

Faith-A-Gram

Thursday-to-Thursday Weekly Newsletter October 4-11, 2018

Sermon Title for Sunday: *One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism*

Scripture Readings for Sunday: Ephesians 3:14-21, Ephesians 4:1-16

The altar flowers are given by Shelda Costello in memory of Don Costello.

Our worship participants for this Sunday, October 7 are as follows:

PASTOR: Jason Perkowski

PRAISE LEADERS: Phil Buchanan & Faith Singers

INSTRUMENTALISTS: Dolly Bankert Haar, Bryan Nelson, Brian Kohler, Liz Hornberger, & Nick Margerum

AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: Dennis Meck, Sr. & Bryan Nelson

GREETERS: Alan Strait & Sydney Dohring

USHERS: Mike Bitner, Drew Hassara, & Dennis Dankenbring

ACOLYTE: Julia Kofroth

LITURGIST: Eileen Williams

CHILDREN'S TIME: Pastor Jason

JUNIOR CHURCH: Julie Hassara & Diana Valentine

NURSERY: Linda Woodward & Faith Berney

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Ellen Kohler & Marilyn Jones

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Julie Perkowski & Amy Boughter

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: Rob Woodward

CLEAN TEAM (Oct 7 - 13): Tim Patschke & Drew Hassara

Our worship participants for next Sunday, October 14 are as follows:

PASTOR: Jason Perkowski

PRAISE LEADERS: Phil Buchanan & Faith Singers

INSTRUMENTALISTS: Dolly Bankert Haar, Bryan Nelson, Brian Kohler, Liz Hornberger, & Nick Margerum

AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: Dennis Meck, Sr. & Bryan Nelson

GREETERS: Dave & Melissa Urban

USHERS: Dale Dougherty, Charles Parmer, & Matt Kofroth

ACOLYTE: Will Dankenbring

LITURGIST: Charles Valentine

CHILDREN'S TIME: Terry Kofroth

JUNIOR CHURCH: Lisa Baker & Marilyn Jones

NURSERY: Debi Eckenrod

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Brooke Dankenbring & Lisa Baker

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Julie Perkowski & Amy Boughter

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: Rob Woodward

CLEAN TEAM (Oct 14-20): Tom Chapman, Veronica Eckman, & Brian Kohler

Remember: if you are unable to serve this week, you are responsible for finding a substitute and for informing the church office. **We are not responsible for finding a substitute.** Thank you!

OCTOBER CELEBRATIONS: We extend our prayers and best wishes to those who celebrate their birthdays & anniversaries during the months of October. *If we missed your birthday or anniversary, please notify the office so that we can update our records.*

Birthdays: Carol Kennedy, Debi Eckenrod, Mackenzie Klos, Dale Dougherty, Lilly Kohler, Sydney Dohring, Elyse Minder, Sandy Winters, Dorothy Gabron, Katherine Dubbs, Donna Parmer, Theron Boughter

Anniversaries: Erik & Dolly Reinholt, Warren & Lorraine Smith, Scott & Nikki Knable, Charles & Diana Valentine

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS:

Thursday, October 4

AA meeting, 10:00 AM
Piano Lessons, 4:30 to 5:00 PM
Faith Singers, 5:30 PM

Friday, October 5

Bible Study at Faith UMC with Pastor Jason, 10:00 AM

Saturday, October 6

Harvest Bazaar at Long Memorial UMC, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Sunday, October 7

World Communion Sunday
Sunday School for all ages, 9:00 AM
Worship, 10:30 AM
Fellowship & Refreshments, 11:45 AM
Youth Group at Faith UMC, 5:00 to 7:00 PM

Monday, October 8

Faith UMC serves the Community Meal at Zion Lutheran Church, 5:30 PM
Lifetree Café, – 7:00 PM at General Sutter Inn -

Topic: “Dr. Danger? What Every Patient Needs to Know.”

