

Prayer List:

Janice, Mary & Steve (travel), Sherry Ciliberti, Richard Monyahan, Joan MacMillan (travel), Sherry, Marcia, Jordan & Baby, Kelly, Georgie, Fran, Judy & Don Leab, Donnie

Calendar of Events:

- Heavenly Quilters - Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.
- A/A Meetings - Wednesday's @ 6 p.m.
- SFC Choir practice - off until September
 - June will be Pick-up Choir
 - July & August - Choir off (Special Music)
- Food Pantry - each Saturday from 9-11
- General Committee Meeting 6/25/19 @7:00 p.m.
- Sonshiner's Breakfast - 7/21/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Celebrate Stephentown - Church Open House
 - 8/17/19 from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- Men's Breakfast Meeting - 10/6/19 @ 8:00 a.m.
 - All Church Breakfast - please come!

Financial Stewardship:

- Offering 6/16/19 - \$687.00
 - Door Replacement Fund - \$112.00
- Offering 6/9/19 - \$819.00
 - Door Replacement Fund - \$12.00
- Offering 6/2/19 - \$1,911.30
 - Door Replacement Fund - \$123.00
 - Methodist Apportionment - \$470.00

\$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



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Stephentown Federated Church
Sunday, June 23, 2019

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome!

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP BELL CALLS US TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME

Announcements, Joys, and Concerns

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: On this day, our hearts are heavy.

Many: Listen to our hearts, Jesus.

One: Our minds think of friends in need.

Many: Listen to our minds, Jesus.

One: Our prayers come with desperation.

Many: Listen to our prayers, Jesus.

One: Lord, we trust that you hear individual prayers,

Many: And we believe you also hear our collective prayers.

***HYMN #61 (P)**

Come, Thou Almighty King

CALL TO CONFESSION

Prayer of Confession

God of communication, you listen better than we could ever speak. Yet we confess to you the times in our lives when we don't communicate with you. We confess to you the times we do not think we need your help. We confess to you the times we complain of your absence without actually talking to you. Hear us, O God, and bring us into communion with you. Bring us also into communion with a prayerful community of your people.

Despite our communication challenges, help us to know that you hear all of us, and you hear each of us. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*** Praise Response #71 (P)**

Glory Be to the Father

FIRST READING

Matthew 10:34-39

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

PICK UP CHOIR

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 26:50-56

SERMON

Why did Jesus say that?

***HYMN #521 (P)**

I Want Jesus to Walk with Me

PASTORAL PRAYERS:

Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

Prayer Response #503

Let It Breathe on Me

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (for offering)

***Response #95 (P)**

Praise God . . .

***HYMN #2129 (B)**

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Sending Forth & Blessing

Response - #664 (P)

Sent Forth by God's Blessing (vs 1)

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. Betsye Mowry (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."