

August 2016

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

THE PARISH NEWS

Family Pool Party!! Sunday, August 7th, 4:00PM

Come for a splashin' good time at the home of Todd and Mandi Stoltzfus (419 Ridgeview Ave., Elizabethtown). Please bring a side dish or dessert as well as your bathing suit and towel. The party starts at 4:00pm and dinner will be served at 5:30. Don't forget to invite friends!!!





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Church of the Brethren Night Saturday, August 6th on City Island

The ANE District invites you out to a Harrisburg Senators baseball game to enjoy an afternoon and evening of fun and fellowship. Gates open at 4:30pm and the game starts at 6:00. Tickets are \$11 of which \$2 will go to the District. More information is at the Welcome Desk and the bulletin board. Please sign up or let Nate know of your interest.

Senior Adult Fellowship Lunch!

It may not be a "free" lunch, but it will be a good lunch with good fellowship. Lunch will be even better if you decide to join us at Lititz Family Cupboard Restaurant & Buffet (12 W. Newport Rd., Lititz) on Thursday, August 25th at 11:30 am.

- ...Sign up at the Welcome Desk!
- ...Your friends are welcome to join us!
- ...Consider offering to give someone a ride!

Any questions...please ask Beth or Jimm Roland.

Bowery Mission Service Opportunity Sunday, August 7th, after Sunday School until 10/11:00pm

We will again be travelling to New York City to provide a service and serve a meal to the homeless at the Bowery Mission. The church van has not been filled the past 2 years as it was previously, so consider helping to fill it this year as we actively live out Jesus' challenge to us in Matthew 25, "I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." We'll leave the church after Sunday School and return late (10-11pm). Also, we can tour the Outreach Center to get a greater insight into the Bowery's mission. Everyone is encouraged to join us for this afternoon of serving Jesus, fellowship and a fun commute. Past participants have been challenged and encouraged in their faith while serving. PLAN NOW TO JOIN US! Contact Scott Moyer at scott.moyer@pwc.com or 203-0458 with questions or comments.

COBYS 20th Annual Bike & Hike Sunday, September 11th at Lititz Church of the Brethren

Come out and support COBYS by walking 3 miles, riding bike either 10 or 25 miles, or riding motorcycle 65 miles. They are looking to raise \$120,000 which goes to their family ministry. A silent auction will be available throughout the afternoon with a variety of special items ranging from homemade food to a weekend getaway at a Potter County chalet. More information will be coming or you can visit www.cobys.org.

Brethren Village's 26th Annual Golf Tournament Thursday, September 15th at Foxchase GC, Stevens, PA

Enjoy breakfast and a grilled lunch with a 7:00am shotgun or a lunch and gourmet dinner with a 1:00pm shotgun. Registration and sponsorship opportunities are online at www.bv.org/giving/golf or call 581-4478 with questions.

Pleasant View's 7th Annual Golf Tournament Wednesday, September 21st at Overlook GC, Lancaster

Enjoy lunch, golf, prizes, a pig roast dinner and more while helping to benefit the Cognitive Care Fund through Pleasant View. Shotgun start is at 1:00pm. Check out www.PleasantViewrc.org/golf for more details and sponsorship opportunities.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST 2016

August 7th - Man's Plans (James 4:13-17)

Questions from the Life of Joseph

August 14th - Are You Willing to Face Your Past? (Genesis 42-43))

August 21st - Do You Want to Be Set Free? (Genesis 44-45)

August 28th - Are You Satisfied with God? (Genesis 45)

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

ADULTS

- •QUARTERLY ~ Cafe
- •THE BOOK OF EXODUS ~ Cafe
- •INSIGHTS ~ Café
- •CONNECTIONS WOMEN ~ "Esther" Conference Room
- •CONNECTIONS MEN ~ "Authentic Manhood" Prayer Room
- •YOUNG ADULT ~ Room 111

YOUTH

- Senior High ~ downstairs in the SURGE Room.
- Junior High ~ Room 110 (across from Children's Library)

CHILDREN

- Nursery Infants-Age 1
- Little Lambs 2-3 Year-Olds (across from the nursery-upstairs)
- God's Garden 4 Year Olds-Grade 1 (Room 105-downstairs)
- The Bear's Den Grades 2-5 (Room 101-downstairs)

MC Food Pantry

In the month of June the pantry served 118 households for a total of 354 individuals. There were 9 new households and 9 total new individuals.

This month the following items are needed:

*Peanut Butter *Cereal *Canned Potatoes
*Saltines/Crackers *Canned Chili *Canned Pineapples
*Canned Pears *Vegetable Soup *Paper Towels
*Toilet Paper *Instant Coffee *Strawberry Jelly

Please place your items in the shopping cart in the lobby at the church. Thank You!

