

# April 2018 Newsletter

PENDLETON CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

*Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." -Matthew 28*

A number of years ago a relative of mine was talking to me about what they believed. I said that what they believed wasn't Christian. They said that was my opinion, you have your Christianity, I have mine. We live in a culture where people just make stuff up and call it truth. Part of our identity as Americans is that we allow people to believe and say anything they want.

### So is Christianity the same? Do we just make it up as we go along?

When Christianity began, Jesus told the disciples to "baptize in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and teach what he commanded." He didn't say to "just make stuff up you like."

But how do we know what the Apostles were taught?

In the early days of the church the Apostles wrote what they believed. This happened before the New Testament of the Bible was completed. It was a simple statement of faith. They called it the Old Roman Symbol because the church at Rome took care to keep it intact. Most of what we call the Apostles' Creed came from the Old Roman Symbol. In this simple creed are the most essential elements of our faith like: the trinity, immaculate conception, the church, the Holy Spirit, the resurrection of the dead, the crucifixion, and creation. For the months of April and May we will look at the Apostles' Creed, with the Bible, to understand the basic beliefs of our faith. With a few exceptions, these beliefs are held by all people who call themselves Christian. It goes beyond Methodists, Roman Catholics, Baptists, or Lutherans, to the beliefs of the Apostles as taught to them by Jesus.

The Constitution actually says as Americans we are free to "just make stuff up." In our faith, we look to scripture and the ancient creeds to guide us in what makes us who we are. I would like to invite you to an adventure in understanding who we are and what we believe as we journey back to the beginning of Christianity.

*Pastor Tom*

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# FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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## **UNITED METHODIST WOMEN**

Thursday, April 5 | 12pm | Fellowship Hall

Our hostesses for our next meeting will be June Phillips and Diana Rooney. Julie Chojcecki, from Literacy NY, Buffalo/Niagara will be speaking to us about literacy volunteering. We will also be making plans for our Rummage Sale which will be on Saturday, April 14. Please bring a sandwich and a friend. Desserts and beverages will be provided by our hostesses.

Next month, Jan Hodge will come to our meeting and talk to us about our Buffalo Zoo, as she is a docent there. Hope to see you there.

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## **PENDLETON FELLOWSHIP GROUP**

Please put the following Pendleton Fellowship Group events on your calendar:

**Monday, April 9 at 7pm** - Due to popular demand, Roger Hill is back to entertain us with his music and music history on the Elvis Era.

**Monday, May 14 at 6pm** - Field trip to Mud Creek Central Railroad in Royalton where we will ride a miniature train. Hotdogs included.

**Monday, June 11 at 6pm** - "The Bread Man," Chet Fery will present a spiritual program on the meaning of bread. We will feast on this bread as we enjoy a SOUP pot luck dinner. See Sue Phillips or Jane Smith for details.

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## **WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB**

Monday, April 16 | 7pm | Fieldstone Restaurant (On Transit Rd & Robinson Rd in Lockport)

We will discuss: "Angela's Ashes" by Frank McCourt. We thought we do dessert and coffee/tea this month but you're welcome to order a meal. Contact Yvonne Bova at ybova@kaleidahealth.org if you have any questions. Come join us! You do not need to read the book - we welcome all ladies at this monthly get together!

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## **INTERESTED IN CONCERTS?**

We have a few tickets left for the **James Taylor & Bonnie Raitt** concert at **Key Bank Arena, in Buffalo, on Sunday, July 1**. Tickets cost \$70. Please let Holly Brittain know if you are interested, 716-930-4661.

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## **THE HOLY LAND JOURNEY**

Coming in May - The Holy Land Journey. Pastor Lisa and members of our PCUMC congregation went on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land this past January with Bishop Webb and many people from our Upper New York Annual Conference. This trip enabled each of us to understand the Bible and our Christian faith much more deeply. The joys and struggles among the people of this region of our world became more real as we met many different people and saw how they live and interrelate. We will share pictures, memories, and experiences of how this trip made the words of the Bible come to life. Dates and times TBA; watch the church bulletin.

