12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost			CALL TO OFFERING		
10:00 AM	2	August 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	OFFERTORY	"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"	By Pianist: Ava Formaini
<sup>5</sup> I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope. Psalm 130:5			*OFFERING RESPONSE: "Doxology"		
PRELUDE		Debbe Picerno	<b>*PRAYER OF DE</b>	DICATION	
CALL TO WORSHIP			ANNOUNCEMENTS		
<ul><li>L: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!</li><li>P: Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!</li><li>L: Know that the LORD, he is God!</li></ul>			CHILDREN'S SERMON		
P: It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his			PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER		
<b>pasture.</b> L: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!			FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON2 Peter 1:1-1		
P: For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to			SPECIAL MUSIC	"Amazing Grace"	By Pianist: Ava Formaini
all generations.			SECOND SCRIPT	URE LESSON	Psalm 78:57 & Hosea 7:16
OPENING PRAYE *HYMNS		No. 45	SERMON	"A Faulty Bow"	Rev. Bill Sukolsky
*HYMINS	"Crown Him With Many Crowns" "The Old Rugged Cross"	No. 327	SERVION	A Faulty Dow	Kev. Din Sukoisky
*PRAYER OF CON	IEESSION		*CONFESSION OF FAITH		
	vant our lives to be a sermon of God's grace to	others. And yet,	*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION		
we often neglect to give attention to adequate study of Your word. We confess the sin of relying on our own understanding. Forgive us, Lord. Give us, we pray, a Spirit- filled knowledge of the truth of Your holy scriptures. Keep us from adding our own fallible interpretations of Your word, but instead may we rightly divine and preach the word of truth. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen. (Silent Confession)			*HYMN	"Cornerstone"	
			POSTLUDE		Debbe Picerno
			*Those who are able please stand.		
*ASSURANCE OF	PARDON		<u> </u>	-	
L: Believe the good <b>P: In Jesus Christ v</b>			~~~		
r: III Jesus Christ v	ve are forgiven:		Ushers: Trustees	Greeters: Pam	Greb
*CONFESSION RE	CSPONSE: "Gloria Patri"		Welcome Desk: Au Liturgist: Mike Bar	1	our: Sarah Tarr isten & Lydia Kwiatkowski

	THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR		
Sunday:	10 AM	Worship	
Monday:	6:30 PM	Men's Bible Study	
Tuesday:	1 PM	Quilting	
Wednesday:	9 AM	Coffee & Conversation	
	6 PM	Youth Group	
Friday:	6-8 PM	Club 35	
Sunday, August 18 <sup>th</sup> :	10 AM	Worship	
	12 PM	Church Picnic at the Slears	

**CARE TEAM MEETINGS**-One division of the Care Team will meet on the second Sunday of the month following Sunday worship. The facility team will meet on August 25<sup>th</sup> at 11 AM in Parker Hall. Please contact Tim with any questions.

**CHURCH PICNIC-** The all church picnic will be Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 PM at the Slear's property (107 Connemara Lane Butler, PA 16001). The deacons will be providing the meat. Please bring a salad, side, or dessert to share. There is a signup sheet in the library for an estimated count.

**ADULT MISSION TRIP MEETING-** There will be an informational meeting on August 25<sup>th</sup> following worship for those interested in coming on our adult mission trip to Wilmington, NC on Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>-March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

**DEACONS MEETING-** The deacons will be meeting after worship today.

**CLUB 35-** Will be having a fun water night at the church on Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 PM. Please see Pastor Mike to signup.

**YOUTH GROUP-** Join us for Cornhole Mini Golf on Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM. Please see Pastor Mike to signup.

**CHOIR PRATICE-** Choir practice is resuming at 7 PM on Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup>. Please see Debbe if you have an interest in joining the choir.

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