



Middle Spring Summer Events



Introduction to **SQUARE DANCE**
 Caller Bob Engle (Single and couples)
Saturday, June 10, 2023
 6-7 p.m. Meal
 Hamburgers, hot dogs, baked beans, potato chips, milk shakes
 7-8 p.m. Dance
 Terrific activity and fun for entire family
 RSVP 717-500-1564 by June 8

Middle Spring Presbyterian Church
 135 Middle Spring Road, Shippensburg, PA 17257

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Middle Spring Presbyterian Church



Annual Yard Sale

Our **annual yard sale** is scheduled for **July 20 through 22**. While you're doing your Spring cleaning, designate your unwanted items for this big event! All clothing donations should be clean and in good repair, no mildew, cigarette or tobacco product odors or stains. All appliances and electronics should be in working order and be complete with

cords or lids. Please no TVs!!

Donations may be made be made beginning July 9 after church through July 18.



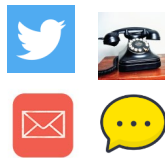
The church will again be hosting movie nights this summer! Movies will be shown on June 23, July 21, and August 18.

The evenings will consist of a light meal and a movie; the meal will be served at 6:30 with the movie following.

The first will be a showing of **A Dog's Journey**, the sequel to **A Dog's Purpose**, held on **Friday, June 23** - mark your calendar!



June



Pastor Ed works from home Saturday and Monday. He is in the office Tuesday through Thursday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.

Secretary hours are Tuesday through Friday from 9 am to 3 pm

Pastor Ed Blank

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SUMMER WORSHIP

Beginning **June 4**, worship will start at **9:30 am!** Fall worship hours resume on Sept. 10.

We are always looking for greeters for Sunday worship! If you feel called to support your church in this fashion, contact Kathy Palmer at (717) 977-7863 or sign up in the narthex.



Greeters needed



The **Special Offering for the month of June** will go to the **Presbyterian Women Birthday Offering**. This year, the offering will support the Making Miracles Group Home to support young mothers in difficulties, and the Berhane Yesus Elementary School in Ethiopia for construction of a kindergarten. Information about these two organizations is available on [page 7](#).

June Worship Participants

Sunday	Liturgist	Elder	Acolyte	Usher	Greeter
6/4	Quay Stolte	Don Cover	Troy Porter	Ray Staver	Dave and Susie Rohr
6/11	Gilda Blank	Quay Stolte	Larry Singer	Ray Staver	Don and Pat Cover
6/18	Jan Ile	Jared Krebs	Brad Beidel	Ray Staver	Jeannette Chamberlin
6/25	Dorina Saul	Greg McMullen	D. Chamberlin	Ray Staver	Priscilla and William Gould



June 4 - Donna and Paul Gill
June 11 - Dennis Mowers and Michaela
June 18 - Dave and Susie Rohr
June 25 - Gary and Joyce Russell and Cindy Chamberlin

A copy of the flower chart can be found on the bulletin board in the CE entry. There are still 3 dates open - **July 23**, **October 29** and **December 31**. Please contact Priscilla Gould, (717) 532-3392, if you are able to fill any of these dates. You may pay for flowers by mailing a check for \$40 to Gary Russell or by placing the check in the offering plate. Please note on the memo line for "flowers."

Transitional Pastor: *Rev. Edward Blank*
Organist: *Ingrid Winckler*
Hand bell Choir Director: *Jan Ile*
Nursery Supervisor: *Brenda Varner*
Church Phone: *717-532-8198*
Website: *www.middlespringpc.org*

Pastor Emeritus: *Rev. Jim Richwine*
Choir Director: *Pat Frey*
Youth Fellowship Director: *Jason Henry*
Secretary: *Rebecca Jordan*
Email: *secretary@middlespringpc.org*
Address: *135 Middle Spring Road*
Shippensburg, PA 17257

Special Music Schedule



June 4, 2023	Bryan Fernelius
June 11, 2023	Anne Nispel
June 18, 2023	Rose Leitner
June 25, 2023	Middle Spring Quartet

Thank You

Dear Middle Spring Presbyterian Church,
I wanted to express my deepest gratitude for the snack box you gave me to help me get through finals week. Your kindness and generosity meant the world to me and truly helped me push through those long study sessions. Thank you for your support and for being a wonderful part of my community.