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# GENESIS PROGRAMS

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## **MOM'S MORNING OUT**

The toddlers at Mom's Morning Out are enjoying our wonderful program. Registration will open in May for fall 2018. If you are looking for some time to shop, run errands, or just relax while your child is having fun, making new friends, singing songs, and running off energy in our huge gym area, all while under the watchful eye of loving and nurturing trained adults, please call our office for registration or more information, 716-625-8306.

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## **PRESCHOOL**

There are still a few openings left in some of our fall 2018-19 classes. We have a great staff and curriculum that includes kindergarten readiness skills, basic Christian concepts, music, arts and crafts, field trips, and much more. Please call our office for registration or more information, 716-625-8306.

Easter/Spring Break is March 26 - April 6. No Preschool or Mom's Morning Out. Classes will resume on April 24
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# MISSIONS & OUTREACH

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## **NICARAGUA BUCKET PROJECT UPDATE**

Thank you for your continued support of the Nicaragua Bucket Project.

Just a reminder: there will be an ongoing supply of clean buckets with information sheets in Mission Central for you to take home. Once you fill and decorate your bucket please return it to Mission Central; there is no deadline. We will assure their safe delivery to the drop-off site.

Keep this mission project in mind when you begin your spring cleaning. Items that do not fit well in the buckets can be placed in the Nicaragua container next to the display.

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## **PURSE PROJECT**

It's that time of year again! Spring cleaning and soon you ladies will be "changing" your purses. If you have a purse that you are just not using any more, consider donating it to be given to someone less fortunate. We will also be collecting "things" to put in the purses - bar soap, body wash, deodorant, toothbrush and toothpaste, body lotion, chap stick, brushes, combs, little tissue packs, socks, shampoo, breakfast bars, granola bars, candy, gum - just about anything that you'd have in your purse (basics). A small denomination (\$5) gift card to Tim Horton's would be an extra special addition. Collection will end Sunday, May 27. Please leave in collection bin in Mission Central.

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## **SEEDS FOR SOULS**

We are collecting packages of ORGANIC fruit and vegetable seeds for Red Bird Mission in the Appalachia region. They currently have 55 families who participate in the program. Families and the elderly are helped out with guidance, seeds, and tools to create a garden to help feed their family and to also sell their produce at a local farmers market. This area is not close to supermarkets with fresh produce as we are used to. Remember - ORGANIC SEEDS ONLY! Check the packages and make sure they are organic seeds. These seeds are available locally at Walmart, Home Depot, and Lowe's. The seeds at Dollar General, Dollar Tree, and Family Dollar are NOT organic and cannot be used by this project. There is a bin in mission alley to drop them into. We will be collecting them until Sunday, May 13.

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# PRAYER & CARE MINISTRIES

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## **PRAYER SERVICE**

*6pm on the first Monday of the month | Monday, April 2 | 6pm | Prayer Theater/Labyrinth*

The monthly Prayer Service will take place on **Monday, April 2 at 6pm**. This is a quiet, contemplative service where you can listen for God's voice and feel the Spirit's presence.

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## **CARE-GIVING TEAM**

*Sunday, April 22 | 1pm | Office Conference Room*

The Care-Giving Team is meeting regularly for training and support so that they can help the Pastors care for the members of our church. They contact the sick and home-bound members, help with funeral luncheons, contact people we haven't seen in worship for a while, and help those in crisis in various ways. If you are interested in being part of this team, contact Pastor Jean, or just come to our next meeting on **Sunday, April 22 at 1pm**.

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## **24 HOUR PRAYER VIGIL**

*Friday, May 4 - Saturday, May 5*

Our next 24 Hour Prayer Vigil is scheduled for May 4-5. This is an opportunity to spend some quiet time with God in the sanctuary. Watch for signup sheets in worship or call the office to choose your time slot. If you would like to be part of our prayer team, talk to Pastor Jean.

