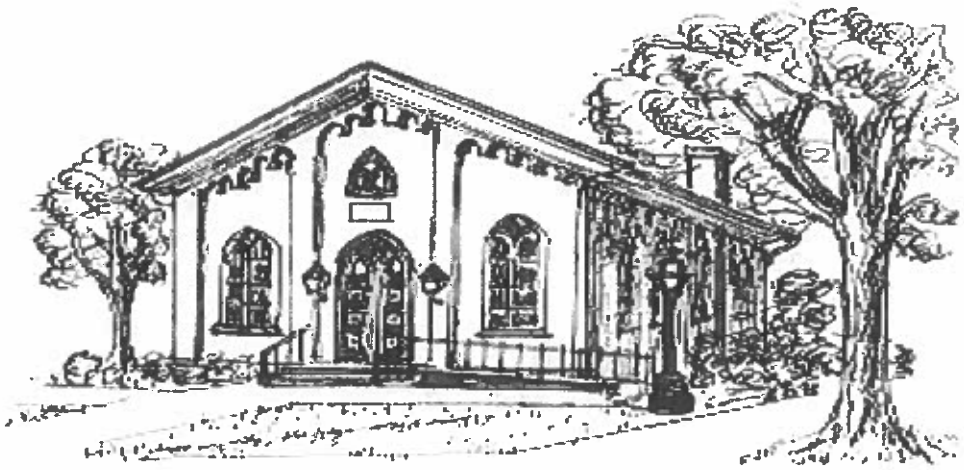
Latrobe Presbyterian Church

Summer Worship Services



Unity Chapel

8:30 am

Main Street

11:00 am

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Unity Chapel – 8:30 am. August 10, 2025 Main St. - 11:00 am

GATHERING

Prayer Request Cards *(blue) are inside the Pew Card Holder. The ushers will collect the request cards before the Prelude. The* ***bold print*** *invites the people to read aloud and/or sing. An asterisk* ******* *invites the people to stand. Please sign the register in the pew pads.*

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — Rev. Derek Campbell

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. *2 Thess. 3:18*

And also with you.

PRELUDE — His Eye Is on the Sparrow — Charles Gabriel

Crystal Stryker, Soloist

SENTENCE OF SCRIPTURE — Lector, Patti Baird, Unity Chapel; Ardi Hill, Main St.