Tuesday, October 9

Piano Lessons, 3:00 to 6:00 PM
Mission ConneXion meeting, 3:30 to 5:00 PM

Wednesday, October 10

Piano Lessons, 3:30 to 7:00 PM
Evening Bible Study with Amy Boughter at Faith UMC, 6:30 PM
Men’s Bible Study led by Ian Solodky, 7:00 PM at the Long Memorial UMC Parsonage
Cantata rehearsal at Long Memorial, 7:45 pm

Thursday, October 11

AA meeting, 10:00 AM
Piano Lessons, 4:00 to 5:00 PM
Faith Singers, 5:30 PM
Church Council meeting, 6:30 pm ← *Note new date*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday, October 12 Faith UMC provides Birthday Party to Anchorage Breakfast Program, 8to 10 AM

Saturday, October 13 **Community Picnic at Manheim Township Park, Noon-7 PM**

Wednesday, October 17 Christmas Craft/Gift prep session, 6:30 PM

Saturday, October 20 **Pulled Pork Sale** at Faith UMC, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Saturday, October 27 **Worship Workshop at Cornwall UMC**, 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM

Saturday, October 27 **Christmas Bazaar** at Oregon Community UMC, 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE:

Faith UMC General Fund – Ongoing support of the ministries of Faith UMC
Faithfully Forward Capital Campaign (3 Year Goal: \$250,000) – Support Fellowship Hall & Education Wing

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE:

Help clean church or complete a variety of tasks—paint ceiling tiles, trim trees, weed, clean chairs, etc.
Help prepare the altar – changing candles, paraments (cloths), and preparing communion monthly
Help with Youth or Children’s Sunday School, Junior Church, Nursery or Children’s Time Message
Adult Volunteers to help with youth group meetings –games, meals, chaperoning (*See signup sheet in the hall*)
Lifetree Café – Monday evenings – people needed to help engage with guests or to teach
Sound Engineers to run Sound Board and Equipment during worship team practice and Sunday mornings

PRAYER REQUESTS:

OUR CONCERNS:

Children in detention camps—and their families
For peace & wisdom in the North Korean, Iranian
and Israeli/Palestinian conflicts
Threats of Nuclear War
Gun violence, mental health, and wrath
All affected by the volcanoes, hurricanes,
earthquakes, fires, mudslides, and shootings
Healing & peace for divisions caused by race, class,
politics & fears
President Donald Trump & VP Michael Pence
All government & military officials and their staff:
wisdom & safety
World leaders & staff
All affected by terrorist attacks – domestic and
international
Civilians, leaders, and soldiers in war torn regions
and the needed peace
Refugees & huddled masses yearning to be free
Security and immigration reform
Prisoners & Prison Leadership
Schools & Education Reform
Members of AA, NA, & AlAnon
Those struggling with addictions, mental health,
finances, etc.
Rev. Nancy Miller – transition into retirement
Judy Hurst – healing after knee surgery
Erik Reinholt – recovery after surgery on his leg
Charlotte Garfield – strength and transitions
Dean – discernment
Beverly Ruhl – healing
Mark Orellano (friend of Valentines) – healing
Sherry Guard – work and safety
Families of those who have passed
Brian and Tina Grimm
Erek and Shaughn Perkowski
Phil Buchanan – strength and healing in legs/back
Becky & Angela Rodriguez – starting over
Rene Fox – employment
Dottie Sheaffer – healing for back
Harry Buchanan – strength & healing
Linda Eckman – strength & healing
Sandy Patschke – healing for sinuses & back
Eileen Williams – healing for muscles
David Williams
Noah Boughter – healing and recovery
Shelda's son Randy – Alzheimer's & seizures
Shelda's granddaughter Bella's health
Bradley McGowan – ALS
Linda Philbin – multi-focal motor neuropathy

Donna Parmer – ongoing medical conditions
Parents raising children—esp. new parents
Bishop Johnson, the EPAUMC Staff, and District
Superintendent BK Chung
Rev. Berrios and Long Memorial UMC
Rev. Kipp and Salem UMC, Rothsville
All pastors and churches in transition
Youth Ministry
LifeTree Café Ministry
Campus Ministry: Ed Weber & the United Campus
Ministry at Millersville; David Piltz & Diana
Esposito at Drexel & West Chester; Paul Clark
at Albright; Dan Lebo at Lebanon Valley
College
Udobo School in Durban, South Africa
Persons in nursing homes
All those caring for sick loved ones
Those who have lost loved ones and are dealing
with grief
Gas pipelines—Lancaster & by Sioux property
Police Officers and their families
Individuals & families of those harmed in
interactions with police
Victims & families involved in violent crime
Wisdom and peace regarding sexuality & race
2019 General Conference: A Way Forward
Victims of sexual abuse, violence, & harassment
Abusers and their families
Eradication of Malaria, Zika, HIV, etc.
Healthcare
Earth's Environment
Rev. Dorcas, her UMC ministries in Sierra Leone,
and her husband's health
Those with cancer: inc. Mary Shenk's friend,
Joanne; Cyndi Campbell; Donna Jackman; &
Denny Spangler
Jackie Black – recovering from a stroke
Safety in the midst of the storms, floods, and fires
Those suffering from depression, suicidal ideation,
and other mental health issues

OUR PRAISES:

Faithful members of Faith UMC who serve in the
community and church ministries
Our seniors and the wisdom they carry
Sunday School & Bible Study Leaders
The courage of advocates for justice
Missionaries sharing the good news globally
We thank God you are with us today!

