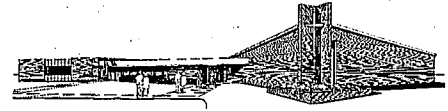


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P.O.P. NOTES



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Spring Gives New Life

The Resurrection message of Easter gives us an interesting view of Spring in our world and in our lives. Resurrection is all around us at this time of year. We see it in the flowers beginning to bloom and the trees starting to bud. We see geese flying north again and animals coming out of hibernation. We begin to hear bird chirping again and the white snow gives way to the green grass of our lawns. Spring is about new beginnings and rising again. Spring is the world waking up and sharing its beauty with us anew. Spring is about resurrection.

One of the hymns of the Easter season is called "Now the Green Blade Rises". The first verse speaks about the resurrection of Jesus from a very worldly perspective, one that we can relate to very easily: wheat that was planted as a seed breaking from the ground in triumph.

Now the green blade rises from the buried grain,
wheat that in dark earth many days has lain;
love lives again, that with the dead has been;
love is come again like wheat arising green.

This is a wonderful message for us in this day. Nothing can hold Christ back in His rising from the grave to give us life in Him. We have died with Him in our baptism and will rise with Him in His resurrection.

While this is joyful news, it does not say that we do not struggle in our faith. It does not say that we lose our focus when it comes to Christ in our lives. I have often lost my focus when I center on myself or this world. We all have times of winter in our lives when it seems that we will never break free of the winter of each day. BUT, we are called by Christ to be resurrected each day knowing that we are His because of His death and resurrection for each of us. The hope in the resurrection for our daily lives is found in the fourth verse of the same hymn:

When our hearts are wintry, grieving, or in pain,
your touch can call us back to life again,
fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been;
love is come again like wheat arising green.

As we gather for worship each week, we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus anew for us. When we walk the journey of the cross during Holy Week, we see more clearly the reason for Christ's love for us and how he accomplishes that love for us on a cross and from a tomb that could not hold Him.

I invite you to journey with Christ during the Lent and Easter Seasons. If you have been away, come back and find the resurrection of Christ once again. Find for yourself, the wheat of Jesus rising green again in your heart. In Christ, you will be strengthened and renewed. In Christ, you will find hope and resurrection. In Christ, you will begin rising green again so that Christ's love can shine forth from you for the world to see.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Bill

Jen, Noah, Angeline and I would like to wish you and your families a most blessed Easter. You will never know how much each of you bless us and how thankful we are to be called here in Christ's service. Thank you for your love and support over these past 3 years and your confidence in me to be your pastor. We are truly blessed to be called to serve God here at Prince of Peace.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Verna Allen – Ministry Chair

Faith, Family, Fun Night - April 28th at 6:00

It is time to start planning for vbs. Anyone interested in helping out with vbs this year please talk with Jen Schaefer.

**2011 SUNDAY SCHOOL LENTEN
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT**



Westmoreland County Food Bank
Weekend Back Pack Project

The Sunday School has chosen to participate in the Westmoreland County Food Bank "Weekend Back Pack Project" for its 2011 Lenten Community Service Project.

This program provides back packs of nutritiously balanced food to "at risk" children over weekends and holiday breaks. The program operates four (4) distribution sites in Westmoreland County and currently has the ability to service 25 children at each site. Unfortunately, the need is much larger. Each Friday, the child picks up their backpack with food for the weekend and each Monday returns it to be packed for the following weekend. The cost to operate one distribution site for 1 year is \$20,000.

Contributions of food and/or money are welcome. Since many of these children must prepare the food themselves or with very little supervision, the type of food items targeted for this program have a few requirements. First, please stick to the items listed below. Also, since the children sometimes prepare the food alone or with little supervision, easy open containers are essential. Due to food tampering risks, "broken package items" cannot be accepted. By following these guidelines, the program can provide nutritious, easy access food to these children.

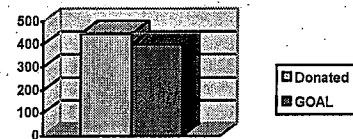
We have reached our goal but will continue as to help as many at risk children as possible. The collection period is February 27 – April 28, 2011. Items can be dropped at the church any time.