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

....one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

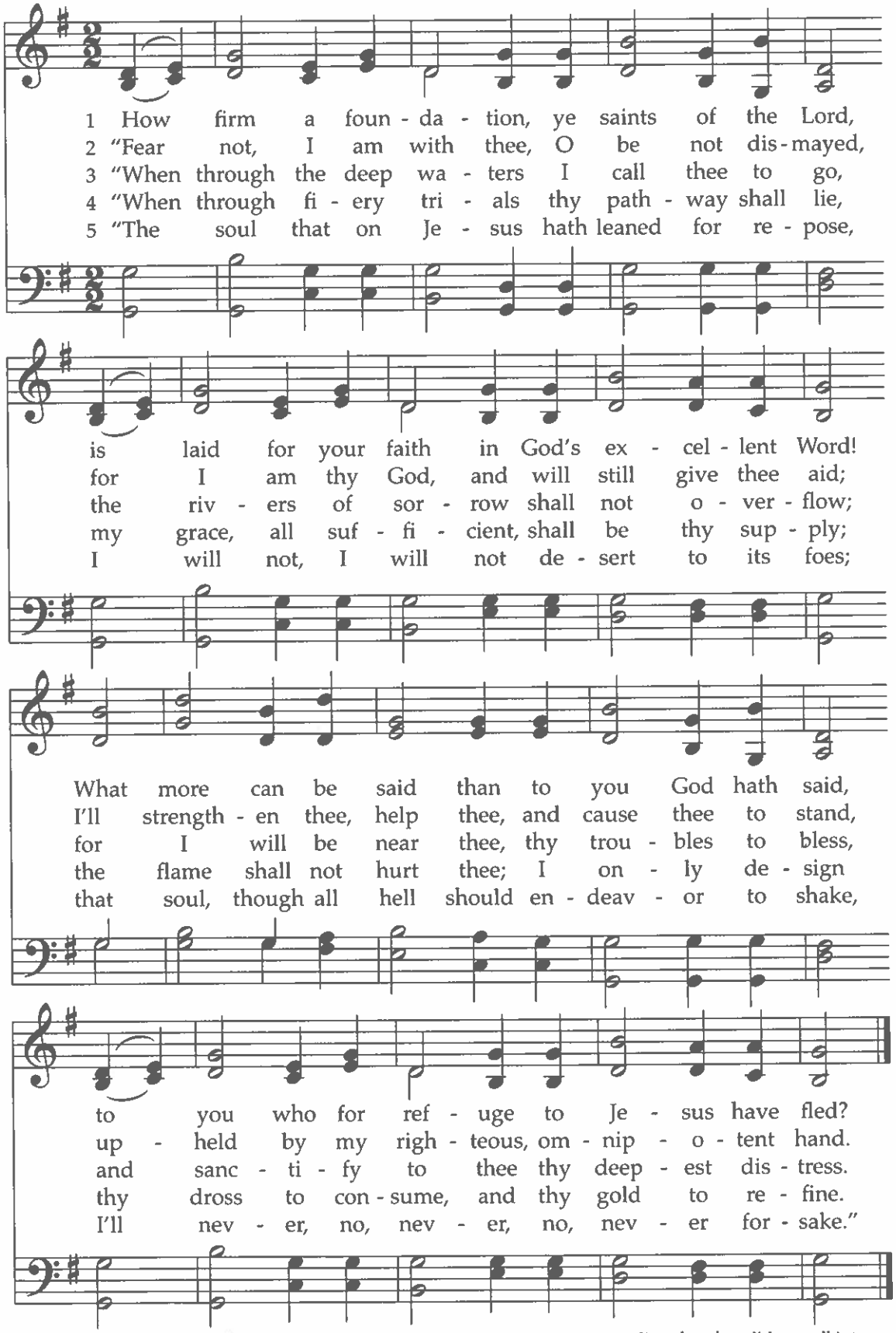
***HYMN 463 How Firm a Foundation**

*CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God, you call us to proclaim the gospel, but we remain silent in the presence of evil. You call us to be reconciled to you and one another, but we are content to live in separation. You call us to seek the good of all, but we fail to resist the powers of oppression. Forgive us, O Lord. Reconcile us to you by the power of your Spirit, and give us the courage and strength to be reconciled to others; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior.

PRIVATE TIME OF CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

463 How Firm a Foundation

It seems odd now to think of singing this text to ADESTE FIDELES, but mainline churches did so well into the 20th century because of a cultural bias against shape note music. The vigor of the present tune seems especially right for the final line's reference to Hebrews 13:5.

TEXT: "K" in John Rippons's *A Selection of Hymns*, 1787, alt.
MUSIC: American folk melody; Funk's *Genuine Church Music*, 1832, alt.

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***GLORY TO THE FATHER – HYMNAL 581**

*THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you. *(Greet one another with the words, "**Peace be with you.**")*

CHILDREN'S TIME

WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT — Leviticus 26:3-13 — Lector

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM READING — Psalm 1 — Lector

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GOSPEL READING — Luke 6:46-49

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ

NEW TESTAMENT — James 1:19-25

The Word of the Lord.

