

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF

May 11 – May 18

Sunday, May 11	8:30 A.M.	Early Celebration of Worship
	9:30 A.M.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School for all Ages Sanctuary Bells Rehearsal
	11:00 A.M.	Celebration of Worship
	12:00 P.M.	Fellowship Time
Monday, May 12	12:20 P.M.	Confirmation/Commissioning Class
	12:00 P.M.	Trustees
	6:00 P.M.	Confirmation Dinner
	7:00 P.M.	MEDS
	8:00 P.M.	Outreach
Wednesday, May 14	4:00 P.M.	Wow Club-Visit to a Mosque
	6:00 P.M.	Fellowship Dinner Middlers Tour of the Humane Society
	6:45 P.M.	Bible Study
	7:30 P.M.	Session Meeting
	Sunday, May 18	8:30 A.M.
9:30 A.M.		Chancel Choir Rehearsal
9:45 A.M.		Sunday School for all Ages Sanctuary Bell Rehearsal
11:00 A.M.		Celebration of Worship/Reception of Confirmation/Commissioning Class
12:00 P.M.		Fellowship Time

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God by Betty Irvin in loving memory of her mother, Elizabeth Hill.

SUMMER CAMPS

Brochures for Camp Lambec and Westminster Highlands are available on the Information Table.

ADULT EDUCATION – NEXT WEEK

Adult Bible Study: Don Worthington leads a study of the Sunday lectionary readings

Family, Faith, and Fellowship: Internet Safety – Ron Craig

Issues of Faith: The Heart of Christianity by Marcus Borg: led by Linda Lorah

MEDS: Tom McLaren is leading a discussion of Marcus Borg's book, The Heart of Christianity

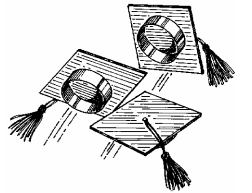
WOW Adult Study - Jim Haas continues a study entitled "Jesus: Legend or Lord"

WAYOUTH MISSION TRIP: NEW YORK CITY

Youth from 6th to 12th grade are encouraged to set five days aside for service in Holmes and New York City, New York. We will join forces with the youth from Warren First June 16 – 20 and make the trip to the Big Apple. There will be time for sightseeing as well. Please let Keith know as soon as possible if you can commit.

GRADUATES

In the next issue of "Inside Wayside" we would like to feature our high school and post-high school graduates. Please let us know of them and indicate the school from which they are graduating, their degree, if applicable, and their future plans. Please have the information to the office by May 21st. We would also like their photograph for a bulletin board recognizing all of our graduates.



NURSE NOTES

May is Older Adults Month – Who's an older adult? Once an easier question to answer, defining an older adult these days is not so simple. There are no longer clear lines of demarcation (between youth, middle age and older age.) One definition of an older adult is "my parents' generation". (©National Health Ministries/Presbyterian Church (USA).)

SCRIP ORDERS

Scrip orders are due today! Just a reminder that orders are due on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. With upcoming graduation parties and weddings, there are great opportunities to purchase gift cards through the church. Orders placed on Sundays are usually available the following Sunday.

SYMPHONIC SINGERS OF ERIE

The Symphonic Singers of Erie, under the direction of Ms. Jean Verdecchia with accompanist Mrs. Jennifer Davis, will present their Spring concert, Sunday May 18, 2008 at 3 p.m. at the Girard Alliance Church, 229 Rice Avenue in Girard. The community is invited to attend.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

PRESBYTERIAN HOMES SPRING APPEAL

As part of its observation of "Older Americans Month," Presbyterian Homes is seeking to provide in-house dental care for its residents, most of whom cannot afford or are too frail for regular dental visits. If you would like to contribute to the "Dental Needs Fund", please pick up one of the special envelopes from the Information Table.

WEST MILLCREEK FOOD PANTRY

Canned and dry goods are accepted every Sunday for the West Millcreek Food pantry. The basket for your donations is located in the lobby next to the coffee table. This week the Pantry suggests baked beans and tuna. All non-perishable food items are always welcome.

