

Order of Worship for Sunday, July 17, 2022 – Called to Transformation
Hear Pastor’s Sermon by Phone 24/7 at 814-422-6238 - Website: PennsValleyParish.info
For the transformation of the world, we make disciples. We study God’s Word and offer praise and
worship, strengthening each other for outreach beyond the church walls.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING WORDS Can enemies become friends? God can transform our worst inclinations into
tools of blessing.

SERVICE OF THE ACOLYTE

† CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We gather this day from a week filled with needs and demands

P: We come to find rest and renewal of our spirits.

L: Open your hearts in love to hear the voice of God.

P: We want to quietly rest in God’s presence, free from the clamor of the world.

L: This is the day that the Lord has made.

P: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

† OPENING PRAYER

**From the demands and pressures of this past week, we come, O Lord, seeking rest and renewal. Hear
the cries of our hearts, our prayers, our needs. Heal and restore us. For we ask this in Jesus’ Name.
AMEN.**

We come here to learn, and that includes a new song.

† OPENING HYMN The Church of Christ, in Every Age UMH #589

BLESSING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS – 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.***

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE At the Feet of Jesus Luke 10:38-42

JOYS AND CONCERNS - (The Lord’s Prayer “trespass”)

SELECTED SCRIPTURE Amos 8:1-12 // Colossians 1:15-28

MESSAGE Called to Transformation

† CLOSING HYMN Victory in Jesus UMH #370

† COMMISSION & BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- July 18 – Trinity UMC Ad Board and Trustees meet at 7pm
- July 18 – 22 – Due to Course of Study that week, Pastor Theresa will not be readily available during the day. Please call and leave a message or email and she will respond as soon as possible. Thank you.
- July 21, Aug. 4 & 18 - Ladies Coffee & Conversation at St. James UMC 9:30am, all ladies welcome!
- July 24-28; 6-8:15pm at Centre Hall Lions Club Park – Food Truck Party Vacation Bible School for ages 3 through 5th grade. The Centre Hall Council of Churches host this opportunity for your kids to learn about how God provides for us as we sing, dance, play games, make crafts, and have a great time! A free dinner for all attendees will be held at 5:30pm each night proceeding VBS. For more information, registration and contact details, visit GraceCentreHall.org.
- August 19-27 – Grange Fair
- August 21 – Susan Johnson, certified lay speaker, will serve Trinity Woodward, St. James Coburn and Sprucetown.
- PV Charge SPRC 3rd quarter meeting 7pm at Faith UMC, Spring Mills
- Sept. 26-28 – Pastor Theresa is on vacation. Pastor to offer urgent pastoral care tbd.
- Sept. 28-30 – Pastor Theresa is virtually attending Leadership Institute 2022
- Oct 23 – PV Cluster Pulpit Swap; Randy Muthersbaugh will visit Trinity, St. James and Sprucetown; Pastor Deb Dailey visits Faith; and Pastor Theresa visits Grace Centre Hall.

GOD'S CALL EVENT

You are invited! Come explore various pastoral ministry paths and discern the next steps in God's call for you. We are excited to welcome Gary Shockley as he presents "A Contemplative Stance for Starting New Things." This "fresh expressions" leadership training will offer you ideas and insights that you can take back to your church. Join our Zoom call on Saturday, August 6 (9 AM to 1:30 PM) and begin this new learning about your opportunities to follow Jesus in more ways. REGISTER by August 1. We look forward to seeing you online! For more information about the Susquehanna Conference, visit susumc.org

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