



St. Mark's Lutheran Church

ReMarks and ReMindørs

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IT'S A HOAGIE DINNER NIGHT!

For those of you who placed orders for hoagies – tonight is when you pick them up. They will arrive between 6:00 – 6:30 PM in our social room. Easy and delicious dinner for us! A big help for the Heavenly Helpers Mission Team fundraiser! (which I am sure makes it calorie free).

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 21<sup>st</sup> – **Make Music Upper Perk is back!** This year, the music will be all outdoors. There are 13 venues hosting music throughout the day. St. Mark's will be hosting The Red Hill Band! They will be playing at the gazebo at 7:30PM. Hope you can stop by – a great way to spend a summer evening! To find out the musicians and schedule for the whole day, go to [ValleyArtScene@wordpress.com](mailto:ValleyArtScene@wordpress.com)



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

The following St. Mark's members have graduated! A great accomplishment in a challenging year!

Jacob Bardsley has graduated from Boyertown High School. He will be attending college at James Madison University majoring in Economics. He is also participating in their ROTC program.

Lindsey Henry has graduated from the Health Science Technology Program at the Western Montgomery Career and Technology Center. She will attend Montgomery County Community College in the Fall studying to be a Medical Assistant.

Connor Mack has graduated from Emmaus High School. He will be attending Lehigh Carbon Community College for the Electrician Program.

Sydney Stauffer Putera graduated Summa Cum Laude from Dock Mennonite Academy. She will attend Lafayette College and major in Environmental Science.

## FRIDAY FUN NIGHT PHOTOS

Outreach recently held an Arts, Crafts & Ice Cream Fun Night. You can view photos showing all the fun activities right on our website. Just go to: [www.stmarkspennsburg.com](http://www.stmarkspennsburg.com) and click on the Family Fun heading. Then click on Arts, Crafts & Ice Cream. Everyone looks like they are really enjoying all the different things to do. My favorite is the “stained glass” cross chalk-painted on our front walk. It still faintly shows up even after the rain.

## CHURCH COUNCIL NEWS

Are you interested in learning and participating in discussion of the myriad matters that come before Church Council? Projects, maintenance, community, worship, stewardship, finance, direction, and the list goes on. There’s something for every interest!

We are a friendly, supportive group just wanting the best for St. Mark’s. You are St. Mark’s! Church Council has openings which need to be filled. Please consider contacting a current Council member or call the church office (215-679-9015) We would love to speak with you!

## HAPPY 65<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY!

If you see Kenny or Diane Mohr, be sure to congratulate them. They celebrated 65 years of marriage on Wednesday, June 16<sup>th</sup>. I think we can safely say they were made for each other! Congratulations!

## HOMETOWN HEROS

Meryl Markley is on a banner on Main Street in Pennsburg. It’s across the street from where the old Pennsburg Hotel used to be. Be sure to look for it!

Did you see the banner right across the road from church? It’s Harold Schultz back when he was in the Navy.

The banner for Harriett Rapine’s husband, Ellsworth, is at 135 Main Street, East Greenville. The banner for her brother, Harold Moffett, is in the 800 block in Red Hill.

Do we have any more St. Mark’s members hanging around Main Street? Let me know so I can list the location. We want to see all of them!

## CALLING ALL COOKS

Caring Ministries continues to organize meals for Charlie and his brother Tom. They are enjoying the delicious dinners you are providing! If you would like to contribute a meal, please contact Harriet Rapine at [hmrp11@gmail.com](mailto:hmrp11@gmail.com) or call her at 215-679-8844. From what I hear, the menu is wide open! They like all kinds of food! Charlie is beginning another round of chemotherapy, so your meals are a tremendous help.

## GRAB & GO SUMMER MEALS

The Open Link is again providing Grab & Go Meals this summer. The program runs from June 14 to August 20. It's for all kids 18 and under – the meals are **free**, no registration or ID required. The food will be available at 5 locations:

Mondays & Thursdays: Treichler's Mill Park, Hereford @ 11:30 – 12 Noon  
Bieler Park, East Greenville @ 12:15 – 12:45 PM

Tuesdays & Fridays: Pennsburg Commons, Pennsburg @ 11:30 – 11:55AM  
Hope Valley Church, Red Hill @ 12 Noon – 12:25 PM  
Isaac Smith Park, Green Lane @ 12:30 – 1 PM

Each child gets 2 breakfasts + 2 lunch meals each time. Service is available as either drive-thru or walk-up. Last summer Open Link served over 5,000 meals!

## IN OTHER NEWS

Charlene is now continuing care at Lehigh Center, 1718 Spring Creek Road, Macungie, PA 18062. I'm sure she would love to receive a card or note.

Elsie Antonio has moved into Pennsburg Manor.

The Dock Academy sent an email stating they have an opening for a Pre-K Teacher beginning August 2021. For more information, you can contact Jenn Crissman at [jcrissman@dock.org](mailto:jcrissman@dock.org)

The Thursday evening Al-Anon group is continuing to meet at 80 Main Street (right across the street from St. Mark's). The meetings begin at 7 PM.

The July/August/September Word In Season is available. You can pick up a copy in the narthex or call the church office to have one sent to you.

## **LIFELINE SCREENING**

Life Line Screening is returning to St. Mark's on July 21<sup>st</sup>. They offer five preventive health screenings. You can choose just one or all of them.

They use ultra-sound screening to test for carotid artery plaque build-up, abdominal aneurysm risk, and osteoporosis risk assessment.

A quick, easy EKG with electrodes placed on arms and legs screens for irregular heartbeat. They also offer peripheral arterial disease screening.

There are flyers in the narthex explaining the services they provide. It also includes information on registering for the tests. Call: 1-888-653-6450 to register or go to: [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners). The date is Wednesday, July 21<sup>st</sup>. It is held in our social room. All safety and well-being guidelines are followed.

## **PRAYER LIST**

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Buddy Allen, Elsie Antonio, Lillie Bosler, Lisa Clark, Jack Cross, Marilyn Donis, Randy Dotter, Andrew Erb, Renae Fosbenner, Charlie Greulich, Marie Grubb, John Gruver, David Haines, Harold Hieter, Lisa Krause, Marie Jones, Dennis Laubach, Steve Law, Barbara Lehmann, Pat Matthews, Kenneth Miller, Deb Mullen, Barbara Opachinski, Lenny Rafalko, June Reigner, Mary Jane Schaeffer, Patsy Wampole and Charlene Wilson.

Please call the church office (215-679-9015) with any changes/additions.