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## **CHRISTIAN COUNSELING**

Lori Jagow is available at PCUMC for counseling. Counseling can empower individuals to face and move through difficult moments in their life and be successful. Appointments available days or evenings. Fees are based on a sliding scale. Contact Lori at [loriannjagow@gmail.com](mailto:loriannjagow@gmail.com).

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# CHILDREN & YOUTH

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We are continuing to have a great year in children and youth ministries! Make sure to look below to see a list of what we will be learning, working on, and doing in the month of April.

We are actively growing in our relationship with God, as we learn together, serve together, and be together. There are opportunities each month to be together for fun, fellowship, and outings; learn together through lessons and small groups; serve together by doing mission projects, helping others, and performing small acts of kindness.

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## **PARENTS' NIGHT OUT**

*Saturday, April 21 | 4-9pm*

Help support the Hot Chocolate with God program here at church. We will hold a fundraiser by babysitting your children. Bring your kids (1 year old - 6th grade) to church between 4-9pm for a fun-filled night of crafts, games, activities, and a movie! The cost is \$4 per child/hour. Please feed your child(ren) before coming. Snacks and drinks provided.

Space is limited! **Pre-registration required to attend.** Please contact Adrienne Demmin (text/call 727-8537) by April 18. We need to know many children and what times you plan on dropping them off and picking them up.

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## **30 HOUR FAMINE**

*Friday May 11 - Saturday, May 12*

Mark your calendars! The 30 Hour Famine will be held May 11-12. More information and details to follow!

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## **F.R.O.G.S. (FULLY RELIANT ON GOD SINGERS)**

*Wednesdays | 5:30-6:30pm | Choir Room*

All elementary children are invited to sing with the group. Questions? Call Sue Phillips at 691-4850.

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## **ANGEL WINGS**

*Wednesdays | 6:30-8:15pm | 3 years old - 6th grade | Ark*

This is a fellowship program provided for children. Questions? Call Becky Heideman at 625-8312 or Julie Larmond at 990-9063. Our Angel Wings May theme will be "I shared my faith."

Our last meeting for the season will be May 23 where we will share a meal at 5pm. Bring a dish to pass. Hot dogs will be served and drinks provided. We will have joint parent and child games, events, and a group photograph. Please RSVP to Becky Heideman or Julie Larmond. Please join us!

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## **YOUTH GROUP & YOUTH BAND**

*Wednesdays | 6:30-8:30pm | 7th-12th grade | Gym*

Youth are invited for a fun night of fellowship, team building, devotions, scripture and snacks! The youth band is open to all youth musicians. They practice and play contemporary Christian praise and worship music, and they will occasionally use their skills to lead worship music at different events and locations. We practice on Wednesday nights during youth group. Come join in as we worship our God!

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## **HOT CHOCOLATE WITH GOD AND S'MORES**

- *Friday, April 6 | 6pm | K-6th grade and leaders | Birthday Bash*  
We will be celebrating all of our birthdays with a big birthday party this night. We will be playing games, having fun, and enjoying time with our friends and leaders. We will be learning that our birthdays are a special time to remember that God made us all special and unique.
  - *Friday, April 13 | 6pm | Leaders' Night*  
The leaders of Hot Chocolate with God and S'mores get together for a lesson, small group time, team building, and planning their small groups lesson and activities.
  - *Friday, April 20 | 6pm | K-6th grade and leaders*
  - *Friday, April 27 | 6pm | K-6th grade and leaders*
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# BIBLE STUDIES

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## **PARENTING ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS - RAISING GODLY CHILDREN IN A TROUBLED WORLD**

*Sundays, April 22 - May 20 | 10:15am | Led by Lori Jagow | [Please register in advance](#)*

Have you ever wondered why kids from good homes end up with an addiction? How is it that children who were all raised in the same home could each turn out so differently? What can we learn from scripture about parenting? This five week class will explore answers to these questions, and examine both theoretical and Biblical concepts of raising Godly children in troubled world and its application.

