

Pentecost Sunday Confirmation Sunday 8:30 Contemporary Worship Service

*Opening Song	“Spirit of the Living God”	PraiseWorks Band
Welcome and Ministry Opportunities and Opening Prayer		Pastor Monica
	<i>Please fill out the Friendship Register on the clipboard located on a chair in your row. First-time visitor or member, let us know you were here!</i>	
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Rebecca LeSturgeon
*Celebration Song	“Open Up the Heavens”	PraiseWorks Band
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Tyler Curtis (video)
*Celebration Song	“Spirit of God”	PraiseWorks Band
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Sean Barrett
*Passing of the Peace		
Moment For All Ages		Julie Hughes
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Olivia Eason (video)
Old Testament Lesson	<i>Psalm 104:24-34, 35b</i>	Brian Barrett
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Sean Barrett
New Testament Lesson	<i>Acts 2:1-21</i>	Jayna Bruno
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Luke Reynolds (video)
Children from Age 4 through Grade 4 are dismissed to meet in room #9 for Children’s Worship. At 9:30, the children staying for JAM will be taken to the youth room (#8 & 10) and those who are not staying will be brought back to the Sanctuary.		
Sharing our Faith: Faith Story		Brian Barrett
Moment of Impact	Youth Ministries	Pastor Monica
Offering	“The Potter’s Hand”	PraiseWorks Band
*Offertory Prayer		Sean Barrett
Gathered Prayers of the People		Pastor Jim
The Lord’s Prayer		
*Closing Song	“Fear Not”	PraiseWorks Band
*Benediction		

*** Please stand as you are able**

**Pentecost Sunday
Confirmation Sunday
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship**

OPEN

Prelude

Welcome and Ministry Opportunities

Pastor Monica

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***Call to Worship (Responsive)** (written by Nolan and Phyliss Palsma) Mya Ditzel

One: Spirit of the living God, visit us again on this day of Pentecost.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit.

One: Like a rushing wind that sweeps away all barriers,

Many: Come, Holy Spirit.

One: Like tongues of fire that set out hearts aflame,

Many: Come, Holy Spirit.

One: With speech that unites the Babel of our tongues,

Many: Come, Holy Spirit.

One: With love that overlaps the boundaries of race and nation,

Many: Come, Holy Spirit.

One: With power from above to make our weakness strong.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit, Amen

Sharing our Faith: Faith Story

Rebecca LeSturgeon

***Processional Hymn** "Holy, Holy Holy! Lord God Almighty" Hymnal No. 64

***Opening Prayer** Rebecca LeSturgeon

Spirit of the Living God, on this day, we invite you to fall on us, to surround us, and to make us new creations. We come this morning to worship and to re-commit our hearts, our minds, and our lives to you. We invite you, Holy Spirit, to do big things in us this day and every day. Awaken us in your mercy, inspire us with your grace, and move us to action with your love. Amen.

***Passing of the peace** Rebecca LeSturgeon

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you.

GROW

Moments for All Ages

Julie Hughes

Sharing our Faith: Faith Story

Tyler Curtis (video)

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Brian Barrett

Sharing our Faith: Faith Story

Sean Barrett



Donations Needed:

- . Grill (preferably gas)
- . Playing cards
- . Card games
- . Dominoes
- . Checkers
- . Corn hole
- . Lawn Games
- . Kick ball

If you would like to donate any of these items, please leave them in the box in the lobby or call the church office.

WEDNESDAY FOOD AND FUN NIGHT!

West Grove United Methodist Church is launching a new Wednesday night **“Summer Fun for Everyone”**. The weekly event will start on **June 3 and continue through the summer culminating on August 26**. The entire

community is invited to attend from **6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

There will be hotdogs, games, fellowship and a brief word from the Lead Pastor, Rev. Monica B. Guepet, each week. The church wants to continue building a relationship with everyone in the community and believe a relaxed, welcoming atmosphere where folks of all ages could come and enjoy themselves would fit perfectly. Pastor Monica says that it “won’t be fancy”. Families can get a night off of cooking by coming to the church for hot dogs and whatever assortment of side dishes show up. All beverages will be supplied. If you’d like to bring a bag of chips, some cookies, or side dish, they will be appreciated, but by no means mandatory. The event is totally free.

