

# HOPE HOME NEWS

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***Worship Hours***

Sunday Worship at 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM

***June Church Office Hours***

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday: 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM

Tuesday 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - APRIL 30, 2016					
	Regular	Building	Memorial	Scholarship Loan	Memorial Garden
Balance Beginning of Year	\$ 76,202.48	\$ 121,303.56	\$ 102,806.33	\$ 94,111.44	\$ (8,086.92)
Income - April	33,299.70	2,341.57	1,661.12	985.17	-
Income - Jan.-Mar.	104,437.91	7,945.03	11,653.83	2,630.08	2,000.00
Total Income	137,737.61	10,286.60	13,314.95	3,615.25	2,000.00
Expenses - April	32,845.51	99.00	-	-	-
Expenses - Jan.-Mar.	97,733.29	23,974.95	1,010.00	5,750.00	-
Total Expenses	130,578.80	24,073.95	1,010.00	5,750.00	-
Net Income	7,158.81	(13,787.35)	12,304.95	(2,134.75)	2,000.00
Net Special Appeals	1,379.55				
Balance End of April	\$ 84,740.84	\$ 107,516.21	\$ 115,111.28	\$ 91,976.69	\$ (6,086.92)
<b>SUMMARY:</b>					
Income exceeded expenses in the Regular Fund for the month of April by \$454.19, and for the year 2016, income exceeded expenses by \$7,158.81, giving us a current balance in the Regular Fund of \$84,740.84. Last year the net income for the same period was \$(10,373.76) with a balance of \$55,140.27.					

*\*\* The current income statement is posted in the narthex.\*\**

<b>NEWSLETTER SCHEDULE</b>		
All committees, groups and persons submitting information for the church newsletter should follow the schedule listed below. Your articles may be edited so we do not exceed the Post Office guidelines. Please email your articles to Nina Weiss ( <a href="mailto:communications@hopecherryville.org">communications@hopecherryville.org</a> ) by <b>12:00 PM</b> on the deadline date. Thank you.		
<b><u>Edition</u></b>	<b><u>Article Deadline</u></b>	<b><u>Collation Date (10:00AM start)</u></b>
July	Friday June 17	Thursday June 23
August	Friday July 15	Thursday July 21
September	Friday August 18	Thursday August 20

*Please let the office know if you need to update your delivery method of the Hope Home News. The paper copy contains all the news that's fit to print on six pages. The digital version generally runs longer.*

#### **SYNOD NEWS**

The June 2016 issue of **Synod News** is available online.

Visit <http://nepasynod.org/documents/synod-news/synod-news-2016-06.pdf>



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## GREETINGS FROM THE PASTOR...

I don't think there is any one of us who haven't had to deal with the death of a loved one. For some of us that simply means that we have attended a funeral or memorial service. For others – we have been the one meeting with the Pastor and Funeral Director to actually plan a funeral or memorial service. Dealing with all the details can be overwhelming for family members – especially if the death was sudden or no pre-planning was done by our loved one.



The truth is no one likes to think about their death. But if we don't think about it now, someone else will have to think about it later. You and I can help those family members or friends who will be taking care of our funerals by making decisions about our preferences while we are still able. If we make our wishes known we can help others attend to them when we are gone, which will alleviate some of the stress that comes with the death of a loved one.

While it may sound odd, many people find it a very comforting conversation to have with their loved ones. To indicate why particular scripture passages are meaningful to you can open wide a door to your faith. To say why Holy Communion is important for you - or to share your favorite hymns, witnesses to what you believe and can be a great source of hope.

For this reason we have a **Personal Pre-Planning Funeral Form** available in the church office for you to complete for your loved ones. It includes the kinds of questions I would normally ask family members as we prepare for a funeral service. This form is also a gift to your family. In a time of grief, it is hard to remember the conversations of a lifetime. Survivors can be left feeling guilty that they don't know a loved one's favorite bible passages or hymns. These become "one more thing" that your family needs to worry about. Deciding, in advance, what you want included in your funeral service spares others that added burden.

I invite you to stop in the church office and request the **Personal Pre-Planning Funeral Form** for your personal use. (We can also email you a copy.) You might want to discuss it with those who will be responsible for your funeral planning – or you may want to fill it out on your own. When you have completed the form, drop a copy off for the Pastor to retain and give one to a family member who will be making your final arrangements.

