

# St. John's United Church of Christ

## *The Voice*

July & August 2013

Looking forward to July and August I know that Luke is the Gospel lesson that will be featured during the end of July, so I thought we could look at Luke 11 particularly when Jesus teaches us to pray.

### **Jesus' Teaching on Prayer**

One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples."

He said to them, "When you pray, say: 'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.

Give us each day our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation.'"

Then Jesus said to them, "Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.' And suppose the one inside answers, 'Don't bother me. The door is already locked,

and my children and I are in bed. I can't get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet because of your shameless audacity he will surely get up and give you as much as you need."

"So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

"Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

I have often heard from many that there is noth-

ing like a good prayer and also how many are gifted enough to offer one.

When children learn the art of praying it is difficult to have them understand that prayer is not for the sole purposes of asking, but our thankfulness for the result of receiving.

We can ask for others to receive who are experiencing difficulties. We can ask for guidance, or strength and even forgiveness but one should never ask for something that will be completely to our benefit.

Continue to follow Luke 11 1-13. Let us all learn that prayer is powerful and in order to be extremely good, you must practice often!

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**SCRIPTURES FOR JULY**

Sunday, July 7 – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalm 30

Galatians 6:1-16

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**



Sunday, July 14 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 7:7-17

Psalm 82

Colossians 1:1-14

Luke 10:25-37

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**

Sunday, July 21 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 8:1-12

Psalm 52

Colossians 1:15-28

Luke 10:38-42

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**

Sunday, July 28 – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Hosea 1:2-10

Psalm 85

Colossians 2:6-19

Luke 11:1-13

(Guest Pastor Dave Martin)

Our worship experiences/opportunities for the month of July are as follows:

Wednesday, July 3	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.
Sunday, July 7	9:30 am	Sermon entitled "Do We Want To Be One Of The Seventy?" with a focus scripture of Luke 10:1-11, 16-20 (Communion)
Wednesday, July 10	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.
Sunday, July 14	9:30 am	Sermon entitled "Neighbors" with a focus scripture of Luke 10:25-37
Wednesday, July 17	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.
Sunday, July 21	9:30 am	Sermon entitled "Take A Break And Listen To Jesus" with a focus scripture of Luke
Wednesday, July 24		<b><u>NO BIBLE STUDY</u></b>
Sunday, July 28	9:30 am	Guest Pastor Dave Martin (Per agreement between Pastor Herb and the church council Pastor Herb will have the fourth Sunday of each month off.)
Wednesday, July 31	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.

Sunday, August 4 – Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

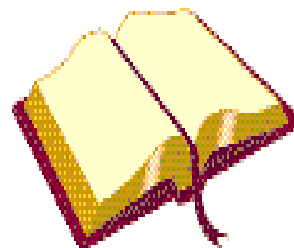
Hosea 11:1-11

Psalm 107:1-9, 43

Colossians 3:1-11

Luke 12:13-21

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**



Sunday, August 11 – Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20

Psalm 50:1-8, 22-23

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Luke 12:32-40

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**

Sunday, August 18 – Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 5:1-7

Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Luke 12:49-56

**Focus Scripture for Sermon**

Sunday, August 25 – Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 1:4-10

Psalm 71:1-6

Hebrews 12:18-29

Luke 13:10-17

(Guest Speaker– Seminarian, Dolores Neal)

**Our worship experiences/opportunities for the month of August are as follows:**

Sunday,	August 4	9:30 am	Sermon entitled “Who Or What Do You Trust?” with a focus scripture of Luke 12:13-21 (Communion)
Wednesday,	August 7	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.
Sunday,	August 11	<b>outdoor service</b>	Sermon entitled “God The Thief” with a focus scripture of Luke 12:32-40
Wednesday,	August 14	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.
Sunday,	August 18	9:30 am	Sermon entitled “Division” with a focus scripture of Luke 12:49-56
Wednesday,	August 21		<b><u>NO BIBLE STUDY</u></b> .
Sunday,	August 25	9:30 am	Guest Speaker, Seminarian, Dolores Neal (Per agreement between Pastor Herb and the church council Pastor Herb will have the fourth Sunday of each month off.)
Wednesday,	August 28	noon to 1 pm	Bible Study in the Social Hall. Bring your own lunch.

