

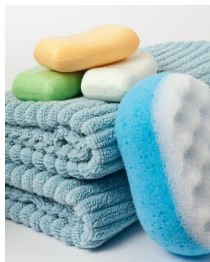


'Till We Meet Again!

September 7 and 8, 2019

2019 INGATHERING DONATIONS:

This year, the UPG will provide 175 washcloths and 175 bars of soap to the annual Ingathering. Please bring your items to either campus. There will be a basket outside the St. Peter's office and in the LoC narthex. Thank you for your donations to help others in need!



THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS



THRIVENT® Did you know?

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Thrivent provides grants called Thrivent Action Teams that help congregations do ministry. A Thrivent member can apply for up to two Thrivent Action teams per year. When an Action Team application is approved, the Thrivent member receives \$250 toward a ministry project. If you are a Thrivent member, please contact Linda Maule at maule@ptd.net or 610-691-2321 to learn how to apply (it's easy!) Please call today – this money is Thrivent's gift to the church to make more ministry happen!

GIFT CARD PROGRAM



Grocery store gift cards available for Giant and Shop Rite in denominations of \$25 and \$50. Purchase a card to do your regular grocery shopping, and the store gives the UPG 5% of the purchase price. Say you'll buy \$50 of groceries this week – you buy the card for \$50 and the UPG Youth Account gets \$2.50. Cards available every Sunday on both campuses. Do your grocery shopping with a gift card and help the UPG youth at the same time!

NEW NAME FOR NORTHEAST MINISTRIES



NORTHEAST
COMMUNITY CENTER

Northeast Ministries has notified the cam-

pus of the UPG that they have exciting news of their name change and new logo. This neighborhood organization will now be known as Northeast Community Center to better reflect their commitment to be more inclusive. Their mission to assist the residents of the Marvine-Pembroke community and nearby neighborhoods of northeast Bethlehem will remain the same. The Northeast Community Center is grateful for the ongoing support from members of the UPG.

NEW!

FAREWELL AND GODSPEED



On September 15 during worship at Light of Christ, our community

of faith will bid Farewell and Godspeed to Grace and LeRoy MacMurtrie. The MacMurtries were members of the former St. Matthew's congregation for four generations. LeRoy has been a member all his life – 87 years at St. Matthew's and 2 at Light of Christ. Grace has been a member for 66 years since her marriage to LeRoy in 1953. Please come to the coffee fellowship after the service and wish the MacMurtries farewell and Godspeed.

**GOD'S WORK OUR
HANDS DAY
IS TODAY!
SEPTEMBER 8**



PANTRY SUNDAY IS OCTOBER 13
(2nd Sunday of each month)

Our **October food pantry donations** will **support Northeast Community Center**. These **items are needed:** pancake mix, syrup, oatmeal, 100% juice (any variety but apple), cake mixes and frosting, manual dish liquid & diapers (any size). **Thank you** for your generous donations!



**FOOD DRIVE TO
RESTOCK EMERGENCY PANTRY**

Donations of nonperishable food items are needed to restock a small emergency food pantry created last year through a Thrivent Action Team, and restocked once again in part, by a Thrivent Action Team and all of our members. It is housed at St. Peter and is available for members and non-members who find themselves with “too much money at the end of the month.” Donations will be received throughout the month of September and may be put in marked containers at St. Peter’s.

“For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink...(Jesus said), ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’”
Matt. 25:35 & 40

Food items especially needed are: canned meats; peanut butter, chunky soups, rice, pasta, ramen noodles, breakfast cereal, canned vegetables, spaghetti sauce, canned or dried beans, canned fruits, fruit juice, (100 % juice) and canned milk.



RALLY DAY!

“Who Is My Neighbor?” Sunday School will begin on both campuses on September 15, 2019.



On St. Peter’s Campus it will be held following the 8:45 AM worship, approximately 10:00-10:30 AM in the UCF room on level 1 across from the church office. On the Light of Christ Campus it will begin at 9:15 AM in the narthex for registration and an opening in the sanctuary. We will then go to the fellowship hall for food and fun!! It will conclude at 10:30 AM. We are very much looking forward to a great year ahead!

DON’T THROW THEM OUT!



Don’t know what to do with those magnets listing the UPG summer worship schedule? Bring them back to church. BK has a project to turn them into refrigerator note pads for visitors to our worship. Thank you.

WE LOVE

Volunteers are needed for an event on St. Peter’s campus designed to build safer and more welcoming congregations for LGBTQ+ youth and families on October 5, 2019 from 9 AM—3 PM. Please see Kenda if you are interested in volunteering. It will be a day to learn more about how to make your congregation safer and more welcoming for people who the church often excludes. Workshops by Reconciling Works, Bradbury Sullivan and more. The keynote speaker is Jamie Bruesehoff from the ELCA Youth Gathering! Mail registration to: NEPA Synod ATTN: Debbie Frey, 2354 Grove Rd., Allentown, PA 18109. Cost \$15 per person including lunch. Scholarships are available.