Daily Devotionals are Available

East Fairview makes two daily devotionals (**OUR DAILY BREAD** and **THE UPPER ROOM**) available for your personal or family devotions. Both are for anyone to pick up and use. You may find them in the pockets by the lobby bulletin board. The UPPER ROOM devotional even has a large print version available. Please feel free to use these resources as you grow in your faith.

HAPPY

Paul & Diane Bruckhart August 3rd, 31 years

Duane & Londa Shelly August 7th, 12 years

Michael & Debra Martin August 8th, 35 years

Mark & Rachel Ruhl August 8th, 1 year

Richard & Norene Metzler August 15th, 57 years

Charlie & Betty Nauman August 17th, 58 years

Marlin & Barb Brandt August 20th, 50 years

Joel & Lori Mearig August 21st, 3 years

Clair & Sylvia Bard August 22nd, 46 years

Allan & Nancy Bires August 23rd, 27 years

Larry & Yvonne Geib August 24th, 42 years

Sean & Amanda Bowers August 24th, 3 years

Dennis & Carol Fahnestock August 29th, 24 years

> Ned & Olivia Thilo August 29th, 1 year

Levi & Helen Ziegler August 30th, 63 years

Church Family News

Our Christian Sympathy goes out to... Matt & Heather Weidman's family upon the death of her father, Merle Clugston, in June.

Pastor Jimm will be out of the office **July 30-August 6**. Please contact the church office, Barry Weidman, Dana Statler or Dennis Fahnestock if you need pastoral care.

DIRECTORY CHANGES/ADDITIONS:

Please forward all changes/additions/corrections to the church office.

New addresses: Nathan Bires

303 N. Summit Ave., #2A Gaithersburg, MD 20877

Dae & Ellen (Thilo) Kim 669 Poplar St., Lancaster 17603

Doug and Eileen Fahnestock 333 W. Ferdinand St., Manheim

Doug Fahnestock's Wood Shop 115 Railroad Ave., Manheim

Michael Groff 180 S. Main St., Salunga 17538 Phone # 615-7915

New Street #: Mary Becker

68 Ridgewood Manor

Reminder...Please contact Pastor Jimm at jimmroland@eastfairview.com or 665-4873 to let him know about any hospitalizations or prayer requests.

Dear East Fairview Church Family,

Thank you so much for all the support we received during the moving of Doug's wood shop from Hossler Road to the new location at 115 Railroad Ave. in Manheim.

The task seemed overwhelming, but with the help of many hands, it was accomplished. We are especially grateful that there were no injuries, that the weather was beautiful, and that the ladies prepared a delicious, much-appreciated meal for the hungry helpers. To all who contributed, we are so grateful.

Thank you for your continued prayers for Doug's cancer treatment. He is scheduled for his first of two surgeries on August 17. Pray with us for a good outcome!

Sincerely, Doug and Eileen Fahnestock

A Special THANK YOU to...Scott & Ann Moyer and Pastor Jimm & Beth for taking the Back Packs to Annual Conference and to all those who signed up and provided items for the Back Packs. They were greatly appreciated and will make young boys and girls in need very happy.

2016 Summer Kids Events

Sunday August 7th—POOL PARTY! (family event)

Bring your suits for a swimmin' good time at Todd & Mandi's. 419 Ridgeview Avenue, Elizabethtown. (See cover for details.)

September 16th—18th—FAMILY CAMPING WEEKEND!

Bring your tent, RV or rent a cabin! Please let Mandi know of your interest ASAP! Camp Swatara is located just north of Lebanon in Bethel, PA. www.campswatara.org

Questions? Mandi Stoltzfus, Family Ministries Coordinator 203-1794 or mandi.stoltzfus@gmail.com

