

Highwater Congregational United Church of Christ

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June 16, 2019 9:30a Trinity Sunday

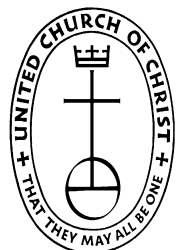
"Highwater Congregational United Church of Christ, will be an active family of faith in North Central Licking County, dedicated to building awareness of God, Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit through meaningful worship, diverse service, and genuine fellowship." - Mission Statement



"A man can keep his sanity and stay alive as long as there is at least one person who is waiting for him."

-Henri Nouwen, Wounded Healer

Rev. Scott Schieber, Pastor
Joyce Oyler, Licensed Associate Pastor
Mae Pound, Moderator
Debbie Smetts, Office Administrator / Newsletter Editor
Congregation, Ministers All
Pianist: Judy Grace
Liturgist - Christine Ramsey





June 16, 2019 Father's Day Sunday

** = stand if you are able*

Proclamation of Praise

Prelude / Acolytes / Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

*** Hymn of Praise**

How Great Thou Art

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Call to worship

Leader: Come to God who gathers us in.

People: **We come to God who nurtures us like a father.**

Leader: Come to God whose arms are open and waiting.

People: **We come to God who welcomes and forgives us.**

Leader: Come to God who journeys with us.

People: **We come to God who sees us as we really are and loves us.**

All: **Come, let us praise our living, loving, nurturing God!**

Prayer of Invocation

Children's Message

Old Testament Text

Psalm 8 (NRSV)

O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens. ² Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger. ³ When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; ⁴ what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? ⁵ Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor. ⁶ You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet, ⁷ all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, ⁸ the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas. ⁹ O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: **Thanks be to God!**

*** Gloria Patri**

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

Homily on Psalm 8

Rev. Scott Schieber

Joys and Concerns / Pastoral Prayer

Candle Dedication: In celebration of Allyson Patton's Birthday.

Prayers for Our UCC Congregations: Highwater Congregational UCC, Newark

Sharing of our Tithes and Offerings / Offertory

* Doxology

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

* Hymn

New Testament Text

Romans 5:1-5 (NRSV)

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Homily on Romans 5

Rev. Scott Schieber

* Closing Hymn

This Is My father's World

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* Benediction / Response

Part In Peace vs 3

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Part in peace! Our voices raising, in God's presence always be. This the worship and the praising, bringing peace to you and me.

Postlude

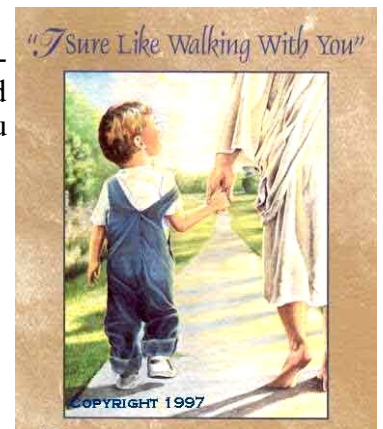


During our Summer Worship Schedule Sunday School is on Recess....

If you have children...

-**Newborn – pre-school** A Cry Room is available for your use during the worship service. It is located above the Sanctuary. You can use the stairs located through the door directly to the left as you exit the main doors of the Sanctuary. You can hear and see the service from this room.

**June 2nd through Rally Day in September, we will have
small activity bags for
the younger children to use at their seats during
Summer Worship Services**



If you are visiting...

Welcome! We pray that you'll find our worship service meaningful and uplifting, and our congregation welcoming and friendly. We know that coming to a new church can be a little uncomfortable. If we can assist you in any way, please let us know! During the worship service, please be sure to provide contact information on our pew pads so Pastor Scott can reach out and thank you for attending.

If you have been attending

and would like to be more involved in the worship service or other events, we have a number of support roles you could participate in.

When you hear Rev. Scott or Pastor Joyce talk about signing up in the **Binder** or see "**sign up in the binder**" written anywhere, it is the **black notebook** that is being passed around the sanctuary during the service. This notebook has all the available Positions, Mission Outreach Projects and Events that are currently open for volunteers or are happening at our church.

The Acolytes are children 8 years old - about 12 years old. They carry the Light of Christ up to the altar at the beginning of our 10:30a service. If you are interested in having your child be an Acolyte, please let Rev. Scott know. It takes about 10 minutes to go through the process and we have your child with another experienced child for the first time.

