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Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World

May  
2019

## NEWS from the Pews

### Community Events

~ If you know of a family in need **Building Blocks – Every Block Matters** will provide taxed items for families in need on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month from 11-1 pm at the Knights of Columbus, 28 Garfield Street, Natrona, PA 15065**

~ **7<sup>th</sup> annual Faith Night with the Pirates** – Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 4:05pm. **Secure your Group Now and Receive: Lowest Group Prices for the 2019 Season Right Now!** Go to [pirates.com/faith](http://pirates.com/faith) or call Chad Glover @412-325-4756

~ **9<sup>th</sup> annual Idlewild and Soak Zone Church Picnic**, June 1<sup>st</sup> and/or June 2<sup>nd</sup>, tickets are \$22.50 – gives access to the park and pavilion. Call 724-238-6784 or go to [idlewild.com/groups](http://idlewild.com/groups).

~ **Concordia Health** and Human care is offering a new service – Adult Day service. Montessori based Dementia program. Hours are from 8am – 6pm Monday through Friday. If you have questions about this program contact Stefanie Dietrich @ 724 – 352 – 1571 ext 8271

~**Seeking RN and/or LPN for part time Nurse Manager position at TryLife Center.** Exciting opportunity to support a life-affirming mission and to continue to build community outreach STD program via our new medical mobile unit. Questions or interest? Call Dawn at 412-303-5294.

**COMMUNION STEWARD**

May – Jamie Tinnemeyer  
June - Walter Rutkowski

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**COUNTERS**

Date	Volunteer
5/5	Diane Schrecengost/ Walter Rutkowski
5/12	Carolyn Rutkowski/Joyce Euler
5/19	Sue Herman/ Justin Tinnemeyer
5/26	Lois Gigler/Susan Parker

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**LAY READERS**

Date	Volunteer
5/5	Joanne Maeder
5/12	In Need
5/19	George Reese
5/26	Howard Russell

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**Acolytes**

Date	Volunteer
5/5	Ariel Rhine
5/12	Sadie Brown
5/19	Skylar Brown
5/26	Sierra Brown

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Date	Volunteer
5/5	No Sunday School
5/12	Linda Schaefer
5/19	Last Sunday School until after Summer Break

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**BIRTHDAYS**

5/3 Joanne Maeder  
5/3 Carol Peters  
5/3 Jaydn Perry  
5/7 Adrienne Yarris  
5/13 John Filo  
5/14 William Murdock  
5/15 Brad James  
5/17 Jamie Thompson  
5/20 Diane Faix

\*\*If we did not include your birthday or anniversary, it is because we do not have the date on file. If you want your birthday and anniversary published, be sure that the office is informed.

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**ANNIVERSARIES**

5/21 Linda and Gary Schaefer  
5/23 Norma and Keith Henry  
5/30 Jeffery Davis Jr.

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**FINANCE REPORT**

Effective 04/26/2018

Starting Balance	\$15,975.58	
	Credit	Debit
General Fund	\$4,247.99	\$68.50
Building Fund	\$302.00	\$829.33
Connectional Apportionment	\$113.00	\$500.00
Utility	\$145.00	\$1,520.49
Parsonage	\$950.00	\$653.28
Thrift Shop	\$392.25	
Special Offering/Donation	\$885.00	\$147.00
Other	\$243.29	\$419.45
Building Usage	\$400.00	
Pastoral Salary		\$2,014.88
Pastor Reimbursement		\$92.65
Salary/Payroll Tax		\$2,017.18
Summer Lunch		
Office Expenses		\$144.85
<b>Totals</b>	\$7,678.53	\$8,387.66
<b>Ending Balance</b>	\$15,246.50	
<b>Designated Funds</b>	\$16,522.76	
<b>Remaining in General Fund</b>	-\$1,276.26	

**GRACE EVENTS**

~ **Mission Project for 2019** – Grace is teaming up with UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) by collecting change to help the victims of natural disaster with in the US territories. The children of our church will collect change the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month during the worship service. Grace UMC has set a goal of \$1,000.00.

~ **Grace United Methodist Church would like to try a new mission project for the month of May.** We would like to distribute food to the community by helping with the **Produce for People** community outreach. If you are willing to help with this service project please let Susan Parker, Walter Rutkowski or Dr. Andy know you are willing. We have chosen Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of Most Blessed Sacrament from 4-7:30pm.

~ **Administrative Council Meeting** – May 28, 2019 at 6:30pm

~ **Just Lunch** – Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> @ 12pm at the JG's Tarentum Station Grille in Tarentum.

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**MEMBERS AT HOME**

Find time to send a card/letter or visit these members of our church family.

Date	Name and Address
5/5	<b>Vivian Watts</b> 327 Red Pump Road Bel Aire, MD 21014
5/12	<b>Vie Riemer</b> 522 Cumberland Woods Village Allison Park, PA 15101
5/19	<b>Lucy Croker</b> 598 Parker Road Sarver PA 16055
5/26	<b>Maxine Kish</b> 1330 Twelfth Avenue Natrona Heights PA 15065
	<b>Margaret Jezik</b> 100 Vernon Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15228
	<b>Sherry and Gary Cullen</b> 139 Clarendon Avenue Lower Burrell PA 15068
5/5	<b>William Murdock</b> 214 Vista Drive Apollo, PA 15613
5/12	<b>Lois Gaskell</b> 2503 Buchman Street Natrona Heights, PA 15065
5/26	<b>Deborah Davidowski</b> 1456 Donnellville Road Natrona Heights, PA 15065
	<b>Elizabeth Johns</b> 1514 Neely Street Natrona Heights, PA 15065
	<b>Gay Dequinze</b> 200 Sylvan Drive, Apt. 415 Lower Burrell, PA 15068
	<b>Keith and Norma Henry</b> 207 Norman Drive Lower Burrell, PA 15068
	<b>Lenora Reese</b> 460 Monroe Road Sarver PA 16055
	<b>Betty Jean Gray</b> 139 Clarendon Avenue Lower Burrell PA 15068
5/19	<b>Dorothy Freehling</b> 1330 Broadview Boulevard Natrona Heights, PA 15065
	<b>Pat Nowikowski</b> 1521 Third Street Natrona Heights, PA 15065