There are other resources that you may also find helpful:

- ❖ *Five Wishes* ([www.agingwithdignity.org](http://www.agingwithdignity.org)) is a document that expresses your personal, emotional and spiritual needs as well as your medical wishes, as you consider serious illness or end of life issues. It covers many important – and overlooked – ways of being cared for in your last days – and does so in a very respectful and dignified way.
- ❖ Financial advisors can help with estate planning – helping you to financially support your loved ones and share with organizations and causes you have cared about during your life.
- ❖ Funeral homes often have booklets or guidelines that allow you to write down many pieces of information that your survivors will need for death certificates and other funeral preparations.

All of us, at some point in our lives, will be handling funeral arrangements for a loved one and no one wants to think about these things before they have to think about them. But pre-planning will be a gift to those you love and an asset as they try to fulfill your final wishes. And while the last day will come for each of us, we remain faithful with the words of Paul in his letter to the Romans: "If we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord. So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord." (Romans 14:8).

Blessings, Pastor Jami

PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS

## **PASTOR BRIAN'S PREPONDERANT BUSINESS**

I want to thank you all so much for celebrating my birthday with me May 1<sup>st</sup>! It was so cool to have "Happy Birthday" sung at each service and have cake after! It was also very cool to have our "Church Has Left the Building" event that same day. I had the chance to go to Forgotten Felines and play with cats. It was so much fun and we're told that playing with the cats gets them used to humans and enables them to be friendlier and thus adoptable. There was a good turnout at other events as well, and both Pastor Jami and I were proud of what this congregation was able to do that day. As I said in my sermon the following week, doing good work like this is what the church does by nature. We're not trying to earn our way into heaven or earn some extra brownie points. We know that's not how God's grace works. But we, already assured of our eternal salvation and in response to God's tremendous love poured out to us, we go out and help the world because we're taking part in God's mission for the world. As the church, the Body of Christ, we get to be active participants in the ministry of reconciliation (2 Corinthians 5), being ambassadors for Christ and becoming the righteousness of God. By helping those in need we are doing just that. A genuine desire to serve God and the world comes spontaneously when we live a life rooted in Christ our vine.



On May 15, I was honored to celebrate with my first Confirmation class at Hope. So many people helped these 22 youth learn and grow in the Christian faith and I am so thankful to have been a part of their journey. I'm grateful to them, their teachers, and their families for the work they've done; and it was truly an honor to celebrate with them on Sunday. I look forward to continuing to watch these young people grow in relationship with God and am looking forward to getting to know other classes in the years to come.

I'm excited for what the summer has in store at Hope. I've finished my classes at Loyola for the year and am ready for a summer break from school. I'm excited for softball, HopeFest, VBS, and all that we will do at Hope this summer. Many blessings to you this month!

Peace, Pastor Brian

## **COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS – MAY 2016**

- ⚓ Council approved the installation of an audio/visual package for the sanctuary which will give the congregation the ability to video record services, project clips and visuals during sermons, scroll announcements prior to worship and many other uses. Initial funding from memorial fund in memory of Betty Mraz totaling \$9310.00 as of the beginning of May. Pastor Jerry Mraz will do a temple talk inviting congregation members to support this project.
- ⚓ Youth Group members are selling hoagies to fund their trip to Wildwood, NJ in June.
- ⚓ The Evangelism Committee is hosting a church picnic at Indian Trail Park on July 17<sup>th</sup>. Congregation members are to bring side dishes to share and the committee will provide hamburgers and hot dogs. Lots of fun is in store for all who attend!
- ⚓ HopeFest is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, June 17-18<sup>th</sup>. The committee is looking for volunteers to help over the two days. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex.
- ⚓ The annual trip to Knoebels Park is set for Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup>. Interested members may sign-up on the large bulletin board near the church office.
- ⚓ Every month the congregation council receives thank you notes for a variety of reasons. These thank you notes are always posted on the bulletin board outside the church office. Received this month were thank you notes from:
  - Bath Food Bank for birthday cakes donated from the "Hope Has Left the Building" event
  - Curtis and Catherine Renner for their "card shower"

