

Today's Announcements:

We welcome our friends from Mt. Airy!

Don Pidcock is giving the Sermon and Pat Masterson is our Accompanist.

Phil McCloughan will be performing the Communion Ceremony.

There will be Care and Share after the service hosted my Music Ministry.

About the Message

As we travel our journey through life do we sometimes go off in the wrong direction? In the story of two disciples as found in Luke 24, they were heading in the wrong direction away from Jerusalem. They knew that Jesus had been crucified and their hopes died on the cross with Jesus. But along the way they met a stranger who explained the scriptures as to why the Christ had to suffer to then enter into glory. Their eyes were opened and they IMMEDIATELY turned back to Jerusalem. Sometimes we all need help in choosing our path and Jesus is waiting for us to ask Him!

Hymn time: #462 Come, Share the Lord

Bryan Jeffery Leech has written a song that calls us to share, but curiously to share someone, rather than something. How do we do that? His song's words tell us how, but its genesis also shows us something else, a reality we often miss or under-appreciate about God and each other. Leech was born in England in 1931, and came to the U.S. in 1955 for part of his ministerial education at Barrington College and Chicago's North Park Seminary. But, he did not take up the composer's pen for several years, not until he was in his mid-30's. One might say, with hindsight, that maybe the Lord was patiently preparing him. Leech has authored over 500 tunes, written several plays and books, and pastored several churches from coast-to-coast. Still, when he wrote "Come Share the Lord", Leech remembers he had a creative block that was broken only by sharing. It was 1982, and that autumn Leech had fixed in his mind that he would write a communion hymn, but then forgot about his resolution. Or, had he? At Christmas in England with his family, Leech composed a melody, "but my mind was barren of any lyric ideas", he admitted. It wasn't until the next summer that he played this orphan tune for a friend, in order to get an objective opinion about its utility. His friend's reaction -- 'It's obvious: Holy Communion.' Spurred on by this, Leech says he wrote the song's lyrics that same hour.

Plan Ahead:

Tonight at 7pm – Spring Hymn Sing at Mt. Airy Church

Thursday, May 12th is the National Day of Prayer.

The church will be open for those who wish to pray.

Sermons for the Month of May:

- 5/10 – Russ Topping**
- 5/17 - Reverend Tink**
- 5/24 - Pastor Gregory**
- 5/31 - Russ Topping**

Our Accompanists:

- 5/10 – George Warner**
- 5/17 – George Warner**
- 5/24 – George Warner**
- 5/31 – Hillary Orlando**

Ministries This Week:

MONDAY

5:30-7:00 Cub Scouts

TUESDAY

9:00 pm AA

WEDNESDAY

2:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

THURSDAY

6:30 pm Bell Choir Reshearsal

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 am Sunday School for all

10:30 am Mother's Day Worship Service

3:00 pm Spanish Ministry

Our Elders:

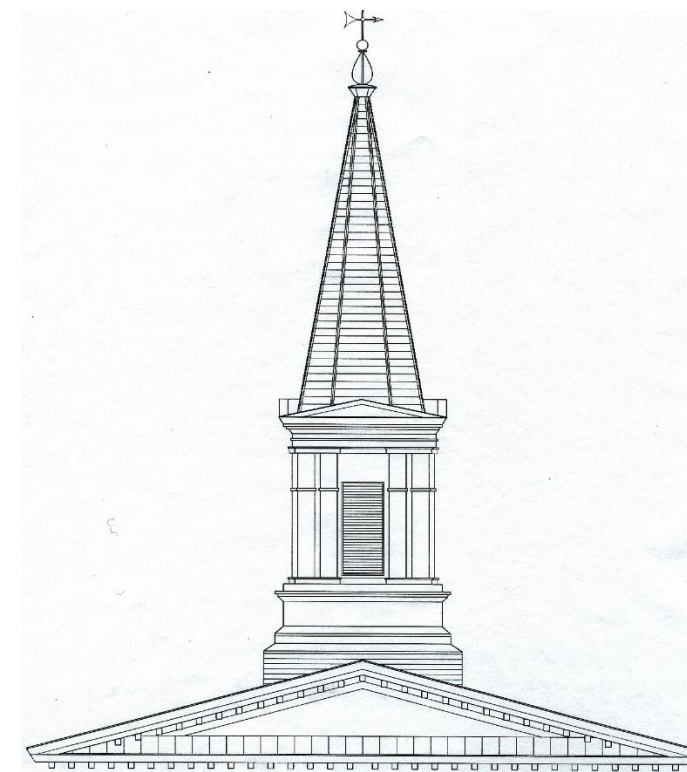
- Pat Durborow**
609-651-7388
- Phil McCloughan**
609-947-3520
- Don Pidcock**
609-397-3560
- Karen Thatcher**
609-397-8430
- Russ Topping**
609-397-4856
- Joanne DiBlasi**
267-397-1646