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE: Carol will not be in the office today. Office hours on Wednesday, October 10th will not begin until 2:00 PM.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: Charlotte Garfield has moved to Susquehanna Valley Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, 745 Old Chiques Hill Road, Columbia, PA 17512. Cards would be appreciated.

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY takes place the first Sunday in October. It is an ecumenical celebration by people of many denominations in an effort to promote unity among Christians around the world. Offerings collected in United Methodist churches on World Communion Sunday are used to fund scholarships for young scholars and seminarians. Checks may be made payable to Faith UMC with "World Communion Sunday" in the memo.

NEW ADDITION TO OUR BREAKFAST WITH SANTA EVENT: Faith UMC will be offering our guests at the Breakfast with Santa the opportunity to purchase a handmade gift for that special someone they wish to remember during the holiday season but are so hard to shop for. Contact Marilyn Jones at joneslncstr4@aol.com or by phone (717) 519-8792 to share your ideas. **Join us on Wednesday, October 17th at 6:30 PM for a work session.** We welcome your ideas and having an extra pair of hands. Would anyone like to knit some hats or mittens?

THE "AND IT CAME TO PASS" CHRISTMAS CANTATA is a joint effort between Long Memorial UMC, Faith UMC & Oregon Community UMC. The Participation fee is \$10.00 for materials. **Regular Rehearsals will be on Wednesday evenings from 7:45 to 8:45.** There will be a few extras just like last year for band and soloists etc. and of course a couple of longer rehearsals until 9 pm as we get closer to the performance of the Cantata on Dec. 23 at 9am (Faith UMC) and 11am (Long Memorial UMC). Singers & readers are needed. Contact Tara Bernstel at Long Memorial's office at 569-2931 or longmemorialumc@gmail.com if you would like to join the Cantata.

HARVEST BAZAAR: Join Long Memorial UMC on October 6, from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm, for a Harvest Bazaar full of fun and celebration! Enjoy many vendors, a bake sale, soup sale, white elephant table, food trucks, silent auction and live music! There will also be a Trash-To-Treasures Tent. This event is rain or shine.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT ANCHORAGE BREAKFAST: The Friday Morning Bible Study group has decided to help with this program **on Friday, October 12 from 8:00 to 10:00 AM** by providing birthday cake, plates, napkins, and 15-20 small gifts or cards for those who attend Anchorage and have a birthday in October. **Diana Valentine is leading the group from Faith UMC. Please see her if you would like to help or to donate food/gifts.**

THE ANNUAL COMMUNITY PICNIC sponsored by our Pikes Mission ConneXion will be on **Sat., Oct. 13 at Manheim Twp. Park from Noon-7pm.** We need volunteers to help with hospitality, food, games, etc. We will have free food from Blessings of Hope, Trivia, Horseshoes, Old-fashioned Picnic Relays (burlap sack and 3-legged races), a concert by Matt Wheeler at 4:30pm, etc. **Please invite friends & sign up to help.**

PULLED PORK AND BAKE SALE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20th: Pulled pork sandwiches and combo meals will be available for purchase from 10 am through 1pm to take-out or eat in at the church. Combo meals will include a pulled pork sandwich, chips, homemade baked beans, dessert, and a beverage. A selection of baked goods and pints of pulled pork or baked beans will also be sold separately. ***If you are making baked goods and beans, they may be dropped off between 1:00 PM on Friday and 9:00 AM on Saturday. Volunteers are needed: there are sign-up sheets in the hall.***

COMMUNITY SERVICE: As part of our service to the local community we have been asked to **volunteer at Bucher Elementary School's Fall Fling from 5 to 7 pm on Friday, October 26th.** We would be running games & handing out tickets, etc. Please sign up in the hall if you are interested. Bucher is located on Candlewyck Rd off of Fruitville Pike in the Belair development.