www.eastfairview.com

| HAPPY BIRTHDAY | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|------|---------------|------|-------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| Sarah Zellers | 8/02 | Gail Hoffer | 8/12 | Dale Stauffer | 8/20 | | | | |
| Owen Earhart | 8/03 | Anita Keppley | 8/12 | Rebecca Schatz | 8/21 | | | | |
| Carol Keller | 8/03 | Keith Pickel | 8/12 | Jody Gibble | 8/24 | | | | |
| Donna Snavely | 8/04 | Donna Mumma | 8/14 | David Greene, Jr. | 8/24 | | | | |
| Wilbur Lehman | 8/05 | Ryan Balmer | 8/15 | Jess Kauffman | 8/25 | | | | |
| Ann Moyer | 8/06 | Jed Mearig | 8/15 | Emma Weaver | 8/26 | | | | |
| Steve Petrosky | 8/06 | B.J. Kauffman | 8/17 | Ron Young | 8/26 | | | | |
| Kit Dagen | 8/08 | Brisa Saks | 8/18 | Heather Chernich | 8/27 | | | | |
| Connor Rohrer | 8/08 | John Thomas | 8/18 | Luther Henry | 8/27 | | | | |
| Beth Roland | 8/08 | Marilyn Edris | 8/19 | Ashley Shenk | 8/27 | | | | |
| Doris Zellers | 8/08 | Kyle Groff | 8/19 | Lucy Martin | 8/28 | | | | |
| Dawn Hauser | 8/09 | Kayla Schatz | 8/19 | Dale Schwear | 8/29 | | | | |
| Kelly Rohrer | 8/09 | | | Alex Shenk | 8/29 | | | | |

Photography Outing Feedback Wanted

We will try to schedule another photography outing this fall. If it rains again, that is God's way of saying forget about it! Greg Berkey would like 3 pieces of information from anyone interested in going: 2 dates in the fall that suit you, whether a Saturday or Sunday would be best for you, and where you would like to go? Please be specific with the location if possible (i.e. fall foliage, beach scenes, hiking trails, sunsets, historic sites, etc.). Let him know what you're interested in (dates and location) and he'll try to pick a time that works for most people. Contact Greg at 201-5756 or gyberkey@comcast.net.

Brethren Service Opportunities

The Church of the Brethren Disaster Relief Mission (BDM) has many opportunities to serve throughout 2016. BDM is known and respected nationally as a disaster relief organization and specifically for first responders of child care for those impacted by disaster and "long term/second" responders for disaster recovery. BDM is currently assisting in S. Carolina and Colorado. The COB Atlantic Northeast District will pay for the majority of travel expenses - so there's no reason not to go! If interested in helping or want more information, contact Scott Moyer at 203-0458 or scott.a.moyer@pwc.com.

News From the Library

Recent donations:

Help, Lord! I'm Having A Senior Moment (Notes to God on growing older)

No Wrinkles On The Soul (a book of readings for older adults)

Maximum Security (The true story of Steven Linscott)

Precious Gen in the Tabernacle (seeing Jesus in the OT tabernacle)

The Coming Prince (a study in Daniel)

God Speaks To Women Today (Women remain Women, and God remains God. What He had to say to women in Bible times, He is still saying today)

In Light of Eternity (perspectives on Heaven)

In His Own Words (meditations on the words of Jesus)

A Parting Gift (a pediatrician's profound and moving story)

Heaven and Hell (are they real?)

The Tentmaker (A mystery)

Joshua (who is this man who shows up at the edge of town?)

A Dark History: Catholic Church (schisms, wars, inquisitions, witch hunts, scandals, corruption)

~ Questions and comments can be made to Gary at 368-3402.

AUGUST 2016

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|---|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|---|-----|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 Worship Team 10am | 4 Discipleship Team 6pm | 5 | 6 |
| 7 9:00 Worship (Rob Dagen Licensing) 10:20 Sun. School Bowery Mission Trip Family Ministries Pool Party 4pm | 8 | 9 Stewardship Team 7pm | 10 | Leadership Conference 9:30-5:30pm Leaders Team 7pm | Leadership Conference 9:30-5:30pm | 13 |
| 9:00 Worship 10:20 Sunday School | September Newsletter Info. Due! | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 9:00 Worship 10:20 Sunday School (Youth Report) | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Senior Adult Lunch (11:30) | 26 | 27 |
| 9:00 Worship 10:20 Sunday School (Annual Conference Report) | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | |

5th - Labor Day!

September

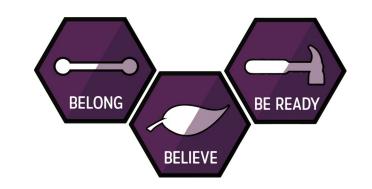
Preview

11th - COBYS Bike & Hike at Lititz CoB

 $16^{th}-18^{th}$ - Family Weekend at Camp Swatara

23rd-24th - Disaster Relief Auction at Lebanon Fairgrounds (Including the ice cream & milkshake stand)

YOUTH NEWS



SUMMER



In August we will be doing a mixture of fun and challenging activities as we look to close out the summer in style. Look for details coming soon.

SUNDAY



On Sundays we will be discussing life issues in fun and interesting ways. This time will be designed to build relationships and provide answers and advice that can be used throughout the week.

THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to everyone for your prayers and support of the youth, helping their mission trip to Brooklyn be a success. We plan to give a report of our trip during Sunday School on August 21st in the café.





A MINISTRY FOR 6-8th Grade



CAMP SWATARA NEWS

Contact Information: www.campswatara.org, info@campswatara.org or 717-933-8510

Family Camp Sites Available - It's time to book your site for 2016. Email, mail, or call the camp to reserve your site.

Trail Trek Fundraiser for Building Bridges Capital Campaign Saturday, August 13th

Help support the capital campaign by collecting sponsors and then hiking the trails at camp. Fun will be had and prizes will be won so you won't want to miss out. Contact the camp office ASAP for details on how to participate.

Camp Swatara Travels to Acadia National Park September 9th - 18th, 2016

Ray and Judy Powell will co-lead this trip to Maine again, having more than 30 years of experience exploring the park. The estimated cost is \$975 per person, which includes housing, transportation, tickets, and all meals while in Maine. Space is limited to 18 people so contact the camp or for more information, contact Ray and Judy at jmprkp@comcast.net or 669-7403.

Brethren Village Presents the 2017 President's Tour of Germany

John Snader, BV President & CEO, is hosting a 10-day trip to Germany in **May 2017**, featuring the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation. The trip will feature 500 years of Evangelical Reformation, Worms, the birthplace of Reformation Bible Translations, Mainz, Gutenburg Museum Tour, Heidelburg, Oberammergau, Passion Playhouse Tour, and much more. Please contact Holly at 581-4251 for more information.

Messenger Magazine

*Copies of the Messenger Magazine (the official publication of the Church of the Brethren) are available in the church library and on the revolving rack in the lobby. Check it out!

Articles in the July/August 2016 issue include:

- *Hope and imagination...by Cheryl Brumbaugh-Cayford & Tyler Roebuck
- *Resurrection in Clay County...by Tim Harvey
- *Herz and herz (Heart with heart)...by Karen Garrett
- *Part of one humanity...by Tyler Roebuck
- *Not yet the end of the story (Bible Study)...by Bob Bowman
- *Campfire freedom...Sandy Bosserman
- *Other Articles include: Proclaiming freedom, You are enough, Prayer for tough times, Confessions of a failed church planter, Five ways congregations help the immigrant community, National Young Adult Conference seeks to create harmony, Mission and Ministry Board names general secretary-elect, The culture of 'the Big Me', and Our tiny, enormous congregation.

District News

For more information go to www.ane-cob.org or www.facebook.com/AtlanticNortheastDistrict

Atlantic Northeast District of the Church of the Brethren has decided that the 3-year emphasis of our district will be:

ALL IN:

Going. Glowing. Growing Godly.

Matthew 28:18-20 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

District Women's Camp

August 21st-23rd at Camp Swatara Speaker: Rosie Weary

Contact Barb Earhart for more details and registration materials.

<u>Philadelphia Brethren Heritage Tour</u> Saturday, October 1st

Jeff Bach will guide a chartered bus tour to see some of Germantown's historical sites and festivities. The bus will leave from the Ephrata COB at 8:00am and the cost is \$60/person. For more info and to register, go to www.ane-cob.org and click on the "Registration" tab or call the office at 367-4730.

District Senior Adult Trips:

August 1st-5th - 5 days and 4 nights: <u>Indiana Quilt Gardens and Ohio Amish</u>. View planted quilt gardens, spend a night at Ohio's Carlisle Inn in Sugar Creek, visit the Warther Knife and Sailing Ship museum and much more. The all-inclusive cost is \$763/person (double-occupancy).

September 15th - Newseum one-day trip to Washington, D.C. Cost is \$75/person.

October 17th-20th - Noah's Ark and Creation Museum - walk through the 70,000 sq. ft. Creation Museum, enjoy a 2-hour gospel music cruise and a tour on Noah's Ark. A stop at the Flight 93 site is planned on the way home. Cost is \$634/person.

November 14th-18th - <u>Branson Christmas Shows</u> - 5 days and 4 nights, staying in same hotel and experiencing 12 musical and comedy shows. Cost per person (double-occupancy) is \$1,525.

Contact Earl Ziegler at 560-6488 or evzieg@gmail.com for more information.

Our Vision:

We invite you to the Gospel of Jesus Christ... Believe It! Live It! Share It!

Our Mission:

In obedience to Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we embrace all people, equip believers, pursue the lost, and serve the needs of people. This we do to the Glory of God!

SUNDAY MORNING

9:00 Worship 10:20 Sunday School

Office Hours

Mon, Wed - Fri 9:00 am -2:00 pm

Love Feast

October 16, 2016 April 13, 2017

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