

**WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS**

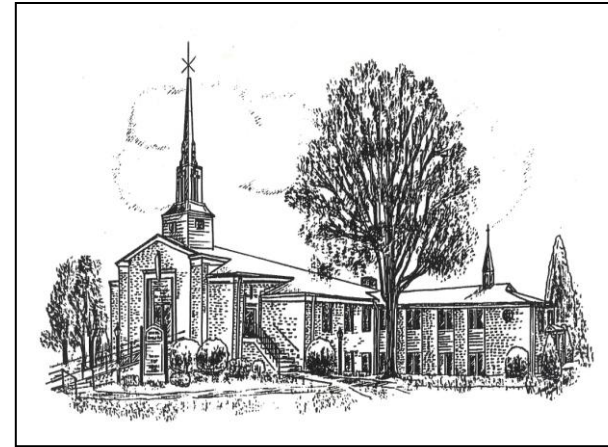
Welcome to all who are visiting with us today. We hope that your experience with us in this time of worship and fellowship is one which you will enjoy and from which you will benefit. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to consider placing your membership with us. Members are received by transfer from other churches, reaffirmation of faith, and profession of faith.

**BY TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP:** Request the minister to write to your former church for a letter of transfer.

**BY REAFFIRMATION:** If you have been long inactive or separated from the church for some time, or wish to rededicate yourself, you may be received on reaffirmation of faith without being rebaptized.

**BY PROFESSION OF FAITH:** This means you receive Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and sincerely promise to live for Him. Previous baptism is accounted valid or the Sacrament of Baptism may be administered at the time of profession.

For more information about how to join Ohio U.P., please indicate your interest on a "Voice from the Pew" card found in the pew pocket, or speak to the pastor after the service.



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**Sunday Worship  
8:30 AM & 10:00 AM**

**July 4, 2010**

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Class of 2010	Class of 2011	Class of 2012
Bob Hurni	Janice Angelo	John Martin
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Jeff Barth	Dana Clark	Jon Moss
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Kathylee Tolfa	John Smith	

*On this Fourth of July, we joyfully celebrate our nation's birth. We are pleased that you've come to praise God, who richly blesses our beloved country.*

**PRELUDE (8:30)** "My Country, 'Tis of Thee"  
**(11:00)** "A Patriotic Quotation"

*(by Dennis Eliot)  
(by Robert J. Hughes)*

**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PLEASE GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: O Lord, open my lips.  
**People: And my mouth shall proclaim Your praise.**  
Leader: Jesus says: Listen! I am coming soon!  
**People: I will bring my rewards with me.**  
Leader: I am the first and the last,  
**People: The beginning and the end.** (Rev. 22:12-13)

**\*HYMN 151 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"**

**\*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Almighty and merciful God, in Jesus Christ You called us to be a servant people, but we do not do what You command. We are often silent when we should speak, and useless when we could be useful. Have mercy on us, O God. Forgive us and free us from sin; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*RESPONSE** *Gloria Patri 579*  
*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.*

**SPECIAL MUSIC (8:30 & 11:00)** *“The Star-Spangled Banner”* (see insert) - Congregation

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (11:00)** Rev. Eric Powell

**\*HYMN 564** *“O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”*

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION**

**NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE** Revelation 1:1-20 p. 1191 large print page 1886

**SERMON** “LIFTING THE VEIL” Rev. Eric Powell

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*HYMN 6** *“Jesus Comes with Clouds Descending”*

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PRAYER OF INTERCESSION and THE LORD’S PRAYER**

Leader: ...we pray in Jesus’ name; who taught us to pray, saying... **All: 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.**

**GIVING OF GIFTS**

**Offertory (8:30)** *“The Battle Hymn of the Republic”* (by Garrett Parker)  
**(11:00)** *“Song of Freedom”* (by Gerald Peterson)

**\*RESPONSE Doxology 592**  
*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.*

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE 535** *Go With Us, Lord*  
*Go with us Lord, and guide the way*  
*Through this and every coming day,*  
*That in Your Spirit strong and true*  
*Our lives may be our gift to You.*

**\*POSTLUDE (8:30)** *“Heal Our Land”* with *“King of the Nations”* (by Tom and Robin Brooks)  
**(11:00)** *“Freedom’s Call”* (by Henry Balcombe)

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