

The Disciple

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For I know
the plans
I have
for you.
Jeremiah
29:11



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REGISTRATION
Participants and
volunteers - scan QR
Code to register!



or use the following link: <https://vbspro.events/p/uumc-scuba>

SET BUILDING
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WORK NIGHTS:
Every Tuesday starting
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Help us take kids deep into
an amazing undersea
adventure where they'll
experience the ever-flowing,
never-ending love of God.

PRAYER CHAIN

Begins In The Church Office

(724)843-0862

Prayer concerns for our Church Family & Friends...

Mourning Loss

Lohra Allcorn Family
Bud Meade Family
Ralph Shellhammer Family

General Health

Mary Ann & unborn child
Baby Dimaio
April Beige
Teresa Brown
Kelly Calve
Cheryl Fiscus
Sherry Luke
Odel Miller

Medical Treatments

Hilliary Lawson
Karen Valko

Surgery & Procedures

Eric
Sharlaine Gallegos
Chrissy Guay
Tom Miller
Aime Ritter
Tracy Vucinic
Dave Wilson

Missionaries

Karl & Deb Crossman
Franz Payoute
Darlene Rimer
Skybacher Ministries

Praise

Jenny Smith
Answered Prayer
Church Family
Praise in Waiting
Scouts

Other Prayer Needs

Armed Forces
Elected Officials
First Responders
Our Children & Youth
Our Church
Our Community
Our Ministries
Our Schools

Someone you haven't seen in awhile

Struggling Families
Unspoken needs
VBS SCUBA

Home Touch

Joe Biddle
Fran Boyde
Bim Brightwell
Don & Nancy Deutsch
Linda Eiler
Pat Elick
Paul Grimes
Sylvia Hendrickson
Elmira Hollingshead
Lee Jenkins

Thelma Koch
Josephine Lopic
Thelma Miller
Dawn Mohrbacher
Jackie Neal
Janet Pfaff
Tim Ramsey
Duane & Diana Rape
Amie Ritter

Extended Care

Russ Bernardo
Troy & Nora Baker
Cody Boors
Deb Britton
Jean Brown
Judy Cantner
Caitlin Edge
Lindsey Novak Errett
Carolyn Ewing
Margaret Ewing
Mike Gray
Bruce Guay
Freida Kughn
Gary Lucente
Mary Ann Mencher
Finley Metzler
Richard Moody
Jack Mulik
George Peffer
Janet Pfaff
Tim Shane

Wendy Shellhammer
Alice & Sam Short
Dave & Amy Smail

Hear my cry, O God;
Attend to my prayer.
From the end of the
earth I will cry to You,
When my heart is
overwhelmed;
Lead me to the rock
that is higher than I.

For You have been a
shelter for me,
A strong tower from
the enemy.
I will abide in Your
tabernacle forever;
I will trust in the shelter
of Your wings.

Psalm 61:1-4

Names will appear on the prayer list for four consecutive weeks with the exception of the Home Touch and Extended Care lists. The Extended Care list is for those with Chronic Illnesses who will likely need prayer long term. From time to time, if we have not received an update on a person or if a person has been doing well, they may be removed from the Extended Care list until we are asked to put them back on with an update to their condition.

Prayer Chain

If you or anyone you know would like to be added to the prayer list or to either the telephone or email prayer chain, please contact the church office.

(724)843-0862

Happy Birthday To You...



05/02 Drew Lewis

05/23 Elizabeth Deal

05/02 Eric Fronzaglio

05/24 Walter Young

05/03 Ron May

05/26 Bill Deal

05/03 Kelli Currey

05/27 MEMORIAL DAY

05/03 Miller Albright

05/28 Michele Furgiuele

05/08 Cameron Harris

05/30 Isabelle Fronzaglio

05/09 Kari Stewart

05/31 Sylvia Hendrickson

05/10 Kaley Zundel

05/12 MOTHER'S DAY

05/13 Jaime Loschinskey

05/15 Rick Canonge

05/17 Colleen White

05/18 Jim Smith

05/19 Orrin LeFebvre

05/20 Thelma Koch

05/21 Linda Smith

05/22 Alexander Huwar



*We enjoy being able to share your special dates.
Please, if we overlook you or someone you know, let us know
so that we can add the special date to our records.
Please hold these special people in prayer this month.*

