

WELCOME in the NAME OF JESUS  
St. Peter's Lischey's UCC  
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Second Sunday after Pentecost  
*VBS Celebration*  
June 22, 2025  
10:30 AM (In the Sanctuary & via YouTube)

Prelude- "Jesus Loves Me"

Keiter/Bradbury

Ringing of the Bell

Call to Worship:

**L:** Welcome! As we gather under the light of God's truth, we set our compass to True North – to Jesus, our unfailing guide. When the path is unclear and the world feels uncertain...

**P: We will trust Jesus to lead the way!**

**L:** When we face storms or doubts, and our hearts feel afraid...

**P: We will trust Jesus – our steady compass and faithful friend!**

**L:** Jesus never leaves us. He is the way, the truth, and the life.

**P: With Jesus as our guide, we will not be lost!**

**L:** So come, let us worship with joy and confidence

**All: because we are following Jesus – our *True North*!**

Prayer of Confession:

**All:** Dear Jesus, sometimes we try to find our own way instead of following You. We get lost when we don't listen to Your Word. We worry instead of trusting You. We choose what's easy instead of what's right. Please forgive us. Help us remember that You are our *True North* – the One who loves us, leads us, and never lets us go. Teach us to trust You more each day. Amen.

Words of Assurance:

**L:** Hear the Good News! Even when we go the wrong way, Jesus never gives up on us. He always comes to find us and will lead us home! Because of His great love, we are forgiven, free, and ready to follow Him! Jesus is our *True North* – and He will never let us go.

**All: Thank You, Lord Jesus! We trust You!**

Hymn of Assurance: "This is the Day" No. 590 (red hymnal)

Garrett

VBS Song: "This is the Day" Group VBS

VBS Presentation

Theme Song: "Let's Trust in Jesus"

Group VBS

Preschool Song: "B-I-B-L-E"

Our Favorite Song: "Power Shuffle"

Group VBS

Day 1

When we wonder, we can trust Jesus.

*Anyone who listens to my teaching and follows it is wise.*

~ Matthew 7:24

John prepares the way and baptizes Jesus. (Matthew 3; 11:1-6)

Song: "My Hope is in the Lord"

Group VBS

Preschool Song: "This Little Light of Mine"

Day 2

When we feel alone, we can trust Jesus.

*Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.*

~ Matthew 11:28

Jesus teaches about God's love for us. (Matthew 6:25-33; 18:12-14)

Song: "His Banner Over Me is Love"

Day 3

When we feel powerless, we can trust Jesus.

*"Don't be afraid," he said, "Take courage. I am here!"*

~ Matthew 14:27

A Roman officer trusts Jesus. (Matthew 8:5-13)

Song: "My God is Powerful"

Group VBS

Day 4

When we need hope, we can trust Jesus.

*And his name will be the hope of all the world.*

~ Matthew 12:21

Jesus dies and comes back to life. (Matthew 26:47-28:8)

Song: "Hey, Hey, Hey"

Group VBS

Preschool Song: "Do Lord"

Day 5

When we need help, we can trust Jesus.

*I am with you always, even to the end of the age.*

~Matthew 28:20

Jesus gives the Great Commission, and the Holy Spirit comes.

(Matthew 28:16-20; Acts 2:1-12)

Song: "Help Me, Jesus"

Group VBS

Preschool Song: "Happy All the Time"

VBS Song: "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Group VBS

Hymn: "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

No. 350 (red hymnal)

Kirkpatrick

**275th Anniversary Moment:**

*We have the longest consecutive running VBS in York County!*

*It was begun by Rev. Jacob N. Faust in 1922, making this our 104th year of VBS.*

**Announcements, Joys, and Prayer Concerns**

**Prayers of the People and 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, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

**Benediction:**

As we leave this place, may we follow the One who is our True North. May Jesus guide your steps, calm your fears, and lead you in love each day. Trust in Him with all your heart, and He will direct your path. Go in joy, go in peace, and go knowing that Jesus is with you – always! Amen.

**Postlude:** "Praise"

Nolte