



Faith Global Methodist Church

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8:00 AM

Worship Leader- Jodi Beech

Pianist- Alyssa Wells

Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson

Acolyte- Gianna Canzano

Greeter- Ron & Nancy Smalley

10:30 AM

Worship Leader – Kathy Craig

Pianist- Holly Kwaczala

Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson

Acolyte- Nick Popovich

Greeter- Kathy Thurston

Twenty-Second Sunday of Pentecost November 9, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*indicates the congregation may stand.

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Based on Psalm 145)

Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

People: Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.

Leader: Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable.

People: My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and all flesh will bless his holy name forever and ever.

*OPENING HYMN

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart”

(OGRP Hymnal) #62

*1. Rejoice, ye pure in heart;
rejoice, give thanks, and sing.
Your festal banner wave on high-
the cross of Christ, your King.*

Refrain: Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

*2. With all the angel choirs,
with all the saints on earth,
pour out the strains of joy and bliss,
true rapture, no blest mirth!*

Refrain: Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

*3. Yes, on through life's long path,
still chanting as you go,
from youth to age, by night and day,
in gladness and in woe.*

Refrain: Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

*4. Still lift your standard high;
still march in firm array.
As warriors, through the darkness toil
till dawns the golden day.*

Refrain: Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

*5. Praise God who reigns on high,
the Lord whom we adore,
the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost-
One God for ever more.*

Refrain: Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)

God of faithful surprises, throughout the ages you have made known your love and power in unexpected ways and places. May we daily perceive the joy and wonder of your abiding presence and offer our lives in gratitude for our redemption. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 (NRSV) Pg. 205

Leader: This is the Word of God! For the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

CHOIR ANTHEM "Prayer for America" Arranged by Marty Hamby

*** DOXOLOGY** ***Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*** (OGRP Hymnal) No. 682
*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.*

***PRESENTATION OF GIFTS** (Offering plates will NOT be passed)

***OFFERTORY PRAYER (In Unison)**

Gracious God, we bring our gifts to you today, knowing that we are called to be faithful stewards of all you have given to us. Help us use our resources wisely, serve others with open hearts, and seek what is good for your sake. Teach us that where our treasure is, that is where our hearts will be, too. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE** ***"Come, Let Us Who in Christ Believe" (OGRP Hymnal) #511

1. *Come, let us who in Christ believe,
our common Savior praise;
to Him with joyful voices give
the glory of His grace.*
2. *He now stands knocking at the door
of ev'ry sinner's heart;
the worst need keep Him out no more,
or force Him to depart.*
3. *Through grace we harken to Thy voice,
yield to be saved from sin;
in sure and certain hope rejoice,
that Thou wilt enter in.*
4. *Come quickly in, Thou heav'nly Guest,
nor ever hence remove;
but sup with us, and let the feast
be everlasting love.*

INTRODUCTION TO THE MESSAGE

MESSAGE LESSON

2 Corinthians 4:13-18

(NRSV) Pg. 181

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

MESSAGE

Joy

(Life of Gratitude series)

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

The APOSTLES' CREED (In Unison)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

CHORUS

"Give Thanks"

(During this time, you may bring your pledge forward if you choose.)

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory Be to the Father

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. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN

"Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

(OGRP Hymnal) #597

(During the hymn, you may bring your gratitude note and place it on the altar, or give it to an usher.)

1. *Jesus, I my cross have taken,
All to leave and follow Thee;
destitute, despised, forsaken,
Thou from hence my all shalt be.*

*Perish, ev'ry fond ambition,
all I've sought, and hoped and known;
yet how rich is my condition,
God and Heav'n are still my own!*

*2. Let the world despise and leave me,
they have left my Savior too;
human hearts and looks deceive me;
Thou art not, like man, untrue.
And, while Thou shalt smile upon me,
God of wisdom, love, and might,
foes may hate and friends may shun me;
Show Thy face, and all is bright.*

*3. Man may trouble and distress me,
'twill but drive me to Thy breast;
life with trials hard may press me,
heav'n will bring me sweeter rest.
O 'tis not in grief to harm me,
while Thy love is left to me;
O 'twere not in joy to charm me,
were that joy unmixed with Thee.*

*4. Hasten on from grace to glory,
armed by faith and winged by prayer;
heav'n's eternal days before me,
God's own hand shall guide me there.
Soon shall close my earthly mission,
swift shall pass my pilgrim days,
hope shall change to glad fruition,
faith to sight, and prayer to praise.*

***BENEDICTION**

Pastor: Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body.
And be thankful.