## July Celebrations...

### Happy Birthday to:

5 Earl Ziegler	11 Bob Seltzer	22 Priscilla Dearwechter
6 Phil Eberhart	15 Kevin Shilling	23 Rachael Quairola
7 Steve Stoltz	19 Bev Myers	25 Kellie Davis
8 Dalton Kapp	20 Scott Kless	26 Karen Kern
8 Sara Schott	20 Beth Ann Griffiths	26 Verna Rentschler
9 Eleanor Yiengst	21 Joan Losiewicz	31 Aleta Babe
11 Tyler Marinkov	21 Denise Voshell	

### Happy Anniversary to:

4 Stefanie & Anthony Shutter	25 Jerry & Peggy Mohn
18 Pat & Earl Ziegler	28 Brad & Becky Griffiths

## Sunday Worship Volunteers, Thank You

#### July Readers

July 7—	Wendy Dorsey
July 14—	Robin Getz
July 21—	Joe Ditzler
July 28—	Regina Engler

#### July Flowers

July 7—	Donnette Quairola
July 14—	Pat & Earl Ziegler
July 21—	Jerry & Peggy Mohn
July 28—	Pastor Herb & Sharon Hibshman

#### June Attendance

June 2—	71
June 9—	63
June 16—	50
June 23—	53
June 30—	

#### July Bulletins

July 7—	Donnette Quairola
July 14—	Pat & Earl Ziegler
July 21—	Jerry & Peggy Mohn
July 28—	Becky Griffiths

#### July Coffee Hosts

July 7—	Earl & Pat Ziegler
July 14—	Earl & Pat Ziegler
July 21—	Jean Ann Grimes
July 28—	Jean Ann Grimes

#### July Deacon Terry Knapp



### Sponsors Needed:

We are in need of Sponsors for :

Flowers: Sept. 8, & 15, &  
Oct. 6 & 13

Bulletins: Sept. 8 & 15, &  
Oct. 6 & 13.

Coffee Hosts for the months of October,  
November & December.

Sign Up sheets are in the Social Hall

## August Celebrations...

### Happy Birthday to:

1 Brayden Benito	7 Seth Shaffer	20 Louise Walmer
1 Ruth Lutz	8 Barb Miller	24 Charles Wike
2 Ken Leibensperger	8 Betty Schriver	26 Alex Flanick
3 Craig Mohn	10 Al Schriver	27 Dan Wenger
4 Brad Walmer	12 Brett Getz	29 Ira Rudy
4 Peggy Wike	13 John Oskam	30 Denise Flanick
6 Jeff Ditzler	15 Jerry Mohn	
6 Morgan Hevel	15 Darlene Stoltz	

### Happy Anniversary to:

18 Charlene & Randy Ziegler	27 Lisa & Rick Rudy
24 Denise & Rick Voshell	

## Sunday Worship Volunteers, Thank You

#### August Readers

Aug. 4- Gail Grimes  
 Aug. 11- Terry Knapp  
 Aug. 18- Charlene Ziegler  
 Aug. 25- Keith Gingrich

#### August Flowers

Aug. 4- Peggy Wike  
 Aug. 11- Paul & Robin Getz  
 Aug. 18- Donnette Quairol  
 Aug. 25- Betty Schriver

#### August Deacon Walter Bolles

#### August Bulletins

Aug. 4- Peggy Wike  
 Aug. 11- Paul & Robin Getz  
 Aug. 18- Donnette Quairol  
 Aug. 25- Betty Schriver

#### August Coffee Hosts

Arlene Walmer & Gerald Rudy

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## Consistory News by Robin Getz

It will be difficult to report multiple months but I will attempt to do so. The downstairs bathrooms are being completely renovated. They should be open for business before Christian Connection begins in the fall. A much needed facelift, fresh paint, new fixtures and a lot of TLC is just what we needed to brighten the basement area for all who visit.