SINGLE SERVING/POP TOP PACKAGES

100% FRUIT JUICE
SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS
CRACKERS
FRUIT/APPLESAUCE CUPS
RAVIOLI, BEEFARONI
GRANOLA BARS
PUDDING CUPS
BEEF STEW
PRETZELS
INDIVIDUAL CEREAL BOXES
SOUPS/RAMEN NOODLES
TRAIL MIX
CEREAL BARS
MAC N' CHEESE
RAISINS
POP TARTS

As of 03/20/11 we have collected **447** items.

Lenten Community Service Project



Monthly meeting will be on Sunday April 3rd from 5:00-7:00p.m. We will be finalizing plans for Youth Sunday (May 1st) and distributing parts for that day. Make sure you are here to secure the part you want.

The youth group will be having a **yard sale the summer of 2011**. As you are doing your spring cleaning, please consider donating items to the yard sale. Items will not be able to be brought to the church until June 2011. We are asking that no clothes be donated. Thank you.

OUTREACH

Vickie Onusko – Ministry Chair

Life Line Screening – As in the past, Prince of Peace will again host health screenings that could save your life. Prince of Peace is pleased to offer preventive health screenings in collaboration with life Line Screening. The screenings are offered on April 8th at Prince of Peace in the fellowship hall. The screenings will test for stroke risk, vascular disease, and bone density. Call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com for more information and to pre-register.

STEWARDSHIP

Susann Tschupp – Ministry Chair

Easter and Giving

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia! This is the message we share as we celebrate the Resurrection of our Savior, Jesus. This is also the message of the entire 15th chapter of 1 Corinthians where we find the Good News of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross for our sins and His victory over sin, death, and hell as He rises from the dead. Then Paul goes on to explain how Jesus' victory is our victory – that, because Christ is risen from the dead, so, too, shall we rise from the dead. The whole chapter is Good News upon Good News culminating in words from the prophet Isaiah, "Death is swallowed up in victory." Paul adds, "But thanks be to God, Who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 15:54, 57).

Then we have the "therefore." The "therefore" is our response to this best of all news. "Therefore," Paul writes, "be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain" (1 Corinthians 15:58). Our labor, our acts of doing good to others, of serving in our congregations, our encouraging our pastors and other church workers, our fellowship with other believers are to abound. We are never to give up or grow weary – we won't NEED to grow weary – for our work is in the Lord Who equips us to do His will (Hebrews 13:21) so that nothing we do is in vain.

Paul isn't finished with his "therefore." It continues in the next chapter: "Now concerning the collection for the saints...On the first day of every week, each of you is to put something aside and store it up, as he may prosper, so that there will be no collecting when I come" (1 Corinthians 16:2).

At first, we might think this is an abrupt transition – moving from such heights as the Resurrection and life eternal to talking about such earthly things as setting aside part of one's income to give to the church. Reflecting upon the whole Easter message again, though, we see the importance of sharing this Good News by using all our resources, our labor and our money. We see the very strong link between Easter and giving, between Christ's ultimate sacrifice and our small, yet significant in His eyes, sacrifice. And just as Jesus found joy in looking beyond the cross, so do we find joy in looking at our Savior (Hebrews 12:2).

FINANCE

Dwight Sarson – Ministry Chair

TREASURER'S REPORT

February 2011

CURRENT FUND

Beginning Balance	\$6,087.54
Receipts	\$ 7,307.46
Disbursements	\$11,239.46
Ending Balance	\$2,155.54

BENEVOLENCE

2010 Pledge	\$15,500
Amount Pledged to Date	\$ 2,583.33
Amount Received to Date	\$ 1,639.50
Differnece Over/(Under)	(943.83)

BUILDING FUND

Beginning Balance	\$18,460.28
Receipts	\$ 1,921.45
Funds Available	\$20,381.73
Disbursements	\$ 30.00
Ending Balance	\$20,351.72

