

**St. Peter's United Church of Christ
Tatamy, Pennsylvania**

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June 8, 2025

Pentecost Sunday

WELCOME

PRELUDE

TOLLING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP (*responsively*)

The wind blows where it chooses.

**We hear the sound of it but do not know where it
comes from or where it goes.**

So it is with the Spirit of God. We sense its presence,

But it blows as God wills it.

The Spirit of God invigorates, inspires, empowers.

And we are witnesses to its power and presence.

Come, let us worship in spirit and in truth,

Praising God and giving thanks.

HYMN #326 Spirit of Gentleness

CONFESSION:

Gracious God, come to us. Set your Spirit upon us.

**We confess that we are unworthy; corrupted by the
forces of darkness that fill our world. And yet, through
the promises of Christ, we are bold to seek your Spirit
and ask your forgiveness. Free us from all that binds
us, all that holds us back; so that we may know true joy
in living in the light of your face. In Christ we pray it,
Amen.**

ASSURANCE:

In our brokenness, God's Spirit forges new life and unending power. We are assured of God's constant presence and grace, freeing us to be God's true children. Our sins are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

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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.

SCRIPTURE:

Genesis 11:1-9

Acts 2:1-2

MEDITATION

HYMN #332 Let Every Christian Pray

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERING RESPONSE:

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow:
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above the heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

God of all good gifts, receive now these tithes and offerings, sign and symbol of our faith and of our dedication to this your church. Bless all that has been given and all that we are, for we ask it in him who is our Lord and our Savior, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

HYMN #135 Loving Spirit

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION:

**Spirit of the living God, move among us all;
make us one in heart and mind, make us one in love.
Humble, caring, selfless, sharing,
Spirit of the living God, fill our lives with love.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The altar flowers this morning are presented by Bryan & Ellyn Scott in memory of Marguerite Scott.

BIBLE STUDY will be held on Thursday at 10 am.

LIBRARY HOURS—the church library will be open every Saturday from 10 until noon, the first Wednesday of the month from 9:00-10:30 am and the third Wednesday of the month from 5:30-7:00 pm.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

10 Ali Higgs 13 Kimberly & Jeffrey Krupa
14 Ilean Altemose

6/1/25 GIVING--\$967.00 TOTAL GIVING YTD--\$16,720.00

6/1/25 MEMBER ATTENDANCE—33

6/1/25 TOTAL ATTENDANCE—38

YTD MEMBER ATTENDANCE AVERAGE—30

YTD TOTAL ATTENDANCE AVERAGE--36