UNITED OUTREACH PROGRAM

Doing Spring Cleaning? Want to help homeless families at the same time? Family Services is low on supplies and looking for your help. Homeless families moving from local shelters into permanent housing are in need of many items to assist in setting up their new homes. Their families are members of our local community looking to make a fresh start. They are low income and do not have extra money to make repairs on items, therefore, they request that donations are in good clean working condition with no missing or broken parts. Through your donations, we try to give them a helping hand by providing many of the basics needed to set up a new home. Please see the Outreach bulletin board outside of Jim's office for a list of needed items.

GREETERS NEEDED

There is a sign-up sheet at the Information Table for Greeters for the rest of the year. Anyone can sign up. Consider signing up so that everyone is greeted as they enter our Church.

PER CAPITA

As part of being a "connectional" church, the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) encourages every member to contribute toward the functioning of the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly. The Session invites every Waysider to consider making a gift of \$26, beyond their regular pledge. Checks should be made payable to Wayside and marked "per capita." Thanks.

OPPORTUNITY TO SUPPORT JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH

As has been advertised, the new roller coaster - the Ravine Flyer - will open soon. Next weekend, May 17th and 18th, Paul Nelson, the owner of Waldameer, has generously offered to contribute \$3.50 of the \$4.50 ride cost to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. A number of Wayside families are dealing with diabetes, so if you are in the neighborhood and ready for a thrill, go ride the Flyer and support some good research at the same time.

RETURN TO PEARLINGTON 5

The Outreach Committee is in the initial planning stages of our next work trip to Pearlinton, Mississippi to contribute to the Katrina relief efforts. The trip will likely take place in October or early November. If you have any interest in participating or know someone who is, please sign up in the Lobby.

BLANKET SUNDAY PATCH

For the 10th consecutive year, Wayside has been the recipient of the Church World Service "Honor Award" for our generous giving to the Blanket Sunday/Tools of Hope Offering, coordinated for us by Presbyterian Women. Each of those ten years we have contributed more than \$1000. PW would like to thank all the members and friends of Wayside for their faithful gifts.

WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 11, 2008

WELCOME

Welcome to Wayside Presbyterian Church. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and rejoice in the privilege God has given us to serve in this community as part of the Body of Jesus Christ. We thank our Lord for those who worship with us from time to time as visitors and invite any who are without a church home to come and join us in serving Christ as members of this church family.

FOR OUR CHILDREN

Child care is available during the entire worship hour for infants and preschool children. Children may remain for the entire service or take advantage of child care (kindergarten and younger). Worship Activity bags for children are available if they are remaining in the worship service. Please return them following the service.

SERVICE NOTES

A hearing enhancement system is available for those who have need. An usher will be happy to provide you with a receiver this morning. Large print bulletins are also available.

Thanks to those who helped today at the 11:00 a.m. service:

Ushers:	Johanna Anderson, Bill DeWitt, Tom Fye, Jennifer Garcia, Jon Hoyt, Devin Johns, Ron Kolb, Lee McVey, Michael Monaco, Bill Pentz, Ian Ross
Worship Assistant:	Don Worthington
Acolytes:	Rebecca Jackson, Stephen Steehler
Sound Board:	Jim Allman
Greeters:	Tom Momeyer Family
Information Table:	Diana Day
Childcare:	Lee Ann Warnaka, Nursery; Mary DeBello, Preschool
Fellowship Time:	Karen Potocki, Melissa Buseck

Just a reminder to those scheduled to help next week at 11:00 a.m.:

Ushers:	Jordan Babcock, Rachel Bert, William Betz, Paul Capenedo, Bobbi Jo Fye, Phil Garcia, Tyler Goodwin, Heather Kern, Sam Knarr, Ron May, Evan Watkins
Worship Assistant:	Polly Momeyer
Acolytes:	Johanna Anderson, Seth McCullough
Sound Board:	Jerry Brown
Greeters:	Linda & Bill Pentz
Information Table:	Tom Fye
Childcare:	Erin Henderson, Nursery
Fellowship Time:	Lisa Watkins



THANKS TO OUR MUSICIANS

On this “Music Sunday” we express our sincere gratitude to all our talented and gifted musicians whose wonderful music is such an important part of our worship experience each Sunday. This includes members of the Chancel Choir, Sanctuary Bells, Junior and Senior High Singers and Ringers, WOW Choir, Primary Choir, and the Sunrise Singers, Ron May for his trumpet playing, plus all of our instrumentalists, substitutes, and Barb McGill, Linda Pentz, Jean Moore, Emma Haas, Hannah Haas, and Bobbi Jo Fye, who assist with the children’s choirs. Special thanks obviously to Dawn Weborg for the outstanding direction of our music program.