- Rev. Mary Gade, Associate to the Bishop of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod, for the painting of the hall at the synod office done by Hope's Helping Hands group
- Gracedale in appreciation for the volunteers from Hope who serve there



**WORSHIP SCHEDULE – JUNE 2016**

<p><b><u>Sunday, June 5, 2016</u></b>  <b>RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES – BOTH SERVICES</b>        8:00 AM Holy Communion        9:30 AM Service of the Word</p>
<p><b><u>Sunday, June 12, 2016</u></b>        8:00 AM Service of the Word        10:30 Church Musical – <i>Once Upon a Parable</i> -        Roxy Theatre, Northampton</p>
<p><b><u>Sunday, June 19, 2016</u></b>  <b>FATHER'S DAY</b>        8:00 AM Holy Communion        9:30 AM Service of the Word</p>
<p><b><u>Sunday, June 26, 2016</u></b>        8:00 AM Service of the Word        9:30 AM Holy Communion</p>



*Next dance in September 2016*

**WELCA**

June 21, picnic at Judy Dieter's house at noon.

**STORY WEAVERS - DISCUSSION GROUP**

StoryWeavers will meet on Tuesday, June 7 at 10:00 AM. For more information, please contact LeAnn Chandler at 610-440-0341 or [lachandler7759@hotmail.com](mailto:lachandler7759@hotmail.com).

**OUTREACH MINISTRY TEAM AT HOPE**

- Wednesday, June 29 at 3:15 PM > Rescue Mission  
 For more information, contact LeAnn Chandler at 610-440-0341.

**SOUP GROUP**

The Soup Group will meet and deliver soup on Wednesday, June 1 at 9:00 AM. For more information, contact LeAnn Chandler 610-440-0341.

## ENTERING ON PRAYER WITH PASTOR BRIAN



Center Prayer continues on the first and third Mondays at 6:00 PM in Hanson Hall and the first and third Wednesdays at 2:00 PM in the Adult Sunday School Room (behind Kuntz Hall). All are welcome to join at any time. Questions, please speak to Pastor Brian.

**Lots of sponsorships remain for 2016 - Please check the charts in the narthex! Thank you ☺**

### FLOWER SPONSOR CHART

Two sponsors of \$15.00 each are needed each week.

### BULLETIN SPONSOR CHART

Three sponsors are needed per week at \$8.50 per sponsor.

### PRESS SPONSOR CHART

One sponsor is needed each week for \$6.00 per sponsor.



## PASTORAL ACTS

### **BAPTISM**

***Caroline Sage O'Brien***, daughter of Lauren and Tim O'Brien, was baptized on May 8, 2016. Pastor Jami officiated. Caroline was born in May 2014.

***Please welcome Caroline as the newest member of our church family.***

### **WEDDING**

***Amanda Bryan and Jeremy Smith***, were married at Hope Church on May 14, 2016. Pastor Jami officiated.

***Congratulations to Amanda and Jeremy. Please pray that they will always remember the vows made before God on their very special day.***

## EVANGELISM NEWS

Mark your calendars! Annual church family picnic will be held at Indian Trail Park on Sunday July 17. Plan on bringing a covered dish to share. There will be lots of good food and fun for all ages.



Aug 6, 2016 will be a gathering at Knoebels Amusement Park (see below).

Check the bulletin board for sign-up sheets for both of these events and more information to follow in future bulletins and newsletters.

**Bible Study:** The Thursday evening Bible study will soon be competing the study called "Heaven" and will not meet during the summer; however, by request of the current group, we will begin a study on the book of Revelation in the fall. Everyone is invited to join us for this next study. We meet on Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM.



**Saturday August 6**  
**10:00 AM – 10:00 PM**

It's time to look ahead to summer! Mark your calendars NOW for Saturday August 6, 2016. We have a pavilion reserved for you at Knoebels Amusement Park and Picnic Grove in Elysburg, PA from 10:00 AM until 10:00 PM. Knoebels has free parking, free admission and free entertainment all day long. The park is handicapped accessible. They also have stroller, wheelchair, scooter, and wagon rentals. There are numerous exhibits, a coal mine museum and much more. Knoebels has something for everyone of all ages. There are over 50 rides, from kiddie rides up to 2 world-class wooden roller coasters!