Happy Anniversary

05/11 Eric & Madeline Rodecker

05/18 Keith & Deana Ditmore

05/24 Ron & Kathy May

05/12 Bob & Judy Cantner

05/19 Eric & Julie Fronzaglio

05/25 Brian & Erin Spielman

05/12 Dick & Pat Ream

05/23 Jon & Robin Beige

05/30 Rick & Debbie Canonge

05/16 Wayne & Chris Loschinskey

05/23 Joe & Kathy Landis



MAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 1	PM Adult Bible Study
May 4	Community Breakfast
May 5	Sunday Worship, Sunday School
May 7	Sewing Group, VBS SCUBA Worknight
May 8	PM Adult Bible Study
May 11	VBS SCUBA Workday
May 12	Sunday Worship, Muffins with Mom
May 14	Sewing Group, VBS SCUBA Worknight
May 19	Youth Sunday Worship, Sunday School Picnic
May 21	Sewing Group, Food Pantry, VBS SCUBA Worknight
May 22	PM Adult Bible Study
May 26	Sunday Worship with Darlene Rimer
May 27	Memorial Day
May 28	Sewing Group, VBS SCUBA Worknight

Looking Ahead

June 1	Community Breakfast
June 4	VBS SCUBA Worknight
June 5-8	Western PA Annual Conference
June 9-13	SCUBA VBS
June 16	Donuts with Dad
June 17	United Women in Faith Summer Picnic
June 18	Food Pantry
June 30	Fifth Sunday Luncheon



PASTOR'S CORNER*Pastor Alan***Pastor's
Corner****Taking Time to Be Holy**

Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;
 abide in him always, and feed on his word.
 Make friends of God's children, help those who are weak,
 forgetting in nothing his blessing to seek.

Take time to be holy, the world rushes on;
 spend much time in secret with Jesus alone.
 By looking to Jesus, like him thou shalt be;
 thy friends in thy conduct his likeness shall see.

Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul,
 and run not before him, whatever betide.
 In joy or in sorrow, still follow the Lord,
 and, looking to Jesus, still trust in his word.

Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul,
 each thought and each motive beneath his control.
 Thus led by his spirit to fountains of love,
 thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

These words penned by William D. Longstaff around 1882 still speak to us today. In fact, as busy as it seemed to Longstaff in 1882, I think he'd be amazed at how the "world rushes on" today. Today as I write this, there is a rummage sale going on at the church and I am caring for last things before I leave to attend the United Methodist General Conference.

As I read through the words of this song, I realized that all of us need to be careful about the busyness of our lives be it at a rummage sale, a general conference, a hospital room, work, home, church, play, or anywhere else.

We need to make sure that we are taking time to be holy. As your pastor, I cannot be holy for you, nor can you be holy for me. Each of us must make sure that we take the time to "be calm in thy soul", to give ourselves over to God that each thought and motive are under control of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We are called to abide in Christ and open our hearts so that Christ may abide in us. We need to feast on God's word.

We need to feast on God's word; we need to gather together as God's family and share in worship of God together; we need to gather in Bible study that the depth of the word may be discovered and unfold in our lives.

As we follow the Lord, as we allow God's Spirit to lead us to the fountains of love; we will find ourselves ready for that day in which we meet God face-to-face. But between now and then, let us discover Christ within each other already at work.

I look forward to when I see you again!

Alan



“Delight yourself also in the LORD and He shall give you the desires of your heart.”

~ Psalm 37:4

Since we were notified that Lighthouse Lutheran Church was closing, we have been in conversation with a couple interested in turning the former *Freedom UMC* building into a home for themselves. In the end of March, we found out that their offer was not one that was prudent for Unionville.

In the meantime, God had a different plan. In a casual conversation with John Mohrbacher, Pastor Alan mentioned that we were moving forward with seeking to sell the Freedom facility. Over the next few weeks, with much prayer, visits to the facility, and countless conversations with Skybacher Ministries Board of Directors and key donors, a presentation was made to the Unionville Trustees. Negotiations moved forward with the Trustees making an initial offer and Skybacher Ministries making a counteroffer that was accepted by the Unionville Trustees.