Sincerely,
Seth Pearson

Dear Middle Spring Presbyterian Church,
Thank you all so much for your gracious Finals "care package"! This first year of college has been an amazing whirlwind and it is a great comfort to be apart of our Church community.

Gratefully,
Cole Pearson



Session Highlights for May 2023

The March Session meeting was held on May 16 in person in the large meeting room in the CE Area. Quay Stolte led us in devotion and opened the meeting with prayer.

The *Clerk's report* indicated that Sunday worship in April continued to be in person but was also offered live at 10:30 AM through Facebook and available on the church's YouTube channel and website. Attendance was as follows:

April 2– 72 in person with 21 online; April 6 (Seder meal) 38 people present; April 9 (Sunrise) 54 people present; April 9 (worship) – 92 in person with 12 online; April 16 - 66 in person with 17 online; April 23– 76 in person with 18 online and April 30 – 81 in person with 28 online.

The community meal served 72 meals on April 27 – 13 meals were dined -in and 59 went through the drive-thru. We also sent 35 meals to the family homeless shelter.

The *Treasurer's Report* for April – Year-to-date Income - \$103,312.13; Year-to-date expenses-\$113,067.15.

Checkbook Balance - \$106,303.87; Available cash - \$62,130.34; year-to-date e-giving - \$11,466.30

The following Consent Agenda Items were Approved:

The minutes of the Session meeting on April 4, 2023; the minutes of the Board of Deacons meeting on April 11, 2023; the April Treasurer's report; **changing the summer worship hours to 9:30 AM beginning June 4 thru Sept.3**; an email vote to give a retirement gift to our Interim Executive Presbyter, Cheryl Galan; the disbandment of the Manse Renovation Team; a donation to Eloise Jumper, a friend of Joyce Russell, for community needs.

Kemper Dyson and Danny Chamberlin served as Commissioners to the April 18 and May 2 Presbytery Meeting.

The April 18 Commissioners voted on the Amendments to the Book of Order at the May 2 meeting there was a celebration of Cheryl Galan's retirement.

Sue Beidel presented a proposal to remove and replant shrubbery around the church. The proposal was approved pending the availability of resources at a cost of \$3000.

A small water heater was replaced in the furnace room.

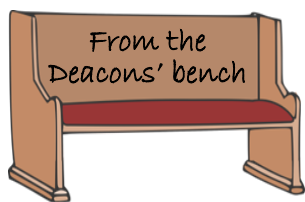
A request from Ingrid Winckler to attend organ lessons at the Lebanon Valley College to acquire certification for the Colleague Certification from the American Guild of Organists was approved for \$500.

A Social Media Policy was approved and adopted to be followed when using all Social Media venues.

The Final report from the Manse Renovation Team indicated the project came in at \$7158.55 under budget.

The Fellowship/Outreach committee has been meeting regularly to prepare for an event each month. May 17 – Annual Memorial Day service at 6:30 PM; June 10 – Square Dancing and meal; June 23 – Movie Night and picnic; July 21 – Movie Night with a picnic; and August 18 – Movie Night and picnic.

A motion was made to have the Therapy Dog Program a once-a-year Designated Offering recipient.



As we are approaching the nominating season within our church, the Deacons would like to take a few minutes to express the joy we have in serving. Ever wonder what happens to the chancel flowers each week, or who switches out the pulpit scarves and banners, or who sets up and cleans up communion, or who prepares and delivers meals to our members in need, or who sets up and/or provides transportation for those in need? The Deacons do all these things, in addition to performing other service acts that support the life of the church. We have a blast getting together to prepare food for individuals in our congregation. Delivering that food and having an opportunity to visit with the recipients is truly a blessing...for the Deacons and the recipient.

A full Deacon committee consists of 12 Deacons; each serving a 3-year term. At the end of this year, 4 Deacons will have fulfilled their term, meaning we need 4 more Deacons to begin a term in January. If you receive a call from a nominating committee member, won't you please prayerfully consider saying "yes"? If you are unable to serve in an official capacity, there are still many opportunities to perform a ministry of service; the Deacons are always looking for volunteers to assist. Visit Middle Spring's 2023 Member Directory for a list of Deacons and the committees they support.