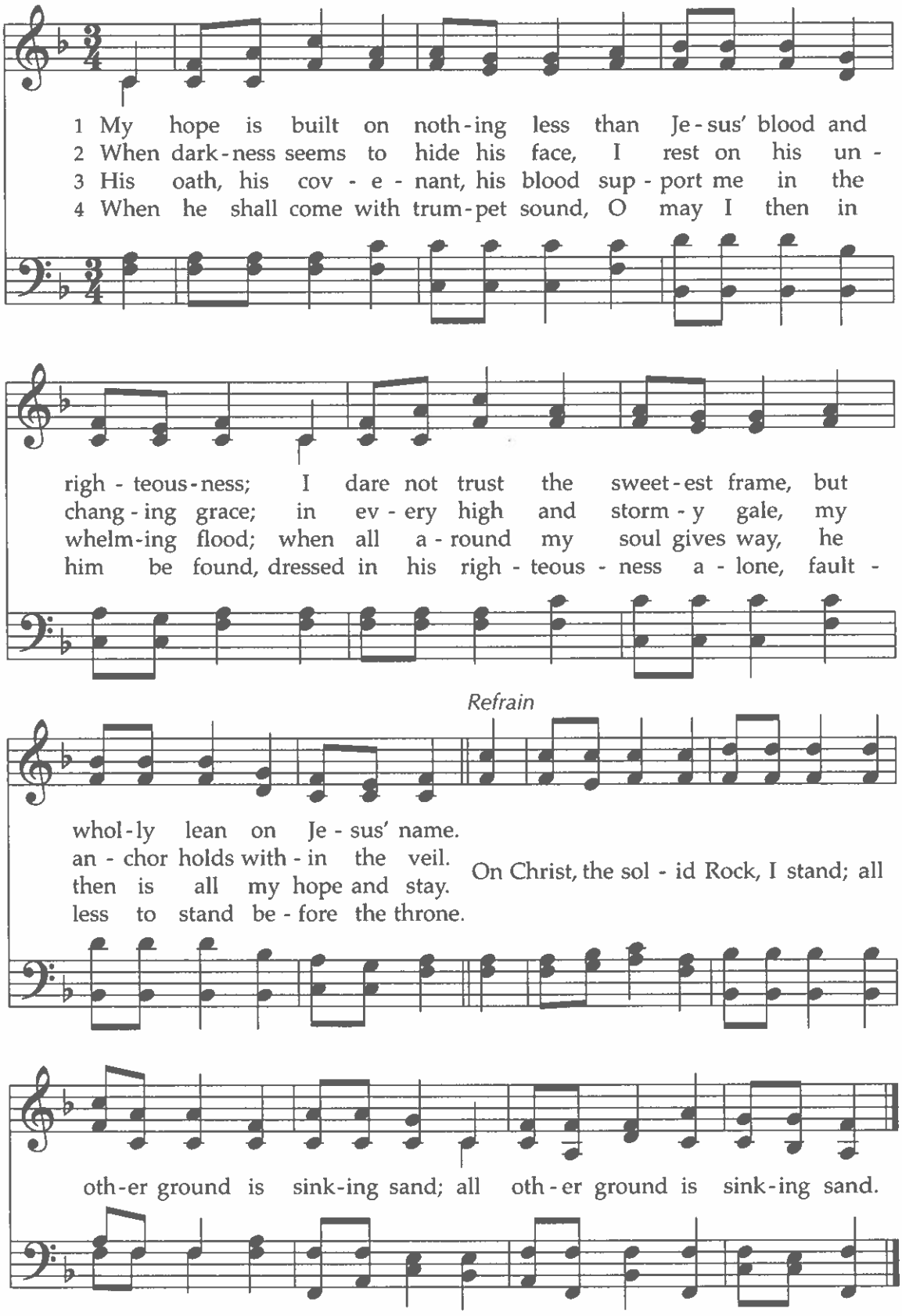
Thanks be to God.

SERMON — Rev. Derek Campbell

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

***HYMN 353 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less**

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 353



This hymn develops the imagery of Jesus' remark (Matthew 7:24–27 / Luke 6:47–49) that those who believe in him and act on that belief are like someone who builds a house on a rock. The text is set to a tune created for it by a prolific 19th-century American composer and editor.

TEXT: Edward Mote, c. 1834, alt.
MUSIC: William Batchelder Bradbury, 1863, alt.