On April 19th, we closed the sale of the Freedom building and property. Hearing the heart of John and Kristie Mohrbacher, the support of their board members, and the response of their donors, it was clear that God has a plan.

Two scriptures were laid upon John’s heart.

The first scripture was 2 Corinthians 3:17 – *“Now the Lord is the Spirit and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is FREEDOM!”* This key verse shapes the vision of what is to happen. John describes it this way, “a name for the location and community that we serve, and the state that we hope people’s hearts find. A Freedom Place.”



The second scripture was Psalm 37:4 – *“Delight yourself also in the LORD and He shall give you the desires of your heart.”* This scripture was the answer to John’s prayer of whether they should move forward with making an offer.

And it became the foundation of John and Kristie’s counteroffer of \$37,400. The Trustees accepted the offer with the understanding that the sale is “as is” and that Skybacher Ministries would be responsible for closing costs. The funds received by Unionville are restricted for capital purposes. They will be placed in our “designated funds” account and will be available for the Trustees to use for capital expenses.

The future of FREEDOM Place and Skybacher Ministries is ultimately in the hand of God, just as it has been for the 20 years since their founding. They have been dreaming for years of having their own building to allow them to do a variety of weekly and maybe even daily ministry that meets need in the community while seeking to share the gospel of Jesus Christ in ways that brings people to freedom in Christ.

Their ministry will still make use of area school gymnasiums, Green Valley Park, and Unionville Family Life Center. Unionville has been an important partner and encourager over the years.

We look forward to seeing what the next chapter holds for Skybacher Ministries.

The SAFE Corner “VBS Essentials”



Over the last several months, we have been reviewing parts of the *Unionville SAFE Policy* to keep our children, youth, and volunteers safe. Here are essentials of the policy that we want to remind all Vacation Bible School volunteers about.

Clearances

Anyone 14 years of age or older whether employed or a volunteer shall provide the following clearances:

- a) Act 33 – Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance (Childline) – prior to start of duties.
- b) Act 34 – State Police Criminal Background Check – prior to start of duties.
- c) Federal Criminal History Report (FBI Fingerprint Check) – Required for all **employees** and required for any **volunteer** who has not been a Pennsylvania resident for the previous TEN consecutive years. The check must be completed prior to the start of duties and the report provided within 60 days after the start of duties.

These clearances are valid for five years from the date stated on the clearance. New clearances must be provided by the expiration of the current clearance.

Supervision

Persons in authority are required to be at least 18 years of age or older. Under 18 may function as assistants and may even lead an activity, but they must be under adult supervision. Our goal is to have adult to child ratios of 1:5 for elementary children and 1:7 for youth.

Registration / Sign-in

Parents are required to complete a registration form for their child/youth that provides name and cell number of parents; names and allergies of each child/youth; and the names of “approved” adults to check out their child. A sign-in/sign-out log will be maintained. Staff in these areas will notify a “Key Leader” (gold lanyards) or “Medical Care Responder” (blue lanyards) should someone other than an “approved” adult try to remove a child.

Building Access

The South Narthex Doors will be unlocked during arrival and departure for Vacation Bible School. Once arrival is completed the door will be locked during the event and monitored by registration staff.

Mandatory Reporters

All Vacation Bible School team members are mandatory reporters under PA law. If you have reasonable cause to suspect that a child is abused, you must report immediately by calling Childline at 1-800-932-0313.

Three Basic Rules

At the heart of the “protection procedures” are three basic rules that speak to how we provide supervision of our ministries with children, youth, and vulnerable adults.

- A) **Two-Adult Rule:** Preferred supervision is two non-related adults in each program space throughout the whole event. Alternatively, one adult in each program space with an adult floater rotating through each program space throughout the event time.
- B) **Rule of Three:** No adult is to be alone with a singular unrelated youth or child. There should always be at least three people.
- C) **Five Year Rule:** There must be a Five-year gap between a volunteer and the age-group assigned:
 - 1) Nursery & Preschool volunteers must be sixth grade or older.
 - 2) Kindergarten – Fourth Grade volunteers must be ninth grade or older.
 - 3) Fifth Grade – Eighth Grade volunteers must be 18 or older.
 - 4) Ninth Grade – Twelfth Grade volunteers must be 22 or older.