Deacon of the month for **June** is



Sue Beidel
(717) 729-2619
Susan.k.beidel@gmail.com



Community Cares Family Shelter. The **first Sunday of each month** the deacons will be collecting items for the **Community Cares Family Shelter.** You may leave items in the boxes at the entrances at any time. Toiletries, cleaning supplies, dry/canned goods, children's snacks, towels, cooking oil, bleach, and paper products are needed by the families. Follow their posts on Facebook!!



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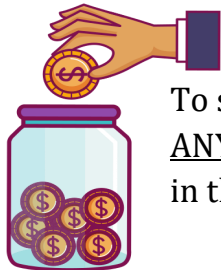
Jean Wenger
Celebration Villa, Room 140
129 Walnut Bottom Road
Shippensburg, PA 17257

Mr. and Mrs. Al Keer
730 Fireside Drive
Shippensburg, PA 17257

Dorothy M. Nye
67 Walnut Bottom Road
Shippensburg, PA 17257



The Presbyterian Women's Bible Study will continue on **June 20 at 1:00 pm** in the church library with Lesson #9, Sabbath and Community. This will be our last meeting until September. We have our picnic in August - Please join us, we would be happy to have you! The contact for the study group is Kathy Palmer, (717) 977-7863.



To support our PW fundraising for our local missions, please consider dropping ANY loose change, no matter how small, in the collection jars. There is one located in the Lobby and one in the back of the Sanctuary.

Growth Ministry



Friends in Fellowship

Friends in Fellowship will meet on **Wednesday, June 21 at 11:30 am** at the **Italian Village Restaurant**. Bring a friend and join us around the table in fellowship and good food. Contact Jan Ile by **June 18** if you will be attending at 717-423-6226 or email at janile@pa.net.

Puppet Ministry



The Puppet Ministry will be meeting periodically throughout the summer. Please contact Don Cover at (717) 264-3753 for information.

Service Ministry

Shippensburg Area Community Meal

The next community meal will be **June 22 at 5:00 pm**. If you would like to volunteer, donate or need more information, contact **Brad Beidel at 717-423-6705 or 717-729-1983**.



Thank you to all who contributed to the College Care Boxes. Students indicated they were very much appreciated during the crunch time of their finals.



Birthday Offering Recipients 2023

Making Miracles Group Home

Phase II Group Home, Tallahassee, Florida

Making Miracles Group Home (MMGH) helps young mothers break the cycle of abusive relationships, addiction, incarceration and early motherhood—a repeating pattern that is difficult to break and overcome. Since its inception in 2010, MMGH has served over 100 women and their children by providing a one-year, live-in program designed to support young mothers and help them develop skills to live independently and care for their children.

Current eligibility criteria require residents to be pregnant and/or have a single child up to age three, but mothers who have a single child older than age three or multiple children often seek help. With the Birthday Offering grant, MMGH will purchase a second group home to serve an additional five families who are at risk of experiencing homelessness. With loving support and tools to establish stable, permanent housing, these families can look forward to a hopeful and successful future.

Berhane Yesus Elementary School

Kindergarten School Construction

Berhane Yesus Elementary School, located in the western highlands of Ethiopia, seeks to change lives by sharing the “Light of Jesus” and by providing the best possible educational experience for the children of Dembi Dollo. Berhane Yesus provides children with the possibility of a better future by preparing them for a rigorous high school education and a life of Christian service. The school is the first entry point to education for children of subsistence farmers, migrant workers and displaced groups of people.

This K-8th grade school has been serving the community and been a part of the Presbyterian Church in this rural community since 1921. A kindergarten was added to the school in 2012, but with no available space for class, the children met in the chapel. Over the years the number of kindergarten students has increased and now space of their own is not only needed but is required by the government to remain open. Western Wollega Bethel Synod provided land for the classroom and the Birthday Offering grant will provide all necessary funding for its construction.

**Middle Spring Presbyterian USA - Shippensburg PA
Consolidated Fund Activity Report as of 04/30/2023**

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Account #	Account Name	Beg Balance	Receipts	Disbursements	Transfers/JE's	End Balance
3.10.000	General Fund Balance	71,885.36	103,312.13	113,544.51	0.00	61,652.98
3.70.000	Capital Fund Balance	24,849.94	10,288.60	32,322.64	0.00	2,815.90
3.80.000	Youth Fund Balance	10,947.93	11,245.47	7,793.18	0.00	14,400.22
3.90.001	Church Endowment Fund Balance	839,335.03	46,555.29	21,284.41	0.00	864,605.91
3.90.002	Church Un-restricted Investment Acct Balance	383,100.74	123,017.77	19,563.64	0.00	486,554.87
3.90.003	Church Youth Fund Endowment Acct Balance	10,147.81	542.88	0.00	0.00	10,690.69
3.90.004	Church Building Investment Fund Balance	45,392.95	2,479.21	0.00	0.00	47,872.16
Total		<u>\$1,385,659.76</u>	<u>\$297,441.35</u>	<u>\$194,508.38</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1,488,592.73</u>