CATECHISM CORNER

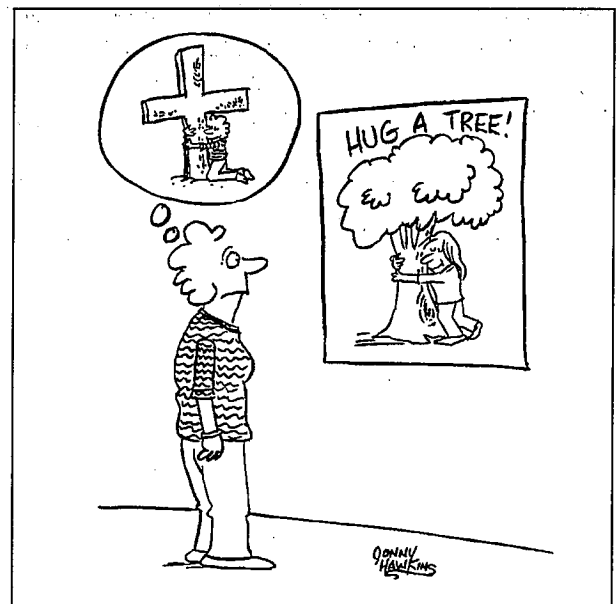
From Luther's Small Catechism

The Ninth Commandment

You shall not covet your neighbor's house.

What is this?

Answer: We are to fear and love God, so that we do not try to trick our neighbors out of their inheritance or property or try to get it for ourselves by claiming to have legal right to it and the like, but instead be of help and service to them in keeping what is theirs.



MUSIC AND WORSHIP
Pam Yuhaniak – Ministry Chair



HEAD USHERS are still needed for several months in 2011. We are willing to split months into weeks if needed. This Ministry has not really had a problem with this in the past, so we don't understand the lack of volunteers this year. If there are reasons why this is happening, please speak to Pastor, Pam Yuhaniak (Chair) or any Ministry member. If we need to change duties, responsibilities or commitments, we first need to understand what is wrong. Thank you. Pam

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS FOR APRIL

APRIL 3

Greeters: Rheinhold, Heather & Teagan Schmitt
 Acolyte: Rachel Douglas
 Lay Reader: Larry Miller
 Lay Assistants: Dennis Guyer/Glenn Thompson

APRIL 10

Greeters: Bergean Helfferich & Jane Six
 Acolyte: Ben Douglas
 Lay Reader: Don Kayser
 Lay Assistants: Dwight Sarson/Jim Moretti

APRIL 17TH

Greeters: Don, Ginger and Courtney Warren
 Acolyte: Courtney Warren
 Lay Reader: Rheinhold Schmitt
 Lay Assistants: Ginger Warren/Dave Braden

APRIL 20TH

Lay Reader: Pam Yuhaniak

MAUNDY THURSDAY

Lay Reader: Carol Kayser
 Lay Assistants: Gus and Esther Toth

GOOD FRIDAY

Lay Reader: Erica Braden/Rheinhold Schmitt

EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 24th 6:00a.m

Greeters: Gus and Esther Toth
 Lay Reader: Phyllis Orange and Pam Yuhaniak
 Lay Assistants: Gus and Esther Toth

EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 24TH 10:30A.M.

Greeters: Verna, Morgan and Nick Allen
 Acolyte: Nick Allen
 Lay Reader: Sherry Stahl
 Lay Assistants: Dave and Jenny Bowser
Altar Care for April – Pam Yuhaniak & Ginger Warren

April 6, 2011
 Dinner hosted by Confirmation Class and Youth Group
 We will discuss "The Ten Commandments"

April 13, 2011
 Dinner hosted by Choir and Music and Worship
 We will discuss "Holy Communion"



The Sunday of the Passion/Palm Sunday

April 17, 2011 at 10:30 AM
 The Blessing of the Palms, Reading of the Passion of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew, and Holy Communion

Wednesday, April 20, 2011 at 7:00 PM

Taizé Service of Prayer and Healing with the Laying on of Hands
 ** Please Note there is no Simple Supper this night**

Maundy Thursday

Thursday, April 21, 2011 at 7:00 PM
 Maundy Thursday Instruction, Washing of Feet, Holy Communion and the Stripping of the Altar.

Good Friday

Friday, April 22, 2011 at 7:30 PM
 Note the Time Change
 Tenebrae Service
 Service of Readings and Light

The Resurrection of Our Lord

Sunday, April 24, 2011
 Easter Sunrise Vigil at 6:00 AM
 Affirmation of Baptism and Holy Communion

Festival Worship of Easter

10:30 AM
 Holy Communion

OFFERING

03/20/11	GENERAL FUND	BENE
	AVG. NEEDED PER WEEK	PLEGDED PER WEEK
	\$2423	\$298
Offering	\$2546	\$247
Over/(under)	\$123	\$(51)
Year to Date	(\$8190.90)	\$(1192)

4:24?