Consistory also authorized the replacement of the tiles in the social hall. As you may have noticed many have sustained water damage over the years. Since the source of that problem has been appropriately repaired it is time to replace all of the tiles. A work party will be organized in the fall to get rid of the old, wash the track and install the new. We will keep you posted so that if you would be interested in helping we can include you as well.

The AED arrived and was installed. By the time this article reaches your door training should be underway by those who have graciously agreed to participate.

The other item that we are closely monitoring is our continued support with the search committee. The church profile has been forwarded and they will be reviewing candidates in an effort to recommend the right fit. We are all excited to work through this process so that Pastor Herb can again enjoy his much deserved retirement. We also acknowledge the outstanding job he continues to do for us during this transition. If only it were a different time....

We have not heard any negative comments in this area, so I will consider it a sign that we made the right decision. Just a reminder that the VOICE will be available each month on our website at <http://www.stjohnsuccfburg.org/thevoice/> or copies will be printed and available each month on the table located in the narthex for your convenience.

As always I want to remind everyone that Consistory is here for you. You are the voice we answer to where our church needs are concerned. Please let us know if you have concerns or if there is something that we are just not quite on the mark with, please let us know. It is important that your voice is heard.

We continue to work hard to keep our church as loved and necessary as it always has been. You are the people who make it what it is. You give it life and offer it breath to sustain our Christian lives. May we always continue to do this work together as one in the body of Christ.

### New Summer Schedule

During a previous consistory meeting and following much prayer and contemplation, it was decided to take a new approach over the summer months where Christian Connection and morning worship is concerned. Many of our committees have attempted to change up our former Sunday School time in hopes of encouraging better attendance and participation. Much work has been taken on by our teachers and Christian Education Chair to provide beneficial lessons for all age groups. They arrive with material in hand prepared to teach these young minds to find empty rooms. It was decided that, as we are already in a time of transition for this year, we would suspend our Christian Connection time from June 9<sup>th</sup> through August 25<sup>th</sup>, resuming our activities September 1<sup>st</sup>. Also tentatively, we will move our morning worship from 10:30AM to 9:30AM from July 7<sup>th</sup> through August 25<sup>th</sup> resuming our 10:30AM schedule the morning of September 1<sup>st</sup>. It is our hope that this time will allow all of us to rejuvenate, refocus our efforts and re-commit to God's teachings



## From Robin's Nest to Yours

By: Robin L. Getz



I am probably one of the few, but quite honestly I LOVE SUMMER! I always believe it is easier and involves a lot less work to spray yourself with a hose or grab a nice tall glass of iced tea than to bundle up with boots and gloves and shovel snow! I finally understand the full benefit of being a snow bird. Regardless, I hope each of you is staying cool, enjoying the longer days of sunshine and the birds who serenade you without even being asked to do so.

I think one of the things I would like to speak to this article is reflection. Not the kind that is with a mirror, or in water or any other similar reflective surface, but of you... internally. I know that at my job, we often do what they call "self-assessment" exercise where we must complete forms with specific questions of how we feel about certain things or complete certain tasks or deal with certain people. Although that is a wonderful tool for management I can also assure you that it also has little to no benefit as there are very few people that I know who are willing to be that honest, and forthcoming.

I remember when I was little there were always discussions going on with my older siblings as to what they wanted to be when they grew up. I never thought much about it until I was old enough to attend school and some of my teachers beginning in elementary school already would talk to us about being a teacher, or nurse, a great mom or farmer or tons of things that we could do. This came to my mind when I saw the recent passing of Mrs. Gerbrich, my fourth grade teacher.