**Middle Spring Presbyterian USA - Shippensburg PA
Balance Sheet as of April 30, 2023**

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Account #	Account Name	YTD Balance	Previous Year Balance	Amount Diff YTD	% Diff YTD
Assets					
1.50.000	General Fund Checking Acct	105,826.51	147,170.65	(41,344.14)	28
1.70.000	Capital Fund Checking Acct	2,815.90	17,181.42	(14,365.52)	84
1.80.000	Youth Fund Checking Acct	14,400.22	12,389.32	2,010.90	16
1.90.001	Church Endowment Investment Acct.	864,605.91	888,413.24	(23,807.33)	3
1.90.002	Church Un-Restricted Investment Acct	486,554.87	388,664.10	97,890.77	25
1.90.003	Church Youth Endowment Acct	10,690.69	11,113.80	(423.11)	4
1.90.004	Church Building Investment Fund	47,872.16	58,149.35	(10,277.19)	18
1.90.010	Electronic Giving Clearing Acct	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
	Total Assets	<u>\$1,532,766.26</u>	<u>\$1,523,081.88</u>	<u>\$9,684.38</u>	<u>1</u>
Liabilities					
2.01.000	Employee Withholdings				
2.01.001	FIT Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.01.002	FICA Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.01.003	Medicare Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.01.004	State Tax Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.01.005	Local Tax Withholdings	83.59	91.33	(7.74)	8
2.01.006	LST Tax Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.01.010	FSA Health Care	431.02	407.49	23.53	6
2.01.015	403(b) Withholdings	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
	Total Employee Withholdings	<u>\$514.61</u>	<u>498.82</u>	<u>15.79</u>	<u>3</u>
2.02.000	Reserved/Specified Givings **				
2.03.001	Library Use	55.55	55.55	0.00	0
2.03.002	Youth Scholarships	5.00	0.00	5.00	-
2.03.005	Peacemaking Offering-Local Portion	0.00	140.50	(140.50)	100
2.03.006	Pentecost Offering-Local Portion	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
2.03.009	Bell Maintenance Resv	2,250.00	1,650.00	600.00	36
2.03.010	Bell Choir Use **	2,034.68	2,206.32	(171.64)	8
2.03.011	Chancel Choir Use **	438.61	438.61	0.00	0
2.03.012	Church Music Program **	349.38	349.38	0.00	0
2.03.015	Pastor's Emergency Fund **	730.10	1,186.62	(456.52)	38
2.03.016	Pastor's Continuing Education **	2,016.04	1,652.04	364.00	22
2.03.020	Ground Care Equipment	5,397.77	4,397.77	1,000.00	23
2.03.021	Parking Lot Seal/Re-line	3,302.00	1,802.00	1,500.00	83
2.03.022	Office Equipment	4,273.18	3,923.17	350.01	9
2.03.023	Seal Brick-Church/Manse	2,810.00	2,510.00	300.00	12

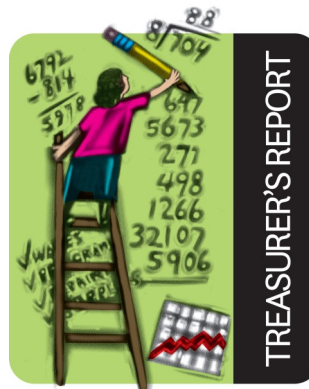
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2.03.024	Family Fund **	2,040.78	2,040.78	0.00	0
2.03.027	Memorial Fund	5,612.82	17,736.08	(12,123.26)	68
2.03.029	Mission-Specified **	336.00	0.00	336.00	-
2.03.031	Puppet Fund	944.03	1,019.03	(75.00)	7
2.03.032	June Weber International Scholarship **	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00	0
2.03.035	Rental Maintenance	3,000.00	2,770.84	229.16	8
2.03.050	Repurposed Resv Acct	5,062.98	0.00	5,062.98	-
	<i>Total Reserved/Specified Givings **</i>	<i>\$43,658.92</i>	<i>46,878.69*</i>	<i>(3,219.77)</i>	<i>(7)</i>
2.10.001	Accounts Payable/Vendors	0.00	0.00	0.00	-
	Total Liabilities	\$44,173.53	\$56,702.32	(\$12,528.79)	22
Fund Balances					
3.10.000	General Fund Balance	61,652.98	90,468.33	(28,815.35)	32
3.70.000	Capital Fund Balance	2,815.90	17,181.42	(14,365.52)	84
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	Total Fund Balances	\$1,488,592.73	\$1,466,379.56	\$22,213.17	2
	Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$1,532,766.26	\$1,523,081.88	\$9,684.38	1

