

The Chancel Flowers are: In memory of husband, Michael Lunn and loved ones, by Sharon Lunn and family.

In the hospital and in our prayers as of Thursday, August 13:

Redstone Murrysville	Isobel Nelson
Home	Sandy Kutz
Brookdale Latrobe	John Smith
Home Hospice	Diane Brosnahan

Added to the prayer list as of 8.12.26: Troy & Briana Joseph, Kevin, Kim

Praise and Thank You Lord: Sandy Kutz, the delicious peach festival and all the workers who helped. The newly chosen font within the church bulletin. What a positive difference. And the reminder: Words break no bones, but they do break hearts. We all need to watch what and how we say anything. Blessings!

Our Service Personnel: Jeff Cmar, MSgt. Zachary Coleman, SFC James Davis, Dominic Duke, Vaughn Estepp, Sgt. Luke Frye, Sgt.GY, Sgt. Chris Keba, 2nd LT Andy Marlin, CDR Timothy Minor, Sr. Airman Zane Moore, Sgt. Noah Rady, Connor Ramage and Col. Brian Trumble

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WELCOME

We're glad you're here!



**“Bringing the heart
of Jesus
to the heart of Irwin”**

Morning Worship

August 16, 2026

8:15 & 10:30am

A warm welcome! The Lord calls all of us to a new way of living under His wonderful grace in our Savior. If you are our guest, it is a pleasure to have you worshipping with us. Please help us to get to know who you are by introducing yourself. Thank you.

PRELUDE Blessed Assurance Farrell

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsively)

M. Let us worship in spirit and in truth. For we are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation.

P. Let us declare the wonderful deeds of Him who called us out of darkness and into His marvelous light.

M. Once we were no people, but now we are God's people.

P. Once we had not received mercy, but now we have received mercy.

***HYMN No. 202** Amazing Grace

*CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In unison)

Lord God, we would not dare to come before You as though it were our right. You are pure holiness, pure love, pure goodness. We are self-willed creatures, and we cannot even live within the light that You have held out to us. But since, in Christ, You have declared Your love and mercy to the world, we come in full assurance of Your love, and ask Your pardon for the failures of this past week. We recall the wasted opportunities... the good intentions that were not fulfilled... our insensitive speech... our lack of discipline and dedication... and we repent of any hurt that we have caused, and all the help that we have withheld.

***MOMENT OF SILENT, PERSONAL CONFESSION**

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Responsively)

M. For Christ also died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous.

P. That He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***GLORIA PATRI** No. 623

KIDS MESSAGE Gary Filson

SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 6:1-5

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts and Debtors)

SPECIAL MUSIC (8:15) The Old Rugged Cross Jeffry Wright
(10:30) The Lord is My Shepherd
Isabella & Sullivan Novicki

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY** No. 624

***HYMN No. 430** I Must Tell Jesus

SCRIPTURE READING John 21:1-14

SERMON "Two Men and Two Boats" Doug Rehberg

***HYMN No. 201** Grace Greater Than Our Sin

***BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE** No. 363

More Love to Thee

More love to Thee, O Christ, More love to Thee! Hear Thou the prayer I make on bended knee; This is my earnest plea: More love, O Christ to Thee, More love to Thee, More love to Thee!

POSTLUDE Psalm XIX Marcello

***Those who are able may stand**

Isaiah 6:1-5 ESV

1 In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple.

2 Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.

3 And one called to another and said: “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!”

4 And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke.

5 And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

John 21:1-14 ESV

1 After this Jesus revealed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias, and he revealed himself in this way.

2 Simon Peter, Thomas (called the Twin), Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples were together.

3 Simon Peter said to them, “I am going fishing.” They said to him, “We will go with you.” They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

4 Just as day was breaking, Jesus stood on the shore; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus.

5 Jesus said to them, “Children, do you have any fish?” They answered him, “No.”

6 He said to them, “Cast the net on the right side of the boat, and you will find some.” So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in, because of the quantity of fish.

7 That disciple whom Jesus loved therefore said to Peter, “It is the Lord!” When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his outer garment, for he was stripped for work, and threw himself into the sea.

8 The other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, but about a hundred yards off.

9 When they got out on land, they saw a charcoal fire in place, with fish laid out on it, and bread.

10 Jesus said to them, “Bring some of the fish that you have just caught”

11 So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, 153 of them. And although there were so many, the net was not torn.

12 Jesus said to them, “Come and have breakfast.” Now none of the disciples dared ask him, “Who are you?” They knew it was the Lord.

13 Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and so with the fish.

14 This was now the third time that Jesus was revealed to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

1.) The CALL v. 5, “Jesus said to them, ‘Children, do you have any fish?’ They answered him, ‘No.’”