Now she was a little bit ahead of her time, because she always expected that you were required to give the very best you had every day. I think her approach is what molded my current work ethics that are still with me today. She was the one who had a way of making you dream and pushing you to reach beyond your limits to accomplish your goal(s). I re-

member sitting at the supper table at night all excited that I could have a dairy farm and milk cows and didn't need a stool or a bucket because they had machines and you just needed to dump it in a huge bucket and wait for the truck to pick it up. Yep. Pretty many of the older brothers and sisters rolled their eyes too. But I remember that excitement. That looking inside of me, that self-assessment that I knew I could do that if that is what I really wanted to do.

Naturally my path in life changed a million times from that fourth grade classroom, but the one thing that never changed was that challenge Mrs. Gerbrich gave me to be the best I could at whatever I decided to tackle.

Let's fast forward four years to 8<sup>th</sup> grade. I am now ready to transition to Sr. High. I am starting to think more about dating, being cool, fashion, friends, food and music. Much to mother's joy I am entering the most rebellious years a teen can reach. You know that time in life where you know everything, your parents know nothing, and in fact you begin to really question how they lived to be so old. Homework is a chore, teachers are a drag and rules were meant for others. I think you know exactly what I am talking about, whether or not you want to admit it is another thing all together. Again, that all important ability of self-assessment that I mentioned earlier and the value of what your opinion of you is all about.

Now let's really fast forward to where I am at today. WOW, how very much that has happened since that white lipstick and mini skirt. I have finally grown to a point where I can self-assess, truthfully and honestly. Sometimes it still isn't the best picture in the world, but most days I am pleased that I have done all that I set out to do. I think of what God's assessment of himself would have been....

Pretty intense I would gather as he viewed all of the sin of the world and thought of how he could control the

mayhem and chaos of those early days, when self-preservation was more geared toward self-gratification. Where had all of the kindness gone when God began the task of creation? Where had all of the anger and in some cases hate come from when we were all created from one man? I guess we must have the visual of the angel on one shoulder and the devil on the other and when we make a decision which do we pick?

Again, that reflection into what makes us who we are. Are we Christians? If so do we practice the Christian way each and every day? Is our faith pure and to a degree where we are willing to share or is it of convenience and we only use it when it is convenient? Our reflection should be of us, the smallest person on the face of the universe doing all that we can to do what God has taught each of us to do. Be kind, be faithful, be a friend, be a true reflection of what we believe He is in our life.

So as our graduates are readying themselves for the next phase of their life, I will tell them as Mrs. Gerbrich told me so many moons ago. Look inside and find what you really want to be. Find out who you really are and what wonderful things you have to offer. When you are confident that you have done that, then close your eyes, take a leap of faith and just go for it.

I must also tell you that it WILL be rocky and bumpy along the way because that is the plan. Those bumps are to remind you that God is still with you reminding you to be reflective to constantly self-assess honestly. Watching you grow, offering you guidance and strength and most importantly reminding you that you are loved!

May your reflection always shine the brightest each day. Because, with faith in your life you will never again need Windex.

## SENIOR CHOIR BY LOUISE WALMER

The Sr. Choir is on hiatus until September. That sure sounds like a long time doesn't it?

There will not be a Choir Exchange Sunday with the Sr. Choir of St. Paul's Summer Hill UCC this summer.

The time change of our morning worship service prevents us from being able to sing at both churches on the same Sunday. Hopefully next year we can work to find a way to renew this experience.

Remember that volunteers are needed to provide musical offerings at our morning worship services throughout the summer. Please contact Charlene Ziegler at 865-5965 to reserve a date.

Next Sr. Choir rehearsal will be on Wed. Aug. 28 at 7PM.

## MUSIC AND WORSHIP NEWS by Louise Walmer

The Music and Worship Committee met on Mon., June 3. Robin Getz led devotions based on Psalm 27:7.

Our graduates will be recognized during the June 9 worship service and we will give them a gift from the congregation. Pastor Herb volunteered to shop for and select the gifts. The men of the church will also receive recognition on Father's Day with a small token from this committee. Robin Getz volunteered to take care of those gifts.

Plans for Laity Sunday, June 23 were finalized. Louise will be responsible for the order of worship information for the bulletin.