Check the bottom of your calendar blocks for whom/what we are praying at 4:24p.m.

If you or someone you know from the congregation is in the hospital or is at home and sick and needs a visit from Pastor Bill, please call the office so that he can schedule a visit. The Pastor is only told by the hospital when a person is a patient if they ask for the church to be notified.

Prayer is an essential part of who we are as a people of God. Below is a list of people from our congregation to keep in your daily prayers. If you know of others who should be added to these lists, please contact the church office with the names.

From our congregation: Julie Zeltner, Bev Guyer, Flo Gulisek, Ron Poole, Mary Jane Hayden, Anne Koontz, Ayla Sarson, Vergean Helfferich, Jen Schaefer, Don Kayser, Vi McIlnay, and Dave Williams.

Others in need of our prayers: Rev. Susan Luttner, Taylor Ridilla, Dan Schaefer, Bill Hauger, Betty Onusko, Shelly McAfoose, Nickolas Gehlman, Edith Head, Michael Santone, Rick Stouffer, Jill Blair, Mary Jane Bangor, Nash Sinchak, Hannah Toth, and Cindy Holzer.

Our Shut-in members: Jim Clegg (Greensburg Care Center), Catherine Abrams (Staying with her sister), Louise Johns (Green Meadows), Frieda Nehls (Barnes House), Helen Albright (at home), Phyllis Stewart (Redstone Highlands), Marie Hill (at home), Betty Felbaum (at home) Barney and Dolores Helfferich (Green Meadows), Thomas Washnock (at home) and Violet Myers (Barnes House).

Those in the Military: Capt. Michelle Davis, Sean Stewart, Justin Kowatch, Scott Gillespie, Troy Golden, Erik Sarson, and the 28th Military Police Battalion.
ENS. Justin Edward Kowatch
USS O'Kane (DDG77)
CF Division
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The family of Whitey Koontz would like to thank our Prince of Peace family for all the love and support shown to us through his illness and death. The outpouring of food, cards, visits, prayers, donations, rides, concern, sympathy, and love has shown us how much he was respected and loved by all. We are truly blessed to be part of this congregation. Love, Ann, Regan and Bob, Pam, Dwight and Shane.

The family of Whitey Koontz would like to thank the members of POP who helped with his funeral service and luncheon. We appreciate those who took the time to prepare the church, take part in the service, prepare the Fellowship Hall, organize the luncheon, make food dishes, serve, work in the kitchen and clean up. We know many people wanted and needed to do something for Whitey. All of you helped our family through that very difficult day.

Announcements

Easter Flowers – I have gotten the new prices for Easter Flowers and have placed them on the usher stand in the Narthex. Please fill out the order form, add your payment and then place in the offering plates. Please make sure that your check states "Easter Flowers" in the memo line. All order due by April 10th.

Greater Latrobe Senior Appreciation Luncheon – The Greater Latrobe Senior High School Student Council is sponsoring their annual Senior Appreciation Luncheon on Wednesday, April 20, 2011 at 12:45. Latrobe School District residents over the age of 60 are invited to attend this afternoon of food and entertainment. Call 724-539-4225 to make your reservation.

80 years young? I know we have been down this road before but if you have turned 80 and have not received a bible from your Family at Prince of Peace please let Shirley Kelley or Pat Fry know so we can rectify this situation.

White Socks – There is a bin in the narthex for white socks. These are being collected for the homeless in conjunction with the Laughlin town Christian Church who helped us with our blanket drive.

Westmoreland County Community College Choir – under the direction of Dr. Roderick T. Booker will be performing at Christ United Church of Christ on Sunday, April 10, 2011 at 3:30 p.m. The concert is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be received for the choir. There will be refreshments following the concert.

Dancing with the Stars? Dan Krack is offering Dance classes at the Senior High School starting Monday April 4 for 4 Mondays. The class is being held in the Center for Student Creativity and runs from 7-8:15. The cost is \$120.00 a couple. If interested let Kellie know and she will put you directly in touch with Dan to register.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL -It is time to start planning for vbs. Anyone interested in helping out with vbs this year please talk with Jen Schaefer.

