

**WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
**8:00 a.m. SANCTUARY SERVICE**

*If words are preceded by an asterisk (\*), please stand. If you are able*

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Prelude:** ..... "Silver Threads Among The Gold" Donna Rhine

**\*Call To Worship:**

Leader: The risen Christ comes near to His people in mercy and grace .

**People: We will not turn Him away, but welcome Him with open hearts.**

Leader: He stands near, ready to dwell with those who invite Him in.

**People: Stay with us, Lord, and make Your presence known among us.**

**\*Collect:**

Lord Jesus, thank you for drawing near with patience, mercy, and love. Too often our hearts are slow to open, yet, You remain faithful and kind. Today we welcome You again. Stay with us, dwell among us, and shape us by Your presence. Remove what keeps us closed off from You, and teach us to receive You gladly with trust, surrender, and in joy. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen.

**\*Hymn:** ..... "Praise To The Lord, The Almighty" 139 (UMH)

**\*Apostle's Creed: (ON SCREEN)**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into Heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Presentation of Tithes and Offering**

**Offertory:** ..... "Something For Thee" Donna Rhine

**\*Doxology:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

**Scripture:** ..... Luke 24:28-29

**Message:** ..... "Will I Let Jesus In?" Pastor Zimran Khan

**Prayer & Lord's Prayer**

**\*Hymn:** ..... "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" 349 (UMH)

**Postlude:** ..... "To God Be The Glory" Donna Rhine

**Benediction:** ..... Pastor Zimran Khan

**Song Leader:** Judy Brown  
**Liturgist:** Jackie Englebach

**Organist:** Donna Rhine  
**Acolyte:** Gavin Tulli

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

**9:15 a.m. C.L.I.C.K. & 10:30 a.m. The Walk**

**9:15 & 10:30 Message: "Will I Let God In?"**

**Scripture: Luke 24:28-29**

**Pastor Zimran Khan**

**9:10 am Children's Worship Zone is in Fellowship Hall**

**9:10 am Youth Sunday School, Room 201**

**9:10 am Ken Staver Adult Sunday School Upstairs in Room 204**

**Welcome! We're glad you're here!**

**If you are visiting Gravel Hill, please be sure to fill out a Connect Card in the back of the pew. You're welcome to place it in the offering plate or hand it into the Church office. Thank you and we hope to see you again!**



If you would like to provide Sunday morning altar flowers from Palmyra Greenhouse, please call the church office to reserve your selected date. Altar flowers may be purchased in honor or to memorialize someone special and/or occasions. An Altar Flower Request form must be filled out and returned with **\$45.00** before flowers are ordered. Make checks payable to **Gravel Hill UMC.**

**ALTAR FLOWERS SPECIAL NOTE:** You are welcome to take home the flowers you purchased, however please do not take the altar flower vases home, Large cups (located in the Sacristy) are provided for you to take home the flowers you've ordered for any given Sunday. **Thank you!**

**Pick up in the church parking lot from 3-6pm, chicken, potato and applesauce.**

**Kauffmans CHICKEN BBQ** is scheduled for **MAY 20**  
TICKETS ARE **\$12** EACH  
and are available for purchase in the church office *only*.

**Rooted in Grace**  
A WOMEN'S GROUP FOR GROWING TOGETHER  
Sign up in the Welcome Center or online.  
FUNK'S RESTAURANT 6 PM MAY 14<sup>TH</sup>

**We're Praying For You:**

Contact the church office with requests.  
Changes may be made periodically.

Please join the **Gravel Hill Prayers** page on Facebook.

Jeff Arntz, Joyce Lochinger, Karl Smith, Linda Rittenhouse, Tim Pankake, Tiffany Rettew, Dante Parks (family friend of Annissa Lingle), June Yohn, Roy Summers, Luke Martin, Issac and Michael LaFrance, Nancy & Ray Baker, Jane (Friend of Linda Rittenhouse), Natalie (friend of Amy Hines), Janet (Coworker of Tim Pankake), Jessica and Ben Hoerner, Laura Gould, Hayden Wolverton, Rick Hoffman, Paul Flury, Patrick Walmer, Andrew Bower, Charleen Bower, Phyllis and Denis Tangen, Barb Crawford (Lorraine Wise's friend), Karen Peffley

**Long-term Requests:** Ken Royer, Dick Gibney, Sue Walters, Patti Hogue, Carole Shearer, Jan Pennybaker (Nancy Peffley), Bonnie Clark, Arlene Whitman, Peg Holdern (Margie Yohn's Mom), Connie Bernatos, Shirley Suchy, Steph Bashore, Molly Conway (8 Year old on the heart transplant list), Robert Breen (Connie Bernatos' son), Sherry Sterling, Nancy Richey (Amy Hines' mom), Linda Eyer, Karen Ayers, Dave Capion (Matt Capion's dad), Jill Good, Chris Good, Terry Nagle.

