

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.
The Rev. W. Scott Hengen III - Pastor
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music
Sunday, July 20, 1980

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers
Prelude: "Brother James's Air" Wright

*Processional Hymn 21

*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 30:4-5 (p.490)

*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: *We come to worship the Living God who has created this world, preserved it until now, and provides for its future.*

People: *We join together to express our joy, to lift our hearts in adoration, to remember God's many gifts to us, to hear His word to us, and to celebrate the opportunity to serve others.*

Pastor: *We also come together to confess before God our sinful ways and words and to acknowledge our sins of pride, envy, anger, self-indulgence, anxiety, and laziness.*

People: *And to find in Christ Jesus, our Lord, the forgiveness and mercy we need to renew our life together as a believing community*

All: *Forgive us, O God, for when we have been so sure of our own goodness we have looked down on others. Forgive us, O Christ, for when we have been displeased when others succeed. Forgive us, O Holy Spirit, for when we have lost our temper or nursed a grievance. And forgive us, O Holy Trinity, for when we have been lukewarm Christians. Move us beyond our remembering of past misdeeds; lift us from our sinful situation; and grant us sufficient grace to overcome our wrong doing; for we ask these things in the name of Him who became one with us, to provide us the fullness of life, Jesus Christ, our Lord.*

Amen

Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Hear the promises of God: "Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you." "If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins." I announce therefore in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.*

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: *O Lord, open our lips.*

People Sing: *And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.*

Hymn of Praise 45

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Deut. 30:9-14 (p.183)

Epistle: Gal. 2:15-21 (p.178)

*Gloria Tibi #497

*Gospel: Luke 7:36-50 (p. 65)

*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "Forgiveness - Plus" - Guest Pastor-
Dr. Ralph E. Weisser

*Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Hymn 275

Announcements and Moments of Concern - Billy
Hoffman

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Dedication" Dressler

*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music: Instrumental Selection

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer (Choral Response)

*Benediction

*Recessional Hymn 262

Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Postlude on 'Austrian Hymn'" -
arr. Jones

*Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar Flowers today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in loving memory of my beloved husband, George F. Gross on the 4th anniversary of his passing, July 22. Presented from loving wife, Norma L. Gross.

We welcome today, Dr. Ralph E. Weisser as our Guest Pastor. Pastor Hengen and his Family are on vacation for the next two weeks. For Pastoral Services, please contact the Church Office.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Ruth Koch - Church Home - Room 477
Mrs. Marguerite Braun - North Arundel General
Room 308B

When you are admitted to or released from the hospital please call the Church Office.

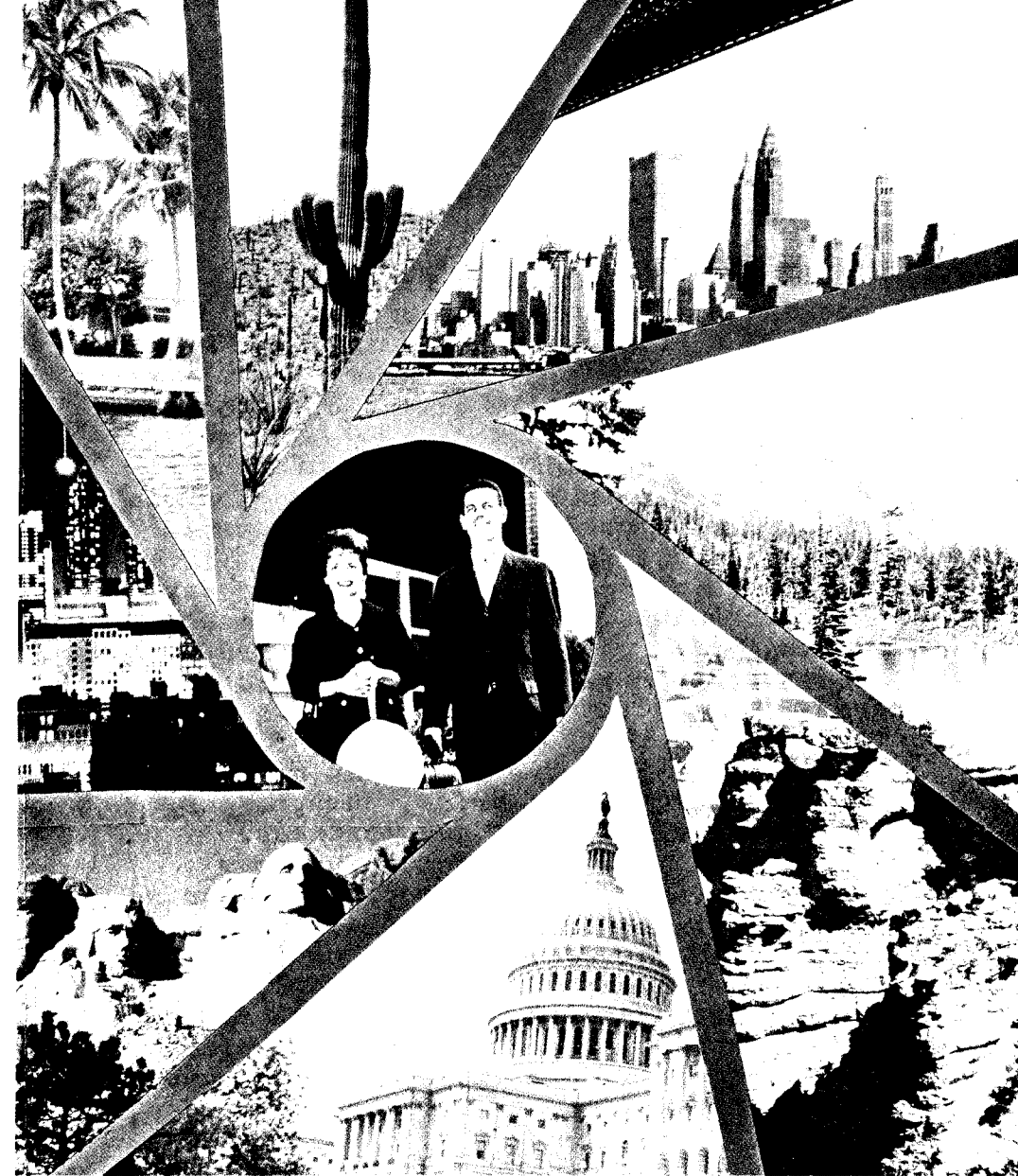
WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Monday through Saturday - Youth Group Show Rehearsal, 6:30 to 10:00 p.m.
Monday - Senior Citizens, 10 a.m. - Scouts
Thursday-Conway Diet, 7:30 p.m.

Our special congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Frederick Meyers, Sr., nee Ms. Deborah Faye Dymicki who were married here yesterday.

On Sunday, August 31 at 7:00 p.m. there will be "Worship In The Park" held in Patterson Park at the corner of Ellwood and Eastern Avenues. This is sponsored cooperatively by the Protestant Clergy of Highlandtown/Canton. Plan to attend and participate.

The Youth Group will be having a Dinner-Theatre Show on Friday, August 8 at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are available from the Church Office or any Youth Group Member.



Renew us, O Lord!