



JULY 3, 2022 10:30 A.M.
FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

(Optional) Tune to 96.1 FM for the service

The service can also be listened to on any radio on church property.
For those that wish to stay in your cars for the service, you can listen to
the station listed above.

PRELUDE

CARRYING IN THE LIGHT OF GOD

GATHERING HYMN* *America the Beautiful* No. 572

GREETINGS, WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Beaver UCC!

*If you are new or would like more information, please fill out a
welcome card, located in the holder on the back of each pew,
and place it in the offering plate.*

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

*All who are comfortable, please stand.

BEAVER UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Office Hours: Tues. 1-6 p.m.
Wed 10 a.m. -12 p.m. & 5-7 p.m.
Thu 10 a.m. -12 p.m.
Other times available by appointment

Choir Director: Karen Barger Organist: Alex Ignatiou
Children's Sunday School: 4th – 7th Teacher: Brittany King
Young Learners: K – 3rd Teacher: Sarah Hogan
Nursery: Infant – Pre-K Teacher: Hayden Rauls

- Handicapped restrooms are on the main and lower levels.
- Hearing assistance devices are available on the blue table near the altar by the back entrance.
- Nursery Child Care is available for infant to kindergarten and those children that parents feel would be best in the Nursery. Sunday School is provided for children through 7th grade unless Sunday School is on a break

Lay Reader: Tom Rauls
Coffee & Doughnuts: Bill & Karen Barger
Nursery Volunteer: Karen Barger

Today's altar flowers are donated by the Severtsons in honor of Dean & Mindy Severtsons' anniversary.

Fri., Aug. 5th;

Golf Outing, 8:00 am

You are invited to participate in the United Church Homes golf tournament on August 5th. This is a fundraiser for the organization that runs several of our UCC nursing homes including Trinity here in Beavercreek. The tournament will be at Beavercreek Golf Club and start at 8:00 am on Friday August 5th with breakfast. The cost per player is \$100 and includes breakfast 18 holes, and lunch. The registration deadline for the tournament is July 15th. You can register online at <https://www.unitedchurchhomes.org/trinity-at-beavercreek/> where there is a link at the top of the page. You can also email advancement@uchinc.org and register that way. We already have 2 people from the church participating, and will be looking for at least two more to form a team. If you register, please let Pastor Brian know so he can let the event organizers know who is from the church and thus should be put together on a team.

Aug. 18th – 20th;

Garage Sale

Make sure to place it on your calendars. We will be having our garage sale again on August 18th through the 20th. Feel free to bring boxed items between now and the 14th of August. We will be setting up the sale on the 14th of August and taking it down on the 21st.

†Call to Worship and Prayer of Confession provided by the United Church of Christ's Worship Ways publication

July 10th, 2022

Scripture: Amos 7:7-17 and Luke 10:25-37

Nursery Volunteer: TBD

Lay Reader: Gail Wells

Coffee & Doughnut: TBD

CALL TO WORSHIP[†]

Leader: Let us sing praises to God, all you faithful ones,
People: and give thanks to God's holy name.
Leader: God does not abandon us in our distress.
People: God's healing presence restores us to life.
Leader: Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.
People: Indeed, God turns our mourning into dancing; God takes off our sackcloth and clothes us with joy.
Leader: Let the peoples praise you, O God, and not be silent.
All: O Lord, our God, we will give thanks to you forever!

INVOCATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION[†]

All: Holy One, the Apostle Paul encouraged the Galatians not to grow weary, but to use every opportunity to work for the good of all. And yet, hectic schedules, competing demands, cynicism, and doubt erode our commitment and leave us feeling burned out. Forgive us for any hollow excuses we are tempted to make and heal us of our exhaustion. Forgive us and heal us, O God.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS[†]

Leader: There is no pain that God cannot heal. There is no wrong that God cannot forgive. Come, immerse yourselves in the healing waters of God's forgiveness. Come and be restored. Let God make you whole.
All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

TIME OF PRAYER (You may remain seated)

Joys and Concerns

All: Dear Lord, hear our prayers.

Silent Prayer

Lord's Prayer (debts, debtors)

Organ Response

OFFERING OF GIFTS & SELVES TO GOD

Offertory

Presentation of Gifts*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen*

Prayer of Blessing

SPECIAL MUSIC

LESSONS 2 Kings 5:1-14 OT pg. 410
 Galatians 6:1-16 NT pg. 256

SERMON "Assumptions"

COMMUNION

PARTING SONG* *Lord of Life*

**Lord of Life, Lord of Love, walk forever beside us.
Day by day show the way, be Thou our vision to guide us.
Striving to follow Thy noble plan, nothing can divide us. Lord
of Life, Lord of Love, walk forever beside us.**

BENEDICTION, POSTLUDE, & CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE
WORLD

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

July Meetings:

Tuesday July 19th, Planning Committee via Zoom, 7:00 pm

Wednesday July 27th, Consistory via Zoom, 7:00 pm

Ongoing; **Signups needed for Nursery & Doughnuts**

There are many openings in July for both Nursery Volunteers and those bringing Doughnuts.

Ongoing; **Cleanup Buckets & Hygiene Kits**

For the month of July Beaver church will be collecting cleanup buckets and hygiene kits for Church World Services to help with their disaster recovery mission. If you are interested in helping to make a bucket or kit, there are instruction sheets on the table at the front of the sanctuary.

Ongoing; **Kitchen & Maintenance Teams Needed**

The Consistory has decided to try and create teams to assist with cleaning and organizing the kitchen and fellowship hall, as well as a team to take care of various maintenance issues around the church. We will not only be looking for members, but for team leaders who will organize the groups.

Sat., July 23rd; **Pan-Ohio Hope Volunteers**

As many of you know, Tom Rauls is riding again in the Pan-Ohio Hope ride to raise money to help families suffering from cancer. This year Beaver Church will be volunteering to operate a water & snack station in Xenia for the race on July 23rd. We have 5 volunteers so far, and need at least 5 more. If you are interested, please let Shirley Nelson know.