



## **West Grove United Methodist Church**

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West Grove, PA 19390



**Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost**  
**Native American Sunday**  
*August 14, 2016*

# 9:30 a.m. Blended Worship

## *Native American Sunday*

### OPEN

#### Prelude

#### Welcome and Ministry Opportunities

Jamie Lindtner

*Please fill out the Friendship Register on the clipboard located on a chair in your row.  
First-time guest or member? Let us know you were here!*

#### \*Welcoming Music

“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

UMH, No. 420

#### \*Call to Worship (Responsive)

Peter Mullen

One: O come, let us sing to the Lord and shout with joy to the rock of our salvation!

**Many: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving, singing joyful song of praise.**

#### \*Song

“Breathe”

PraiseWorks Band

#### \*Opening Prayer (Unison)

Peter Mullen

**O God, you are infinite, eternal and unchangeable,  
glorious in holiness, full of love and compassion,  
abundant in grace and truth.**

**Your works everywhere praise you,  
and your glory is revealed in Jesus Christ our Savior.  
Therefore we praise you, blessed and holy Trinity,  
one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

#### \*Passing of the Peace

Peter Mullen

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

**Many: And also with you.**

### GROW

#### Moment for All Ages

Jamie Lindtner

#### Old Testament Lessons

*Deuteronomy 6:4-9*

Peter Mullen

#### New Testament Lesson

*Ephesians 3:14-21*

Peter Mullen

#### Response to the Lessons

Peter Mullen

**One:** This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Many: Thanks be to God! Amen.**

(Children 4-10 years meet in room #16 for Children's Worship. Parents, please pick up your children immediately following the worship service in room #16.)

**Sermon**

“Desperate For You”

Jamie Lindtner

## **SERVE**

**Moment of Impact**

*Visitation Ministry*

Pastor Shirley

**Offering**

“I Surrender All”

UMH, No. 354

**\*Offertory Response**

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. AMEN.

**\*Offertory Prayer**

Pastor Shirley

**Blessed are you, God of all creation: through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.**

**Gathered Prayers**

Pastor Shirley

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Song of Sending Forth**

“Love The Lord”

PraiseWorks Band

**\*Benediction**

Jamie Lindtner

**Postlude**

• = *Please stand as you are able*    **Bold Print = Say in unison**



### **A PRAYER WALK FOR OUR SCHOOLS**

**Penn London Elementary School, Avon Grove Intermediate School  
Fred S. Engle Middle School, Avon Grove High School  
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary School  
Avon Grove Charter School, Nazarene Academy**

**Tuesday, August 23, 2016**

We will meet at in the lobby of Avon Grove High School at 9:30 AM to receive ID tag  
& to choose a school.

**Bring your children to pray for their schools.**

**FOR INFORMATION,  
Call Pastor Monica or the  
West Grove United Methodist Church office  
At 610-869-9334**



**Old Testament Lessons:** *Deuteronomy 6:4-9*

Hear, O Israel: The LORD is our God, the LORD alone. You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

**New Testament Lessons:** *Ephesians 3:14-21*

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.



On Sunday, September 11th, we will present each of our third graders with Bibles. To ensure we do not miss anyone, please call Donna in the church office, 610-869-9334, or email her at [office@westgroveumc.org](mailto:office@westgroveumc.org) with the spelling of your child's name so a Bible can be presented to your child. We can't wait to share the Word of God them!

## OPEN ~ GROW ~ SERVE

*At West Grove UMC, we love God by opening our hearts to Jesus, growing our faith and serving our community and world in His name.*

Welcome to this gathering of God's people worshipping and praising God! May we continue to be moved by the Spirit to live as the body of Christ. If you have come as a guest, we hope that you'll leave as a friend and pray you'll be nourished in faith as you hear God's message for you today. We encourage you to join us again. Please honor us by signing the Friendship pad. Our Welcome Center, located in the lobby, is a place where guests and new attendees can seek information about our church.

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Church Office: 610-869-9334—Our Website: [www.westgroveumc.org](http://www.westgroveumc.org)

***Please remember to mute your cell phone when you enter the sanctuary for worship.***

**SONG DISPLAY:** Please post your reflections on today's songs with the notes provided in your bulletin on the wall in the lobby! All of the songs we are featuring during worship were requested by members of the congregation!

