

2022

August Mini Beacon



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We will start in mid September,
(Date to be determined) with RTR Sunday being
held in October.

For now, we are looking for book donations.
If the church or Fellowship Hall is not open, you
can leave your book donations in front of the
Fellowship Hall doors--or inside if open.

Help Wanted: The R2R committee consists of
three people. We could use help setting up and
tearing down the book sale. It's a weighty job that
can go quickly with more people!

Please contact a committee member to volunteer!

Many thanks,
RTR committee
Wayne Freese, Diane Dunn and Cindy Maguire



Pastor Doug will be away August 15 until August
22nd while he travels to Buffalo. For any pastoral
emergencies, please call Pastor Doug directly on his
cell phone. 610-597-2245

Worship on August 21st will be led by the Rev.
Angelee Benner-Smith, recently retired as pastor of
East Goshen UCC in West Chester.

Outdoor Worship Service Planned



We are planning to hold a
worship service
outdoors on Sunday,
September 18th, weather
permitting. If it is raining,
we will worship as usual in the sanctuary.

We will gather on the slope and lower parking lot
where we have Blessing of the Hounds. We will have
folding chairs available, but please feel free to bring
your own.

St Peter's Pikeland Concert Series - Rob Curto and Melissa Brun



On July 10th, St. Peter's was blessed with an amazing afternoon of
music and community when accordionist Rob Curto and cellist Melissa
Brun took the stage. Rob has performed all over the country with a
variety of bands, ranging from Brazilian dance music all the way to
American roots folk music. Rob and Melissa also perform together in a
local Irish band called Maggie's Boots, and over the years have
collaborated on a number of Rob's original songs. Rob and Melissa

were quite the duo, entertaining the audience with a spirited performance. Kat even joined in for a finale,
since Rob is her accordion teacher and made performing in this concert an actual homework assignment! A
reception was held afterwards, where everyone got to meet the musicians and each other! Thanks again to
everyone who made it out and who contributed to the reception.

SEWING CIRCLE



Mark your calendars for the following dates:

Our annual luncheon is being held at the Stonehouse Grille in Kimberton on Wednesday, August 10th at 12 o'clock. We are looking forward to being with each other for fellowship and eating delicious food.



Wednesday, September 7th, will be the first meeting of the Sewing Circle. All are welcome to join us.



Upcoming Events

Harvest Home is held in September and October. When shopping for bargains (as we all are) please keep our local missions in mind. More people need help and less people are able to donate. (And don't forget that if you shop at Redner's, we are still collecting Redner's receipts to help support the Sewing Circle)



Diapers, Diapers, Diapers



Just a reminder, we are always in need of diapers for the organizations we support through the Ingathering. They are always the top item requested and much appreciated!



Calendars and Cards: Collection baskets will be placed in the narthex for 2023 calendars and cards (birthday, get well, sympathy, etc.) These are the ones you get in the mail from different charities. They are for the men and women at Pocopson Home in West Chester.





August Birthdays

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| John Pandjak | 8/1 |
| Bobby McClimon | 8/4 |
| Shirley Detwiler | 8/5 |
| Rob Whitlatch | 8/6 |
| Jan Mest | 8/7 |
| Dan McClimon | 8/7 |
| Elizabeth Cavan | 8/7 |
| Lexi Smith | 8/9 |
| Jill Kelly | 8/9 |
| Joann Thomson | 8/10 |
| Garrett Harlow | 8/12 |
| Cindy Gorge | 8/14 |
| Samantha McCabe | 8/14 |
| James Wachsmuth | 8/14 |
| Carol Hughes | 8/15 |
| Ken Whitlatch | 8/16 |
| Avery Blue | 8/16 |
| Sandy Raichle | 8/21 |
| Grace Merryman | 8/22 |
| Logan Cheney | 8/23 |
| Jim Hall | 8/27 |
| Virginia Lawrence | 8/28 |
| Benjamin Neiman | 8/28 |
| Julie Myers | 8/29 |
| Matt Zaro | 8/30 |
| Judy Shupe | 8/31 |



Wedding Anniversaries

Don and Gwen Davidson
 Jim and Jill Kelly
 Carol and Fred Krisch
 Norman and Nancy Norris
 Albert and Kathleen Wachsmuth
 Fred and Charlotte Wookey
 Charlie and Judy Shupe

Parking Lots Re-sealed



At the end of July, we had the parking lots of the church re-sealed, and fresh lines painted.