THIS WEEK IN THE UPG

September 8-15, 2019

Sunday September 8

God's Work Our Hands Sunday

9:30 AM	Joint UPG Worship (St. P)
	Installation of Sunday School teachers
7:00 PM	NA (LoC)

Monday September 9

Noon	UPG Ladies Luncheon (Perkins South Side Bethlehem)
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Tuesday September 10

8:00 AM	Staff meeting (LoC)
10:00 AM	Thrift shop volunteers
6:00 PM	Brewing Theology
7:00 PM	NA (LoC)

Wednesday September 11

6:30 AM	Fellowship Study (St.P)
9:00 AM	Christian serv. (LoC)
6:30 PM	Holden Evening Prayer St.P
7:30 PM	Choir Rehearsals Resume

Thursday September 12

9:00 AM	Bible Study (LoC)
5-9:00 PM	Champ Force Cheer (St. P. gym)
6:30 PM	Bible Study (LoC)
7:00 PM	AA (LoC)
7:30 PM	PGHI Worship (St. P)

Friday September 13

6:00 PM	LVCCC Worship (St. P)
8:30-10:30 PM	PGHI (St. P)

Saturday September 14

5:00 PM	Worship (LoC)
7:30-10 PM	PGHI (St. P)

Sunday September 15

UPG Fall Worship Schedule Begins

8:45 AM	Worship (St. P.)
9:30 AM	Sunday School
11:00 AM	Worship (LoC)
4:30 PM	UPG Youth Group (LoC)
7:00 PM	NA (LoC)

SEPTEMBER 2019 WORSHIP MINISTERS

Date	September 7, 8 Joint worship St. Peter's 9:30	Sept. 14, 15 St. P 8:45 LOC 11AM	Sept. 21, 22 St. P 8:45 LOC 11AM	Sept. 28, 29 St. P 8:45 LOC 11AM
Assisting Minister	5PM Rosalie Adducie 9:30 Pastor Suzanne Trump	5PM Rosalie Adducie 8:45 Joe Bleier 11 Rosalie Adducie	5PM Rosalie Adducie 8:45 Tony Villani 11 Sandra Butch	5PM Rosalie Adducie 8:45 Susan DeAngelis 11
Communion Assistant	9:30 Louise Fielding, Shirley Kulp, Michel Lloyd, Mike Horwath, Donna Musselman	8:45 Lynn Rawhouser 11 Hannah Nolan, Pat Ousley, Rich Hasonich, Jon Terry, Lynn Terry	8:45 Joe Bleier 11 Catherine Ziel, Cliff Bengston, Kasey, Chris, Hannah Bosco	8:45 11 Rich Hawk, Mike Horwath, Karen Favinger, Louise Fielding, Stacy Gerhard
Lector	5P Barbara Keener 9:30 Marilyn Musgnung	5P Kathy Gerhard 8:45Stephanie McGregor 11 Cliff Ousley	5P Delynn Gerhard 8:45 Donna Musselman 11 Pat Ousley	5P Lou Dravec 8:45 Lynn Rawhouser 11 Lynn Terry
Acolyte/ Crucifer	9:30 Jimmy Bleier	8:45 Shirley Kulp 11 Hannah Bosco	8:45 Michel Lloyd 11 Joan Erb	8:45 Douglas Bleier 11 Melissa Harvey
Baker	9:30 Susan DeAngelis	8:45 Elizabeth Elterich 11 Julie Bosco	8:45 Cindy Kemp 11 Hannah Bosco	8:45 Shirley Kulp 11 Louise Fielding
Ushers	9:30 Tony DeAngelis Jr., Gerry Cutsler, Dolores Kennedy, Joan Helman	8:45 Bruce Billard, Rich Hawk, Evan Hawk, Donna Musselman 11 Lois Zigmund, Donna Mackaravitz, Jean Finn, Helga Rimonneau	8:45 Tony Villani, Mary Bender, Tracy Heberling, Josh Gullotta 11 Mike Horwath, George Baltz, Rich Hawk, Cliff Bengston	8:45 Tom/Na Sarver, James Ritchie, Cindy Kemp 11 Joan Erb, Sandra Butch, Rosalie Aducci, Bette Kovach
Greeters	9:30 Jack/Pat Reichel, Lois Ritchie	8:45 Tom/Na Sarver, Sue Swavely 11 Helga Rimmonneau	8:45 Ed & Pat Little, Gerry Cutsler 11 Jon Terry	8:45 Tracy Hberling, Joan Helman 11 Lois Zigmund
Altar Guild (LoC)	Sue Schellenberg, Catherine Ziel	Sue Schellenberg, Catherine Ziel	Sue Schellenberg, Catherine Ziel	Sue Schellenberg, Catherine Ziel
Flower Delivery (LoC)	Marilyn Musgnung, Cliff Ousley	Pat Ousley Bosco Family	Karen Favinger Buzz Heidecker	Lorraine Kalamar Bette Kovach
Sexton	Ron Frankenfield	Kim Frankenfield	Kenny Young	Kenny Young