**Sign up on the Bulletin Board!**

### WOMEN OF FAITH

*Our mission is to enhance lives of women through service, fellowship and education.*

Mark your calendars for the following summer "fun" filled events.



**Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup>** Nazareth Ford has graciously invited us to use their suite for an Iron Pigs baseball game. We partnered with them last October to help with the Iron Pigs Suites and Treats (a safe trick-or-treating opportunity for underprivileged Lehigh Valley children who might not otherwise have the ability to trick-or-treat). A sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board in the narthex. Space is limited; so please sign up as soon as possible. *Thank you Deb Leibenguth and Nazareth Ford.*

**Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>** we will be visiting Kim Belletti's daylily gardens located at 928 South Dogwood Road, Walnutport. Everyone is invited to join us as Kim takes us on a tour of her beautiful gardens. Light refreshments will be served after the tour. Please note that Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> is the rain date for this event.

**Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>** (please note the date, NOT the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month) – we will be doing a paint on canvas and summer picnic at Leslie Daniel's house which is located at 662 Stagecoach Drive, Cherryville. Surprise yourself with a beautiful picture you paint yourself in about two hours! There will be a fee to do a painting, which will include all of the supplies you will need. More information to follow on this event.

Come to ALL or ANY of the events that interest you. We welcome any ideas you may have for either a service or educational project or an idea for a "fun" night for women! If you would like to find out more about the Women of Faith, please contact Jane Tretiak in the church office at 610-767-7203.



Things are warming up outside and summer is upon us! Register now! Don't miss out on the chance to have your camper come on their favorite week! <http://bearcreekcamp.org/>.



## MEDICINE BOTTLE COLLECTION

We are collecting your old medicine bottles, any size (please remove the labels) and also items that are half used (also known as “halfies”). These personal care items are put into the medicine bottles by a group of women and then donated to local shelters on a weekly basis. They find that this is enough for one night’s stay at a shelter (men and women). The items needed are hand lotion, shampoo, conditioner and liquid soap. Look for the box in the narthex!

### YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group Upcoming Events:

- **Geocaching** June 4<sup>th</sup> 2:30 PM
- **Shore Trip** – June 27 until July 1



**New Amazon  
Program Enables  
Shoppers to Easily  
Donate to Their  
Favorite Nonprofits**

### **Do you shop online with Amazon?**

Register at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com). Shop... And designate Hope Lutheran Church as the recipient. .5% of your purchase comes to us direct from Amazon.

## FROM THE WELLNESS TEAM

### **SKIN CANCER**

Summer is upon us. Protect your skin.

Skin cancer – the abnormal growth of skin cells – most often develop on skin exposed to the sun. But this common form of skin cancer can also occur on areas of your skin not ordinarily exposed to sunlight. There are three major types of skin cancer – basal cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma and melanoma.



You can reduce your risk of skin cancer by limiting or avoiding exposure to ultraviolet (UV) radiation. Checking your skin for suspicious changes can help detect skin cancer at its earliest stages. Early detection of skin cancer gives you the greatest chance for successful skin cancer treatment.

Factors that may increase your risk include:

- Fair skin
- A family history of skin cancer
- A history of sunburns
- A personal history of skin cancer
- Excessive sun exposure
- A weakened immune system
- Sunny or high-altitude climates
- Exposure to radiation
- Moles
- Exposure to certain substances (such as arsenic)
- Precancerous skin lesions

Check the bulletin board for more information.

On Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup>, the Wellness Team will be available after the 8:00 AM service for blood pressure screenings. Visit the conference room for your check!



## SUMMER BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday July 17<sup>th</sup>, at Hope, from 8:00 AM until 12 Noon. Watch for sign-ups.



**MILLER-KEYSTONE**  
BLOOD CENTER



## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Help wanted! Interested in teaching Sunday School? Help is needed for the 2016-2017 school year, especially in the upper grades. Contact Michelle Hughes [shellsy2159@yahoo.com](mailto:shellsy2159@yahoo.com) for more information.

