

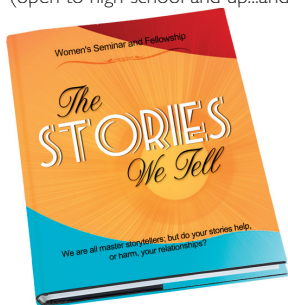
Welcome

welcome visitors

We're so happy you joined us this morning. If you desire, please fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering plate when it's passed. We hope you enjoy your visit.

Women's Seminar and Fellowship

(open to high-school and up...and nursing babies.)



When

July 11th (Friday night)
7:30pm-9:30pm

Where

home of Liz Parker (2104
Stafford Drive, Macungie)

We are all master storytellers; but do your stories help, or harm your relationships? Join us for the evening as we discuss "The Stories We Tell", spend time in God's Word, and fellowship with one another.

Plan to bring your favorite dessert or appetizer to share!

Pot Luck!

Mark your calendar for another celebration of fellowship and good food on July 13th after the service.

Back Next Week



COMMUNITY groups

Summer Community Groups

If you are interested in 1) Leading 2) Hosting, or 3) Attending a Community Group this summer, please contact Matt Nussbaum 484-554-2501 or mnussbaum11@gmail.com. Stay tuned for information.



Summer curriculum

K-5 is taking a journey through Pilgrim's Progress and learn unforgettable truths about God and His Word.

Preschool (ages 4 and 5) is learning about prayer through the model of the Lord's Prayer.

A kids offering is collected each week. All money collected will go to our adopted child, Priya. Pick up a prayer card from the back table and begin praying for Priya as a family.



Passport control will continue throughout the summer for the middle school students. Same day and time, going a little longer due to summer schedule (7-9pm)

Next Passport Control

Wednesday, July 9th
7 PM-9:00 PM



Summer play group at the park!

Join us Tuesday, July 1st, 9am at Upper Saucon Community Park (3231 Preston Lane, Upper Saucon). For more information contact Karen Lyngdoh at karenlyngdoh@gmail.com.

Welcome

29 June 2014

worship as communal exchange

Trinity God renews us, and we respond

called to come in | *God comes near and calls His people out of the world, and takes hold of us and brings us into the community of Himself.*

♪ Psalm 117 - Praise the Lord

we hear – Psalm 106

we respond – ♪ O Great God

confessing our sin | *God the Spirit reminds us that God the Father has saved us through the righteous life and sacrificial death of Christ the Son – and in faith we rest on his gracious interest to renew us yet again.*

we hear & confess – Isaiah 66.2; James 2:10; Exodus 20

we rest – ♪ Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners

declaration – 1 John 1:9

greeting & children's sermon | *3yrs-5th grade go out to a kids experience of Word, worship and small groups.*

announcements

consecrated by Word | *God declares the finished gospel of his Son, and continues his powerful, internal work of change/ consecration by his Spirit.*

we hear – Persistent Prayer

Luke 18:1-8 • Steve Ford

we respond – ♪ By Faith

♪ Come Thou Everlasting Spirit*, Offering

communion in sacrament

God invites us into his community to share in his covenant table – and we respond by enjoying his renewing, preemptive heavenly feast. Acts 20.7; 1 Corinthians 11.23–28

compelled to go out | *God blesses us and charges us go out and extend his kingdom into the broken world around us, making disciples of all nations.*

benediction – John 15:5,8

Praise the Lord!
Oh, give thanks to the Lord,
for he is good!
For his mercy endures forever.

Psalm 106

* Children return

Persistent Prayer

Luke 18:1-8

Steve Ford

I. A comparison of the givers

a. The ungodly judge

1. He did not fear God

2. He did not care about men

3. He answered her request

b. The just God

1. He is righteous

2. He loves His children

2. The problem of persistence

a. Prayer is work

b. We often are not convinced of God's love

c. The lack of immediate visible results