People: Let the word of Christ dwell in us richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in our hearts to God.

Pastor: And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus.

People: Let us give thanks to God the Father through him. Amen.

POSTLUDE

****OUR MEMBER TO REMEMBER** today is Susan Carter. Please take a few moments to sign the greeting card on the Action Table to wish her God's blessings. **

Prayer List – Faith GMC

(Any requests received after bulletin completion will still be passed on to the Prayer Chain but will be listed in next week's bulletin.)

Prayer request to mention week of November 9th

1. Sharon- Vanna's grandma- shoulder replacement

2. Harry Loughner- in William Penn Care Center
3. Ron Weaver- Prayers, he is not responding to treatment
4. Debbie- strength and healing following extensive cancer surgery
5. Jess- Hip replacement

Prayer request to mention week of November 2nd

1. Jeff Hilty- pray for employment opportunity
2. Tamra- divorce and custody of children
3. Jonathan & Stacy- Peace
4. Joe- in his 90s fell and fractured many facial bones and has 3 brain bleeds. In critical but stable condition
5. Amy & Josh- loss of their 1st trimester baby boy
6. Jeff Schroder- knee replacement on October 28th
7. Jamaica
8. Sharon Bronson- surgery for 2 more tumors on her bladder
9. The man who fell 2 levels at PPG Paints Arena
10. Karen Kime- Millie Kime's daughter in law- had a mild stroke
11. Dick Schaeffer in AGH hospital

Please pray for Jeff Greenway our Superintendent:

- Protection as he travels in the US and abroad
- Wisdom as he leads the Allegheny West Conference as well as his duties overseas
- Discernment in our partnerships with the Congo and Kenya
- Quality and quantity time with Beth, his children and grandchildren
- Healing and health, rest and refreshment
- Sweet times with the Lord

Allegheny West - Pray for:

- Our Presiding Elders to stay strong in the Lord, in prayer and in Word!
- For the Lord to provide Youth Leaders whose relationship with Him is vibrant and whose energy and creativity are high.
- Youth to begin coming to each of our Global Methodist Churches, and for our churches to welcome them with open arms!
- All of our Bishops to have God's wisdom, guidance, and discernment as they lead not only conferences in America, but globally.
- Our government leaders to know Christ. For God to raise up politicians who know Him and are led by Him, and to raise up believing intercessors for each politician, both local and federal.
- Our pastors and their families

Continued prayers for:

Dick & Natalie Berlin, Dick & Pat Bush, Nick Coppage, Joan Nellis, The White Family, Michael Scoletti, Bill & Mary Weyel, Julie Kovacs, Joey Kasunic, Shirley Fabrizi, Stephanie Taczak, Fred Roach, Bob & Mary Zacharias, Straw Soffronoff, Beth Tyson, Pam Scalf, Jack & Emogene Blair, Martha, Karen, Jean Loughry, John Womer, Linda, Dennis & Gerrilynn Butterfield, Louise Gladkowski, Tracey Albert, Harry Loughner, Judy Magill, Jeff Retter, Beth Muri, Karen Klancia, Alice Burkhart, Ken Thom, Sharon Bronson, John & Polly Negich, Theresa Elvin, April

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE KINGDOM

Sunday, Nov. 9th	8:00 AM	22 nd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 AM	22 nd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Pastor Appreciation Luncheon
Monday, Nov. 10th	7:00 PM	Bible Study
Tuesday, Nov. 11th	6:30 PM	Men's Group
Wednesday, Nov. 12th	7:00 PM	Choir Practice
Thursday, Nov. 13th		Deadline for submission for Dec/Jan Faith Flyer
Friday, Nov. 14th	4PM-10PM	Fellowship Hall rented
Saturday, Nov. 15th	9:00 AM	Pumpkin Roll baking in Fellowship Hall
Sunday, Nov. 16th	8:00 AM	23 rd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 AM	23 rd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Church Council Meeting

FGMC ANNOUNCEMENTS 11.9.25

Today is the last day to place an order for a cream cheese pumpkin roll. Order forms are on the action table.

