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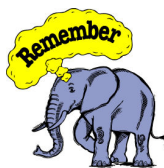
ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH
Sunday, March 18th – Saturday March 24th, 2018

Hospitalized: *If you or someone you know is hospitalized or ill, please call the church office at 610-944-0406. If you do not want the name listed in the bulletin, please notify the church office as well. Thank you for your help.*

On-going Prayer Needs: Ross McKently, Fern Shankweiler, Steven Sutherland, Elizabeth Ressler, Jane Folk, Bruce Schutt, Roger Simon, Dennis Raudenbush, Mike Berg, June Wanner, Eric Speece, George Mayer, Dee Eastland, Lynn Dodson, Jenna Sassaman, Amanda Luckenbill and Devin.



Jeanne Landis... Please sign the “Thinking of You” card in the Narthex. It will be mailed tomorrow.



March 21st,	Lenten Service	6:45 pm
March 23rd,	Sleep-A-Thon	6 pm
March 24th,	Spring Cleanup Day	8-12

NO COOK SUNDAY

On May 6th, Chicken dinners will be for sale after both services. They are being sold to raise money for the trip to Ghana this summer.

Bras Rehearsal:

Brass Rehearsal for Easter will be Sunday March 25th at 11:30 A.M. and Wednesday March 28th at 8:00 p.m. Any Questions call Jay A. Smith at 610-944-

News from the music corner: If you are interested in joining the early service choir in which we sing at the 1st service, on the 2nd Sunday of the month. Please come join us at 8:30 that morning for a run through if interested.

Lots of open times for guest soloists during worship services. Please consider sharing your musical gift-we love to hear you sing or play an instrument! Sign up down by the choir room.

Are you interested in becoming a member at St. Paul's?

We would love to have you as part of our church family! Contact Pastor Pat if you would like to talk more about being part of this community of faith.

PLEASE BE REMINDED:

The new office hours are as follows; Monday, 8AM- 1PM; Tuesday, 8AM-12PM; Wednesday, 8AM-11AM; Thursday, 8AM-1PM; Friday, 8AM-11AM. If you are part of a committee that has deliveries to the church, please make sure that the vendor is notified of these new hours.

BIBLE STUDY has resumed. We will meet this week only(March 13th) on Tuesday morning at 9:00 AM in the Lounge (The room off the narthex). We are revisiting sections of John's Gospel. On February 14th we will begin a study entitled *Creed: What Christians Believe and Why* which is an in-depth look at the Apostle's Creed. All are welcome to attend!!



Yes the queen bees are sailing. We would like you to go along with us on a cruise to Canada and New England. It is 8 Days and 7 Nights from June 1st to the 8th and we will be traveling to Cape Liberty New Jersey, cruising to Portland Maine, Bar Harbor Maine, St John, New Brunswick and Halifax Nova Scotia. We hope you will all consider joining us for a wonderful cruise and beautiful scenery! Please call Jane Folk for pricing at 610 926 2673 and Linda Bullock at 610 914 9933



The Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held Saturday, March 31, 2018

at 11:00 a.m. on the church lawn. RAIN or SHINE! There are 6 age groups, from 0-1, thru Grade 5. We are collecting money for the quarter eggs and to help defray the costs. See Stacy Laucks or put an envelope marked for Easter Egg Hunt and in the offering basket. If you would like to donate money for the Egg hunt, supplies or quarter eggs, please put in an envelope marked Egg Hunt into the offering by March 18th. All donations are greatly appreciated! Thank you for your help and support.

Lenten Supper:

Everyone is invited to join us at 5:45 for soup. Bring your own sandwich, if wanted, and a dessert to share.

Wednesday 3/21 will be Beef Vegetable soup.

Safe Berks Shelter: Women’s Guild is once again collecting **toiletries, tote bags** and **gift bags** for our annual Mother’s Day Tote Bag project. We would appreciate donations of unopened **SAMPLE** and **FULL** size body care products (shampoo, conditioner, body lotion, body wash, soap, shower pouf, purse size tissue, small toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, small combs & brush, nail files or other toiletries a woman can use). A box will be provided across from the church office and in the narthex. Please contact Beth Gauker for more information, (610) 823-0011

Attend a Women’s Guild meeting for more information on Thursday, April 12th, 2018. Last year we assembled 28 large Mother Day Gift Totes and 70 small sample size gift bags to donate to the Safe Berks Women’s Shelter.

Kitchen Committee’s Homemade Pot Pie Take Out & Bake Sale

FRIDAY, April 6 take out from 1:00p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, April 7 take out from 12:00-4:00p.m.

Although this is TAKE OUT ONLY, we will still need the same amount of help to prepare the food as we did for a sit down dinner, we just don’t need help on Saturday evening to serve.. All help is greatly appreciated. The schedule for the week is as follows:

TUESDAY, April 3, 8:30 a.m.-Clean and process vegetables in the church kitchen

WEDNESDAY, April 4, 7:00 a.m. Cook chickens followed by cutting up chicken and Filling container/chicken and vegetables

THURSDAY, April 5, 8:00 a.m. — Make dough and prep potatoes

FRIDAY, April 6, 8:00 a.m.-Cook and process and make dough. ALL take out orders. Take out orders can be picked up after 1:00 – 7:00.Pot Pie prices are \$6 qt. and \$4 qt. for coleslaw. There will also be a Bake Sale sponsored by the Women Guild

SATURDAY, April 7, 8:00 a.m. — Cook all remaining pot pie & clean up
Take out orders can be picked up from 12:00 - 4:00. There will also be a bake sale

Please say YES when you are called to help in some way. Please mark your calendars Now!

THE KITCHEN KREW HAS DONATED \$5.000 TOWARD THE GENERAL FUND.

THERE WILL BE CHOW CHOW FOR SALE BOTH DAYS at a price of \$4.00 a pint.
A BAKE SALE will also take place sponsored by The Women’s Guild. PLEASE CONSIDER BAKING FOR THIS ALSO.

TAKE OUT ORDERS MUST BE PLACED BY March 30, Please phone Bev Thomas @ 610-944-0737

Thank you all for your faithful support.

Easter Flowers:

This is the time to order your Easter flowers to adorn the altar for Easter Sunday. There are two ways to contribute to the flowers for the Easter Sunday display .You can give a \$1 donation to contribute toward plants which will be given to the elderly and shut-ins or you can give \$7.00 per plant, which allows you to keep the plant you buy. In either case, your donation can be in Memory of, in Honor of a loved one, or simply for your own enjoyment. You will find envelopes in the pews to place this tear-off in. Mark as Easter Plants and place in the offering basket. Names will be taken until March 18th. A list containing sponsors will be available April 1st in the bulletin. Your choices are Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, and Daffodils.

Lilies _____ Tulips _____ Hyacinth _____

Daffodils _____ \$ 7.00 each = _____

In Honor of \$1.00 per name = \$ _____

In Memory of \$1.00 per name = \$ _____

Script Cards

Surprise a MOM in your life and support St. Paul’s Youth Ministry by purchasing gift cards from over 375 retailers such as 1-800-Flowers.com, Bath and Body Works, Home Goods, Marshalls, See’s Candies, Ulta, or her favorite restaurant.

Pastor John also has some cards on hand for Weis, Giant, Sheetz and Walmart.

The complete list of retailers can be found in the social room or at

www.shopwithscrips.com.

The DEADLINE FOR ORDERS IS APRIL 8th. The next order will be May 6th.

Contact Kim Levan 610-823-7677, klevan@comcast.net or John Folk to place an order.