If the accounts in the subtotals have changed or if ledger (marked with "**") and subsidiary account attributes have changed, Previous YTD totals may not represent a valid comparison.



Offering Notes: Now, more than ever, your regular offering is needed for the life of the church. Setting up automatic giving from your bank is easy and private. You can contact the Pastor for help to get started. Giving is a spiritual gift. Give from your heart.



Kathleen Palmer	6/2
Steve Dolbin	6/4
Mark Cover	6/5
Gilda Blank	6/6
Ethel Palmer	6/7
Danny Chamberlin	6/7
Kylie Reed	6/7
Betty Harper	6/9
Jason Henry	6/10
Peggy Stum	6/11
Douglas Cover	6/13
Joan Schroeder	6/18
Vi Barr	6/19
Duane Stum	6/20
Jeannie Rohr	6/21
Megan Chamberlin	6/25
Dave Mosher	6/25
Madison Cover	6/27
Elizabeth Denning	6/28
Tyler Cover	6/29
DJ Rossman	6/30



Rev James and Rev Lois Richwine	6/1
Duane and Peggy Stum	6/3
Steve and Robin Dolbin	6/4
Marc and Patty Weibly	6/4
Ryan and Lindsay Evanchek	6/8
Jason and Buffy Henry	6/9
Bill and Pris Gould	6/12
Howard and Ali Rife	6/12
Jerry and Alice Judy	6/12
Larry and Vicky Ocker	6/15
Bob and Betty Harper	6/16
Todd and Mary Lou Melisauskas	6/17
Chris and Michelle Roth	6/20
Forest and Becky Myers	6/21
Tom and Chris Dick	6/21
Brian and Deanna Baer	6/22
Paul and Donna Gill	6/24
Larry and Barb Singer	6/28





Cell Phone Collection

As a Session project, we at Middle Spring Church have been collecting old cell phones (any condition!) for the non-profit "Military Mama Network Cell Phone Mission." Cell phones from around the country are collected and used by "Cell Phones for Soldiers" to provide free communication for deployed service members. So far, we've sent 40 cell phones! SO, keep bringing in those old cell phones!! Contact **Brad Beidel** at **717-423-6705** for pickup. There is also a box in the church lobby for collection.

Egg Cartons

Please continue to drop off your empty egg cartons to be taken to Shippensburg Produce Outreach (SPO) on South Penn Street. Thank you!

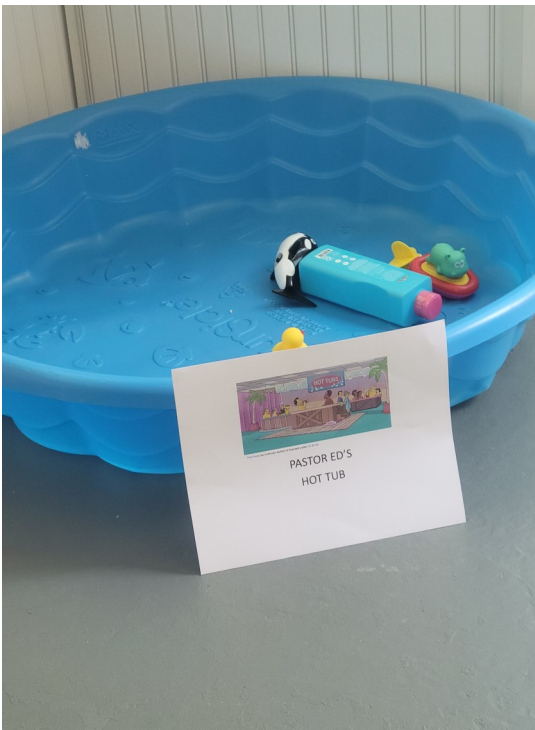


Ink Cartridge Return Program

Thank you all so much for your donations to our **Staples Ink Cartridge Return Program**. We aim to collect 20 used cartridges to receive our maximum \$40 per month in savings for office supplies and equipment. We have saved thousands of dollars through this program over the years! Thank you for your continued support!
Jim Corwin (717) 532-8747



Manse Improvements



Pastor Ed wanted a hot tub,
so he got one!