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT FUN!** Last year, we started **Wednesday Night Fun** in the summer. **This year it will continue through August 31.** It is a casual evening for people to come for food, short devotion, fun, and fellowship. We provide the beverages and the hot dogs. Folks are invited to bring sides, desserts, and other items as they are able. Games are available for children and adults. Rain or Shine! Join us one week or every week! Can't wait to see you there!

**INAUGURAL OPEN MARKET!** **Save the date for Saturday, September 17** when we will hold our first Open Market fundraiser. The day will start with a **PANCAKE BREAKFAST, 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Tickets are \$6.00** and are sold in advance. **The OPEN MARKET is from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** and will feature vendors from all over the community. In addition, we will have several **FOOD TRUCKS** at the event. So, come and eat breakfast, shop, socialize, and have lunch! We look forward to seeing you there! **If you are interested in volunteering to make this event a success, please call Gene Aucott at 610-869-7355. Also, look for sign-up sheet for volunteer opportunities, donations, and other ways to help.**

**Calvary Hill Quartet** will be at **Salem United Methodist Church on Saturday August 20 at 7pm.** It is a free admission, a Love Offering will be taken. Hope to see you there.

**Youth Ministry Stock Holders Dessert, Sunday, August 21.** If you have purchased stock with us (or would like to purchase stock with the youth) you are invited to a Dessert at 2:00 p.m. in the youth room to hear about the many ways the youth have served this summer. **Youth Stock forms are in the literature rack in the lobby by the front doors, or you may get a form at the church office. You may also put a check in the offering plate with memo for youth stock (\$5 per share).**

## THIS WEEK: August 7 through August 14, 2016

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

### Sunday: **THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Native American Sunday**  
**Jamie Lindtner Preaching**

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. PraiseWorks Rehearsal  
9:30 a.m. Blended Summer Worship

**Monday:** 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Knit Wits (#1)  
6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. SOS Ladies (#6)  
7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. All Staff Meeting (#1)

**Tuesday:** 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Finance Meeting (#1)  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Missions Meeting (#1)  
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Ad Council (#1)

**Wednesday:** 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Luther House Bible Study (Bldg. 1)  
**6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Wednesday Food & Fun Night**  
7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Venture Crew Youth Meeting (#8, 10)

**Thursday:** 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop #12 (#8, 10, 9, 11, 12, 13)

**Friday:** **No activities**

**Saturday:** 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Daily Reflections Group (Sanc.)

### Sunday: **FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** **Baptism Sunday ~ Brooke Allison Davis**

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. PraiseWorks Rehearsal  
9:30 a.m. Blended Summer Worship  
11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Private Event (#8, 10)  
2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Youth Ministry Stockholders Dessert (Sanc.)



Our Assisted Listening system is available to all who could benefit from additional amplification or assistance. Please see our soundboard operators for questions or to use a unit.

### God's Faithfulness ~ Your Stewardship **Report August 7, 2016**

**General Offering: \$4,471.<sup>50</sup>**  
**Building Maintenance Fund: \$170.<sup>00</sup>**  
**Endowment Fund Donation: \$10.00**  
**Combined Worship Attendance: 126**  
**Emergency Groceries YTD: 65 Bags**  
**Emergency Aid Fund Offering: \$50.<sup>00</sup>**

***It is your tithes, offerings,  
and gifts that impact  
and change lives for Christ!***

## Moment of Impact

### Visitation Ministry

Praises to God for the newly formed Visitation Ministry Team at West Grove UMC! We are 8 saints strong and over 20 visits and calls have been made.

Our brothers and sisters in Christ bring hope and joy to many. We are blessed to have such a team. Their devotion and willingness is truly a calling.

# PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

**Would you like to add someone to the Prayer Chain?** Weekdays, please contact **Donna Fackler at the church office: office@westgroveumc.org or 610-869-9334.** After office hours and on week-ends, please contact **Sara Ann Ramberger at sar57ver@verizon.net or 610-869-3863.** All prayer requests will remain in the bulletin for **four Sundays.** If you would like to have the prayer concern extended, **please update your request with Donna.** Thank you.