The book "Connecting With Our Children: Guiding Principles for Parents in a Troubled World" by Roberta Gilbert will be used for this class. The book will be available purchase at time of class. Bring a Bible.

About Lori:

Lori studied postgraduate with the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education, Inc. (ACPE). She graduated from Empire State College with a Bachelor's degree in counseling and has had 20 years experience in social work and ministry. She continues her graduate studies in family systems theory, consultation, writing and ministry. She is also a member of the Samaritan Pastoral Counseling Center team and has a counseling ministry at PCUMC.

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## **SPIRITUAL GIFTS STUDY**

- Sunday Adult Study and Fellowship at 10:15am in the Fellowship Hall
- Mondays at 7pm in the back of the sanctuary
- Wednesdays 5-6:15pm in the Disciple Room

Everyone can take part in learning What Spiritual Gifts Are, Why God has Given Spiritual Gifts to the Church, and Discover What Your Spiritual Gifts Are and What That Means to Us As Christians in the 21st Century. If you have questions, want to sign up for a particular study time, or want to suggest a day/time that is not here, contact Pastor Lisa or the church office.

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## **BIBLE CHALLENGE**

Reflections may be found on the PCUMC website ([biblechallenge.pendletonchurch.org](http://biblechallenge.pendletonchurch.org)) and on the Bible Challenge Facebook page where you are welcome to ask additional questions, make comments relevant to the week's readings, and share prayer requests and praise reports. God is still speaking to people, and one of the ways we may hear God's voice is through reading and studying God's Word. So let's get started! It only takes four chapters of reading, 10-15 minutes, per day to read through the Bible in a year.

Read 4 chapters per day:

- Week 9 - February 26-March 4: 1 Samuel chapters 6-31; 2 Samuel chapters 1-2
- Week 10 - March 5-11: 2 Samuel chapters 3-24; 1 Kings chapters 1-6
- Week 11 - March 12-18: 1 Kings chapters 7-22; 2 Kings chapters 1-12
- Week 12 - March 19-25: 2 Kings chapters 13-25; Ezra chapters 1-10; Luke chapters 1-5
- Week 13 - March 26-April 1: Luke chapters 6-24; Acts chapters 1-9
- Week 14 - April 2-8: Acts chapters 10-28; Isaiah chapters 1-9

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# MORE CHURCH NEWS

## **SPRING RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE**

*Saturday April 14 | 10am-2pm*

Start cleaning out your attics, basements, and cupboards! Our United Methodist Women will hold their Spring Rummage and Bake Sale on Saturday, April 14 from 10am-2pm (bag sale at 1pm). Those wishing to donate items for the sale can bring them to church beginning Monday, April 9 (no earlier!). The sanctuary doors will be open from 9-4 that week for you to drop your items off in the back of the sanctuary. Your donated items and help are very much appreciated, and go a long way in helping to make this event a success, and to help support our missions. Watch for signup sheets in worship if you would like to help out in any way.

## NEWS FROM FIRST UMC

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First United Methodist Church is our sister church in Niagara Falls. All the events below take place at their address: 8210 Buffalo Ave., Niagara Falls, NY 14304.

**Free Community Dinners** | *Every Thursday at 5:30pm | Worship after dinner*

We continue to hold our **Free Community Dinner** every **Thursday at 5:30pm** and appreciate the help and support of PCUMC and other churches. Our **clothing closet is open 5-6pm Thursdays**, where anyone can get clothing or small housewares they need. **After dinner, there is a worship service** led by Pastor Bill Edmister.

**Youth Fun Nights** | *Friday, April 13 & 27 | 6-8pm | Grades K and up*

Youth Fun Nights continue in March for kids in grade K and up. Typically, we have 12-15 in attendance, and they are learning about the love of Jesus and having fun with crafts, games, music, and snacks.

**We are having a potluck dinner and movie night on Sunday, April 8 at 6pm.** We will be watching *All Saints*. It is about a pastor who came to a church that was struggling to survive and how he inspired the people to turn things around and reach out to their neighborhood with the love of Christ. Please join us for a nice evening of fellowship.