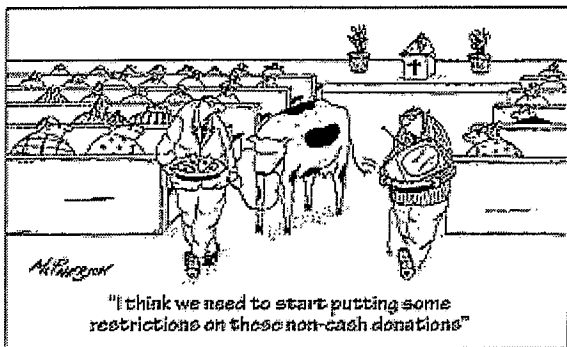
Women of the ELCA Announcements

The Spring Cluster meeting will be held on Saturday April 9th at Salem Lutheran Church in Delmont. If you are interested in attending, please see Shirley Kelley by April 3rd. The meeting will be from 9:00am-1:00pm and lunch will be \$5.00. Each year the Women of the Southwestern PA Synod choose an organization to designate outreach funding and support to. If you know of an organization that you would like to see nominated to the Women of the Southwestern PA Synod for designated outreach, please see Jen Schaefer for the nomination forms. All nominations must be in by April 2, 2011.

PROPERTY AND HOUSE PROJECTS as of 03/20/11

Building Repairs	
Balance	0
Air Conditioner	\$509.00
Less donations	-15.00
Less donations in memory of Whitey	-55.00
Remaining Balance	\$439.00

ATTENTION MARRIED COUPLES: Time is running out to sign up for your spring Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend. Sign up now for the Apr. 29-May 1 Weekend at The Mountain Laurel Resort, White Haven, PA (in the beautiful Poconos just off Interstate 80 -- 2 hrs. north of Philadelphia.) Weekends run from Friday night at 8 PM to Sunday at 5 PM and are designed to enrich ALL MARRIAGES. There is a \$45 per couple registration fee, plus toward the end of the weekend you will be given an opportunity to make a confidential contribution of whatever amount you wish toward continuation of the program. Two nights lodging, 5 meals for each of you, and all supplies are included. To sign up for a Weekend, simply go to the website: www.GodLovesMarriage.org and register using your credit card, or for questions, or if you would like a brochure with registration form mailed to you, contact Pennsylvania Directors of Lutheran Marriage Encounter, Fred & Julie Schamber, at 724-325-3166 or email: fjschamber@comcast.net.



Make one small change. See a major impact.

When it comes to your finances, one small change can make a big difference. April is Financial Literacy month, and Thrivent Financial for Lutherans is committed to helping our congregation improve their financial wellness. Whether you choose to start small or take a big first step, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans wants you to **Do One Thing Differently**.

Start now: Do One Thing Differently

For more than 100 years, Thrivent Financial has been empowering members to build financial security. Now you can take advantage of easy-to-use tools and resources to help you make a change – today – to improve your financial life. Visit Thrivent.com/one thing for a list of ideas like these to help you get started:

- Use coupons (for oil changes, dry cleaning, dinner out, etc.)
- Give your talents instead of buying a gift
- Cook more meals at home vs. eat out
- Donate to the church any money you save making your own coffee
- Understand your credit rating and what it means
- Buy used books or use the library
- Use a paper shredder to minimize your chances of identity theft
- Volunteer instead of going to a movie
- Your own idea:

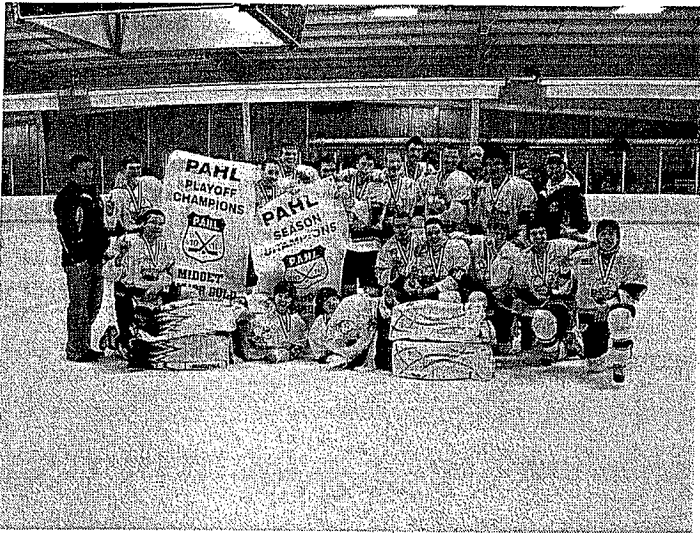
Share your ideas, and Thrivent will make a donation.