A colorful poster for the Summer Learning Program. At the top, it says "Summer Learning Program" in orange, pink, and blue. Below that, it says "JUNE 12th to July 28th" in a blue circle and a pink hexagon, with "8:30 am - 12 pm" in orange. The SCRC logo is in the top right. At the bottom, it says "REGISTRATION INFO COMING SOON!" and provides contact information for James Burd Elementary and Becca Justinus.

Summer Learning Program

JUNE 12th to July 28th
8:30 am - 12 pm

REGISTRATION INFO COMING SOON!

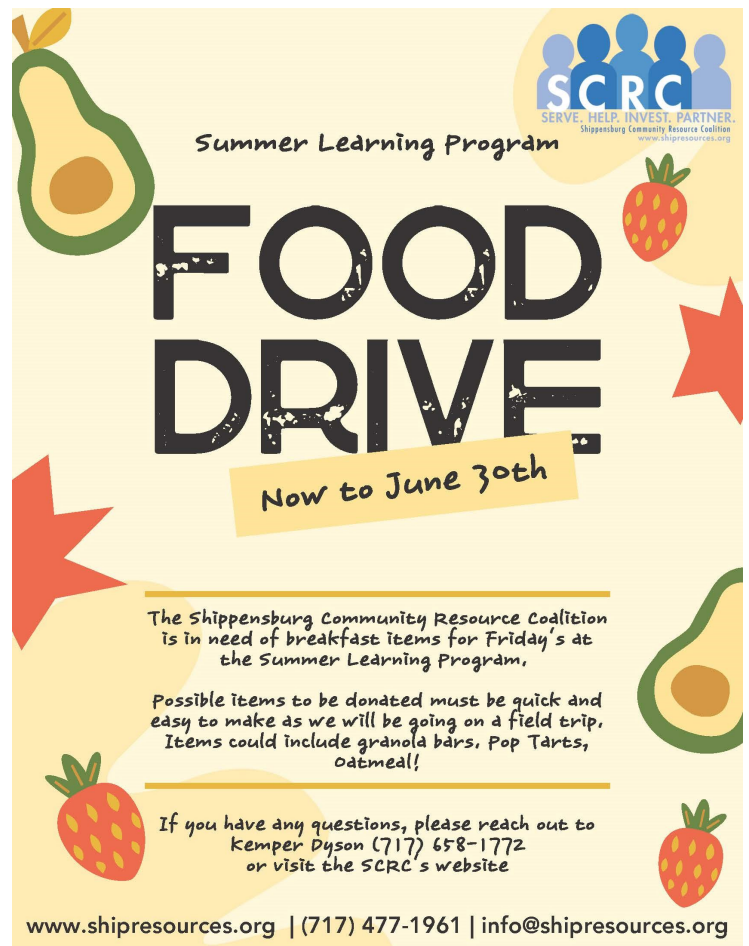
James Burd Elementary
300 Brad St, Shippensburg, PA

Becca Justinus, Youth Mobilizer
RCJustinus@ship.edu
717-477-1962

Follow the Summer Learning Program Facebook page for updates about registration!

MSPC has volunteered to provide a lunch for one of the Summer Learning Program's field trips. If you would like to help out with that, please contact Janet Sailhamer.

We will ALSO be running a food drive through June 30 to provide breakfast for the students on Fridays. Items to be donated must be easy to prepare, such as cereal bars, Pop Tarts, or granola bars. If you would like more information about this project, please contact Kemper Dyson.



A poster for the Summer Learning Program Food Drive. It features the SCRC logo at the top right. The main text says "Summer Learning Program" and "FOOD DRIVE" in large, bold letters. Below that, it says "Now to June 30th". There are illustrations of an avocado and a strawberry. At the bottom, it provides information about the need for breakfast items and contact details for Kemper Dyson.

