

THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BLAIRSVILLE

June 16, 2019 ~ 10:00 AM

**THE ORDER OF SERVICE**

*“Westminster Chimes”*

arr. Douglas E. Wagner

Words of Greeting Bobbi Monroe, Liturgist

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Sharing of Opportunities, Joys and Concerns

**PREPARATION FOR THE WORD OF GOD**

Prelude Marilyn Neal, Organist

Lighting of the Candles

Introit *“Morning Has Broken”* Bell Choir  
arr. Kevin McChesney

Call to Worship (*Psalm 8*)

Leader: O Lord, our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
You have set your glory above the heavens.

**People: Out of the mouths of babes and infants  
you have founded a bulwark because of your foes,  
to silence the enemy and the avenger.**

Leader: When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars that you have established;

**People: What are human beings  
that you are mindful of them,  
mortals that you care for them?**

Leader: Yet you have made them a little lower than God,  
and crowned them with glory and honor.

**People: O Lord, our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

\*Hymn # 142 *“Sing Praise to the Father”*

\*Prayer of Confession

**Triune God, our Sovereign, you have graciously entrusted  
human beings with your works and put all things under our  
feet; you have crowned your people with glory and honor! Yet,  
we confess, we have exchanged your wisdom for foolishness,  
feared disappointment, failed endurance, and shunned  
suffering for the good. The love you pour into our hearts we**

**have allowed to grow cold. Forgive us, O God, and restore us  
according to your divine wisdom, that we may be a delight to  
you and rejoice before you always.**

\*Assurance of Forgiveness

\*Gloria Patri

\*Sharing of the Peace

\*Time with the Younger Saints

**DECLARATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

Old Testament Lesson Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 (pg. 590 of OT)

Special Music *“Make Me an Instrument of Thy Peace”*

arr. Kevin McChesney

Narrator: Dennis Gould

Gospel Lesson John 16:12-15 (pg. 110 of NT)

Sermon Rev. Timothy Monroe

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD**

\*Affirmation of Faith (*Apostles’ Creed*)

**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 # 149 *“God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian”*

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer (*debt...and debtors...*)

Ministry of Giving in Response to the Word

Offertory *“Joyous Jubilee”*

arr. Brian J. Heinlein

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Hymn # 719 *“Go, My Children, with My Blessing”*

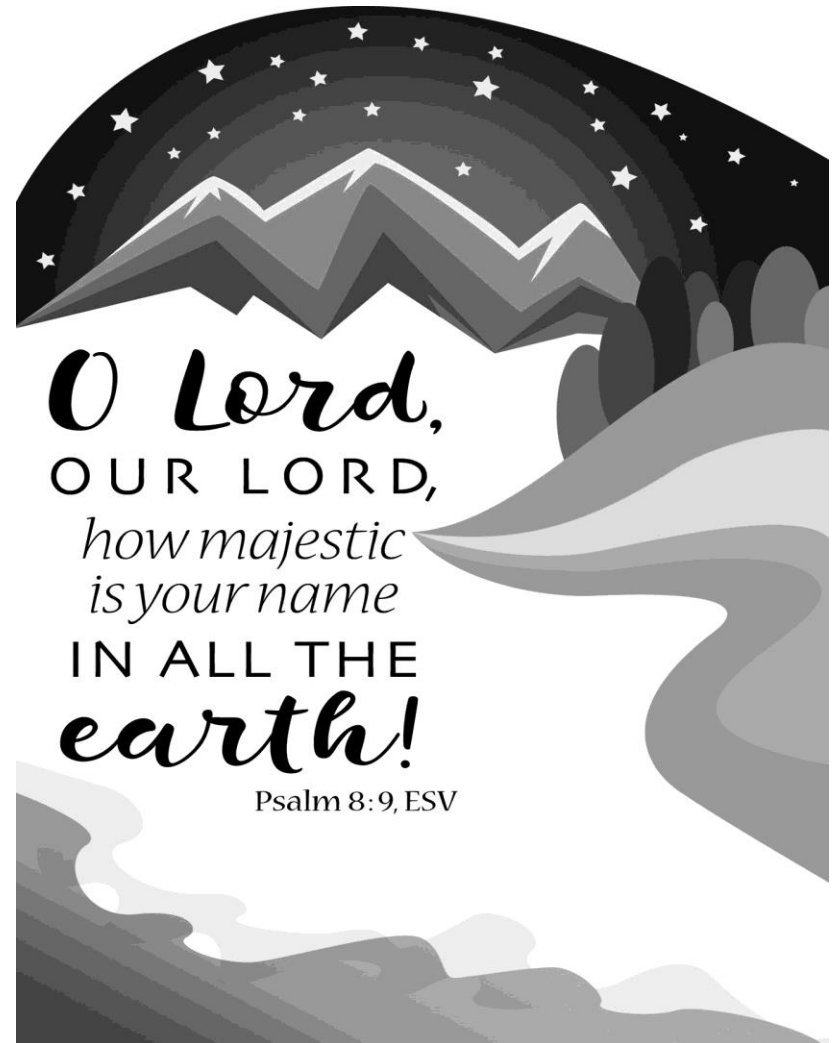
\*Benediction

\*Postlude

(*\*All who are able, please stand.*)

