can Do" Luke 8:32-39

**SATURDAY:** "Perfect Trust" Psalm 34:1-8

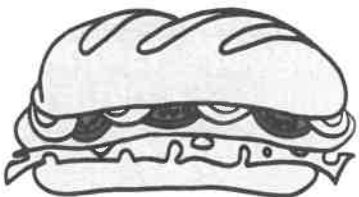
**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** *"The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my GOD is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold." Psalm 18:2 (NIV)*

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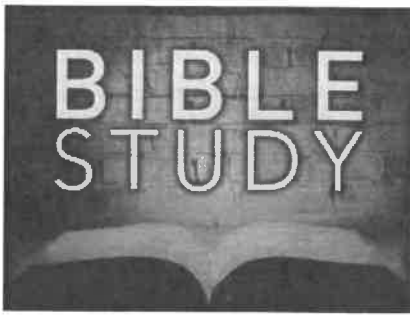
Please continue to pray for our sick and shut-ins. Also pray for Jay Torrance, Dorothy Williams, Mary Ellen Shenkle, Brenda Torrance, George Briggs, Cheryl Harriett, Jean Beyer and Eloise Berglund.



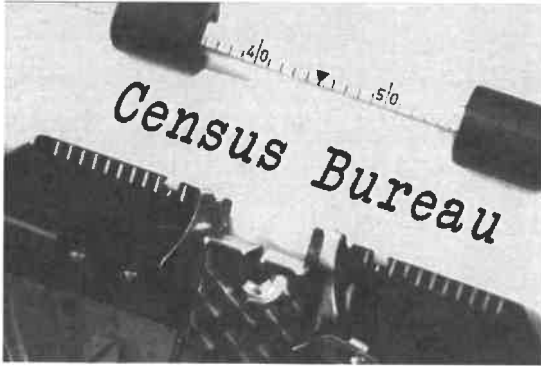
Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of **Myrna Trautvetter** who passed away on **Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>**. Please pray for her family and friends at this difficult time.



The **Deacons Summer Hoagie Sale** is coming up. The **Deacons** will only be selling **Italian hoagies** at this sale. The price is \$7.00 and pick-up is **Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon**. **Sign-up sheets** are on the hall table. Deadline for ordering is **May 26<sup>th</sup>**.



**Please note: Bible Study has resumed on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM.**



**The Federal Government is looking for Census Takers for 2020. You can apply on line at [2020census.gov/jobs](https://2020census.gov/jobs) or call 1-855-JOB-2020. If interested, more information is on the hall table.**



**Mark Your Calendar. . . The South Hills Community Concert Band will be having their annual summer concert on Monday June 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. Weather permitting, it will be outside. Also strawberry shortcake and ice cream will be served. Come and enjoy the sounds of summer!**



**THE MEMORIAL BOOK IS OPEN THIS  
MORNING AND WILL REMAIN OPEN TO  
THE PAGE:  
TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN LOVING  
MEMORY  
Of:**

***MYRNA TRAUTVETTER***  
***Deceased: May10, 2019***

Presented By:

***Baldwin Ladies Evening Circle***

***MAY 19, 2019***