**HOPE FEST 2016**  
HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH  
CHERRYVILLE, PA (Rt. 248)



*RAIN OR SHINE*

**JUNE 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>**  
5:00 – 10:00 PM  
**ENTERTAINMENT**  
Friday: The Rehrig Bros. 6:00 – 9:30 PM  
Saturday: The Large Flowerheads 6:00 – 9:30 PM



**FOOD ★ GAMES ★ BINGO**  
**CAKE RAFFLE ★ JEWELRY SALE**  
**CHINESE AUCTION**



Numbers for Chinese Auction pulled  
Saturday at 7:30 PM

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*Proceeds from HopeFest will be divided between The Synergy Project Allentown,  
St. Stephen's (Christmas gifts for children) and Hope's AV System*

## JEWELRY FOR HOPEFEST

The Basket Committee of Hope Church is looking for your gold, silver, costume, even broken jewelry and don't forget jewelry boxes! The ladies will be selling these items at Hope Fest. Please drop off your donations in the marked "jewelry" box in the narthex. Your donations are greatly appreciated!

Mark your calendars for Friday October 14<sup>th</sup> for the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Basket Social!

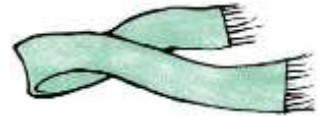
*Graduate recognition will be held on Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup>  
at both services. Congratulations to all and best  
wishes for a bright future!*



Andy Zamadics, Northampton HS  
CJ Solt, Northampton HS  
Colton Arndt, Northampton HS, Air Force  
Corey Ninos NACC, Automotive Technician  
Julie Wainwright, Moravian college, Bachelors of Science in Nursing  
Miah Hornyak, Northampton HS, University of Pittsburgh  
Monica Melo DeSales, PhD  
Payton Marunich Elizabethtown College, Masters in Occupational Therapy  
Ryan Bird, Northampton HS  
Sal Melo, Palmerton HS  
Sophia Eckroth, Northampton HS, Cedar Crest College  
William Christman, Moravian College, BA History

**PRAYER SHAWL**


Prayer Shawl is on a break for the summer – June, July and August – and will resume in September.



**Spring Clean Up  
THANK YOU!**

**The Property  
Committee says thank  
you to all – boy scouts,  
too – who pitched in!**





**HOPE CHURCH  
MUSICAL!  
Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup>  
Live on stage at the  
Roxy Theatre  
"Once Upon a Parable"  
One Performance at  
10:30 AM**



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Come submerge yourself in God’s unstoppable love. Dive into a new adventure every day at our 2016 Vacation Bible School... July 11 through 15: “Deep Sea Discovery”.

Classes will be held from 9:00 AM until Noon, with a closing program on Friday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. Ages include three year olds (potty trained) to children completing 6<sup>th</sup> grade in June 2016. Registrations can be made **now** at [vbs.hopecherryville.org](http://vbs.hopecherryville.org) or by completing a registration form located in the narthex. A T-shirt is provided for each student registered by Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>.

Lots of help will be needed so please consider volunteering. A staff nursery is provided for volunteers if you have younger children who are not old enough to attend. Volunteers need to register as well. T-shirts are available to order before the 19<sup>th</sup> for \$5. See the form in the narthex.

VBS is collecting empty 20 ounce Gatorade bottles. There is a box in the narthex.

**For faster registrations, for students and volunteers, scan the QR code below.**



Do you ride? Would you be interested in participating in a run following worship one Sunday? It’s been suggested – and it sounds like fun – so sign up on the bulletin board if this sounds like your thing!



On May 1, we welcomed the following people as our newest members of Hope Church.

Conner Frey

Chad Green, Jessica Heller and daughter, Aubrey Green

John Morris

Please greet our new members and give them a warm welcome!

## SOFTBALL



The Church softball season is well underway!

- June 5 @ St. John's, UCC - Fullerton at Kolapecha
- June 12 @ Faith Lutheran - Whitehall at Kolapecha
- June 19 BYE
- June 26 @ First Presbyterian - Bethlehem at Kolapecha

Any confirmed youth or adults interested in playing in the church softball league should contact Lou Ventura at 610-413-8502 for more information. Look for Hope Lutheran Softball (Group) on Facebook.



## LEHIGH TOWNSHIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWS



Thanks to members of Hope Church for their helping hands on May 1<sup>st</sup>. The rainy weather kept everyone inside at the LT Historical Center and St. Paul's Schoolhouse. They helped get our two buildings ready for visitors starting May 8. Again, the help was very much appreciated.