A box of games will be available, the youth plan to have their new 9-In-The-Air game up and going, a gated playground is open for little ones, and the ample parking lot and grounds will provide lots of space for kids of all ages to play. Bring your lawn chair and take the night off! All are welcome! The church is located at 300 N. Guernsey Road, West Grove. For more information you may call the church at 610-869-9334, or visit their website: www.westgroveumc.org.

Old Testament Lesson: *Psalm 104:24-34, 35b*

O LORD, how manifold are your works!

In wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.

Yonder is the sea, great and wide,
creeping things innumerable are there,
living things both small and great.

There go the ships,
and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

These all look to you

to give them their food in due season;
when you give to them, they gather it up;
when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

When you hide your face, they are dismayed;
when you take away their breath, they die
and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the LORD endure forever;
may the LORD rejoice in his works—
who looks on the earth and it trembles,
who touches the mountains and they smoke.

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

May my meditation be pleasing to God,
for I rejoice in the LORD.

Bless the LORD, O my soul.

Praise the LORD!

THIS WEEK: May 24 through May 31, 2015

~~ Hours for the Church Office: Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. ~~

Sunday:

**PENTECOST SUNDAY
CONFIRMATION SUNDAY**

8:30 a.m. Contemporary Service with PraiseWorks Band
9:45 a.m. J.A.M. and Christian Education for all ages
11:00 a.m. Traditional Service with Chancel Choir

Monday:

Church Office Closed for Memorial Day

6:30 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. S.O.S. Ladies (#8, 10)

Tuesday:

9:30 a.m.- 10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Community Café Free Meal Ministry
6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Brownie Troop 498 (#8, 10)
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Brownie Troop 04317 (#14)
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 41250 (#12)
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Yoga-Sanc.
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Missions Meeting (#1)
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Youth Union Beach Meeting (#8, 10)

Wednesday:

2:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. Luther House Bible Study (Bldg. 1)
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Girl Scout Leaders Meeting (#8 & 10)
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Venture Crew Youth Meeting (#8, 10)
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Finance Meeting (#1)
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Ad Council (#1)

Thursday:

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. R.O.M.E.O.s at Perkins
6:45 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (#6)
7:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 12 (#8, 10)
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Safe Sanctuaries Meeting (#1)
8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. PraiseWorks Rehearsal

Friday:

No events or meetings are scheduled

Saturday:

10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Daily Reflections (#8, 10)

Sunday:

**FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
TRINITY SUNDAY**

Fifth Sunday Coin Collection to benefit the Community Cafe

8:30 a.m. Contemporary Service with PraiseWorks Band
9:45 a.m. J.A.M. and Christian Education for all ages
11:00 a.m. Traditional Service with Chancel Choir
With Confirmation
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. African American Experience (#11, 13)

Financial Update:

We give thanks to God for all who give faithfully that we might continue to impact the world for Jesus, bringing about the Kingdom of God, here on Earth. **Have you noticed** before the offering there is a moment of impact in which it is shared how giving financially to the church changes lives? Listen before the offering is received! Your gifts matter and change lives! As you go on vacation, visit friends, and are away from the church on a Sunday morning, please remember to share your financial gift with the church, so that we can continue to impact lives in our community and around the world!



Of 2015

Brian Edward Barrett

Sean Patrick Barrett

Jayna Shea Bruno

Tyler Eison Curtis

Mya Elizabeth Ditzel

Olivia Pearl Eason

Rebecca Lynne LeStourgeon

Luke Christopher Reynolds