**Gravel Hill Christian Child Care**  
**SUMMER CAMP '26**  
Children K - Elementary School Age  
June 8 - August 28 / 6:00am-5:30pm / Monday - Friday  
Join us for a fun-filled summer at Gravel Hill Christian Child Care! We are now enrolling children for our summer-long camp program. During their time here, your child will get to participate in monthly off-site field trips, make new friends, enjoy themed camp weeks, get tons of outdoor play, explore arts and crafts time, cooking class, science experiments, splash days, wheels days, movie days, and so much more!  
Lunch and two snacks provided daily.  
Located at: 131 Gravel Hill Road, Palmyra  
Enroll Today!

**Memorial Day Parade May 25, 2026 at 10 am**  
Join us and our community as we honor and remember those who have given their lives in service to our country. Please sign up in the Welcome Center if you would like to walk or ride in the church van. Come out and show your support as we

**Gravel Hill Partners In Missions-**  
To get involved or for more information on Caitlin Smiles, Adopt A Highway, Lebanon Rescue Mission, Awaken The Harvest, & PA Food Bank Please see the Missions table outside the office or Contact Tony Rose , (717) 649-0960/ email Getarose6@gmail.com  
Awaken The Harvest will collecting Clothing, Home Goods and Kitchenware now through June 7th in the Grace Space

**Ladies Luncheon**  
May 15, 2026 at 11:30am  
**HERSHEY BISTRO**  
2853 Hershey Road  
(Route 743) E-town, PA. 17022  
leaving church at 11:00

**MEN'S MORNING OUT**  
Friday, May 15, 2026,  
**SHADY MAPLE**  
Sign up in the Welcome Center.  
**7:00am** depart from the church. For more information, call Bill Yohn 717-679-3592.

**More Info** **Welcome!**

Are you interested in helping? We have a special place to use your talents: Holy Grounds Coffee Bar, Communion Assistants, Van Drivers, Media Room, Bell Choir, Sunday School, helpers, Youth substitutes and aides and more. Please contact the office for more information.

- ◆ If you would like to be notified when volunteer opportunities are available, please join our Gravel Hill Volunteers Facebook page or contact [Ashley Zimmerman](#).
- ◆ We are in need of Nursery helpers needed, during the 9:15 & 10:30 service, please contact Tiffany Rettew if interested, 717-821-1088
- ◆ **Hospitality: This food & beverage ministry is funded by donations only!** It provides Sunday morning coffee, snacks, fruit, cereal, etc. To volunteer please contact [Tiff Rettew](#) for more information 717-821-1088.
- ◆ **The Caring Cupboard:** For information about its needs, volunteer opportunities and functions, please see the cart in Holy Grounds, visit [www.caringcupboard.org](http://www.caringcupboard.org) or see Ashley Zimmerman.
- ◆ **Love In A Box/Awaken The Harvest:** Items needed-Individual servings of Applesauce, Jello, Pudding and Fruit cups. Please contact Shirly Keefer for more info, 717-639-4540 - GOD BLESS and Thank you for your support.
- ◆ **Gravel Hill Partners In Missions:** For more information see Tony Rose or contact (717) 649-0960/email Getarose6@gmail.com
- ◆ **Gravel Hill:** Collecting aluminum cans every 3rd Sunday of the month. Drop off bagged cans to the Pavilion. **ALUMINUM CANS ONLY.**
- ◆ **Pickle Ball Courts** are now available. Please see Ashley Zimmerman if you are interested in using the courts. Usage must be scheduled.
- ◆ **Caitlin's Smiles** provides arts and crafts activities to hospitalized children. They're in need of 24 packs of Crayons and 1 oz mini Play-Dohs to fill their Bags of Smiles and Coping Kits. If you would like to help out, orders can be made through Amazon and delivered directly to the charity. Or you can find a bargain on your own and drop the donation off at Caitlin's Smiles, 3303 N. 6th St, Harrisburg, PA 17110.
- ◆ **Redners 1% Save-A-Tape Program:** Please turn in receipts to the Missions Table located outside the office. Place the receipts in the labeled drawer. All money raised will support Gravel Hill.