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REAFFIRMATION OF THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT FOR THOSE UNITING WITH OUR CONGREGATION Unity Chapel

MOMENT FOR MISSION Amy McLendon, Hearts and Hands Helping Seniors

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

....we pray to you, O God. **Hear our Prayer.**

....and so with the confidence of the children of God, let us pray.

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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY I Waited for the Lord Felix Mendelssohn

Cecilia Long and Crystal Stryker, Duet

***DOXOLOGY-606**

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

SENDING

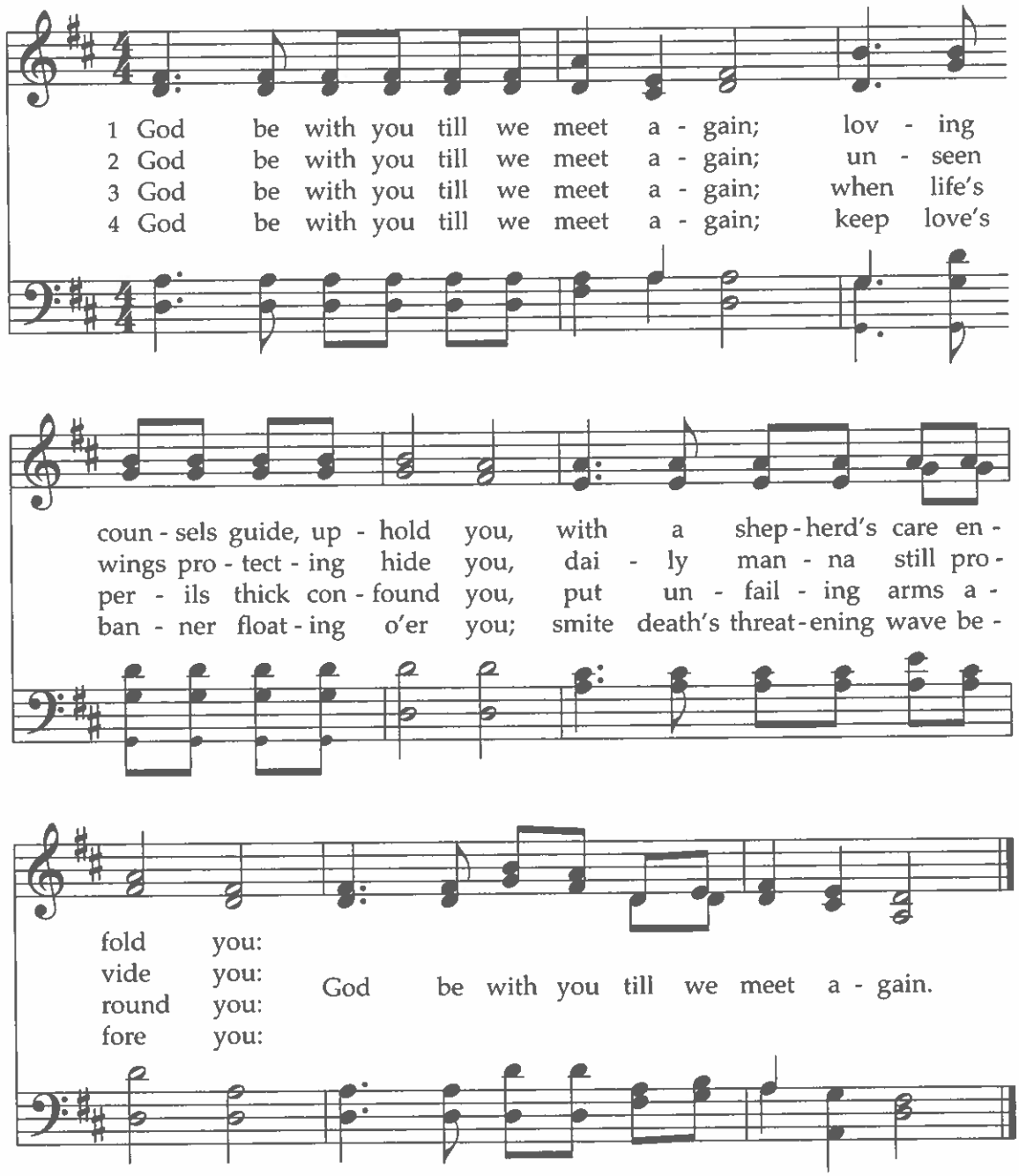
***HYMN 542 God Be with you Till We Meet Again**