Lay Readers - Are the people who read scripture, offer up the Call to Worship and the Prayer of Invocation. All the materials are up on the pulpit, or could be sent to you ahead of time if you would like to preview before hand. Please let Rev. Scott know your preference. No experience is necessary to participate in this support roll. (8:30a Service Lay Readers take up the offering and assist with Communion if necessary).

Greeters - Greet people as they arrive during our 10:30a service. The request is that you arrive about 20 minutes before the service. You hand out the bulletins and share a smile and some welcoming words and if the person is a visitor, you might make them aware of where the restrooms are located as well as the cry room, nursery and other children's activities depending on our current worship schedule.

Ushers - (The people who take up the offering) 10:30a service. Most times the Ushers and Greeters are the same people. When attendance is light and it is not a Communion Sunday 1 person can do both. On a Communion Sunday it is a 2-person position. If you are interested in ushering, please let Rev. Scott know and we will take a few minutes to go over this simple task so that you are comfortable in what you are doing.

You can sign up to greet and not usher if that is your comfort level or sign up to usher separately from greeting.

Special Music - We are open to any music that lifts God in Praise. If you would like to share...Just Share! Please see Cathy Bero or Debbie Smetts to talk about an idea or schedule a date to share your gift of music.

Thank you for your interest in being a part of our Worship Service

Announcements and Information

VBS Picnic and Evening Worship- June 23rd 6p picnic, 7p Worship Service. See sign-up sheet in the binder.

Lunch at Miller's Park - Highwater will serve lunches in the park July 1-3, July 8th - 12th and August 5th - 9th. Sign-up in the binder.

Salvation Army Lunch Packing Mission Opportunity - Tuesdays June 4th - August 6th. Sign-up in the binder.

Women's Group Meeting - Thursday, June 27th at 6p. This is a group of women who wish to create relationships, empower women and give back to the community. This group is new and evolving. If you are available to help with child care, please let Pastor Scott, Pastor Joyce or Amy Gartner know.

Utica Food Pantry Needs Volunteers - Thursdays 2:30-5:30p. If you would like to help, even occasionally, please contact Pat Burress directly at 740-507-9862 to get on the schedule. June needs are Tuna, Pancake Mix, syrup and soups.

Council Meeting - Thursday, June 20th at 7p



June 17th - 20th 9:30a - 12p

To help with materials and food for the week we are offering the opportunity to Sponsor a Child. If you would like to participate, pick up a butterfly in the narthex and place your donation in the basket provided. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Can You Help With the children? Please see the binder for details.

Highwater Congregational United Church of Christ Prayer List

Prayer Concerns within our Family of Faith:

Betty Nash Gayle Gibson Bob Tucker Dave Nash Larry Smetts Ned Campbell
Tom Siegel Becky Wright Marcie Williams Ed Hoskinson Jane Lake Donna Shipley
Bev & Bob Yoakam

Prayers for our Shut-ins:

Carolyn Claggett, Goldie Campbell





Prayers for Our UCC Congregations: Highwater Congregational UCC, Newark



John Stout	Stewart Krulikowski & Family	Pat Cline	Sherry Selfe
Sharon Mummey	Theresa Gonda	Sandy Young	
Mark Frick	Sherry Gibson	Donald Woosley	
Carl Richards	Bill & Carol King	Raye Hufford	
Marsha King	Jim Graham	Mitzy Shook	
Judy Schmoll	Shelia Lutz	The Biggs Family	
Pat Toops	Chrissy King	Brandie Wentworth	
Pam Bevier			

Continued prayers for all the troops that protect and serve this country and prayers of comfort for their families as they wait for their safe return. Chase Lasko, Tanner MacLachlan

This Week at Highwater, June 17th - June 23rd

Monday 17	Tuesday 18	Wednesday 19	Thursday 20	Friday 21	Saturday 22	Sunday 23
Pastor Scott Available	Pastor Scott Available 8:30a Meal Packing at Salvation Army	Pastor Scott Available  Happy Birthday Dick Hoar	Pastor Scott Available 7:30a-2:30p Debbie in Church Office 7p Council Meeting  Happy Anniversary Bob & Laura Tucker Andy & Elli Kalas	Debbie in Church Office  Happy Birthday Donna Shipley Annette Buchanan	 Happy Birthday Melody Hover	6p VBS Picnic 7p Worship Service
<div>Vacation Bible School 9:30a-12p</div>						

Our new email address is:
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Pastor Joyce (c) 614 - 595-4771

Next Sunday, June 23rd
Worship at 7:00 P.M.
Join us for a picnic at 6:00p.m.