These rules are essential to providing ministry in a safe environment. Adult volunteers are defined as 18 and above. Youth volunteers are defined as under 18 with a minimum age of entering 6th grade. Youth are assistants and operate as part of a team with an adult in-charge.



How Shall We Love
 WORSHIP SERIES

**Apr
28**

“We Bear Fruit”
1 John 4:7-21 & John 15:1-8
Rev. Dave Wilson, Guest Preacher

**May
5**

“We Love One Another”
1 John 5:1-6 & John 15:9-17
Rev. Dave Wilson, Guest Preacher

**May
12**

“We Share Christ”
1 John 5:9-13 & John 17:6-19

**May
19**

Youth Sunday
Pentecost Sunday – wear Red

Come
WORSHIP
 With Us

Darlene Rimer, Missionary to Haiti
 will be joining us for Worship on
 Sunday, May 26
 9:30 AM

Unionville Church Camper's Fund

PURPOSE:	The <i>Camper's Fund</i> is a ministry established to support the participation of our children, youth, and "adults with intellectual disabilities" to attend a faith-based summer camp experience or faith-based retreat each year. These include United Methodist or other denominational camps or retreats. This does not include mission trips or non-residential sport camps.
SOURCE OF FUNDING:	Funds received from the blue clothing collection box in the parking lot are designated to the camper's fund. Periodically, tips from the Community Breakfast, fish fry, or other events may be designated to the camper's fund by the pastor and fundraising event chair. Other funds may be designated by the Administrative Council at their discretion in addition to any funds specifically designated by a donor.
CAMPER ELIGIBILITY:	The camper must be regularly active in Unionville Church's worship, Sunday school, and/or other age-specific ministries such as Kid's Club and Youth Group.
FUND ADMINISTRATION:	Requests for scholarships are to be made in writing to the pastor who has approval authority to grant the scholarship. The pastor may consult with the Christian Education chair, Lay Leader, and Administrative Council chair, if a question arises.
SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT:	Based on available funds, the amount of the scholarship will be up to 50% of the total per person and paid directly to the event registrar once the camper has registered and paid their portion of the cost of camp (as of 2024, camp fees range from \$125 - \$725 depending on host facility, duration, age-level, and primary program feature).

Adopted by the Administrative Council on April 2, 2024.

FINANCE

Unionville United Methodist Church - Rochester PA Detailed Fund Activity Report as of 03/31/2024

Thursday, April 18, 2024

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Account Name

YTD Activity

General Fund (Started 2023) Balance

	Beginning Fund Balance	80,749.62
<i>Income</i>		
<i>Building Use Fees & Rentals (52f)</i>		1,125.00
<i>Freedom Rental (Net Income) (52f)</i>		(1,809.42)
<i>Fundraising (Net Income) (52g)</i>		12,906.25
<i>General Fund Income</i>		40,033.43
	Total Income	<u>\$52,255.26</u>
<i>Expenses</i>		
<i>Apportionments (29a)</i>		6,800.70
<i>Church Utilities (47)</i>		4,681.06
<i>Lay Staff Expense (45)</i>		7,575.03
<i>Operating Expense (47)</i>		8,308.97
<i>Parsonage Utilities (42a)</i>		2,048.69
<i>Pastor Expenses</i>		21,547.11
<i>Program Expense (46)</i>		2,126.87
	Total Expenses	<u>\$53,088.43</u>
	Ending Fund Balance	\$79,916.45

Income

Building Use Fees & Rentals – Income received from Family Life Center rentals & Skybacher Ministries rent.

Freedom Rental – Net rental income after expenses.

Fundraising – Net fundraiser income after expenses such as breakfasts, fish fry, and holiday flowers.

General Fund Income – includes donor giving through the plate and online as well as gas well royalties.

Expense

Apportionments – Our share of the mission and ministry of The United Methodist Church around the world.

Church Utilities – includes gas, electric, water, sewer, garbage, internet, and telephone for church building.

Lay Staff – includes payroll, employer taxes and worker's compensation for secretary, organist, custodians, and nursery worker.

Missionary Support – direct support for our missionaries.

Operating Expense – includes bank charges, lawn mowing, snow plowing, property & liability insurance, minor maintenance, office equipment & supplies, postage, and custodial & kitchen supplies.