A special reception in honor of our musicians will be held in the lobby following each service this morning.

	<i>Chancel Choir</i>	
Vic Babcock	Karen Carpenedo	
Sally DeWitt	Karen Sidorowicz	
Debbie Smith	Jane Hess	
Mary Marsh	Michelle Reed	
Brad Westfall	Hal Harrington	
Pat Yahn	Bill Weborg	
Ginny Sundberg	Pat Fish	
Marion Tucker	Mark Twinem	

	<i>Sunrise Singers</i>	
Marion Gallivan	Paige Peasley	
Kent Jacoby	Andrea Jacoby	
Sally Mapstone	Linda Wilkinson	
Jim Haas	Keith Sundberg	

Wilma Valentz
Brian Ripley
Chris Hoyt
Nicki Jares
Bill Jares
Micki Loesel
Matt Fuchs
Elaine Garts

Marjorie Masse
Georgi Harrington
Kay Lascek

Kirk Hamza
Karen Potocki
Polly Momeyer
Nancy Brozewicz
Sue Moore

Kristen Babb
Jessica Day
Alex Grimm
Samantha Momeyer
Jonathan Sidorowicz
Megan Warnaka

Tanner Babb
Ethan Craig
Erin Gleason
Jacob Kocan
Reagan Patton
Adam Snyder
Grace Westfall

Jordan Babcock
Chelsea Bojewski
Hannah Haas
Madeline Westfall

<i>Sanctuary Bells</i>
Ron May
Mary Lasher
Barb McGill
Linda Pentz
Matthew McGill

<i>Primary Choir</i>
Lily Babb
Sara DeBello
Nicholas Grimm
Hannah Morrow
Dan Snyder
Patrick Warnaka

<i>WOW Choir</i>
Ashley Buseck
Anna DeBello
Caroline Grimm
Heather Lewis
Kathleen Reed
Emma Sidorowicz
Bryce Yahn

<i>WaYouth Choir</i>
Blake Bojewski
Katie Borowski
Devin Johns

Barb Sundberg
Peggy Bules
Shawn Babcock
Lois May

Sydney Craig
Aurora Fuchs
Kenny Momeyer
Reilly Patton
Joey Turner

Brian Buseck
Brynn Gleason
Ben Kocan
Lorah Momeyer
Sarah Reed
Audrie Watkins

Brianna Bojewski
Emma Haas
Ethan Johns

The following helped to place the beautiful geraniums in our
Sanctuary this morning:

Sally Mapstone
Georgi Harrington
Hoyt Family
Elaine Garts
Pam Monaco
Ginny Sundberg
Jack Tower
Weborg Family
Annette Rothschild
Jim & Karen Haas
Mark Smith
Micki Loesel
Randy & Amy Valentine
Donna Stone
Marion Gallivan
Bestwick Family
Shirley & George Diller
Mimi & Don Lasher
Porter Family
Stamm Family
Hal & Norma Harrington
Jean Moore



“THE AWAKENING”

I dreamed a dream, a silent dream
of a land not far away.
Where no bird sang, no steeples rang
and teardrops fell like rain.

I dreamed a dream, a silent dream
of a land so filled with pride
that every song, both weak and strong,
withered and died.

No alleluia, not one hosanna,
no song of love, no lullaby.
And no choir sang to change the world
no pipers played, no dancers twirled.

I dreamed a dream, a silent dream.
Silent. Silent.

Awake! Awake! Soli Deo, Gloria!

Awake, awake my soul and sing –
the time for praise has come!
the silence of the night has passed;
a new day has begun.

Let music never die in me.
Forever let my spirit sing!
Wherever emptiness is found,
let there be joy and glorious sound.

Let all our voices join as one
to praise the Giver of the song.
Awake! Awake!
Let music live!