



BIRTHDAYS

- June 1 - Stephanie Booser
- 2 - William Hunt
- 3 - Catherine Mingora
Elmer Yeakel
- 5 - Edward Werkheiser
- 6 - Kelly Silfies
- 7 - Michelle Konczyk
Alysha Nesfeder
- 8 - Sydney Bennett
Ricky Groner
- 9 - Virginia Boerstler
- 10 - Brian Scollo
- 11 - Kevin Crook
- 12 - Irene Frable
James Knecht
- 13 - Jaimie Fry
Avery Kauffman
- 14 - Clinton Trach
- 15 - Katie Trach
- 16 - Jenifer Long
- 17 - Katherine Wickmann
Kathy Yerger
- 18 - Bonnie Walter
- 19 - Blake Benner
- 20 - Linda Crook
Joshua Doule
Jared Morgenstern
- 21 - Kelly Luczkowiak
- 22 - Barbara Kahler
Catherine Silfies
- 23 - Lila Heimbach
Wayne Longley
- 24 - Carrie Cilbrith
Scot Mucha
Joan Swingle
- 25 - Hunter Werkheiser
- 26 - Bill Gold
Barbara Moffitt
Andrea Riccelli
Kathy Roth
- 27 - Shelby Palmer
Debra Scheier
- 28 - Rebecca Lemmon
- 30 - Joanne Dusinski
Barbara Utzat

Anniversary Wishes



- June 7 - Barbara & David Schwab
- 9 - Lori & Richard Bankowski II
- 14 - Jennifer & J. Frederick Bergstresser
- 17 - Catherine & Paul Silfies
- 24 - Nora & Dino Fantozzi
- 25 - Shirley & Albert Smith
- 26 - Karen & David Forte
Jennifer & Brandon Reith
- 27 - Joann & James Rohn

- 28 - Joan & Dominic Condomitti
Leona & Daniel Huston
- 30 - Patricia & Robert Morgenstern

JUNE ELEVATOR OPERATORS

- June 1 - Robert Reagle
- 8 - Ed Anthony
- 15 - Jay Curtis
- 22 - Scot Mucha
- 29 - Ralph Stocker

JUNE USHERS

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| Jen Werkheiser, Captain | Lori Eck |
| Barbara Dietterich | Christa Knecht |
| Cindy Tsurumaki | Shirley Bennicoff |
| Holly Bachman | Stephanie Booser |

ELDERS' SERVING COMMUNION ON JUNE 8th -

Assisting - Ben Sofka & Linda Thomas

JUNE NURSERY CARE

- June 2 - Outdoor Service
- 9 - Kathy & Dave Schulte
- 15 - Sherry Gehris
- 22 - Lois Calvo
- 29 -



COUNTING OFFERING FOR JUNE

- June 2 - Virginia Boerstler
- 9 - Becky Butz
- 16 - Cindy Hunt
- Tues.24 -Gwen Ritter
- 30 - Sue Mahorsky

JUNE LAY READERS

- June 8 - Rebecca Stocker
- 15 - Elaine Kleintop
- 22 - Darrell Crook
- 29 - Traci Stocker



JUNE MUSIC SCHEDULE

- June 8 - Communion - Brass Choir
- 29 - Anniversary Lovefeast - Brass Choir

*Be sure to mark your calendars for our **Outdoor Worship Services** at 9:30 am on the lawn of the Whitefield House - weather permitting -*

June 1st & again on July 13th with Schoeneck Moravian.

Bring your chairs and blankets too!

The September 7th service will be at Camp Hope!



When to Contact the Church Office...

- ✦ A member of your family is admitted to the hospital, so that visits can be made and the proper people notified.
- ✦ Your group plans to have a meeting, so that it can be cleared on the church calendar.
- ✦ Either your home or business phone number or email address has been changed.
- ✦ A new baby arrived in your family.
- ✦ You are planning to move.
- ✦ There has been a death in the family.
- ✦ A member of your family leaves home for college or service.
- ✦ You feel the church can help you in any way.

Feel free to call the office to discuss issues that are important to you.

Remember that.....
 the Summer Worship Schedule has begun
 with one worship service at 9:30 am.
 Sunday School will resume in September.



Graduation Ceremonies have begun for many colleges in May and for high schools in June. We congratulate the following graduates ...

Jacob Horan is graduating from Nazareth Area High School on June 10th. Jacob will be attending the Berklee College of Music in Boston, MA. His future plans are to become a music producer and engineer.

Tyler Kronstadt is graduating from Nazareth Area High School on June 10th. Tyler participated in Culinary Studies at the Career Institute of Technology. He will be attending Kutztown University this fall.

