

**Sunday, May 4, 2025**  
**9:30 AM Holy Communion Service**  
**10:30 AM Sunday School**

PRE-PRELUDE VIDEO: “*Open Our Eyes, Lord*”

PRELUDE: “*Let Us Break Bread Together*”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 119: 17-24

SONG: “*Be Thou My Vision*”

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart,  
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;  
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;  
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,  
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:  
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of heaven, my Treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won,  
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

MORNING PRAYER:

SONG: “*Thy Word*”

video

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE:

JR. CHURCH: Erin Hermany

*<sup>13</sup> And He said to them, “Do you not understand this parable? How then will you understand all the parables? <sup>14</sup> The Sower sows the word. <sup>15</sup> And these are the ones by the wayside where the word is sown. When they hear, Satan comes immediately and takes away the word that was sown in their hearts. <sup>16</sup> These likewise are the ones sown on stony ground who, when they hear the word, immediately receive it with gladness; <sup>17</sup> and they have no root in themselves and so endure only for a time. Afterward, when tribulation or persecution arises for the word's sake, immediately they stumble. <sup>18</sup> Now these are the ones sown among thorns; they are the ones who hear the word, <sup>19</sup> and the cares of this world, the deceitfulness of riches, and the desires for other things entering in choke the word, and it becomes unfruitful. <sup>20</sup> But these are the ones sown on good ground, those who hear the word, accept it, and bear fruit: some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some a hundred.”*

SERMON TITLE: Sower, Seed & Soils

CLOSING SONG: “*Open my Eyes that I may See/Open our Eyes, Lord*”

Open my eyes, that I may see  
Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;  
Place in my hands the wonderful key  
That shall unclasp and set me free.

Silently now I wait for Thee,  
Ready, my God, Thy will to see;  
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Open my ears, that I may hear  
Voices of truth Thou sendest clear;  
And while the wave-notes fall on my ear,  
Everything false will disappear. (CHORUS)

Open my mouth and let me bear  
Gladly the warm truth everywhere;  
Open my heart, and let me prepare  
Love with Thy children thus to share. (CHORUS)

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,  
To reach out and touch Him and say that we love Him.  
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen,  
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.

BENEDICTION AND POSTLUDE:

Report for	April 27, 2025	
	BUDGETED	ACTUAL
General Fund	\$2,209.00	\$3,024.00
Maintenance	722.00	235.00
Missions	231.00	70.00
LAMBS		
Other		30.00
Total Offering	\$3,162.00	\$3,359.00
	IN-PERSON	ONLINE
ATTENDANCE	55	12

### **Mark Your Calendars:**

**Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** – Prayer Meeting in the library – 10:00 AM

**Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup>** – LIFT – 7:00 PM

**Sunday, May 11<sup>th</sup>** – Mother's Day (Whispering Creek Bluegrass here)

**Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup>** – Sharon's Small Group – 7:00 PM

**Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>** – GLOW – 10:00 AM

**Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>** – Men's Breakfast – 7:00 AM

– Franklinton Borough Chicken BBQ. Can be picked up at Warrington Farms 11:00 to 1:00. We are selling tickets for \$13.00 each.

**Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>** – Primary Election

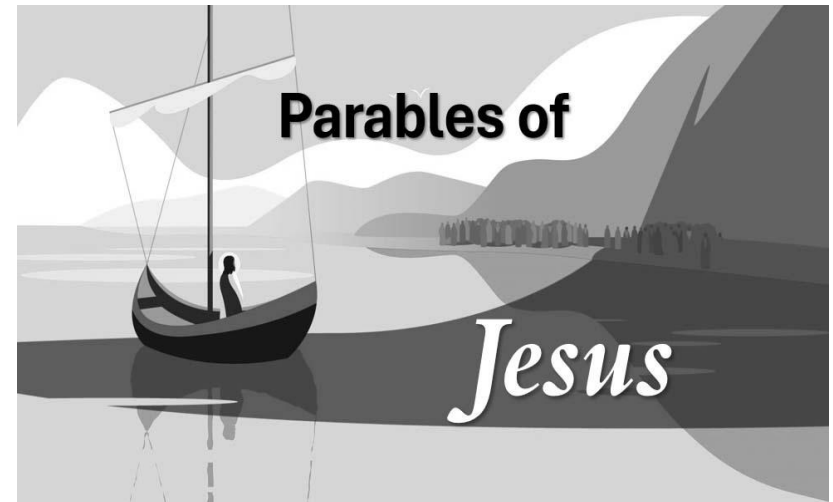
**Thursday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>** – YAH – More details to come.

**Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup>** – Last Sunday Luncheon – After Sunday School

**Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup>** – Memorial Day (Office will be Closed)

**Wednesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>** – GLOW – 10:00 AM

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*"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit "*

(Romans 15: 13)