## FUNDRAISING INFORMATION

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### **SCRIP CARDS**

**Mother's Day is just around the corner!** Does your family have a favorite restaurant or place to shop? Why not get gift cards and help your church at the same time!

- With each card purchased, your church makes a small profit, while you get the full value of the card. There is a wide variety of cards available, from department stores, to restaurants, to online retailers. Check out the master list in the bookstore to find your favorites!
- Order forms and payment (cash or check payable to PCUMC) are due by 9am on Monday, April 9 or 30 for our next group orders. This way you can order exactly what you need!
- Pick up an order form in the church office on weekdays or from Maryellen Schutz after worship.

### **TOPS MARKETS' CASH FOR CAUSES**

- Tops cards are always available in the church office and Christian Education Office (in Fellowship Hall), in denominations of \$100, \$50, \$25, \$20, and \$10.
- Buy as little or as much as you need! All purchases help the church.
- The cards can be used at any Tops Friendly Market location -- on groceries, gas, or prescriptions. They are great as gifts too!
- Receive a \$20 "rebate" card from the church for every \$1,000 you spend on Tops Cards. It's easier than you think to reach that mark!

### **AMAZONSMILE**

Pendleton Center UMC is now a part of the AmazonSmile program!

**What is AmazonSmile?** AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support your favorite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you.

**How do I select a charitable organization to support when shopping on AmazonSmile?** On your first visit to AmazonSmile at smile.amazon.com, you need to select a charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. In the search box, type in "Pendleton Center United Methodist Church" to find the church!

**How do I shop at AmazonSmile?** To shop at AmazonSmile simply go to smile.amazon.com from the web browser on your computer or mobile device. You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages.

# CHURCH FINANCES

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## **FROM THE FINANCE TEAM**

**Fish Fry Dinner Update:** Thank you to all who are helping with the Lenten Fish Fry dinners. We've only completed three dinners at this point, but so far they have been very well attended. Hopefully the final four dinners in March will all be sellouts!! Our fish fry dinners are our major fundraiser each year, and they also do a great job of showing our community how the loving Spirit of God is alive in our church. All income from these dinners will be applied to the General Operations account. We will report on all fish fry results in the May newsletter.

**How are we doing?** At the time this article was written, we only had financial results through the end of February, and our February year-to-date income was disappointing. As we mentioned in last month's newsletter, we received nearly \$16,300 in Prepaid 2018 contributions during the month of December 2017. The Finance Team agreed to divide that amount evenly over all twelve months of 2018 since those offerings apply to the entire year. Right now our early 2018 income projection places us 3% below our Finance Budget. We generally have a clearer picture after we have April or May results, which include both Easter income and fish fry dinner profit. Meanwhile, we will continue to keep a close watch on our spending and income.

### **Some notes from the Finance Team:**

- 1. Your offerings to the church can be made with:**
  - **Cash** (No Canadian or other foreign currency please!)
  - **Check** (payable to PCUMC; no need to write it all out. Also, please use blue or black ink; no pencil or red or green ink!)
  - **Date on Checks:** checks must have the current date (i.e., Saturday or Sunday) and NOT Monday or Tuesday or any other future date ☺
  - **Electronic Funds Transfer** (contact Mary Bobsein in the church office if you'd like to enroll in this program)
- 2. If you use pew envelopes (i.e., you don't use assigned boxed offering envelopes): please PRINT your FIRST & LAST NAME on the pew envelope to ensure we record your giving properly to your name.** There are too many similar last names within our church, so last name alone isn't enough!
- 3. 2017 Giving Summaries:** if you need another copy of your calendar year 2017 giving statement for tax purposes, please contact Mary Bobsein in the church office ASAP.

**Thank you for all you do** to make our dynamic ministries happen. We need to work hard to provide all the support they need, and your continued support will make our ministry a powerful witness to Christ.