People of Hope:  
working together, with God,  
to love and serve others...

## HOPE LUTHERAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Hope Church offers scholarship money to college students. The requirements of eligibility are:

1. Attending an accredited college/university full time
2. Will be entering second year (or higher) of college in fall of 2016
3. Is a member in good standing of Hope Lutheran Church, Cherryville, PA

Applications can be picked up from the church office or can be obtained by phoning 610-767-7203 or by writing to PO Box 1030, Cherryville, PA 18035. The deadline for applications to reach the church office is **July 31, 2016**. (Recipients of scholarship awards will be invited to be at either worship service on August 7<sup>th</sup> to receive the first of two checks, the second of which will be sent the first week in January 2017.)



In June, the office is  
staffed from  
7:30 AM to 3:00 PM  
M, W, Th, F  
and  
9:00 to 3:00 PM on Tu.  
Hours change July/Aug.




## ONLINE GIVING IS HERE!

**Live! Now!** Hope Lutheran Cherryville is excited to announce the introduction of an electronic option for making regular offerings. Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account, or processed using your credit or debit card.

Our new electronic giving program offers convenience for you and provides much-needed contribution consistency for our congregation. If you are currently giving on a weekly basis, you will no longer need to write out 52 checks a year or prepare 52 envelopes. And, when travel, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, this program will allow your weekly offerings to continue on an uninterrupted basis.

Giving online is easy and allows you to make one-time or recurring contributions and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the internet. Simply follow these easy steps:

1. Visit the church website at [www.hopecherryville.org](http://www.hopecherryville.org),
2. Click on the  button,
3. Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions.

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## GIVE FROM YOUR SMART PHONE

Make a contribution from your smart phone anytime by simply scanning the QR image you see here using your phone's QR code reader (download a free app if needed) or go to [www.hopecherryville.org](http://www.hopecherryville.org) and locate the online giving page.



Simply scan this code with your device.





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Matt Sekol	Bob Small	Manfred Steiner
A.J. Szwast	Ed Tretiak	John P. Zmyewski <i>Secretary</i>

### CONTACT INFORMATION

New membership, baptisms, funerals, weddings, change of address, van requests, memorial sponsors, hospital admissions, facility rentals

**Call the church office  
610-767-7203**

<b>REGARDING</b>	<b>CALL</b>	<b>PHONE NO.</b>
Basket Cmte	Linda Sidor	610-767-8372
Boy Scouts	Tom Nichols	732-547-7118
Church Website	Tom Perry	610-261-0743
Confirmation	Rachel Holencik	610-767-7203
Cub Scouts	Emily Hassler	610-760-1547
Evangelism	Sharyn Kratzer	610-261-1277
Finance	Doug Daniel	610-767-7918
Girl Scouts	Karen Zimmerman	610-760-1887
Hope Fest	Josh Larkin	610-844-5832
Hope's Helping Hands	Leslie Daniel	610-767-7918
Memorial Garden	Barry Ritter	610-428-2320
Mentor Leaders	Trish Ninos	610-360-6034
Mutual Ministry	Charlie Kutzler	610-262-4588
Nursery School	Deb Gable	610-767-7523
OutreachMinistry	LeAnn Chandler	610-440-0341
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Prayer Shawl	JoAnne Creyer	610-262-3204
Property	Earl Snyder	610-703-5166
SCS/Christian Ed	Michelle Hughes	484-547-4585
Senior Center	Karen Ferraina	610-767-2977
Social Ministry	Marge Zimmerman	610-217-8324
Stewardship	Jim Gardner	610-767-8421
VBS	Kathy Ziegler	610-262-9197
WELCA	Judy Dieter	610-767-9170
Women of Faith	Jane Tretiak	610-767-7203
Worship Arts	Pastor Jami	610-767-7203
Worship & Music	Janet Filchner	610-262-5215
Youth Group	Steph Maurer Stacey Ziegler	610-262-9197
Yard Sale	Doris Zellers	610-703-8550

**CORE**



**PURPOSE**

*Statement*

People of Hope:  
working together, with God,  
to love and serve others...



# June 2016

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