Prayer List:

Judy & Don Leab, Harold & Jennie, Georgie, Kelly, Those in weather-ravaged areas

Calendar of Events:

- Heavenly Quilters Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.
- A/A Meetings Wednesdays @ 6 p.m.
- SFC Choir practice Thursdays @ 6:30 p.m.
 - o June will be Pick-up Choir
 - July & August Choir off
- Food Pantry each Saturday from 9-11
- General Committee Meeting 5/28/19 @7:00 p.m
- Men's Breakfast Meeting 6/2/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
 - o All Church Breakfast please come!
 - o Next Men's B'fast is 10/6/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Sonshiner's Breakfast 6/16/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Celebrate Stephentown Church Open House
 - o 8/17/19 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Financial Stewardship:

- Offering 5/12/19 \$574.00
 - o Door Replacement Fund \$25.00
- Offering 5/5/19 \$1,603.00
 - Methodist Apportionment \$320.00
 - o Door Replacement Fund \$104.00
- Offering 4/28/19 1,593.05
 - Methodist Apportionment \$375.00
 - Door Replacement Fund \$12.05

\$1,370.00/week is needed in order to meet our budget

Code for Hymnals:

- (P) Methodist Hymnal (Purple) (B) In Faith We Sing (Black)
- (G) Worship & Song (Green)
- (PH) Presbyterian Hymnal



"A Divine Domino Effect"

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Stephentown Federated Church Sunday, May 19, 2019 5th Sunday of Easter Welcome!

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
BELL CALLS US TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME

Announcements, Joys, and Concerns

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Gather, Easter people, raise your voices in praise!

Many: Let all creation praise our God and Creator!

One: Stars and planets, suns and moons - shine forth with joy!

Many: Our God grants life and salvation, rebirth and a future!

One: Fire and hail, blizzard and flood cannot overpower our Lord's

hand.

Many: Even death holds no sway any longer.

One: Gather, Easter people - sing praise to honor our risen Savior!

Many: We fear nothing, for our God will never leave us.

One: Everything is in your steadfast and faithful care, O Lord.

Many: We come into your holy presence with joy! Amen.

*HYMN #62 (P)

All Creatures of Our God and King

CALL TO CONFESSION

Prayer of Confession

Lord, we are your Easter people. And yet, we so often fail to recognize the new life you have granted to those who seem different from us. We are prone to drawing circles of belonging around the people with whom we are comfortable, leaving out those whose ways or appearance are unfamiliar. Forgive our fear and bigotry and doubt. Open our eyes and hearts, so that we recognize Jesus in everyone we encounter. Replace our cautious hearts with ones of grace-filled welcome, that living in the promises of Jesus' life, death, and resurrection, we may confidently reflect your love to all the world. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Praise Response #432 (P) Jesu, Jesu (vs 3)

FIRST READING Ephesians 6: 10-18

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

ANTHEM More Like You Lord

GOSPEL READING Mark 6: 30-44

SERMON The Domino Theory

*HYMN #408 (P) The Gift of Love

PASTORAL PRAYERS:

Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

Prayer Response - #420 Breathe on Me, Breath of God

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (for offering)

*Response #95 (P)

Praise God . . .

*HYMN #430 (P)

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

CHARGE AND BLESSING
Sending Forth & Blessing

Response - #2284 (B)

Joy in the Morning (vs 3)

POSTLUDE

* Please stand if you are able . . .thank you

Please note: We do not take a formal offering. There are offering plates at the doors which you may use if you are able to make a donation.

Pastor/Speaker - Rev. Dan Daniels (Thank you for your service)

Bev Westfall - Choir Director/Organist

Please join us for a time of refreshment and Fellowship in Pierce Hall following worship. "God bless you."