**SUMMER SCHEDULE BEGINS:**

<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 a.m.	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	10:00 a.m.	Worship <i>Father's Day</i>
<b>Monday</b>	5:30 p.m.	VBS Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	VBS Program begins
<b>Tuesday</b>	5:30 p.m.	VBS Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	VBS Program begins
<b>Wednesday</b>	5:30 p.m.	VBS Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	VBS Program begins
<b>Thursday</b>	9:00-3:00 p.m.	WIC meets in Fellowship Hall
	2:00 p.m.	Stitching Group
	5:30 p.m.	VBS Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	VBS Program begins
<b>Friday</b>	5:30 p.m.	VBS Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	VBS Program begins
<b>Sunday</b>	10:00 a.m.	VBS Celebration Worship



*O Lord,*  
OUR LORD,  
*how majestic*  
*is your name*  
IN ALL THE  
*earth!*

Psalm 8:9, ESV

**THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BLAIRSVILLE**

*“a community of believers, called by God, led by the Holy Spirit  
to know Christ and to make Christ known”*

Rev. Timothy R. Monroe

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Pastor Emeritus - Rev. Dr. Roger D. Petersen

PLEASE JOIN us in the ritual of friendship by signing the attendance pads that are at one end of each of the pews. If you are here for the first time, we would appreciate it if you would give us your local telephone number. Please help yourself to a church brochure, a *Welcome Packet* or a copy of our newsletter, *Uplift*. These are available at the back of the church. We thank you for joining your voice to ours in sacred worship.

THE WORSHIP ASSISTANTS for this morning's service are Liturgist, Bobbi Monroe; Ushers, Brent & Tammy Ritchie and Rick & Willa Shoemaker; Projector, Shakira McKinney; Audio, Jaison McKinney; Special Music, Our Bell Choir; Bell Choir Director, Vicky Westley; Organist, Marilyn Neal; and Director of Music, Cindy Borbonus.

THE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT in worship this morning is given to the glory of God and in memory of loved ones by Richard and Nancy Campbell.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY to all the men of the church who encourage us in our faith!

IT'S HERE! Vacation Bible School begins tomorrow evening at 5:30 p.m. for those who would like to share a light meal. At 6:00 p.m. the opening will be held in the sanctuary followed by an evening of fun and learning. Registration forms are available at the back of the sanctuary. If you have any questions, please see Cindy Borbonus.

THE STITCHING GROUP will meet Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the parlor. This group gathers to work on personal projects and to fellowship. All are welcome.

THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY will hold a Meatloaf Dinner fundraiser Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup> in Fellowship Hall. The first seating will be from 4:00-5:30 p.m. and the second seating will be from 5:00-6:30 p.m. Adult tickets are \$10 each and children under 10 years are \$7.50 each. The dinner is for ticket holders only, no walk-ins please. Tickets for takeout will be served between 4:00-6:00 p.m.

THE PRAYER CHAIN is coordinated by the Adult Sunday School Class. If you have a prayer request or know of someone's need for prayer, please contact Nancy Campbell or the church office.

SPECIAL MUSIC is scheduled for worship during the summer months. If you or someone you know would like to share a musical talent during worship, please see Cindy Borbonus or contact the church office, 724-459-7991.

#### SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULE:

June 23 - VBS Sunday

July 7 - Angela Lyons

July 14 - Nightengals

August 4 - Adam Loucks

I thank the faithful Bell Choir members, Beverly Lindsey, Elizabeth Bruner, Bobbi Monroe, Amy Yackuboskey, Bonni Dunlap, Cindy Borbonus, Tim Monroe, Bill Westley and Connie Bruner, for generously giving of their time and talent to ring in our bell choir and for being such a fun group of people.

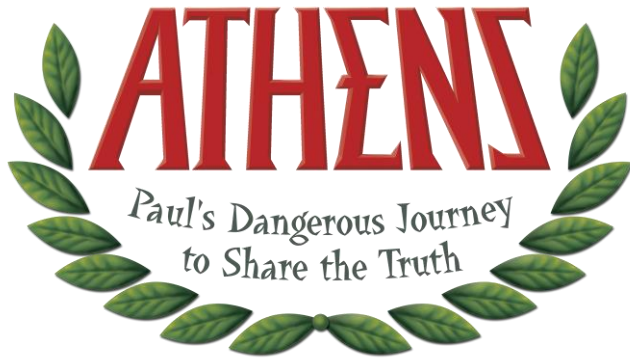
At this time, we still need two ringers for the Fall and are praying that God will send them to us. We will begin rehearsals in September on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Contact me if you are interested in ringing with us or would like more information on handbell ringing.

Vicky Westley, Director

THE DEACONS are receiving donations of gently worn or new items for the patients at Torrance State Hospital, especially larger sizes. A box is located at the back of the sanctuary or you may drop off donations at the church office through the week. Items needed:

- Shoes and boots for men and women
- Socks – white and colored for men and women
- Underwear for men and women
- Clothes for men and women
- Buttons – size of a nickel or dime (used to make repairs)

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE will meet Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the church parlor.



We're taking a journey back to ancient Athens,  
where the Apostle Paul stayed!  
You'll get to talk to Paul to find out  
what happened on his dangerous journey  
to share the truth about God.

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## **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019**

**June 17 – 21**

**5:30 pm – Light Dinner...6:00 pm - Program**

**8:15 pm – Closing**

**Students 3 years (potty trained)  
through 5<sup>th</sup> grade (just finished)**

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see Cindy Borbonus or call the office.