## *Community Prayer Focus August: Ad Council Mission Prayer Focus in August: Children's Morning Out Preschool*

Wayne Achuff  
Peter Ballard (Kr. Boyd)  
Cory Beattie (Shaub)  
Kylee Brown (Wiwel)  
Fran Bryan  
Family of Joe Buttry (Murphy)  
Dee Crawford  
Esther and Ed Culbertson  
Danny (J. Hughes' brother)  
Bill Davis (Mullen)  
John Paul Dean and Family (Delaney)  
Colin Delaney (McGinley)  
Tom Fagan  
Bill Fili, Jr. (Bratton)  
Sandy Futti (Phillips)  
Richard Heacock  
Jimmy Hunt (Kr. Boyd)  
Muff Hurst  
Sue Hutton  
Lynn Jackson  
Laura Shiplet James (Shiplet)  
Karen Kirby (Bushnell)  
Bill Lilley  
Neva Luttman (Miller)



Rosemary MacCoun  
Margee Michaels  
Lynn Morgan (McClain)  
Bill Mowery (Shiplet)  
Tim Mullen  
Lola Nadolny (Hruz)  
Ed O'Brien  
James Pollard (Yarbrough)  
Rick Renzulli (McGinley)  
Ruth Richards (Delaney)  
Ron Ritter (Chalmers)  
Kristine Roberts (Phillips)  
Garrett Rogers (Lindtner)  
Roann Schneider  
Lorrie Steele  
Maureen Stickel (Fackler)  
Family of Angela Street (K. Smith)  
Fernando & Jonathan Tena  
Raymond Thompson (Adams)  
Zach Trexler (Lytle)  
Family of Dot Weeks  
Ron and Marliss Wilson  
Megan Wittman (Lytle)



Tom Fagan - USA (Whelan)  
Allan Frost - South Carolina (Frost)  
Brian Kubo - Maryland (Edel Mullen)  
LTC Eric Maxwell, Chesapeake, VA (The Rambergers)  
Dave Springer - Fort Bragg, NC  
Jimmy Strawhecker - Kuwait (Lynne Strawhecker)  
Tyler Thompson—Kandahar, Afghanistan (Margee Michaels)  
Ed Tolmie—Afghanistan  
Chris Weizman - Okinawa, Japan (Fran Miller)

## **SERVANTS IN MINISTRY ON SUNDAY MORNING**

**Ushers—9:30**  
**Greeters—9:30**  
**Acolyte—9:30**  
**Nursery—9:30**  
**C. Worship—9:30**  
**Lay Reader—9:30**  
**Moment All Ages**  
**Hospitality—9:30**  
**Counters**  
**Sound Booth**

### **This Sunday, August 14**

Fred and Jeannie Sullivan  
Wanda Kreutzfeldt and Open  
Joshua Robinson  
Amy Castaldi  
Heather Ditzel  
Peter Mullen  
Jamie Lindtner  
The Stuhrke Family  
Margee Michaels and Scott Steele  
B. Ditzel/K. Schneider

### **Next Sunday, August 21**

Rain Catoia and Joan Saller  
Dick and Caryl Stuhrke  
Sara Reynolds  
Amy Castaldi  
Joan Leaman  
Mike Chalmers  
Pastor Monica  
The Chalmers Family  
Bill Jones and Tim Shaub  
B. Ditzel/K. Schneider



***West Grove United Methodist Church  
Inaugural Open Market  
Saturday, September 17, 2016***

***Pancake Breakfast 7:00-10:00  
(tickets \$6.00 in advance)***

***Open Market  
10:00 am - 3:00 pm***

***Eat, Shop, Socialize  
Vendors, Artists, Food Trucks***

***300 N. Guernsey Road  
West Grove, PA 19390***

***For additional information or vendor inquiries please call  
(610) 869-9334 or email  
office@westgrovesumc.org***



**Pancake Breakfast.** Linda Shiplet and Kim Smith are organizing the Pancake Breakfast portion of the Open Market. Lots of help in the kitchen, volunteers to help serve breakfast, set up the tables and chairs, break down the tables and chairs after breakfast for Sunday worship and many other opportunities to be of service are available. It takes our entire congregation's participation to make this event a success! Buying tickets is also a way to help! Donations of food items are appreciated as well, and a list for signing up can be found in the church lobby. Please see if you can donate an item or two!