Anneliese Warnke is graduating from Nazareth Area High School on June 10th. Anneliese was a member of the National Honor Society and was on the Honor Roll. She participated in the Art Club and served as President. She was Chief Editor of the Nazareth High School Newsletter. She also volunteered at Quiet Valley Historical Farm and at Gracedale Nursing Home. Anneliese will be attending Temple University in Philadelphia, PA and working toward a degree in Journalism.

Susan Longley graduated from the University of Pittsburgh on April 27th with a BA in Communication Science and a 2nd Disorders American Sign Language Certificate. She participated in Chi Omega Sorority, Sorority Soccer, Student Alumni Association, and NSSLHA (National Student Speech Language Hearing Association). Susan plans to pursue a Masters Degree in Rehabilitation Counseling at the University of Pittsburgh. She will begin her Master's studies in August 2014 and continue to work for Main Line Rehabilitation Associates, Inc. where she began working in April 2014 as a neurocognitive specialist.

Erik Tsurumaki graduated from Philadelphia University on May 17, 2014 with a BA of Architecture. Erik was the founding Editor of the school's Journal of Architecture. He plans to live and work in New York City.

If we missed some names, please contact us, we will acknowledge them in July's "Chimes."



Worship in June

June 1st – Ascension Sunday – Out-door Service
 9:30 am Whitefield House Lawn

Our Call to Worship is Psalm 47 and the pastor's message is entitled "Christ's Distant Presence." Read Acts 1:6-14 before attending worship. The Whitefield House will be open for your convenience.



June 8th – Pentecost – Holy Communion – Confirmation Day

This morning seven of our young members will confess their faith in Jesus as the renewal of their baptismal vows made for them when they were babies. Join us for this special day. The pastors message is entitled "Reclaiming Pentecost." Read Acts 2:1-21

Pastor's Message

Pentecost Sunday, June 8th, is a special day in the life of our congregation as seven young people confirm their faith in Jesus Christ. It has been a wonderful privilege to work among these seven young people along with their mentors over the past year. Aimee Elizabeth Bealer, Amber Kahler, Sara Elizabeth Reagle, Haylee Virginia Saylor, Jocelyn Elaine Schienholz, Brian Nicholas Utzat, and Hunter Darrell-James Werkheiser have completed all the requirements and we welcome them as communicant members and voting members to our congregation.



The Confirmation Class members have been blessed as they worked with their mentors throughout the year. A special thank you to Ellen Saylor, Wendy Frey, Cindy Longley, Deb Alvino, Joan Swingle (who served a partial year), Robert Reagle, and Dave Schulte for serving as mentors with the Confirmation Class youth. It is because of their dedicated service to Nazareth Moravian that makes my task of hosting the confirmation class possible.

A special thank you also goes out to the parents of our confirmands for their time bringing their son or daughter to each of the Sunday evening classes, for their providing a dinner for us each time we met as a class and for their support of the Confirmation Program here at Nazareth Moravian.

Each year I am pleased and surprised at the faith each of our confirmands displays. We, as a congregation, can be proud of the Confirmation Class of 2013/2014 as they take their place among the many who have served and continue to serve here at Nazareth Moravian.



There will be a special Fellowship After Worship in the Church Parlor after the 9:30 am Service of Worship on Sunday June 8th. Please join us.

Provincial Synod

The Pastor and our elected delegates will be spending some time in Bethlehem, PA attending the Provincial Synod – June 19th through the 23rd. Please keep us in prayer as well as all the other people who will be attending the Provincial Synod. Our delegates are Dana Price and Joan Swingle and our alternate delegates are Kathleen Schulte and Rodney Ward.

A Stewardship Moment

*If you owned ALL THE MON EY and EVERYTHING ELSE in the world,
 THEN you could give to EVERYONE who asks
 ... that's exactly what God does! "Ask and you will receive..." Luke 11:9
 THEN ... since we've experienced the JOY OF RECEIVING
 We are free to GIVE JOYFULLY not only our possessions but also OURSELVES!*

before attending worship today. There will be a time of Fellowship After Worship when the congregation can welcome and visit with the confirmands.

June 15th – Trinity Sunday – Father's Day

This morning we will honor our fathers. Our children will be presenting a gift to all men this morning. Our Call to Worship will be Psalm 8.

June 22nd

This morning our Call to Worship will be Psalm 69, verses 7-18. Join us as we worship Our Lord and Savior.

June 29th – 267th Anniversary Lovefeast.

Join us as we celebrate the 267th anniversary of the incorporation of the Nazareth Moravian Church. Our Dieners will be present to serve as we enjoy a lovefeast together.