Chris Gettle will play the organ for our 9:30am worship services during the month of July and on August 4 and 18. He is unable to play on August 25. Louise contacted Heath Lettich and he has agreed to play on August 25. There is no need for an organist for our outdoor worship service on August 11. Beth Ann will be back to play beginning on September 1 when our regular 10:30am worship time resumes.

Several members of this committee will be attending the annual Sacred Choral Reading Session in Lititz on Sat. July 27. This program is sponsored by Loser's Music Store and some of us have attended every year over the last 7 years. This is where we get our ideas and music for the upcoming Choir singing season. It is an inspiring day of music and singing by several hundred people that include: choir directors, choir members, and musicians, who come from all over Pennsylvania and beyond. This year's event will be led by Lloyd Larson, composer and arranger of choral anthems, keyboard collections, vocal solos and duets, instrumental works, and handbell settings.

Next meeting of the committee will be on Mon., Aug. 5 at 7pm. Sharon will have devotions.



These people gave to the UCC Auxiliary annual Membership Drive. Thanks to all.

Life Membership: Paul Smith

Regular: Gail Grimes; Priscilla Rentschler; Millie Schriver; Arlene Walmer; Pat Rentschler; Betty Schriver; Ressie Lauer; Regina Engler; Edith Trautman; Peggy & Jerry Mohn; Pat Ziegler; Ginny Knapp and a Donation of \$2.00.



## ***St. John's Fellowship News,*** By Ginny Knapp

Although St. John's Fellowship is taking a breather for the summer months, we will be back and running in August. An indoor picnic is scheduled for Tuesday, August 20th at 6:00 PM. There's plenty of time to work on a special picnic treat till then.

At that meeting we will be deciding on the Fall Flea Market and Bake Sale. Please come and help to plan our activities. Also plans will be initiated for the coming holiday season. We need you and your help to make this a successful program.

## **CONGREGATIONAL LIFE,** By Ginny Knapp

Congregational Life will again provide food for the Tuesday evening programs leading up to Night Out on August 6th. On Tuesday, July 16th we will be gathering snacks for the Pool Party at the Bethel Township Pool. An ice cream party will be scheduled for Tuesday, July 23rd on the church grounds. On Tuesday, July 30th, we will provide the pizza for the carnival, again on the church grounds.

Sunday, August 11th will be our annual Outdoor Worship service at the park. The service will be held at 11:00 AM with a pot-luck luncheon following the service. Please plan to come and enjoy the summer day with your church family.

## **SOMETHING OLD,**

By Regina Engler

## **SOMETHING NEW**

No, this isn't about the tradition for the bride that ends with "and a penny in your shoe". This is about the update for both the Visitation Committee and the Prayer Chain. While Neal & Jean Ann Grimes, Earl & Pat Ziegler, and Regina Engler remain on the Visitation Committee, the name of Brenda Good has now been added. When word is received of someone who's been hospitalized, these are the folks you might see calling on you. You'll also receive a card from Arlene Walmer on behalf of St. John's Fellowship.

The Prayer Chain consists of twelve individuals who are willing to provide concerted prayers as needed at a moment's notice. Anyone who is reading this may activate this effort by notifying Regina Engler at 274-2944 or by e-mail at [reginaengler@evenlink.com](mailto:reginaengler@evenlink.com). A system has been arranged so that all twelve will receive, the message within just a few minutes. Yes, sometimes it's necessary to talk to an answering machine, but every effort is made for those prayers to begin promptly.

This short article would not be complete without expressing deep gratitude to Peggy Mohn who has been instrumental in the work of both committees ever since their formation. She'll help us keep those prayers going. Thanks, Peggy.

## FROM THE CHRISTIAN ED. CORNER by Angela Michael

Looking for something fun to do in the evenings this July? Christian Education Committee is sponsoring some fun events, Congregational Life is providing the refreshments for these events, and you're all invited to come out and have some food, fun and fellowship! Don't forget to bring a friend and tell your neighbors!