*Thank you to everyone who helps to make this newsletter possible!*

# OUR CHURCH FAMILY

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## *Happy Birthday!*

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| 1 - Loren Earle, Jr.<br>Stacy Joseph<br>Libby Koplas<br>Joshua Lee<br>Brett Lemma<br>Samantha Seegar<br>Thayer Wheeling | 16 - Lisa Brown<br>Janet Gertz<br>Karen Jaynes   |
| 2 - Nicole Henderson-Johns<br>Christopher Liddell<br>Frank Remillard<br>Werdy Rodriguez                                 | 18 - Austin Gominiak<br>19 - Rita Arnold<br>Kelly Brown<br>Loren Earle Sr.<br>Jodi Harris<br>Michelle Hocking<br>Madison Remillard |
| 3 - Christopher Matyas  | 20 - Leah Clapsadle<br>Richard Finiki<br>Amy Folby<br>Cindy Neese  |
| 4 - Mark Ash<br>LouAnn Banas<br>Cheryl Borner<br>Kaylee Grimmer<br>Patrick Hahn<br>Matthew Matyas                       | 21 - Jill Fritz<br>Ava Jones<br>Andy Reid<br>Alex Reid<br>Lynne Terry  |
| 5 - Susan Abraham<br>Chet Dombrowski<br>Sherrie Peterson  | 22 - Emma Terry<br>Brandon Walter  |
| 6 - Paul Brown<br>Ursula Morrison   | 23 - Debbie Parise   |
| 7 - Cara Innus<br>Ezekiel Krystaf<br>George Peterson  | 24 - Benjamin Amato<br>Allyson Clark<br>Rhonda Daigler<br>Jesslyn Weber  |
| 8 - Laura Piazza  | 25 - Chelsea Aleong<br>Cody Lee  |
| 9 - Heather Bush<br>Jayvon Carney<br>Nate Morris<br>Gretchen Pusch  | 26 - Brenda Forrest<br>StephanieThompson<br>Marilyn Varney<br>Ethan Getsler  |
| 10 - Sam Folby<br>Nick Krystaf  | 27 - Anna Kay Anderson<br>Daniel Bancroft<br>Becky Heideman<br>Katie Leeds<br>Wesley Thompson                                      |
| 11 - Evan Dick<br>Theresa Korzak<br>Betty Wells<br>Tom Ohol, Sr.  | 28 - Aaron Preisch   |
| 12 - Jacob Kim-Kubiak<br>Shirley Meyers<br>Keith Patrick  | 29 - Elouise Amato<br>Olive Burbidge<br>Shanelle DiGesare<br>Norm Haniszewski<br>Dorothy Thuman<br>Holly Varney                    |
| 13 - Paul Gancasz<br>Ryan Varney  | 30 - Diane Feind<br>Mike Rozeski<br>Alannah Smith<br>Eliora "Ellie" Smith  |
| 14 - Spencer Dick<br>Joseph Bull<br>Ella Franke<br>Heather Geary<br>Michael Juszczak, Jr.                               |  |
| 15 - Emma Brittain<br>Brandon Cochi<br>Martins Innus<br>Jason Phillips  |  |

## *Happy Anniversary!*

- 3 - John & Eileen Chatley '93  
Ed & Dorothy Getty '58
- 4 - Loren & Lorraine Earle '92
- 5 - Scot & Karen Jaynes '86
- 8 - Harvey & Gloria Joseph '81  
Rick & Diane Strusienski
- 9 - Tom & Lynn Valentine
- 10 - Paul & Kristy Gancasz '99
- 14 - Dan & Fawn Jones '84  
Dale & John McLean '78
- 15 - Larry & Robin Selino '89
- 16 - Sam & Amy Folby '88
- 18 - Mark & Teri Hersee '98
- 19 - Lee & Debbie Robichaud '75
- 21 - Keegan & Jill Roberts '10  
John & Sally Santor '01
- 27 - Chet & Carol Dombrowski '96
- 28 - Dick & Anna Kay Anderson '56