Our Deacons:

- Gail Armitage**
215-862-9385
- Jen Chernoski**
609-234-1216
- Heidi Danberry**
609-865-7254
- LaNelle Gallagher**
609-306-1479
- Dana Garrenger**
609-575-3129
- Stephen McCloughan**
609-947-6856
- Heather Pursell**
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Our Missions Team:

- Addie Andino**
215-862-9832
- Gail Armitage**
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- Russ Topping**
609-397-4856
- Donna Zambella**
609-397-1814



The Community Church of Lambertville

A House of Prayer for All People

Since 1816

Our Mission and Calling:

Lead by the Holy Spirit we will,

Celebrate our Lord through vibrant worship

Witness by the example of a Christ centered life

Prepare God's people for service

***Proclaim the Good News of Salvation through our Lord
and Savior Jesus Christ***

May 3, 2026
10:30 AM

The Gathering to Praise and Worship

Welcome & Announcements
Opening Prayer

+ Call to Worship #177
God's Goodness

+ Hymn #642
Abide With Me

+Passing of the Peace

+Glory Be to the Father #813

In the Presence of the Lord

Prayers of Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

Offering/+Doxology #815

Special Music: *In Remembrance*
Ladies Duet

Under the Authority of Christ, the Savior

Scripture:

Luke 24:13-21

Message:

The Road to Emmaus

+ Hymn#462

Come Share the Lord

At the Table of the Lord

Words of Institution
Distribution of the Elements
Statement of Unity

Depart to Serve the Lord

+ Hymn #567

Here, Oh My Lord, I see Thee Face to Face
(insert)

+Benediction

+ Please stand if you are able

Welcome to the Community Church!



A warm and sincere welcome to one and all!
It is a privilege to gather as God's people to open ourselves
to the presence of God and to praise God with loving hearts.

Church Office Phone Number: 609-397-0650

Website: www.lambpres.org

Participating in Today's Service:

Elder: Russ Topping

Deacon: Jen Cheronoski

Greeter: Betsy Brown

Worship Assisting Schedule for May

Elder Schedule

5/10 – Joanne DiBlasi

5/17 – Pat Durborow

5/24 – Don Pidcock

5/31 – Karen Thatcher

Deacon Schedule

5/10 – Dana Garrenger

5/17 – Heather Pursell

5/24 – Heather Pursell

5/31 – LaNelle Gallagher

Greeting Schedule

5/10 – Connie Fisher

5/17 – Joan Yannerella

5/24 - Sue McCloughan

5/31 – Carol Griffiths

Church Office:
Tuesday Through Friday
10:30 am – 2:30 pm

The Elder on Call for the Month of May is:
Karen Thatcher – 609-397-8430

The 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory
forever. Amen.*



At the Table of the Lord

Responses for Communion (**bolded**)

*The Lord be with you,
And also with you
Lift up your hearts.*

***We lift them up to the Lord,
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

***Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and Earth are full of Your Glory.
Hosanna in the highest.***

***Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hossanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!***

*Praise to you, Lord Jesus
Dying you destroyed our death,
rising you restored our life.
Lord Jesus, come in glory.*

Confession of Faith

*This is what we confess as a Body of Christ. The Bible is the inerrant
Word of God. The sole authority in all matters of life and faith. We
confess that Jesus Christ alone is the only name of Salvation. We confess
that the Holly Spirit alone brings New Life and holiness to the Church.
Guided by such, we affirm, and we as a Body of Christ stand upon the
solid rock of our Lord Jesus Christ, and we will not be moved.*