**July 16, 7:30 p.m. — 9:30 p.m.**

**It's time to  
Splash Party!**

Bethel Township's Lions Pool, 124 Lions Dr, Fredericksburg, PA 17026

*\*No rain date.*

**July 23, 6:00 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.**

**Puppet Show, Puppet Craft & Ice Cream Party!**

Local puppeteer and Matthews Public Library director, Mrs. Sheila Redcay, puts on a puppet show for all ages in the church social hall! 6:00 p.m.: Curtain rises for the show! 6:30 p.m.: Make a puppet to take along home. 7:00 p.m.: Ice cream party time!

**July 30, 6:00 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.**

**Carnival & Pizza Party**

Games! Food! Prizes! All on the parking lot!

*\*If it rains, we'll have games and face painting in the social hall*

## BUDGET & STEWARDSHIP By Neal Grimes

The Budget Committee has not met since February. However we continue to monitor all of the financial activities that occur at St. John's during our transitional period in our search for a new minister. Please note that although our numbers look pretty good we are not paying for a full time pastor and therefore do not have the burden of all of the expenses that come with that position.

### THE REPORT FOR THE FIRST MONTHS OF 2013 US KUSTED BELOW:

<u>JAN. THRU MAY</u>	<u>INCOME</u>
WEEKLY OFFERINGS (21 WEEKS)	\$45,453.74
DEFRAY COST OF ENVELOPES	197.00
BULLETINS	140.00
FUNDRAISING	1,634.34
SPECIAL SERVICES	315.00
SOCIAL HALL RENTALS/MISC.	167.65
INTEREST	6.46
TOTAL OFFERINGS FOR JAN. THRU MAY	\$47,914.19
 EXPENSES	 \$32,851.54
 NET INCOME (JAN. THRU MAY)	 \$15,062.65

OUR BUDGET FOR WEEKLY OFFERINGS \$2,300. TO-DATE WE ARE AVERAGING \$2,164.46.

Delight yourself also in the Lord, and He shall give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the Lord, trust also in Him, and He shall bring it to pass.

Psalm 37:4-5

# St. John's United Church of Christ Graduates

## Congratulations!

### **The High School Graduates are:**

#### **Erika Flanick**

Erika is the daughter of Lee and Denise Flanick and granddaughter of Ken & Violet Liebensperger. She will be graduating from Northern Lebanon High School. Erika received the Harlan Daubert Scholarship Award and plans to attend West Chester University in the fall studying music/theatre.

#### **Morgan M. Hevel**

Morgan is the daughter of Peter & Tracy Hevel and Granddaughter of Charles & Peggy Wike. She will be graduating from Northern Lebanon High School and plans to attend Antonelli Institute (near Philadelphia) in the fall to study photography and marketing.

#### **Daulton Kapp**

Daulton is the son of Jarrod & Kim Kapp. He will be graduating from Annville Cleona High School and also the Lebanon County Career & Technology Center in diesel mechanics and plans to attend the Universal Technical University (Exton PA) in the fall for auto/diesel mechanics.

#### **Tyler Marinkov**

Tyler is the son of David & Lori Marinkov. He will be graduating from Northern Lebanon High School. Tyler has decided to work a year as a diesel mechanic with S & K Enterprises giving him the time needed to make a decision on his future vocation.

#### **Kaleb Morrissey**

Kaleb is the son of Kirk and Michele (Gerhart) Morrissey and grandson of Mary Ann and the late Henry (Buzz) Gerhart. Kaleb will be graduating from Northern Lebanon High School. Kaleb is an avid sports enthusiast and hopes to one day be involved in sports broadcasting. He is currently employed by Quinn Racing in Coopersburg, PA where he serves as a member of the pit crew and driving coach. In his spare time, Kaleb enjoys playing street hockey for the North East Grinders of the Myerstown Street Hockey League.

#### **Anthony Quairol**

Anthony is the son of Joe and Donnette Quairol. He will be graduating from Northern Lebanon High School. Anthony received the Altruism award and is an honor graduate. He will be attending West Chester University in the fall and will major in either Political Science, Human Resources or Business Management. Anthony's interests include soccer, riding bike with friends and hanging out with his friends as well.