## *New Baby!*

Jackson Wyatt Wasieczko  
Born on March 3, 2018

Parents: Dee Clapsadle & Ray Wasieczko  
Grandmother: Leah Clapsadle

## *Condolences*

*We offer prayers for the friends and families  
who have lost loved ones:*

- Edwin Belling, husband of Nancy Belling
- Darryl Benham
- Alice Haseley

# April 2018

Full calendar available at  
calendar.pendletonchurch.org

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 - Easter Sunday Mission Moment: Easter	2 6pm - Prayer Service	3 10am-3pm - Spring VBS 12pm - Senior Nutrition Program	4 No Wednesday Nighters 10am-3pm - Spring VBS 7:30pm - Line Dancing	5 10am-3pm - Spring VBS 12pm - UMW 7pm - GriefShare 7pm - Praise Team Rehearsal	6 6pm - Hot Chocolate with God & S'mores (All)	7
8 6pm - Potluck Dinner & Movie Night at First UMC	9 (Trip to Lancaster's Sight and Sound Theatre) SCRIP Orders Due 7pm - Pendleton Fellowship Group	10 (Trip to Lancaster's Sight and Sound Theatre) 7pm - Trustee Meeting	11	12	13 6pm - HCWG/S'mores Leaders	14 10am - Rummage & Bake Sale 10:30am - Seneca Street Cooking
15 6:30pm - The Gathering Worship	16 May Newsletter Deadline 7pm - Women's Book Club	17 12pm - Senior Nutrition Program	18 7:30pm - Line Dancing	19 7pm - GriefShare	20 6pm - Hot Chocolate with God & S'mores (All)	21 9am - Men's Breakfast 4pm - Parents' Night Out
22 Mission Moment: World Malaria Day 10:15am - Christian Parenting Class	23 7pm - Guardians Meeting	24 9:30am - Newsletter Assembly	25	26	27 6pm - Hot Chocolate with God & S'mores (All)	28
29 10:15am - Christian Parenting Class	30 SCRIP Orders Due 6:30pm - Prayer Meeting					

## Sundays

- 9am - Worship
  - Jr. Church - 3 yrs. - 3rd gr.
  - Nursery Care - 0-2 yrs.
- 10:15am - Sunday School for children
  - Bible Studies for youth
  - Confirmation Class
  - Adult Study & Fellowship
- 11:15am - Worship
  - Jr. Church - 3 yrs. - 3rd gr.
  - Nursery Care - 0-2 yrs.

## Mondays

- 10am - Women's Bible Study
- 12pm - Knutty Knitters
- 7pm - Bible Study

## Tuesdays

- 10:30am - Sit, Sip, & Sew
- 1pm - Watercolors

## Wednesdays

- 5pm - Bible Study
- 5:30pm - F.R.O.G.S.
- 6:30pm - Angel Wings
  - Youth Group
- 6:45pm - Pendletones
- 7pm - Chancel Choir
  - Bible Studies
  - Nursery Care Available
- 8:30pm - Men of Hymn

## Thursdays

- 5:30pm - Community Dinner at First UMC

## Saturdays

- 10am - Watercolors
- 5pm - Worship
  - Jr. Church - 3yrs. - 3rd gr.
  - Nursery Care - 0-2yrs.

# Pendleton Center United Methodist Church

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### Worship

Saturdays at 5pm  
Sundays at 9 & 11:15am

### Sunday School For All Ages

Sundays at 10:15am

### Prayer Service

Monday, April 2 at 6pm

### The Gathering Service

Sunday, April 15 at 6:30pm

### Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 1 | Worship at 9 & 11:15am

### Potluck Dinner & Movie Night at *First UMC*

Sunday, April 8 | 6pm

### Spring Rummage & Bake Sale

Saturday, April 14 | 10am-2pm

### Parents' Night Out

Saturday, April 21 | 4pm-9pm

### 24 Hour Prayer Vigil

Friday, May 4 - Saturday, May 5