Parsonage Utilities – includes gas, electric, and internet for the parsonage.

Pastor Expenses – includes compensation, pension, healthcare, and accountable reimbursements.

Program Expenses – includes Christian education (Sunday school, children's church, kids club, youth, vacation Bible school), communications, outreach, worship & hospitality.

CHOIR*Robin Beige*

Choir will be wrapping up May 12 for Summer Break! We have had a lot of new faces join our group, and it's been amazing!

If anyone would like to display their musical talents be it singing or instrumentation during the summer months, please let Robin Beige know. (This also includes those kiddos who play an instrument in band)

We will begin rehearsals again most likely the beginning of September to be ready for anthems to begin in October. If you love to sing, it's never too late to join the choir! We'd be happy to have you!

Mission Impact Collections

The Mission Barn, a ministry of the Western Pennsylvania Conference of The United Methodist Church and a regional partner of the United Methodist Committee on Relief, need cleaning kits, hygiene kits, and menstrual kits for distribution around the world as a part of our relief work through UMCOR.

There are specific lists of items needed for each kit including sizes and descriptions that are needed to allow the kit to be able to be shipped through customs anywhere in the world. These lists are available at our "information center" by the bulletin boards at the church or follow the link to the kit you are interested in putting together at umcmmission.org/relief-supplies/.

Another option is that you can donate toward the cost of making kits through the offering plate. Be sure to mark your gift "relief kits".

All kits received by June 2nd will be delivered to the Mission Barn collection at annual conference.

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

Elizabeth Deal



United Women in Faith meets every other month on Monday evenings. Many of the faces change each event - we celebrate the changing dynamics! This shows the flexibility of belonging to our group. Life is incredibly hectic, and we don't always feel social, yet UWF is built on fellowship. When we gather in His name we know that God is with us. He hears our prayers. He draws near. Please come join us!

Monday, April 28th the UWF gathered for a Coffee, Cake and Comedy night! We prayed for each person by name on our prayer list. We listened to a devotion about the importance of laughter and joy. We ate delicious cake! We sat together in the sanctuary to listen to Mark Lowry on Broadway comedy show. Before sharing the benediction, we posed for a selfie :)

Save the Date! - June 17th Potluck Annual Picnic - 60's Theme

Wow! Thank you to the many helping hands who have contributed to UWF fundraising this year.

We successfully sold pies and cakes at the fish fry. Thank you to each team of ladies who volunteered at the table!

We provided a wide variety of baked goods to sell at the rummage sale. Thank you to all who baked and sold!



All funds raised by UWF are allocated to mission giving. Thank You!

It's Almost Time for.....United Women in Faith June Annual Picnic!

**Monday, June 17th starting at 6pm, FLC
Bring a potluck dish to share.**



Our decade theme this year is — 60's!

We will be offering a GROOVY t-shirt sale!



A - No Worries, God Got Me



**B - Godfidence
Knowing I Can't, But He Can**



C - his grace is enough



D - Created with a Purpose



**E - peace be with you
(starburst)**



**F - Peace Be With You
(peace sign)**

Every shirt is tie-dye!

**Place your order before May 12th.
Order as a gift for a friend or yourself.
Now your outfit is planned for the picnic, too!
*Shirts Designed and Printed by: Chelsea Carpenter***

DESIGN LETTER	SIZE Youth S-XL, Adult S-XL Adult 2X-3X-4X	COST \$15 Youth S-XL, Adult S-XL \$18 Adult 2X-3X-4X

Name _____ Total Due \$ _____

Checks payable to UWF UUMC or Cash

CHRISTIAN ED*Linda Miller*

Hard to believe we are just about through another school year! We have had a great year and we have been blessed to have so many opportunities to learn and grow in our faith throughout the year. Special thanks to all of our guest speakers for our Time, Talent and Treasure Class who shared so much useful information and experiences with us!

Coming up next will be Muffins with Mom on May 12th following worship! This is an all church event! Mark your calendar and plan to join us in honor of all Moms!