Bible Study will conclude in June. Our next Bible Study will begin in September. Watch for dates and details in an up-coming "Chimes."

Reaching In – Reaching Out

The **Joyful Noise Offering** collected during May and June will be given to the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. Pastor Gehris uses this fund to help both members of our congregation and of our community who are in need.



The Outreach Committee members sold hanging flower baskets on Saturday May 10th. The profit amount was \$465.00. \$90.00 was sent to Safe Harbor in Easton, PA.

May 31st we hosted the **Loaves 'n Fishes** lunch in our Fellowship Hall. We served ham and scalloped potatoes, a vegetable, fruit and desserts. Thank you to all who helped prepare the food, set up and clean up the Fellowship Hall and serve the guests as they arrived.



June 7th will be the Annual **Whitefield House Craft Fair**. The Outreach Committee is looking for volunteers to help bake sugar cakes on Friday June 6th. Our plan is to bake 120 sugar cakes to sell at the craft fair. We have a number of volunteers working at the booth at the craft fair and we look forward to selling every sugar cake we make. If you cannot help bake sugar cakes, or sell them at the craft fair, join us anyway. Walk around the Whitefield House grounds, enjoy all the crafters and don't forget to purchase a sugar cake before you leave.



June 16th the 3rd annual **Summer Lunch Program** will begin. Nazareth Moravian congregation will prepare and serve the bagged lunches during the week of June 16th. Every week for the next ten weeks, a local church, agency, or retirement community will serve by preparing and serving bagged lunches. This program continues to grow each year. Last year we prepared between 2,300 and 2,400 bagged lunches. The Nazareth Ministerium

anticipates another growth year which means we will be serving more and more lunches.



Envelope Giving

The Church is open all summer long. Don't forget to use your giving envelopes during the summer and if you are going on vacation, I encourage you to attend a church in the area where you are vacationing but don't forget us – use each week's envelope.

Music Committee News

A letter is being mailed to each household informing all members of the retirement of Jeanne Serfas as our Director of Music/Organist. The letter also brings the news of Dave Serfas stepping down as Brass Choir Director along with other positions in the congregation. A special Fellowship After Worship will be held in their honor on August 3rd in Fellowship Hall after the 9:30 am Service of Worship. All are invited to be present for this celebration.

The following ad has been forwarded to the District and the Moravian Music Foundation for publication ...

Position Available

The Nazareth Moravian congregation is seeking an Organist and/or Director of Music. Job description available upon request. Please contact the Nazareth Moravian Church, P O Box 315, Nazareth Pa 18064-0315 or email us at nazmoroffice@rcn.com The Tannenberg Organ has 3 manuals, 32 pedals, 50 ranks and 48 stops. Latest upgrades completed in 2012.

Future Events

July 4th Independence Day – The Church Office will be closed.

July 6th - John Hus Festival Day, Holy Communion will be offered.

July 7th – 11th Vacation Bible School – once again Nazareth Moravian and Schoeneck Moravian will sponsor VBS at Schoeneck Moravian.

July 13th - Combined Out-Door Service at the Whitefield House Lawn with Schoeneck Moravian hosting.

July 19th - Nazareth Days – the Moon Bounce and Dunk Tank will be available for your enjoyment.

July 20-26 - Pastor Gehris will be serving at Swim Camp, Camp Hope.

During the May 18th service, we received the following **new members** into our fellowship:

Jeremy Metzgar, Dale & Judith Audenreid, and Linda Faust.









Welcome to our church family!

Nazareth Day July 19th

This just in from Linda Crook...Once again we are going to bake and sell shoo-fly pies for Nazareth Days.

We will be baking and crumbing on July 16th from 5 PM to 9 PM and on July 17th starting at 8 AM through the afternoon. We will be selling Thursday, Friday, and maybe Saturday.

We need helping hands of all types for:

-  Mixing batter - If you can measure & pour this is the job for you
-  Making crumbs - Get your aggression out mashing butter, sugar & flour...don't wear black!
-  Watching the oven - Helps if you are tall & have long arms
-  Bagging pies - Need good wrist action with twisty ties
-  Runners - Need young legs
-  Selling - Ability to count to six and make change

Check out the July Chimes for the mixing, baking, and selling schedule!

Remembering Nazareth

In observance of Nazareth's 275th birthday in 2015 Nazareth residents are encouraged to write and submit stories of their memories of Nazareth. They will be printed in the 2015 Chamber of Commerce magazine. The articles should be typed and "print ready" and submitted by July 1st. to Alice Yeakel, 325 W. Center Street, Nazareth or the Nazareth Area Chamber of Commerce office, 201 N. Main Street, Nazareth. Word content can be from 500 to 750 words. Articles submitted after the July 1st date will be included in the Borough Newsletter during 2015

For further information call 610 759 2672.