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE – HYMNAL 568**

POSTLUDE

SENDING

542 God Be with You Till We Meet Again

After writing the first stanza of his "Christian Good-bye," the author sent it to two composers, one celebrated and one unknown, to see how each would set it. This is the second person's tune, which the author found more effective and used for the hymn's first publication.

TEXT: Jeremiah Eames Rankin, 1880, alt.
MUSIC: William G. Tomer, 1880

GOD BE WITH YOU
9.8.8.9
(alternate tune: RANDOLPH, 541)

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The **flowers** this morning are in **loving memory** of
Patty and George Conway

Greeters today are:
Gary Zimmerman, Elder and **Nancy Himler**, Deacon - Unity Chapel
Liz Armstrong, Elder and **Kathy Conway**, Deacon – Main Street

USHERS serving you today are members of:

Team VI: (Unity Chapel) Diana Adams, Patti Baird and Becky McChesney.

Team V (Main St.) Deborah Irwin-Captain, Marge Buerger,. Breanna Carini, Diana Kreiling, Lisa McCracken, Kay Musick and Pat Speedy.

ANOUNCEMENTS

In order to insure the safety of the church staff, congregation and property, **door codes** for the three (3) entrances will be changed beginning **Tuesday, August 19,** 2025. As of this date, prior codes issued will be obsolete. The three doors include the elevator, the main office door and the Vogelsang Room Social Hall door. Access to the elevator and main office door by entry buzzer will still be available. Employees, committee chairs and others requiring a new code(s) will be contacted by e-mail with further details.

This year's **Pine Springs Traveling Day Camp** will start tomorrow. If you would like additional information please contact Pastor Derek or the Office.

The August 24 worship service will be **Pine Springs Camp Sunday**, a time of celebration for and our commitment to Pine Spring Camp.

The **Annual Church Picnic** will be held on August 24 at the Lakeside Pavilion. A time of fellowship will be at 2:00 pm with dinner following at 3:00 pm. The Deacons will bring hot dogs, pulled pork sandwiches, chips and drinks. Please sign the sheet in the back of the Sanctuaries as to the salad, side dish or dessert you will bring to share.

W.O.V.E.N, the women's Bible Study, will meet in the Vogelsang Room on Tuesday, August 26 at 7:00 pm. All women are invited. Bring your Bible and enjoy a study and a time of fellowship.

The **Men's Gathering** will be held at the Jamison's on **Thursday, August 28** beginning at 6:00 pm. Please sign the sheet in the back of the Sanctuary.

WEEKLY MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Monday thru Friday **8/11 – 8/15**
.....Pine Springs Day Camp
Monday **8/11**
6:00 pm .....Christian Education and Nurture Committee
7:00 pm .....Joint Evangelism and Membership and JOY Committees
Tuesday **8/12**
7:00 pm ..... AlAnon
Wednesday **8/13**
1:30 pm .....Mission and Society Committee
Thursday **8/14**
7:30 pm .....Summer Concert at Unity Chapel
Sunday **8/17**
8:30 am .....Summer Worship at Unity Chapel
11:00 am .....Worship at Main Street

LATROBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Latrobe Presbyterian Church exists to love Christ and welcome all into relationship with God and one another. Grounded in our rich heritage and historical roots in this place, we come together in liturgical music and worship to gather as the family of God, be shaped by the word of God, respond to the call of God, and be sent to shine the light of God to all people in our neighborhood and throughout the world. By grace we extend forgiveness, seek the hurting, and reflect God's compassionate care.