The Loyalhanna Group of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans will donate \$1 to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church for every idea they receive from one of our congregation households to **Do One Thing Differently** – up to \$50 total. Just contact the financial representative serving our congregation: Kirk M. Perry at kirk.perry@thrivent.com or call his office at 724-836-7772. Be sure to include your name, phone number, the name of our church, and your idea to **Do One Thing Differently**. Please note that all ideas shared with the Loyalhanna Group office from members of area Lutheran Churches will be included in a future church newsletter article. Submitted ideas will be identified by individual first name, last name initial, and church affiliation only.

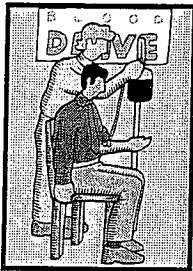
In addition, you can share your idea with others online at Thrivent.com/one thing. For every idea submitted online, the corporate office of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans will donate \$1 to a financial literacy organization. Be sure to check out daily tips that can positively affect the way you share, save and spend. You don't have to wait to make a change. Do it now. Make a commitment to do one thing differently – starting today – and watch the benefits really add up!

CONGREGATION AND COMMUNITY CARING...

This page will feature our members that are doing positive things within the congregation and in the community. If you catch someone being "good" please let Kellie know so they can be featured in this section.



J.T. Douglas and his Allegheny Badger A+ Gold team won their regular season division and then the division Championships! They then travelled to the Congressional Tournament in Washington D.C. and won that too! They really had a great time and season!



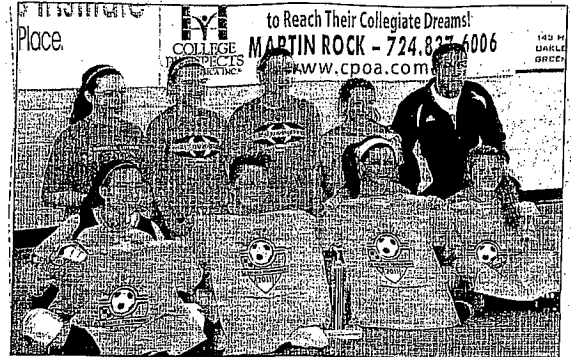
POP member Dwight P. Koontz has been busy since 2007 donating platelets through The American Red Cross Greater Alleghenies Region. This is also called apheresis. He has always been a regular blood donor and during one of those donations was asked by a Red Cross worker to consider donating platelets. Many chemotherapy patients, organ transplant recipients and people with weakened immune systems are in need of platelets. He donates about every two weeks in a process that takes about 2 hours. So far, he has donated 61 times. It was especially meaningful last fall when his father, Dwight K. "Whitey" Koontz was in need of platelets. For more information, see www.redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED-CROSS. We are POP proud!

SPORTS

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Lady 'Cats win Ice Breaker tourney



The Greater Latrobe junior high girls No. 1 team won the junior high girls division of the annual Latrobe Ice Breaker Tournament, going a perfect 5-0. Members of the team included Sloah Kusus, Ava Pirogsky, Kimmy Krunsko, Casello Trumbetta, (back) Kendall Bryant, Maddy Museler, Rachel Campbell, Claudia Torriflo, and coach Vince Pimpinella.

Passback at GL Ice Breaker tourney



Greater Latrobe soccer players Brett Baughman, Andrew Voloshin, Adam Redinger and Matt Wano fill the "Passback" bins with their outgrown equipment as part of the GL Soccer Boosters annual Ice Breaker Tournament to be held Saturday and Sunday in the high school gym. Fifty teams from Western Pennsylvania will participate in the indoor soccer tournament. Games will run from 9 a.m. until the evening hours both days, and admission is free. Persons can also donate gently used and outgrown equipment (washed and sized) from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for the Passback program, a U.S. Soccer Foundation charity, for less-fortunate communities.