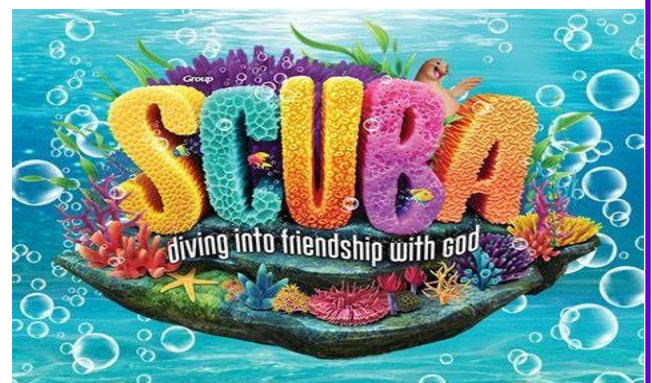
The following week we will celebrate in worship with Youth Sunday! Always a great time! And immediately following worship we will celebrate with our Annual Ice Cream "Sundae" School Picnic! This also is an all church event! There will be games for the kids, ice cream for all and of course a great time of fellowship! Plan to be there!

Vacation Bible School is just around the corner and there is much work to be done. We have 47 children registered as of this writing with a goal of 80 children. So Spread the News!! If you haven't noticed the set building happening throughout the building, come and check it out! This will be an exciting SCUBA Undersea Adventure! I love to watch the building transform into a special VBS experience each year! We also welcome your help on any of our workdays, there is something everyone can do!

As we enter into a slower season...please take time to pray for our children and youth ministries and our leadership. We pray that God will lead the way as we rest, yet continue to make plans for the future. May we always be listening for His voice.



ICE CREAM
"SUNDAE"
SCHOOL
PICNIC



KIDS CLUB*Robin Beige*

WOW! What a year Kids Club has had! We've learned about how Christians are like pumpkins, how we can use the Fruits of the Spirit to show God's love, all about Moses and the Ten Commandments, and how we can go into nature to see God's creation, and take care of it! Not to mention, a really awesome Unionville Christmas Spectacular show! We have a lot of talented kiddos in our group! But, most importantly, we learned about Jesus and how He loves us and how we show His love to others!

Kids Club also participated in the family service nights as well as game nights and music nights. Our last Sunday, we celebrated an awesome year with the Youth Group with some games and a pizza party!

We hope your children have enjoyed coming to Kids Club as much as we've enjoyed teaching them! We pray you have an amazing summer, and we hope to see you at VBS!!!



YOUTH GROUP

Tiffani Keil & Wendy Kline

Happy almost summer y'all!

We had 20 kids celebrating the wrap up of youth group and kids club with pizza and games. We are truly blessed with the best bunch of kids. It is amazing watching them grow in Christ's love!

Thank you again to all the parents for taking the time out of your busy lives to bring your kids week after week to learn about the word of God!!! Also a huge thank you to all the kids for dedicating time in your lives to God!!!

Change is in the air, there is a lot to look forward to this coming fall. Keep checking the monthly newsletters for more details, but until then keep an eye out for upcoming summer adventures as we build our bonds with one another and with God! Until then, I leave you with following scriptures!

“Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it.”

—Proverbs 22:6

“Even a child makes himself known by his acts, by whether his conduct is pure and upright.”

—Proverbs 20:11

VBS SCUBA WORKDAY

Saturday, May 11th
Noon—6:00 PM

Please come out and join us in the Family Life Center as we attempt to complete all of the set needed for Vacation Bible School.

There will be something for everyone no specific talents needed!



“I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth.”

— 3 John 1:4



PRAYER MINISTRY*Linda Miller***PRAYER FOR OPEN HEARTS**

Lord, help us keep our hearts open to what You have to say. When we gather to hear Your Word, let it sink in and change us from the inside out.

May we be responsive to Your Spirit. Amen

PRAYER FOR THE CHILDREN IN OUR COMMUNITY

Dear God, Create in our children pure hearts and renew steadfast spirits within them (Psalm 51:10). Help our children to know your Word and to grow in faith each day. Give them hearts of wisdom to truly understand what it means to have a personal relationship with You and to walk in confidence and faith with You as they go through life and encounter difficult situations. Father, help them to not remember a time where they haven't known You. In Your Name We Pray, Amen.

SHORT PRAYER FOR OVERTHINKING

Lord, I surrender my anxieties and racing thoughts into Your loving hands.
Grant me the strength to trust Your wisdom, for You know the path ahead.

