Meridian
Presbyterian Church

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June 7th, 2026
"From the Valley"
Tim Rausch, CLP

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM **June 7th, 2026**

9 Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor. 10 If either falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up.
Ecclesiastes 4: 9-10

PRELUDE **Debbe Picerno**

CALL TO WORSHIP
L: We gather here this morning as Your children
P: To praise and glorify Your name
L: We join other Christians around the world
P: To read Your word and sing Your praises
L: For You are the one true God
P: Who smiles upon us and gives us all we have.

***OPENING PRAYER**
***HYMN** **"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"** **No. 210**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**
Almighty and ever-loving God, we admit that we boast and take credit for our accomplishments when things are going well and blame others when things go awry. Far too often we only turn to You when our lives go sideways, and when we are in desperate need of Your help. We think that we can fix things ourselves or look to others for help, instead of turning to You. Pardon us for our selfishness, our self-centeredness, and our pride. Help us to remember that the good things in our lives are only due to Your grace. We ask for Your forgiveness and mercy so that we can continue to bring glory to Your name in all we think, say and do. Amen. (Silent Confession)

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**
L: Believe the good news of the Gospel
P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

***CONFESSION RESPONSE:** **"Behold the Lamb"**

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

***OFFERING RESPONSE: "Doxology"**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

RECOGINTION OF GRADUATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S SERMON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON **Romans 10:9-10**

ANTHEM "Just As I Am" **Flute: Sue Freund**

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON **Psalm 120**

SERMON "From the Valley" **Tim Rausch, CLP**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

***HYMN "Let Us Break Bread Together"** **No. 460**

COMMUNION

***CONFESSION OF FAITH**

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***HYMN "Love Lifted Me"** **No. 508**

POSTLUDE **Debbe Picerno**

***Those who are able please stand.**

Liturgist: Peg Morrison **Greeters: Cindy Musko**
Welcome Desk: Nancy Kummer & Emily Tarr **Fellowship Hour: Vickie White**

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday:	**10 AM**	**Worship & Communion**
Monday:	**6:30 PM**	**Men's Bible Study**
Tuesday:	**1 PM**	**Quilting**
Wednesday:	**9 AM**	**Coffee & Conversation**
	10 AM	**VBS Decorating Day**
Thursday:	**6 PM**	**Women's Bible Study**
Friday:	**10 AM**	**Women's Bible Study**
Saturday:	**9 AM**	**Men's Breakfast @ Mac's Cafe**

GRADUATION- Today we would like to recognize and congratulate our other graduating high school seniors; Quinn Rishor & Annie Woller. We wish them both much success and continued blessings.

BUS TRIP- Nov 5, 2026 there will be a day bus trip to Ohio Star Theatre to see "Elijah, Prophet of Fire" in Sugarcreek Ohio. More info on the sign up table. If you are interested in participating, please contact Lori Campbell at 724-476-1060 or dlcampbell@zoominternet.net

BLOCK PARTY- Thank you to all of the volunteers who made this event a success!

VBS DECORATING- We are looking for volunteers to help setup and decorate Christmas trees for VBS on Wed June 10th at 10 AM. We are also looking to borrow a few supplies: white sheets, sleds, skis, and any other winter decorations.

FISHBONE DINNER- A big thank you to everyone who volunteered at this month's dinner.

SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS- We are looking for summer Sunday morning volunteers, especially people to provide snacks for fellowship hour prior to worship. See the signup sheet for dates that are available.

COMMUNITY LUNCHES- Our church packs and delivers lunches to those in need at St. Andrews in Butler city on the third Sunday of every month.

BLOOD DRIVE- Redcross will be hosting a blood drive on Tuesday, June 23rd from 12-5 PM at Meridian Firehall. Please sign up at redcrossblood.org if you are able to donate.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL- Reminder VBS will be June 14th-18th from 5:30-7:30 PM.