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**WE ARE CALLED TO BE A CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY
SHARING THE LOVE OF GOD**

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***Stand as you are able**

Welcome

Thought: “The further society drifts from the truth, the more it will hate those who speak it.” George Orwell

Prelude

***Call to Worship:** From No. 690 in our Hymnal

Leader: Have mercy on us, O God, according to your unfailing love;

People: Blot out all our transgressions, according to your great compassion.

Leader: Wash away all our iniquities and cleanse us from our sin.

People: For we know our transgressions, and our sin is always before us.

Leader: We have sinned against you and have done what is evil in your sight.

ALL: As a sacrifice we bring our broken and contrite hearts.
(Pause for silence)

Leader: God will create in each of us a pure heart. God will not take the Holy Spirit from us.
God will restore to us the joy of salvation and grant us willing spirits to sustain us.

ALL: Praise to the God of mercy who loves and forgives us.

***Song of Praise:** “Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus” Music Video w/Lyrics

***Opening Prayer**

Sharing our Tithes and Offerings:

“There was not a needy person among them . . .” Acts 4:34

Offertory

***Offertory Response:** “Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow No. 119 (Verse A)

***Offertory Prayer**

***Hymn:** “Open Our Eyes” Songbook No. 48

Junior Church Dismissed

Scripture: Romans 1: 18-25

Message: “Celebrating Sin”

Community Sharing

Announcements
Joys and Concerns
Prayer

***Song of Commitment:** “We Believe” Music Video w/lyrics

***Benediction**

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Witness Commission is seeking volunteers to host the Carlisle Community CARES emergency men's homeless shelter during the month of July. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board to write in your name and phone number.

The 24th Annual Shomaker Classic will be held July 10th this year to benefit Safe Harbour. The event will take place at the Carlisle Country Club. The Shomaker Classic is held in memory of Monte Shomaker, an avid golfer and community member dedicated to serving the Carlisle area. The event begins with registration and a box lunch from noon to 1 p.m. Registration as an individual will be \$110 or a foursome for \$400. Registration to attend the dinner only is \$40.00. Complimentary water, soda and iced tea will be available on the course; other refreshments will be available for purchase. For more info, see www.safeharbour.org

SpiriTrust Lutheran Home Care & Hospice is currently in need of caring individuals interested in serving our local community. Hospice volunteering can make such a difference not only in the lives of those needing support, but also in your own life! Volunteers provide emotional support to clients and their families, relief to caregivers, and friendship at a time when companionship is needed most. All volunteers receive free specialized training before assignment to client and families. The next training session is scheduled for July 11 and July 18 from 9:00 am - noon at SpiriTrust Lutheran Home Care & Hospice, 1920 Good Hope Road, Enola. Please consider becoming part of this very important and life changing ministry by calling their Volunteer Coordinator at (717) 680-0301.

July 14 from 6:30pm to 7:30pm Come and join the Witness Commission on Sunday in the Carrol J. Warrell Amphitheater at Thornwald Park. We will be watching REACH a group of young hip-hop dancers and listening to their music. If anyone in the audience wants to join in, they can do this on the lawn. Bring a lawn chair or blanket and meet at the entrance and we'll all sit together. Weather permitting. FREE. Parking

is available at 850 Bicentennial Drive. Then go down the path through the trees to the amphitheater. You will see Thornwald Mansion up on a hill overlooking the amphitheater. For up to date information or cancellations check the Carlisle Parks and Recreation page under events on Facebook or call 717-243-3318.

Deacon Luncheon on July 14th:

U - (Pastor Jerry)

C & L - Summer salad or picnic salad (Carothers & Lebo)

M - Summer dessert (Marks, Miller, Moody)

W & W - Casserole, or hotdogs or hamburgers (Scott, Wampler, Walker, Wilson)

The Deacon meeting will be held right after the meal.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

TODAY

9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Worship Service

TUESDAY, July 2

9:00 am Quilting

7:00 pm Music/Worship

WEDNESDAY, July 3

COB Annual Conf. through July 7 @ Greensboro, NC

THURSDAY, July 4

Independence Day - Office Closed

SUNDAY, July 7

9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Worship