The following from POP helped hand out food at the March 22nd food Pantry. Thanks to all who helped and made a difference: Sherry Stahl, Carol and Ron Carey, Garnet Snyder, Pat Fry, Sheila and Glenn Thompson, Shirley and Jim Moretti, Esther Toth and Pastor Bill.

CONGREGATIONAL LEADERS

PASTOR - BILL SCHAEFER	Finance - Dwight Sarson (532-3020)
President - Dwight Sarson (532-3020)	Outreach - Vickie Onusko - (537-9383)
Vice President - Shirley Kelley (537-5645)	Fellowship - Shirley Kelley - (537-5645)
Secretary - Vickie Onusko (537-9383)	Worship/Music - Pam Yuhaniak (537-5533)
Financial Secretary - Pat Fry (539-7513)	Library - Margy Williams - (539-8704)
Treasurer - Verna Allen (532-2961)	W.E.L.C.A. - Shirley Kelley - (537-5645)
Stewardship - Susan Tschupp (219-3893)/ Andria Wood (532-1429)	Memorial Committee - Pastor Bill/Pat Fry
Christian Education - Verna Allen (532-2961)	Prayer Chain - Ginger Warren (593-7524)
Evangelism - Cathie Schall - (539-7164)	Altar Care Coordinator- Pam Yuhaniak - (537-5533)
Property/House - Bob Woller (539-8042)	Funeral Dinner Coordinators- Sheila Thompson - (537-8010)/Ginger Warren (593-7524)



Birthdays

- 1 Clara Brewer
Aaron Zidak
- 2 Glenn Thompson
Aaron Volpe
- 3 Linda Baum
- 4 Ray West
- 5 Darla Kotouch
Richard Schall
- 7 Adysson Catone
- 10 Courtney Warren
- 12 David McCommons
Aaron Semasko
- 11 Derrick Zidak
Michelle Davis
- 13 Renee Downing
- 14 Tony Brewer
Stacey Stanko
Liam Roddy
Terry Onusko
Scott Hayden
- 16 Harry Sherer
- 17 Jean Stott
Marlyn Ridge
- 18 Judy Kuhns
- 21 Carlene Moyer
Anna Marie Campbell
- 22 Debra Boskovitch
Ron Vid
Noah Schaefer
- 23 Ed Sparber
Carly Cobrando
- 25 Nick Allen
- 26 Verna Allen
- 28 Mickie West
Adam Hoffer
- 29 Jim Prohaska
- 30 Nick Holnaider


Baptisms

- 2 Margie Williams
- 4 Joel Svehla
- 5 Ron Gerhart
Nicholas Ross
- 9 Carolyn Hay
- 10 Shirley Moretti
- 11 Lex Hamerski
- 17 Corey Stanko
David Gruebel
- 18 Michael Prohaska,
Emily Hay
- 19 Zakary Jellison
- 21 Pam Yuhaniak
Debbie Prohaska
- 22 Aaron Volpe
Garrett Grimm
- 26 Andria Wood
- 28 Ben Onusko
Stacey Stanko
Brooke Richards
- 30 Tracey Richards
Kathy Bangor



Anniversaries


- 28 Ron & Cindy Gray
- 17 Gus & Esther Toth
- 28 Pastor Bill and Jen
Schaefer




FIX YOUR EYES ON JESUS

Remembering Jesus' life, death and resurrection
helps us live with gratitude every day.


Use the picture and number code to fill in the blanks for Hebrews 12:2-3, NIV.



1. Jesus 5. cross
2. weary 6. endured
3. endured 7. scolding
4. opposition 8. shame



1. Jesus 5. perfecter
2. lose 6. him
3. pioneer 7. faith
4. sinners 8. hand



1. eyes 5. right
2. us 6. grow
3. joy 7. God
4. heart 8. throne

"... fixing our _____ on _____ the _____ and _____
_____ of _____ For the _____ set before _____
he _____ the _____ its _____, and _____
sat down at the _____ of the _____ of _____
Consider _____ who _____ such _____
from _____ so that you will not _____
and _____" HEBREWS 12:2-3, NIV

Answer: "...fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith for the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart." Hebrews 12:2-3, NIV