CO-LEADERS NEEDED: We have many fun activities and fundraisers coming up in the fall. If you would like to co-lead any of the following events or need more information, please contact Carol Kennedy ASAP.

- Pulled Pork Sale – October 20th
- Chicken Corn Soup Sale – November 3rd
- Fall Festival – November 17th
- Hanging of the Greens – November 25th
- Care Packages for Millersville Students – December 2nd
- Breakfast with Santa – December 8th

CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR PRISONERS: Imagine sitting in a prison cell and feeling as if you have been forgotten—especially around the holidays. It is a tough situation to grasp. The district office will be collecting Christmas Cards this year for inmates at various Pennsylvania prisons and jails. There are blank Christmas cards on the table in the hall. Please write a note in as many cards as you wish (yes, you can take them home to fill out) and **return them to the basket by Sunday, November 4th** so that we may meet the district deadline. If you wish to use your own cards, please return them in an unsealed envelope. **Please follow the instructions for the cards—blue/black ink only, no glitter or markers, no last names, etc.** View the UCom video about this ministry produced in 2016: [View on YouTube](#)

ENERGIZING YOUR WORSHIP WORKSHOP AT CORNWALL UMC ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27 FROM 8:00 AM TO 12:30 PM: Are there ways that you would like to enhance and energize your worship services? Are you struggling to make rehearsals effective, efficient and more spiritually focused? This interactive workshop will allow worship teams, pastors, and tech support crews to develop new skills and approaches to the planning, rehearsing and leading of worship services. The experts from Ad Lib Music (<https://adlibmusic.com/>) will provide training that is experiential, interactive and allows for discussion in small and large groups. There will be prompts for teams to work on together at their tables, followed by feedback and dialogue with the consultants, and the modeling of best practices throughout the workshop. At the end of the day you will have materials and plans that you can take back and use in your home church. This will include ideas for churches of all sizes and worship styles (traditional, blended, or contemporary). Ideally, we would encourage each church to send a group that includes pastors; members of the choir/worship team; instrumentalists; and those who design liturgy, audio/visual, and artistic aspects of the service.

Registration Fee: For each team, fees are \$15 per person for the first four people; \$10 per person for the next four people; \$100 max for groups up to ten people (which allows free admission for two people). Teams with more than ten can contact the District Office and will have those individuals waitlisted to ensure space for as many churches as possible. **We would like to take a large team from Faith & Oregon Community UMC. See Worship Leader Phil if you are interested in going!**

SUPPORT OUR SISTER CHURCH: Oregon Community UMC will host **CHRISTMAS BAZAAR on Saturday, Oct 27**. They are currently selling **S. Clyde Weaver sub/sandwich/salad coupons**. Each coupon costs \$6.00 and may be redeemed at your convenience. Please contact Amy Boughter if you would like to purchase some. Checks should be made payable to Oregon Community UMC.

PAINTING PARTY! Diana Valentine has organized a Painting Party for Saturday, January 12th from 1:30 to 4:30 PM. There is a signup sheet in the hall for people who are tentatively interested. We must have at least 15 people commit in order for the event to take place—so please sign up now. This is purely a social event, not a fundraiser. The \$25.00 per person cost includes the cost of the instructor, supplies, and catered hors d'oeuvres, cookies and punch. You do not need to bring a thing. Come and enjoy each other's company and let your artistic abilities shine!

WE HAVE ENROLLED IN PARK CITY AND KNIGHT & DAY DINER'S SOS (Sharing Our Success) PROGRAM. Anyone who eats at Park City Diner or Knight & Day Diner AT ANY TIME and shows them a card with our barcode or mentions our name will be helping us earn money toward our ministries. The SOS program will donate 10% of your bill to Faith UMC. There is a flyer in the hall with more info and the SOS card. Please take a few and share them with your friends. Note: Our name on the SOS card is "Faith United Methodist Church of Lancaster." Be sure to mention our full name if you don't have your card with you.

STAR CITY DINER PROGRAM: If you eat at the Star City Diner in Manheim and take them your Sunday bulletin, they will also give you a discount and make a donation to the church.

SOUND SYSTEM VOLUNTEERS: We are in need of volunteers to help with the sound system at Thursday practices and on Sunday mornings. *Training will be provided* on how to use the sound board and equipment. See Pastor Jason.

DO YOU ENJOY REFRESHMENTS AND VISITING WITH FRIENDS AFTER CHURCH? Please volunteer to help provide & serve refreshments on the first Sunday of a month. There is a signup sheet in the hall. Please see Carol Kennedy if you have questions.

