

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, September 29

- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 11:15 a.m. Children's Choirs Rehearse together
Capitol Campaign Meeting
Confirmation Class

Monday, September 30

- 10:00 a.m. Art Class

Tuesday, October 1

- 9:00 a.m. Romeo's
- 10:00 a.m. Bible Study, Boundless Compassion

Wednesday, October 2

- 10:00 a.m. Chronic Disease Workshop
- 11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer

Thursday, October 3

- 10:00 a.m. Book Club
- 3:00 p.m. Communion at Valley View
- 4:15 p.m. Quakers Use Meeting House
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal



Spaghetti Dinner & Bingo

Sunday, October 6

from 11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Cost \$10.00 per person (includes lunch and 1 pack of Bingo Cards)
This event will be hosted by the Youth Group to help raise money for Summer Youth Retreats.



Terrific Tuesdays Begin October 15

Pick up a flyer for all the details! There are sign up sheets in the Narthex to help with food, homework and select which class you want to take.

The Fan

Who remembers sitting in our sanctuary during the hot summers of yester-year (prior to air conditioning)? Windows open, fanning themselves to stay cool. Usually these fans were advertisements from funeral homes, like Whittens! The choir members with robes trying to get a cool breeze. The congregation being distracted by various rhythms of fanning looking forward to cooler weather

The Fans that will be in your pew this Sunday are a leftover remembrance of those times. They came from our last capital campaign back in 1991, "Foundations for the Future".

Time marches on and we have to maintain what "Foundations for the Future" accomplished with our current campaign "Blessing God's House... Transforming Lives".

Please take your Fan home and enjoy the memory of passed days, try the old way, Fan Yourself!

Oh, and give to the campaign as you may be called to give.



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*Welcoming All
Serving Christ
Transforming Lives*

The Service for the Lord's Day
16th Sunday after Pentecost
September 29, 2019

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Nancy Dawson

*We offer God's peace to one another in the ancient words of the church:
"The peace of Christ be with you." & response "And also with you."*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nancy Dawson

PRELUDE

Love is the Only Power

arr. Smith

DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: The love of God chooses and unites us.

P: The love of God calls us to love God, others and self.

L: The love of God leads us to worship and bow down.

P: In response to God's love let us give praise and thanksgiving.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*HYMN #366

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

We are taught to love you with our whole heart, O God, but that love is less than complete. We are taught to love you with our whole soul, O God, but too often we follow our own way. We are taught to love you with our whole mind, O God, but our thoughts are seldom that pure. We have been taught to love others, as we love ourselves, O God, but we abuse others and ourselves through our words and deeds. Have mercy upon us and forgive us our sins. AMEN

(Please take a moment of silence for personal confession and reflection.)

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

TIME WITH CHILDREN Skip Wodke
(Children age 4 through grade 2 leave for Children’s Worship Time)

DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 pew Bible, page 248
Lector

ANTHEM *The King of Love my Shepherd Is* arr. Shelley
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 16:19-31 pew Bible, page 87

SERMON Love is Spoken Here Nancy Dawson

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Hymnal page 35

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

HYMN #645 *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER Hymnal, page 35

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts,
As we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation.
But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Let Us Build a House/All Are Welcome* Haugen

*DOXOLOGY Hymn #606

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.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison)

Giver of all gifts, we seek to share as you have shared with us. We want to serve in the Spirit of Christ. We rededicate ourselves to the work of your kingdom. We bring these offerings with joy. May we walk in love with you, each other and ourselves. AMEN

*HYMN #761 *Called as Partners in Christ’s Service*

DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Hymn# 708

We give thee but thine own, what-e'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

*POSTLUDE *The Master Has Called Us* arr. Ritter

*Please stand if able.

“Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God - what is good and acceptable and perfect.”
Romans 12:2

Welcome to Worship at Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church!

Our faith community extends a warm welcome to visitors worshipping with us today and hopes that you will return often.

For more than a century, Quaker Memorial has been committed to our mission of Welcoming All, Serving Christ, Transforming Lives. If you are seeking a church that offers abundant opportunities for spiritual and personal growth and Christian witness, we believe that you will find a home here.

Visitors are invited to take a visitor gift bag (available in the narthex).

OUR GREETERS this morning are Michael Jacob & Faith Jacob.

OUR USHERS for the month are Skip Wodke, Phyllis Beilfus, John Lanier, Gracie Lanier, and Nancy Mize.

OUR ACOLYTE this morning is Charlotte McCarty .

OUR NURSERY HELPERS this morning are Laura Jones and Sarah Robert.

OUR CHILDREN’S WORSHIP LEADERS this morning are Amy McCarty and Nicole Plucker.

OUR LECTOR this morning is Clyde Harkrader.

OUR LITURGIST this morning is Julia Bryan.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS this Sunday are given to the glory of God by Brit LeCompte in honor of the Chancel Choir and the congregation for all the beautiful things they do.

WORSHIP BAGS are available in a basket in the Narthex for children who stay in the sanctuary during worship. They contain tools for worship and items to foster creativity. Enjoy the bags, and at the end of worship, please return them to the basket.

WELCOME PADS are located in each pew. Each person is requested to sign this pad and provide the appropriate information. Pass the pad to your neighbor and return it to its original position, so that everyone may learn the names of all on your pew.

HEARING DEVICES are available in the Narthex. Please see an usher for assistance.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS are available from the ushers.

PLEASE REMEMBER to turn off or silence your cell phone prior to the beginning of worship services.