Summer Learning Program

FOOD DRIVE

Now to June 30th

The Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition is in need of breakfast items for Friday's at the Summer Learning Program.

Possible items to be donated must be quick and easy to make as we will be going on a field trip. Items could include granola bars, Pop Tarts, oatmeal!

If you have any questions, please reach out to Kemper Dyson (717) 658-1772 or visit the SCRC's website

www.shipresources.org | (717) 477-1961 | info@shipresources.org

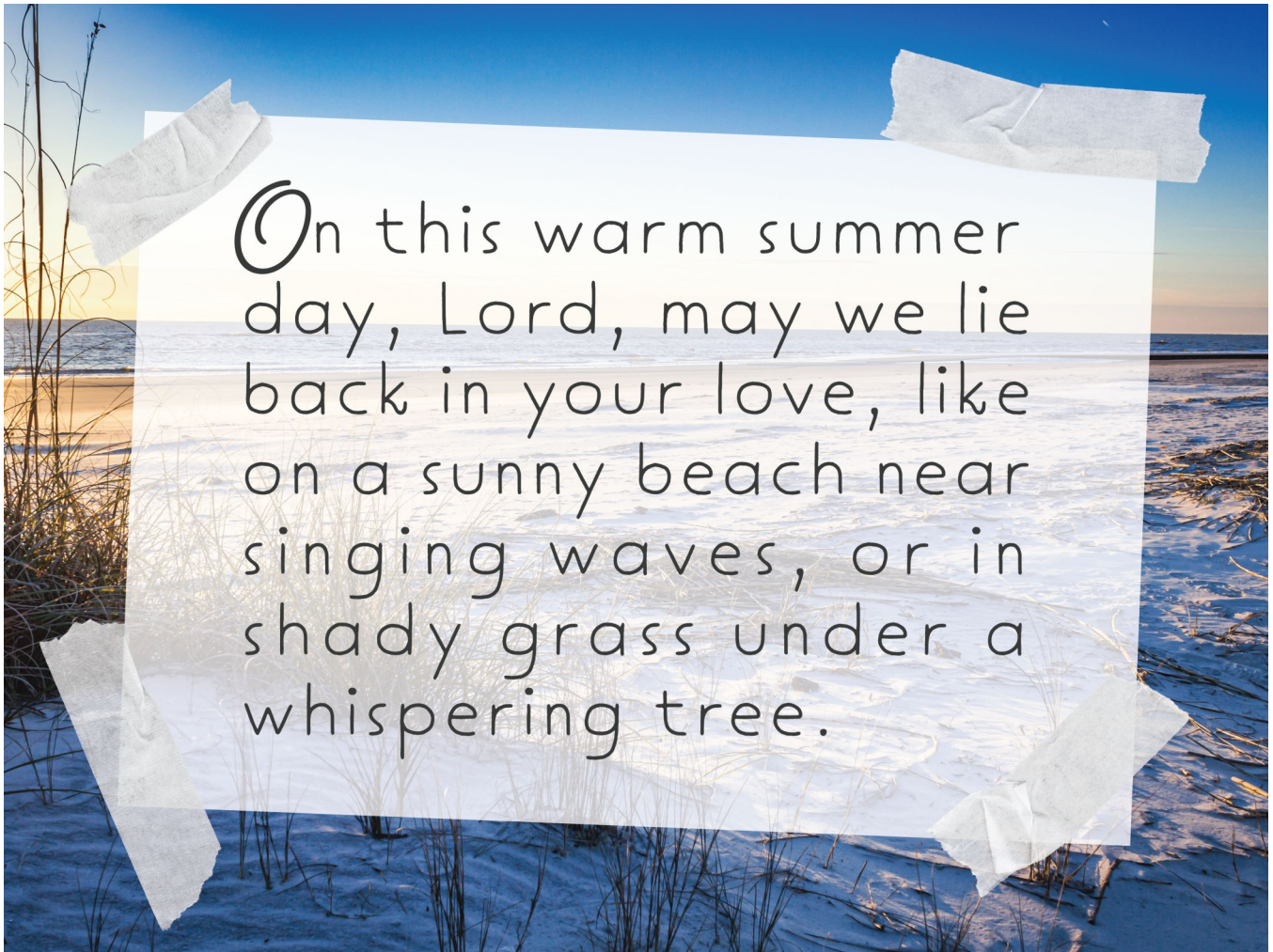
What's Happening



May Activities

May saw a number of exciting events at the church! We enjoyed a concert with Mark Cable, our traditional Memorial Day service, a concert with the Shippensburg Swing Band, and a picnic on Pentecost to celebrate the birthday of the Church. What a great way to start the summer season!