BIBLE STUDIES:

SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages every Sunday at 9:00 AM. Start the new school year by attending Sunday School every Sunday morning! Julie Hassara, Ellen Kohler, & Brooke Dankenbring and team of volunteers lead the Children's SS. Amy Boughter and Julie Perkowski lead the youth (5-12th grade) and Rob Woodward teaches the adults. We would love to fill these classes as part of the discipleship to go deeper in our understanding of God and the Bible.

LIFE TREE CAFÉ LANCASTER is a place for people to discuss how faith and life intersect. You can buy dinner or just enjoy the conversation. We meet at the **General Sutter Inn** in Lititz on **Mondays @7 PM**. For more info or to watch video clips of topics, visit www.lifetreecafelancaster.us. **This week's topic is: "Dr. Danger? What Every Patient Needs to Know."** These sessions are a great place to bring a friend/neighbor who is exploring their faith.

AN EVENING BIBLE STUDY led by Amy Boughter is meeting on **Wednesdays at 6:30 PM at Faith UMC**. We are currently studying a variety of life application topics. Everyone is welcome—men and women, young and experienced!

A MEN'S BIBLE STUDY led by Ian Solodky is meeting **EVERY Wednesday** at 7:00 PM at the Long Memorial UMC Parsonage, 2666 Bantam Ln, Lancaster, PA 17601. All men are welcome! This is open to folks from various churches and the community.

JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER EVERY FRIDAY at Faith UMC at 10:00 AM led by Pastor Jason. Each lesson is independent of the others—so come when you can! We are studying the hymns and what they have to teach us about our faith.

THE YOUTH GROUP (5th-12th grade) meets at Faith UMC from 5-7 PM almost every Sunday. Dinner is provided, along with games and a Bible Study. For more info see www.faithumc.us/youth. *We go to Gretna Glen camp from 3:30-7 PM on the 3rd Sunday of each month and our next trip is Oct. 21st.* Pastor Jason is looking for a group of adults willing to take turns as chaperones to Gretna Glen, or to help with games and hanging out with the students at Youth Group. We would also love for some adults to take turns planning a monthly activity or event for the youth. If you are interested, there are **sign-up sheets in the hall**.

YOUTH RALLY 2019: Protector in Ocean City Maryland -- January 4-6, 2018. The youth will meet at Faith UMC on Friday at 4pm and will return by 3pm on Sunday. This has been a highlight of the youth group's year with great bands, prayer, worship, great lessons and a lot of fun. We are asking **each youth to pay \$50 toward the trip** and the rest will be covered via the Faith Day fundraiser and church budget. **\$25 deposits and permission slips are due by October 15th for Early Bird Tickets.** If finances are a problem please speak with a pastor regarding grants to cover the cost of the trip.

BUDGET UPDATE:

GENERAL BUDGET: Thank you for your generous support of our ministries at Faith UMC. We rely on your gifts to directly support our ministries and to fund our staff who bring you weekly worship, leadership and pastoral care. You may make donations each week during worship—and if you are away you may mail a check to the church office. **So far we have received \$111,119.45 in offerings & fundraisers toward our \$163,492.00 annual ministry budget.**

FAITHFULLY FORWARD is our three-year campaign (2017-19) to raise \$250,000 toward the Fellowship Hall and Education Wing Expansion. So far we have raised **\$108,290.20 -- and we have over \$146,700.00 in pledges for the total campaign!** So, we are over halfway toward meeting our pledges. **However, we actually need to raise \$8,686 per month for the first three years of the campaign to successfully pay our monthly principal and interest and we are not yet meeting that target.** Thank you to all who generously supporting this project. We have a long way to go toward the campaign goal, so **if you have not pledged and are able to do so, please contact Pastor Jason for more information.**

OTHER NEWS:

A NEW FOOD PANTRY opened at the Emerald Foundation (2120 Oregon Pike, Lancaster PA)! Autumn's Pantry is open the 2nd and 4th Thursday of every month from 3:00 -7:00 pm. Please see the poster in the hall. Don't hesitate to call Leraunt van Loon with any questions at (717) 799-9416.

THE PARISH RESOURCE CENTER has many interesting workshops and events coming up. There are descriptions on the bulletin board in the hall or go to www.parishresourcecenter.org for more information or to register.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO NEEDS HELP BUT DOESN'T KNOW WHERE TO TURN? People can dial **2-1-1** on their phone or 855-501-6785 for help. You may also visit: <http://www.pa211east.org/Lancaster> for more information.

EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT:

WEST DISTRICT UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: To sign up to receive the UMW newsletter, please email: West District UMW.

Saturday, October 20, 8am to 3pm, EPA-UMW 45th Annual Celebration

Lansdale: First UMC, 300 North Broad Street, Lansale, PA 19446

Registration Deadline - September 30, 2018 (registration form in the newsletter above)

Mail registration to: Mary Ann Repsher, 164 South 9th St, Bangor, PA 18013 or email to: rep164@frontiernet.net

Cost: \$18.00, lunch is provided

Retired Deaconess, Clara Ester will share how her spirituality has led to a life of activism and advocacy

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CERTIFIED LAY MINISTER? Register now for Orientation/Admission Sessions for the Certified Lay Ministry Class of 2019, which begins in April 2019. All prospective candidates must attend one of the Orientation/Admission sessions, which are held from September to December at locations in the four districts of the Eastern PA Conference, see dates and locations on the website ChristServantMinistries.net Certified Lay Minister page and contact Judy Ehninger, CLM Program Coordinator at, 610-442-3140 or by e-mail at judy.ehninger@gmail.com

FREE-WILL OFFERING CONCERT FOR ANCHORAGE BREAKFAST PROGRAM - OCTOBER 5:

Silver Wood and Ivory will perform a Free-Will Offering Concert for Anchorage Breakfast Program on Friday, October 5 from 7:30pm to 9pm at First UMC, 29 E. Walnut St. Lancaster, PA. Anchorage Breakfast a 501(c)3 serves a free breakfast Monday-Friday to Lancaster's low-income, unsheltered and to any and all who are hungry in Lancaster city. Sponsored by BB&T Bank and a friend of Anchorage Breakfast. Befriend Anchorage Breakfast Program on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/anchoragebreakfast).

LOCAL CHURCH & CONNEXION EVENTS! Be sure to check out the SW District Website for up-to-date events happening in our churches. <https://www.epaumc.org/category/local-church/local-church-events/>

WEBSITES OF INTEREST:

Faith United Methodist Church: www.FaithUMC.us

West District of EPA Conference: <https://www.epaumc.org/districts/west/>

Words of faith and life from Bishop Peggy A. Johnson. <http://bishoppeggyjohnson.blogspot.com>

Eastern Pennsylvania Conference of The United Methodist Church: <http://www.epaumc.org>

The United Methodist Church: <http://www.umc.org>

The World Methodist Council: <http://worldmethodistcouncil.org/>

LUMINA (Lancaster United Methodist Inner-City Alliance): <http://www.luminaoutreach.org>

LifeTree Café – Lancaster: <http://www.lifetreecafelancaster.us>

Members and Friends in Prison -

Dennis Spangler, Box A, Bellefonte, PA 16823

Our Military Members

Please keep these persons in prayer. We encourage you to write letters or send cards to these men to thank them for their service. If you have an armed forces member you would like to include on this list, or you would like to make a correction, please contact the church office at 717-560-0321 or email faithumc@hotmail.com with the subject line "Soldier."

Armed Forces Members Abroad:

Please note, DO NOT USE HIS RANK on the envelope

Theron Boughter

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Armed Forces Members in the States:

SSG Scott F. Eckenrod

7168 Mazarron Dr

Fayetteville, NC 28314-5221

PVT Brady M Nelson

1540 Swarr Run Rd, Apt F102

Lancaster, PA 17601

SGT Tim Kuster

570 Red Cliff Rd

Colorado Springs, CO 80906

Submissions to Faith-A-Gram will be accepted until Wednesday night. Articles received later will not be included in that week's e-newsletter. **Please note** that not all submissions will be accepted. The editor reserves the right to edit or reject submissions. To submit something, place it in the Office mailbox or email faithumc@hotmail.com with the subject line "Faith-a-Gram Submission."

Please Note: We are still accepting email addresses for the Faith-a-Gram email list. If you know of someone who is interested in it, please leave a message at the church office (717-560-0321). If you do NOT wish to receive this e-newsletter any longer, please send an email to faithumc@hotmail.com with the subject "Unsubscribe". Thank you!

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Wednesdays: 9 – 11 am & 2pm – 4pm

Thursdays: 1pm – 5pm

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On Duty: Sunday – Tuesday & Friday

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