### **The College Graduates are:**

#### **Jillian Ditzler**

Jillian is the daughter of Joe & Julie Ditzler and granddaughter of Terry & Ginny Knapp. Jillian graduated from Georgia Institute of Technology with a BS in Mechanical Engineering. She has accepted a position at McCarthy Building Companies in Atlanta, where she will work as a mechanical estimator. This is the company where Jillian did her internship during her two years as an intern. She has been part of the design/preconstruction team for projects including the Emory University Hospital, a renovation project at Ft. Stewart, GA, a new law building for Georgia State University and an engineered-biosystems building on the campus of Georgia Tech. She will reside at 4214 Glenridge Stratford Drive, Atlanta, Georgia 30342.

#### **Colt Dorsey**

Colt is the son of Wendy Dorsey and grandson of Edith Trautman. Colt is a 2013 cum laude graduate of Temple University. He has accepted a position as a ticket sales associate with the Miami Dolphins in Miami Gardens, Florida. He will reside at 3920 N 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Hollywood FL 33021.

#### **Courtney Marinkov**

Courtney is the daughter of David & Lori Marinkov. She was a 2009 graduate of Northern Lebanon High School and will be completing her Nursing Training from the Good Samaritan Hospital in July as a registered nurse. Courtney received a scholarship from The Good Samaritan Hospital, Lebanon, and will work in the I.C.U. department of that hospital upon graduation.

# ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

## CALENDAR

### July, 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 Noon Bible Study	4 	5	6
7 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship Helen Memorial Fund Sunday	8	9	10 Noon Bible Study 7:00 PM Search Committee	11	12	13
14 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship Joy Pantry Food Collection Sunday	15	16 7:30 –9:30 PM Splash Party! @Lions Pool	17 Noon Bible Study	18	19	20
21 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship	22	23 6:00 –7:30 PM Puppet Show & Ice Cream Party! @ Church Social Hall	24 <b>NO BIBLE STUDY</b>	25	26	27
28 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship Deacon's Fund Dine & Donate at Esther's Restaurant	29 7:00 PM Consistory Meeting	30 6:00-7:30 PM Carnival & Pizza Party @ Church Parking Lot	31 Noon Bible Study			

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## Calendar

### August, 2013

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4 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship Helen Memorial Fund Sunday	5  7:00 PM Music & Worship Meeting	6  National Night Out	7  Noon Bible Study	8	9	10
11 Summer Schedule 11:00 AM Outdoor Service Lions Park Followed by a pot-luck Luncheon Joy Pantry Collection Sunday	12	13	14  Noon Bible Study	15	16	17
18 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship	19	20  6:00 PM Fellowship Committee Indoor Picnic & Meeting	21  <b>NO BIBLE STUDY</b>	22	23	24
25 Summer Schedule No Christian Connection 9:30 AM Worship Deacon's Fund Dine & Donate at Esther's Restaurant	26  7:00 PM Consistory Meeting	27	28  Noon Bible Study 7:00 PM Choir Practice	29	30	31

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### **SUMMER SCHEDULE EVERY SUNDAY 9:30AM WORSHIP NO CHRISTIAN CONNECTION**

*St. John's United Church of Christ is: A church of faith, heeding to God's call, through worship, evangelism, discipleship and fellowship. We are building on our church's history, while looking to our future. Our church is filled with messengers, who share the gift of God's love, with the community and beyond. We strive to be a church that reaches out to all with compassion, a vision of God's everlasting peace, and a witness of spiritual hope to our present and future generations. For all this and so much more, we pray in God's name.*

### **Church Staff**

Pastor Herb Hibshman, Jr. Interim Pastor  
Mr. Chris Gettle, Guest Organist  
Mrs. Louise Walmer, Choir Director  
Mrs. Donna Eberly-Lehman Church Secretary

### **Consistory**

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Melissa Seltzer, Secretary  
Walter Bolles, Treasurer

### **Elders**

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