

Church Calendar

Sunday, July 15:	10 am - Service, PA Mission Group joins us for worship	
	11:15 am - Choir Practice	
Tuesday, July 17:	6 pm - Comedy Night and Dinner, Fellowship Hall	
Thursday, July 19:	11 am - Bible Study, parlor	
Friday, July 20:	PA Mission Group departs for home	

Do you have a bulletin announcement? Please submit it by Wednesday, 9 am, the week before. Email to: adminassist@elijahkelloggchurch.org. Thank you.



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> Sunday Service July 15, 2018

Welcome to Elijah Kellogg Church! We are glad that you could be with us this morning!

Please let us know how we can be of service to you. Feel free to fill out an information card found in the pew, and place it in the offering plate.

Sunday School for young children is provided. Child care for small children is available.

Please join us for our Coffee Hour following the morning service.

Prelude

Greetings and Announcements

Introit and Quieting our Hearts for Worship

*Call to Worship (Responsive) from Isaiah 29

On that day, the deaf shall hear the words of the scroll, and out of their gloom and darkness, the eyes of the blind will see.

> The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the Lord, and the neediest people shall exult in the Holy One of Israel.

For the tyrant shall be no more, and the scoffer will cease to be.

All those alert to do evil will be cut off –

Service

*Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer (in Unison) 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.

*Hymn 64 "All Creatures of Our God and King"

(The children are dismissed to Sunday School. Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson Isaiah 11:1-9

Pew Bible, p. 558

Responsive Reading from James 1

Let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger;

For your anger does not produce God's righteousness.

Rid yourselves of all sordidness and growth of wickedness.

And welcome with meekness the implanted word that has power to save your souls.

Be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves.

For those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act – they will be blessed in their doing.



Annual Chicken BBQ Saturday, July 28, 2018

5-7pm

Join us for good food, summer fu and the making of great friends.

> \$12.00 per Person \$8.00 for Children 10 & under

Chicken, Salads, Watermelon, Chips, Lemonade, Water, & Strawberry Shortcake.

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Service

*Gloria Patri 513				
Anthem	"Give Me Jesus" with "Steal Away to Jesus" (traditional spirituals arr. Ruth Elaine Schram)			
Second Lesson	Colossians 3:1-4, 12-17	Pew Bible, p. 957		
Sermon f	"Blessed are the meek, or they shall inherit the earth."			
*Hymn 217	"Lord of All Hopefulness"			
Prayers of the People Sharing Joys and Concerns Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer Choral Response Call to Giving Offertory *Doxology 515				
*Prayer of Dedication				
*Hymn	"O for a Thousand Tongues	s to Sing" (see back page)		
*Benediction				
Choral Blessing				
Postlude				
		*All who are able, please stand.		

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Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Quimby
Choir Director	Kate Gray
Greeters	Arnold & Nancy Bennett
Ushers	Bruce & Pat Myer
Reader	Gail Johnson
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	David Deinzer, 833-5433
Hospitality	Pat Moody, Susan Ferris



The flowers today are given in memory of loved ones by Doc & Joan Phillips.

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Notes & News

Craft group meets Tuesdays,10a-12p, downstairs in the craft room.

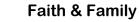
Bible Study meets Thursdays at 11 am in the parlor. Please join us!

Greeters for July 22: Ed & June Phinney

Ushers for July 22: Dana McIntire & Anne McIntire



July Food Bank Donation: Canned Fruit



Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it. Proverbs 22:6

Please welcome the Pennsylvania Mission Group who is staying with us until Friday morning.

- Join us **TODAY** at coffee hour to introduce yourselves!
- During the week you are invited to join them for a meal in Fellowship Hall, and to attend an evening devotional.
- AND ... Please join us for a **Comedy Night and Dinner on Tuesday, July 17th at 6 pm**. The Mission's Board will be supplying the beans & hotdogs. Please bring a potluck dish to compliment the meal. After dinner, we can laugh together as we watch episodes of the Carol Burnett show!

NEEDED: We are still looking for people to sign-up for a **"Getting to Know You"** Sunday school time (10:15-11am). It is an informal time to talk, tell stories, play games, go for a walk, ask questions ... a time to get to know each other. Please consider giving the gift of yourself to the youth of our church. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

Our "God at Work" Vacation Bible School will take place August 6-10 from 9am-noon. We still need Campers, Volunteers, and Supplies! The list of supplies is posted on the bulletin board. If you are interested in helping please let Denise know. And if you know of any pre-schoolers thru 4th graders who might like to join us, please invite them!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - During the month of July we will be collecting small games and toys for children ages 2-14. Items such as card games, matchbox cars, jacks, etc. Please place you donations in the box on the mission table. Thank you!

Don't forget to grab your Clynk bag and recycle your returnable bottles/cans for Beatriz!

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Minister

Christian Education Director

Administrative Assistant