A Thank You

The family of Robert Young would like to thank Pastor Jeff and Jeanne Serfas for their help with the Memorial Service for Bob as well as the ladies of the church for hosting the Moravian sugar cake and coffee fellowship after the service. Thank you also to church members, friends and family for their support, prayers and concern during this difficult time.

Trudy Young

THANK YOU

The Rummage Sale Committee would like to thank everyone who helped make our Spring Sale a tremendous success. Our net profit was \$4,886.04, a new high. A successful event like this requires a lot of cooperation and hard work. Thank you for your donations and many long hours of hard work spent sorting, pricing, baking and cleaning up. Start saving those unwanted treasures for our Fall Sale. We especially need children's toys and books.

Sunday School News

A big thumbs up families! You saved a total of \$484.73 throughout the Lenten season for the **Heifer International Project**. That is enough money to purchase a total of 24 flocks. Our purchase will include 12 flocks of chickens with each flock containing approximately 12 to 20 chicks. We will also purchase 12 flocks of ducks with each flock containing approximately 12 ducklings. Many families around the world will be helped with the wonderful efforts of our Sunday School children and their families. WELL DONE!



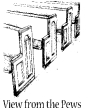
June 15th is **Father's Day** - At the 9:30 service, some of our Sunday School children will be helping to distribute candy to the fathers and men of the congregation.

Don't forget, **Vacation Bible School** is just around the corner. Schoeneck Moravian Church will be hosting VBS at their facility during the week of July 7 – 11 from 9am to 12 noon. There will be registration forms in the Church Office.

And finally you are getting a heads-up for the August 2nd event - **Martin On Main** - from 12 noon - 8 p.m. Help will be needed for the Sunday School booth.

MAY ATTENDANCE

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|-----|------|------|------|
| 5/4 | 5/11 | 5/18 | 5/25 |
| 90 | 172 | 104 | 65 |



TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF MAY 27th

| | <u>Income</u> | <u>Yr. To Date</u> |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Budget Requirement | \$24,347.32 | \$121,738.50 |
| Amt. Received | <u>19,653.45</u> | <u>114,883.00</u> |
| Balance | - 4,693.87 | - 6,855.50 |

The Bright Star Circle is still collecting

labels, which can be any labels, from Campbell's soups, including Chunky, Healthy Request, Campbell's Select Soups. No Progresso labels please. We are also collecting labels from Prego Sauces, V8, V8 Splash and Pepperidge Farm products. **Please bring in the whole label. We need the complete label with the UPC code.** These labels will be sent to Navajo Indian students who collect them and receive remuneration for the labels. This helps them with their schooling. Remember, any Campbell, Prego or Pepperidge Farm label will help. Deposit them in the box located on the shelf outside the church office. We would like to thank you all for supporting us in the collection of Campbell's labels. Keep up the good work!



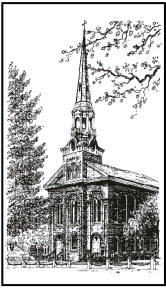
REMEMBER... On the first Sunday of every month, we collect canned food and cereal at the entrances to the church.

Food donations can be left on the floor at either the north or the south doors. The food will be gathered and taken to the food bank. Cash donations are welcome. Please mark the special offering envelopes with the words "Food Bank" and place in the offering plates so that the gift may be directed to the proper location. The collection dates for the remainder of the year 2014 will be June 8, July 6, Aug. 3, Sept. 14, Oct. 5, Nov. 2, Dec. 7.



Meals on Wheels is in need of volunteers to deliver meals in the Slate Belt and Cherryville. If you have a friend who is looking for a way to make a valuable contribution to the community, please suggest they become a Meals on Wheels Volunteer in the Slate Belt or in Cherryville. Call 610-691-1030 and ask for Janet for further details.





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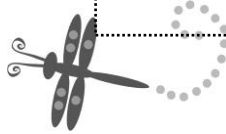
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“The Chimes” Nazareth Moravian Congregation June 2014

Our Mission: “To minister, as living witnesses, the saving grace of Jesus Christ”
The Nazareth Moravian congregation’s Watchword for 2014 -
“Christ says, “I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me.” John 10:14

Rev. Jeffrey D. Gehris, Pastor
Barbara Wieller, Administrative Assistant
Jeanne L. Serfas, Director of Music
Lois Calvo, Nursery Supervisor
Patty Morgenstern, Sunday School Coordinator



Our Summer Sunday Schedule -

9:30 am Worship