*The Assembly of Bishops of the Global Methodist Church have launched a new 8-week video series entitled **Spirit-Filled Methodism**. The 3-minute teachings from our bishops will focus on themes like Spirit-filled holiness, the Spirit's presence in spiritual gifts, and how Spirit-led disciples live and grow in faith -- all within the lens of our Wesleyan heritage. You can find a new message each week on the home page of our Faith GMC website by clicking the "Devotions/Prayers" tab at www.faithdelmont.org or access them directly from the GMC website www.globalmethodist.org.*



If you would like to **order Christmas poinsettias** in honor of or in memory of a loved one please see the action table for an order envelope. Deadline to order is **November 30, 2025**

On December 4, 2025, at Noon, we will be having a volunteer appreciation Christmas luncheon. Please sign the sign-up sheet on the action table so we can get a headcount. Christmas comes by once a year, let's get together for some holiday cheer. Staff and volunteers, it's time to celebrate you, as we express our heartfelt gratitude for your dedication and commitment to our church.



Campers! It's not too early to start thinking about summer camp! You can earn campership credits by participating in Hanging of the Greens and the Pilgrimage. Sign up on action table. If you have questions, please contact Stacey Vincle.

Desserts are needed for Delmont's Meals on Wheels. At this time 60 regular desserts and 10 diabetic desserts are needed every Monday, Wednesday and Friday in December. Considering partnering with a friend to make desserts. A sign up sheet is on the action table.

Veterans Day Celebration, Tuesday November 11, 2005 at 6:00 PM at the memorial outside the Delmont Borough Building. All veterans and community members are welcome.

PRAYER MINISTRY AT FAITH: Join us on the 1st Saturday of each month from 9:30-10:30 AM in the room off the gathering area. If you feel called to intercessory prayer or if you need prayer, please come. If you have any questions, please contact Carrie at 412-334-0920 or carriebortz@yahoo.com Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Jesus Christ. 1Thes.5:16-1

Receive the Faith Flyer newsletter in your mail. If you are new to our church and would like to receive the monthly Faith Flyer newsletter, reach out to the office so we can get your address in our system.

OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tabitha Circle is accepting donations of items to sell at the Pilgrimage. All funds raised go towards missions.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED....On Saturday, November 22 from 8:30-11:30AM Faith Church will be participating in an **AMEN TO ACTION** event to assemble packages of soup at the Community Outreach Center (building next door to the Friends Thrift Shop) in Export. A sign up sheet is on the Action Table if you would like to volunteer for this event.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR THE DELMONT PILGRIMAGE...It’s not too early to be thinking about the Delmont Pilgrimage in December and how you can help. Additional details are in the October Faith Flyer.

OFFER THE GIFT OF SIGHT: A Lions International collection box is in the gathering area for your used glasses, including sunglasses and reading glasses.



*Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world.
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good.
Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body.
Christ has no body on earth but yours.” Teresa of Avila –*

In-person attendance week ending 11/2/2025 = 217			
Tithes, offerings, and gifts received for the week ending 11/2/2025			
OUR GIVING IS A REFLECTION OF OUR COMMITMENT TO JESUS CHRIST!			
2025 Annual Operating Budget: \$371,285.85			
NEED EACH WEEK	\$ 7,140.11	NEED TO DATE	\$ 314,164.79
RECEIVED 11/2/25	\$ 10,634.50	RECEIVED TO DATE	\$386,561.15
(-)SHORTAGE/(+)SURPLUS + \$ 72,396.36			
CAMBERSHIP GOAL 7/1/2025-6/30/2026:			\$ 10,000.00
Balance as of September 30, 2025			\$ 9,020.03



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