Fill my mind with Your peace, which surpasses all understanding.

Help me to focus on the present moment, leaving behind the weight of unnecessary worries.

Guide my thoughts towards what is true, noble, and praiseworthy.

In Your presence, may overthinking lose its hold on me, and may Your calming grace prevail.

I place my faith in You, the ultimate source of peace and serenity.

Amen.

COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES

Just a reminder:

Do you have a neighbor, friend, or family member who is having financial difficulties?



Pantry Distribution

May 21st & June 19th

5:00—7:00 PM

Questions? Call Jo Shane @ 724-846-5146

**Current Food Pantry needs can be found on
Unionville's Website @ unionvilleumc.org**

HOME TOUCH

Joe Biddle

902 Eighth Avenue
Freedom, PA 15042

Bim & Deb Brightwell

1290 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

Fran Boyde

c/o Jack Boyde
904 Pine Run Road
Freedom, PA 15042

Don & Nancy Deutsch

535 Lincoln Blvd
Freedom, PA 15042

Linda Eiler

125 Pflug Road
New Brighton, PA 15066

Pat Elick

1310 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

Paul Grimes

The Grove at Harmony
191 Evergreen Mill Rd
Harmony, PA 16037

Sylvia Hendrickson

10 Adams Ridge Blvd. Rm A-8
Mars, PA 16046

Elmira Hollingshead

1013 Stockton Ridge
Cranberry Twp., PA 16066

Lee Jenkins

1080 Robinson Street
Freedom, PA 15042

Thelma Koch

427 Lakeview Drive
New Brighton, PA 15066

Josephine Lopic

902 Tulip Drive
New Brighton, PA 15066

Thelma Miller

1281 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

Dawn Mohrbacher

3308 N 31st Street
New Brighton, PA 15066

Jackie Neal

113 Sunset Drive
Cowpens, SC 29330

Janet Pfaff

103 Burgess Drive
Blue Ridge Apt 2014
Zelienople, PA 16063

Tim Ramsey

724 Druschel Road
New Brighton, PA 15066

Duane & Diana Rape

130 Harkins Mill Road
Rochester, PA 15074

Amie Ritter

141 R Harold Street
New Brighton, PA 15066



***Please take a moment to remember our
Home Touch Friends***

With a note, card, phone call and especially a prayer.

***If you know of someone who should be
added to our Home Touch Friend List,
Please contact the church office.***

***If you would like a visit from our Home Touch Team or
Pastor Alan, please notify the church office.***



NexTrex Recycling Challenge

Unionville has signed up to participate as a collection site for plastic bags/films/wraps. You can find the square white bins in the hallway of our Education Building and in the Family Life Center.

When we collect 1000 pounds of plastics by March 2, 2025; we will receive a NexTrex bench free of charge.

That's a lot of plastic, so spread the word and start gathering and saving.

Below is a list of items accepted.

All items must be clean, dry and free of food residue!



What can I win?



Trex Bench

What can be recycled?

All plastic must be clean, dry and free of food residue.



Grocery bags



Bread bags



Bubble wrap



Dry cleaning bags



Newspaper sleeves



Ice bags



Plastic shipping envelopes



Ziploc & other reclosable food storage bags



Cereal bags



Case overwrap



Salt bags



Pallet wrap & stretch film



Wood pellet bags



Produce bags

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR

HDPE (#2)
High Density Polyethylene

LDPE (#4)
Low Density Polyethylene

LLDPE (#4)
Linear Low Density Polyethylene

Community Breakfast
May 4th & June 1st
8:00—10:00 am

Please come and lend a hand; come and eat;
 invite your friends & neighbors!

An all-you-care-to-eat buffet for only \$12.00!

The proceeds from these meals help fund
 various ministries throughout the year.



Meet
 for
Breakfast

FAMILY LIFE CENTER
RENTALS

We are currently taking
 Rental reservations.

Call the Church Office

At (724)843-0862

Join us for Sunday Worship
 In our Sanctuary @9:30 am
 or virtually. via
 Our YouTube channel.

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

During the month of May, office hours
 will be only as necessary. This is due to
 Linda's need to be at home
 during Tom's recovery.

*Messages and emails
 will be checked regularly.*