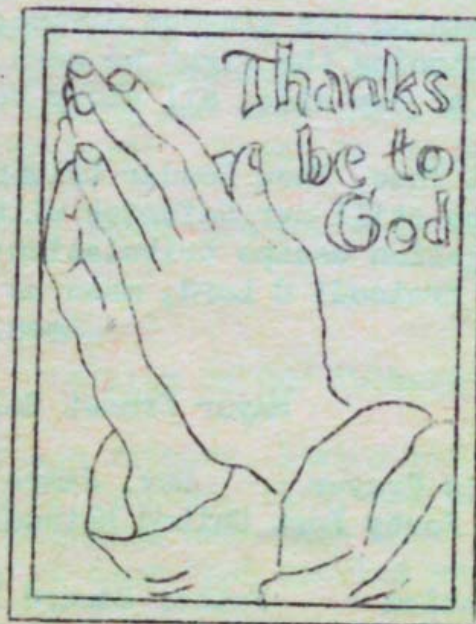


A SERVICE OF APPRECIATION, THANKSGIVING  
AND DEDICATION

Saturday, June 23rd.

1:00 P.M.

1973



Forty Fort Cemetery

It was one year ago today at this Hour that the waters broke thru the dike. We are here gathered in gratitude and praise to God for His many blessings for our recovery and that in confidence and faith we shall continue to rebuild our Homes, our Community, our Valley and our Lives.



SERVICE

Welcome

Rev. Harold F. Mante  
Forty Fort Presbyterian Church

Hymn

We Gather Together

1. We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing;  
He chastens and hastens His will to make known;  
The wicked oppressing now cease from distressing,  
Sing praises to His name; He forgets not His own.
2. Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining,  
Ordaining, maintaining His Kingdom divine;  
So from the beginning the fight we were winning;  
Thou, Lord, wast at our side; all glory be Thine!
3. We all do extol Thee, Thou Leader triumphant,  
And pray that Thou still our Defender wilt be.  
Let Thy congregation escape tribulation;  
Thy name be ever praised! O Lord, make us free!  
Amen.

Proclamation

Mayor Ernest Balcomb

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Rev. James Baker  
Forty Fort United Methodist Church

Scripture and Meditation

Father Edward Lyman  
Holy Name Roman Catholic Church  
Swoyersville

Litany Leader

Donald Kendig  
Wyoming Ave. Christian Church

Psalm 138

Leader: I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with all  
my heart; in the presence of the angels I  
will sing Your Praise: I will worship at Your  
Holy Temple and give thanks to Your Name.



PEOPLE: Lord, I thank you for your faithfulness and love.

Leader: Because of Your kindness and Your truth; For You have made great above all things Your Name and Your Promise. When I called, you answered me; You built up strength within me.

PEOPLE: Lord, I thank you for your faithfulness and love.

Leader: All the Kings of the Earth shall give thanks to You, O Lord, when they hear the Words of Your Mouth; and they shall sing of the ways of the Lord: "Great is the Glory of the Lord."

PEOPLE: Lord, I thank you for your faithfulness and love.

Hymn "Faith Of Our Fathers"

1. Faith of our fathers, living still  
In spite of dungeon, fire, and sword.  
O how our hearts beat high with joy  
Whene'er we hear that glorius word:

Refrain:  
Faith of our fathers, holy faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

2. Our fathers, chained in prisons dark,  
Were still in heart and conscience free;  
And truly blest would be our fate  
If we, like them, should die for thee.

Refrain:  
Faith of our fathers, holy faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

(stanzas 3 and 4 on back)



3. Faith of our fathers! Faith and prayer  
Shall win all nations unto thee:  
And through the truth that comes from God  
Mankind shall then indeed be free.

Refrain:

Faith of our fathers, holy faith.  
We will be true to thee till death.

4. Faith of our fathers! We will love  
Both friend and foe in all our strife,  
And preach thee, too, as love knows how,  
By kindly deeds and virtuous life.

Refrain:

Faith of our fathers, holy faith.  
We will be true to thee till death. Amen.

Benediction

Rev. James Glasgow  
Stella Presbyterian Church

The flowers are to the sacred memory of the  
departed and loved. The flowers are placed by  
King Floral Company and the Forty Fort  
Cemetery Association

"I am the resurrection, and the life, saith the  
Lord."

Hymn Leader: William Schmauch  
Trumpet: Francis Piazza