Christian Education Building Cleaned

Thank you to the Sewing Circle for funding the cleaning of the Christian Ed building. The Sewing Circle hired Sean Somerick to do the deep cleaning jobs in both the Church and Christian Ed buildings.



We are planning a Family Fall Festival on Saturday, September 24th from 4 pm – 7 pm.

Games: (Cornhole, egg race, CanJam to name a few). Fun for the whole family.

Contests: Bring your favorite tractor/farm equipment along with a pie.

Hay Ride and face painting too.

Contact Fred III at fred3@managementresults.com for more information.



Our Prayer List

Please keep the following

Church Staff

Rev. Douglas Hanson,
Pastor
Kat Bowman,
Director of Music and Organist
Jill Cook,
Church Secretary
Deborah Wetty,
Nursery Attendant
Debbie Wolk,
Bookkeeper
Wayne Freese
Cemetery Manager

Church Officers 2022

President of Congregation –
Pete Warner

Secretary of Congregation –
Kathleen Wachsmuth

President of Consistory –
Jim Phillips

Secretary of Consistory –
Michelle Case

Treasurer – Ken Whitlatch

Elders

Michelle Case- Chair
Doug Yeakle
Maureen Wookey,
Kathleen Wachsmuth

Deacons

Richard Sherman—Chair
Diane Campbell, Bill Latta,
Jim Phillips

Trustees

Mark Myers-Chair
Peter Wilson, Fred Wookey III,
Drew Zummo

Andrea Lafleur
Angie Schlessman
Anthony Didesidero, friend of Anne Breiling
Barbara Broyles, friend of the Wachsmuths
Barbara Shivers
Bob Dewilde
Caitie Blazic and baby Nicholas, friend of Judy Smythe
Carol Meyer
Cathy Moffa, friend of Don and Gwen Davidson
Charlie Fishman, Pete Warner's Nephew and Godson
Chris Saunders, friend of Micki Menkins
Chris Webb, son of a friend of Lynn Mailey
Clarice Bowman
Daniel Mulcahy, friend of Harlows
Denny Stanley, Bob McClimon's uncle
Donna Rhodes, Gail Phillips' sister
Doris Ingham, Joyce Rosen's mother
Douglas Wilson, spouse of Kevin McLemore
Ethan, son of a friend of Dee McClimon
Friends and family of Anne Breiling
Heidi Kieffer, daughter of Eric Johnson's cousin
Ian Charles Harmon, the Booraem's grandson
Jashown Banner, former student of Jackie Warner
Jennifer Osborne
Joe Rowan, Uncle of Alyssa Menkins
Laura Dick
Lindsay Meekins, friend of Micki Menkins
Margaret Breiling
Mary Andersen, friend of the McCarthys
Marvin Rosen
Mia Nordhoff
Patty English
Peter Lenichek, Anne Breiling's cousin
Rich Baer, friend of the Krasleys
Rick Cassidy, friend of the Davidsons
Sally Kramer, Cherri Romano's sister
Sally Mehrens, sister of Lynn Mailey
Scott Raichle
Sharon Divis, daughter of Judy Smythe
Sue McVay, friend of Mary Jo Pandjak
Sylvia Houff, Kathleen Wachsmuth's sister
Tom Bellamy, friend of Micki and Alyssa Menkins
Tommy Thompson, friend of Micki Menkins