**Gravel Hill Staff Office Visitation Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9am-Noon and Sun 7:30-10:30am**  
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**THIS WEEK:** **Please call the Church office for all your scheduling needs. Thank you!**

**Sun, May 10 Happy Mother's Day!**  
 8:00am, Traditional Worship  
 9:15am, C.L.I.C.K Service, Praise Worship  
 10:30am, The Walk, Praise Worship  
 9:15am, Worship Zone during the 9:15 Service, Fellowship Hall  
 9:15 am, Youth Sunday School, in Room 201  
 9:10am, Ken Staver Adult Sunday School Class, Room 204

**Mon, May 11** 6:30pm, Praise Team Practice, Sanctuary  
**Tue, May 12** 9:00am Crafting Group, Room 201  
**Wed, May 13** 6:14-7:14am, Morning Prayer Group, Chapel  
**Sat, May 16,** Private event Chapel/ Church- 9am-4pm  
**Sun, May 17** **Graduate Recognition Sunday**  
 Noise Offering Sunday- all donations go to camp scholarships for Gretna Glen  
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**UPCOMING:**  
 5/5 & 5/19- 9:00am, Tuesday Morning Ladies Prayer Group, Room 201 (Last two meetings until September 2026)  
 5/12 & 5/26- 9am-11:30am, Ladies Crafting Group, Room 201  
 5/12- 6:30pm, Finance Meeting, Heritage Room  
 5/14- New Women's Group, Rooted In Grace, 6:00pm dinner at Funchs  
 5/20- Kauffmans Chicken BBQ- 3-6pm in Church parking lot. Tickets for sale in Church office between services and before the 10:30 service.  
 5/25- Memorial Day Parade, 10am- please arrive by 9:45am if you are participating

Donation tags and sign up in Grace Space & Welcome Center

**Rainforest Falls VBS**  
 June 22nd - 25th



**Fellowship Hall Flooring Project**



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Invest in the future of Gravel Hill.  
 Give online or by check — memo: Fellowship Hall Flooring Project

**Grad SUNDAY**

COMPLETE THE FORM to share your graduate's information. SUBMIT 2-3 PHOTOS of your graduate.

**DEADLINE: MAY 13** **CELEBRATION: MAY 17** AT ALL THREE SERVICES




**Today is May 10, 2026**

**8:00am "The Sanctuary" Worship:** Hymns and choruses set the tone for a spiritual message in a traditional setting.  
**\*\*If Sanctuary doors are closed, please wait in the lobby until they are opened. The Praise Team is preparing for Worship. Thank you for your patience.**

**9:15am\*\* "C.L.I.C.K." Worship:** [Christians Living In Christ's Kingdom] Worship vibrantly through live, current music provided by the praise singers, and a pertinent sermon delivered in a shortened timeframe.

**9:10-10:10am Sunday School:** Children are welcome after 9am in an adult supervised room, Fellowship Hall. Youth, Room 201. Help us keep your child safe by following the Gravel Hill Safe Sanctuary Policy. *Thank you!*

**10:30am "The Walk" Worship:** Praise Him through the songs that touch your heart and experience a message that takes you further in your faith journey. Live music provided by the praise singers.  
 ~This weeks bulletin is available at [www.Gravelhillumc.org](http://www.Gravelhillumc.org) under Worship~  
 Please submit any information for the Bulletin by Wednesday at 9am.

**NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? The van driver is Bill Yohn**  
 Please call 717-679-3592 by Noon the Saturday before, to schedule a ride.

**Our Purpose:** To learn, live and share Christ.  
**Our Mission:** To provide a faith community where we learn about Christ through study and worship, live Christ through mission and fellowship, and share Christ with the world.  
**Our Vision:** To cultivate spiritual, emotional, and physical growth.

**Online Giving**  
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