2.) The CONFIDENCE v. 7, “That disciple whom Jesus loved therefore said to Peter, ‘It is the Lord!’ When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his outer garment, for he was stripped for work, and threw himself into the sea.

3.) The CONCLUSION v. 12, “Jesus said to them, ‘Come and have breakfast. ‘Now none of the disciples dared ask him, ‘Who are you?’ They knew it was the Lord.”

**For your preparation: “Hope In Failure”
John 21:1-19**

This Week's Activities

Sunday, August 16

- **8:15AM** Worship Service, Baristas
- **9:15AM** Jumpstart (K-12th summer classes)
- **10:30AM** Family Worship Service, Kid's Sermon, Child Care
- **11:30AM** Fellowship: Coffee & Cookie Hour

Monday, August 17

- **9:30AM** Counters
- **6:30 PM** Stewardship & Finance Meeting

Tuesday, August 18

- **11:00AM** Staff Meeting
- **6:30PM** Boy & Cub Scouts
- **6:30PM** Working Women's Study Group

Wednesday, August 19

- **7:30AM** Norwin Men's Prayer Fellowship
- **10AM-11:30AM** Food Pantry Open
- **6:00PM** TOPS
- **6:00PM** Youth Fellowship Food Pantry Shopping

Thursday, August 20

- **5:00PM** Session Meeting

Friday, August 21

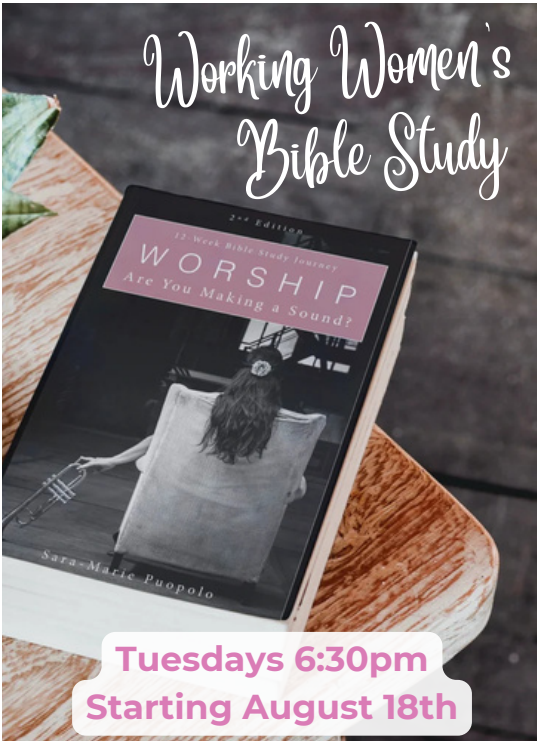
- **10AM-11:30AM** Food Pantry Open
- **1:00PM** Knit-Wit(nesses) for the Lord
- **1:00PM** Junior Knit-Wit(nesses) for the Lord
- **6:00PM** Table 21 Faith - Young Adult Bible Study

Saturday, August 22

- **9:00 AM** Pick up for the Blessing Board
- **5:00 PM** Eagle Scout Court of Honor - Andrew Baker

Sunday, August 23

- **8:15AM** Worship Service, Communion, Baristas
- **9:15AM** Jumpstart (K-12th summer classes)
- **10:30AM** Worship Service, Communion, Kid's Worship, Child Care
- **11:30AM** Fellowship: Barista Bar
- **11:30AM** Deacon's Meeting
- **7:00 PM** Youth Fellowship Campfire



Working Women's Bible Study

**Tuesdays 6:30pm
Starting August 18th**

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Table 21 Faith (age 21 – 35) is a community of people in various stages of life (college, professional, single, married) engaging with culture, building authentic friendships, and seeking God together.

AUGUST Events

Aug 21
2026



Friday 6:00pm-8:00pm
Bible Study
We will continue reading the gospels together!
at First Presbyterian Church- Irwin, PA

Aug 28
2026



Friday 6:00pm
Group Outing
Join us for a bonfire & s'mores!

 @table21faith



**Saturday, September 19th
10:00-12:00
Brenzia Room**

Sponsored by: The Deacons

Registration Required
You will receive a certification certificate.
INCLUDES AED TRAINING

Fee: \$40
Registration due upon sign up
Cash or check can be written out to "NHEMS Rescue"

Deacons are collecting donations for back to school.
A collection barrel is in the Brenzia room through August 23rd.
Monetary donations also accepted.

 **CARING CLOSETS FOR:**
SHERIDAN TERRACE
TRAFFORD ELEMENTARY
NORWIN HIGH SCHOOL
School supplies, snacks, new or gently used clothing, see full list on barrel.



INSPIRE Confirmation CLASS

Oct 4, 2026 – April 25, 2027

**Meet in
The Dwelling Place
Open to all 8th graders and above. Contact Heather Duckett to REGISTER**

**Register by
AUG 30, 2026
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