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**THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
Eighteenth Lord's Day In Ordinary Time**

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Rev. Steven Bomely, Guest Minister
Mrs. Grace Shearer, Organist & Choir Director

11.00 A.M.

August 5, 2018

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

First Organ Prelude

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Announcements

Second Organ Prelude

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Call to Worship

Antiphonal

Leader: Merciful God, when your people Israel
hungered in the Wilderness, you rained bread
from heaven to feed them.

People: *And the people grumbled.*

Leader: Bounteous God, when the multitude hungered, you multiplied the loaves and fishes that they might be satisfied.

People: *And the authorities grumbled.*

Leader: Faithful God, when the world hungered for righteousness, Jesus Christ became for us the Bread of Life so that we might never again hunger.

People: *And the world grumbled.*

Leader: In dying, rising and returning to the Father, Jesus Christ is revealed to be your redemptive Bread of Heaven that is consumed but never diminished.

People: *And the dominion of Sin and Death grumbled.*

Leader: Give us this day our Daily Bread that we may abide in Christ, and he in us forever.

People: *Alleluia!*

***Hymn**

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"We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer"

***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 fed the

hungry with the bread of his life and the Word of his kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, Jesus Christ our Lord, 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**

We have been called by Christ to be holy and blameless, yet we don't always lead lives worthy of this calling. Let us together acknowledge having fallen short of the mark trusting the grace of God to renew us.

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

God of unity and love, place within each of us a spirit of hope and community. Have mercy upon us when we speak without love or act without humility. Cleanse us with the living water of your grace. Create in us willing hearts to live in patience and gentleness. Raise us up to be your children, growing toward maturity in faith and love. Strengthen this church, that we may be a model of ministry and unity for all the world to see. In Christ's name, we pray, saying: "Our Father....Amen."

***Silent Prayer**

***Assurance of Pardon** **Minister**
Rejoice! There is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. The law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and death.
Thanks be to God!

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

***The Peace**

The Offertory

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***Organ Response** **#552**

***The Prayer of Dedication**

***The Doxology** **#544**

***Hymn** **#442**

“Here, O Lord, I See Thee Face to Face”

HIS LIGHT GRANTS US VISION

Prayer for Illumination **Unison**
Send now, O God, your wind, your breath, your Spirit into the dark and closed recesses of our hearts and minds where there is the stagnant smell of death. Send to us your Word that we might come to new life and breathe the fresh air of your Kingdom through Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose Name we pray. Amen.

First Reading

PewBible pg. 49-50

Mark 12:41-44

Gospel Reading

Pew Bible pg. 93

John 2:1-12

Sermon

Rev. Bomely

“Seed-Faith: Expect A Miracle (part 2)”

THE EUCHARIST

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

The Great Thanksgiving

Responsive

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

L: Give thanks to God, for he is good.

P: His love is everlasting.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving & Petition

Affirmation of Faith

Apostles’ Creed

Hymnal pg. 12; using “Holy Spirit”

Words of Institution

The Sacrament of the Bread and Cup

Prayer After Communion

WE BEAR THE LIGHT OF CHRIST TO OTHERS

***Hymn**

#350

“Onward, Christian Soldiers”

***Charge & Blessing**

Minister

***Postlude**

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****Please Stand if Able***

WORSHIP & COMMUNION TEAM TODAY: Sean Frey, Colleen Frey
Craig Frey

WORSHIP TEAM NEXT WEEK: Jean Lindberg,
Diane McGreevy, Vince Wisbar

Bible Readings



SUNDAY: "Back On Our Feet" Mark 4:35-41
MONDAY: "Working For Our Good" Romans 8:28-39
TUESDAY: "Jesus Is Our Guide" Psalm 25:4-10
WEDNESDAY: "New Hope" 1 Peter 5:6-10
THURSDAY: "God's Plan" Proverbs 16:1-9
FRIDAY: "God, My Shelter" Psalm 91:1-10
SATURDAY: "Enough For All" Matthew 14:13-21
THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: *"Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty." Psalm 91:1 (NIV)*



Please continue to pray for our sick and shut-ins. Also pray for Jay Torrance, Charles Leuthold, Dorothy Williams, Norman Coliane, Patty Kulpa, Bob Knight, Charlotte Maegle, Nancy Torrance, Tom Shearer, Mary Ellen Shenkle, Sherri Rodgers, Twila Weixel, Frank Mascherma and Gene Marnell.



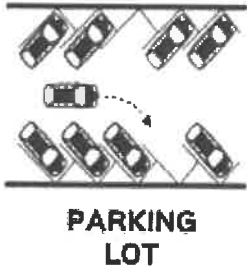
Welcome Rev. Steven Bomely to the Baldwin United Presbyterian Church, who is substituting for Dr. Bob today.

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COMMUNION

Today is **Holy Communion Sunday**. If you are receiving **Holy Communion**, please complete the registration card on the back of the bulletin and place on the **offering plate**.
Thank you.



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Anybody using the parking lot please be advised that the parking lot will be fixed and re-paved starting sometime soon. We request that, while this work is underway, you park at Paramount Senior Assisted Living (across from the church), on the street, or in the shopping center lot at the corner of Brownsville and Knoedler Roads. DO NOT park in the apartment complex parking lot adjacent to the church property as they will tow cars without parking permits. Any questions, call the church office. Thank you.



There will be a Deacon's meeting on Sunday, August 12th after Worship Service.

The next Session meeting will be Tuesday, August 14th at 7:00 PM. Minutes of last month's meeting are on the hall table for the Elder's review.