...called together by God to worship, grow, and serve



Phone numbers and email addresses are available in the church directory

Session

Jan Ile *Clerk*
Rev. Edward Blank *Moderator*
Park Bierbower *Chair, Worship Ministry*
Danny Chamberlin *Co-Chair, Bldg & Grounds*
Don Cover *Chair, Nominating*
Kemper Dyson *Co-Chair, Growth Ministry*
Jared Krebs *Chair, Service Ministry*
Greg McMullen *Co-Chair, Personnel; Chair, Finance*
Eileen Moore *Co-Chair, Personnel*
Susie Rohr *Co-Chair, Growth Ministry*
Quay Stolte *Co-Chair, Bldg & Grounds*

Deacons

Jill Corwin, *Moderator, Pastoral Care & Home Communion*
Deanna Baer, *Co-Moderator, Representative to Nominating Committee; Pastoral Care & Home Communion*
Sue Beidel, *Secretary*
Janet Sailhamer, *Care and Share*
Joe Brett, *Transportation*
Jeanette Chamberlin, *Christmas Fruit Baskets, Funeral Flowers & Communion Supplies*
Pris Gould, *Ordering Chancel & Holiday Flowers; Holiday & Seasonal Arrangements of Sanctuary Flowers*
Jerry Judy, *Pulpit Scarves and Banners*
Judy Heberlig, *Medical Equipment*
Maury Mahan, *Community Outreach*
Dorina Saul, *Milestone Recognition*

Prayer Chain

“If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.”
John 14:14

Kathy Bierbower
Regina Chamberlin
Jill Corwin
Howard Davis
Jan Ile
Arlene Keer
Pat Mahan
Eileen Moore
Stevie Nordai
Ethel Palmer
Dorothy Reese
Dorina Saul

All members of the Middle Spring Presbyterian community are invited to be part of our prayer chain.

Mission and Vision

Middle Spring Presbyterian Church called together by God to worship, grow, and serve

To worship, we gather

to praise and glorify God
to be transformed by the Spirit
to forgive and to be forgiven
to witness to our faith in our triune God
to pray for guidance in our lives
as we meet life’s challenges
and care for God’s world and God’s children

In worship, we experience God’s presence inviting us to grow. [Colossians 1:10]

To grow, we seek

to read the Bible for understanding and reflection
to learn about our Christian faith and Reformed tradition
to be open to new ways the truth is revealed in the world today
to share our faith journey with one another
to become more committed to Christ’s mission











In growing, we hear God’s invitation to respond and serve. [John 17:18]

To serve, we reach out

to proclaim the good news of the saving grace of God
to share our blessings
to offer hope and comfort
to experience fellowship with others
to improve the lives of those in need around the world,
heeding Christ’s call to “Tend my sheep.” [John 21:16]

2023 JUNE

Middle Spring Presbyterian Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	01 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	02 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	03
04 <i>9:30 am Worship in person and online Holy Communion</i>  Trinity Sunday	05	06 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	07 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	08 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	09 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	10 <i>6:00 pm Intro to Square Dance - dinner and dancing</i> 
11 <i>9:30 am Worship in person and online</i>	12	13 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 6:00 pm Deacon meeting</i>	14  FLAG DAY	15 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	16 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	17
18 <i>9:30 am Worship in person and online</i>  FATHER'S DAY	19	20 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 1:00 pm PW Bible Study</i>	21 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 11:30 am Friends in Fellowship lunch at Italian Village Restaurant</i> 	22 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 5-6 pm Community Meal (grab and go or dine-in)</i> 	23 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 6:30 pm Movie Night - light meal provided</i> 	24
25 <i>9:30 am Worship in person and online</i>	26	27 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm 7:00 pm Session meeting</i>	28 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	29 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	30 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	01 
02 <i>9:30 am Worship in person and online Holy Communion Home Communion Offered</i> 	03	04  INDEPENDENCE DAY	05 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	06 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	07 <i>Secretary hours 9 am-noon, 1-3 pm Lunch noon-1 pm</i>	08