

Newsletter

Little Swatara Church of the Brethren

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"Little Swatara is a Christ-centered Community of caring and serving people committed to peace and following Jesus Christ to: Grow Spiritually, Build Christian Community, and Share the Good News"

Worship Services 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.

Matthew S. Christ, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

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Revealing and Reflecting Christ

In Scripture time and time again we see God appearing to people, performing amazing and undeniable miracles, speaking audibly, and doing things we don't always see today. Have you ever wondered why He was so willing to reveal and prove Himself in those times but almost seems "hidden" and silent today?

As we prepare for this season of Lent, there's a need to reveal and reflect Christ in our lives. Could it be God seems hidden because of the fact of our unrepentant sin? Remember in Micah 3:4, "they cried out to the Lord, but he did not answer them. At that time he will hide his face from them because of the evil they have done." We know too from Hebrews 11: 6 that without faith it is impossible to please God. Could we be missing God through a certain level of unbelief when we're not fully opening our eyes to His revealing Himself?

As spring unfolds, we see God's first miracle – creation – being revealed. This is our primary evidence of God's existence and the way He reflects His character. Romans 1: 20, "From what was made, man can see that God is powerful, sovereign and eternal." Even more so after creation, He reveals Himself and informs man of His ways. He first speaks to Adam and Eve, giving them a reflection of how to follow His commands.

But the greatest assurance for you and I is that He promised to send a Savior to redeem us from sin. Through Lent, we see Christ revealed as the Son of God, performing miracles to prove it, dying for our sins on a cross and ultimately reflecting an unmistakable power in rising from the dead. The very fact the tomb is empty demonstrates we need nothing more. It has been finished – Christ crucified and risen again. New life is before us. The forgiveness of sins has been made possible. We take comfort that the Scriptures God has declared are sufficient. Nothing can be added or taken away and we find solace knowing God still speaks through His written Word. The Holy Spirit works with our conscience to guide us into Christ's reflections. May we be mindful God is constantly at work in the world and each of us as we see Christ revealed and reflected daily. Be blessed in all you do.

Pastor Matt

CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF ...

-Jim and Barbara Batz, Jamie, John Wise family; JoLyn, Mark Light family, on the death of Jim's brother, Jay Batz, who died January 31, 2017.

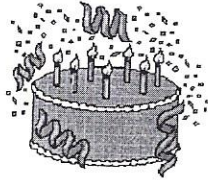
-Mark and JoLyn Light and children, on the death of Mark's father, Ralph Light, February 5, 2017.

-Jamie Wilson Bufton, and Dan Wilson, on the death of their father, Dennis Wilson, February 18, 2017.



Our Haiti Mission team will be sharing both Services on Sunday, March 5. Come, hear testimonies of transformation how God showed Himself in our stay in St. Marc. There will be a slide show to bring to life what we experienced and a call to missions globally and locally. You'll be sure to want to attend this Sunday and become a part of what God is doing.

Pastor Bob and Carol Krouse moved to Westminster, Maryland. Bob is an Interim Pastor, for approximately one year, at the York Church of the Brethren.

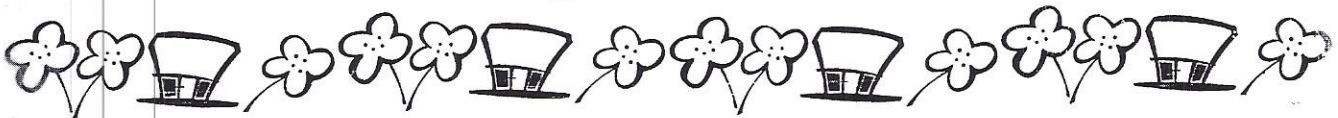


Members Birthdays for March:

Bronson Cass	1
Cale DeMille	1
Pamela Franklin	1
Darlene Webber	1
Phyllis Baylor	2
Aaron Stupp	3
Ryan Kissling	3
Nancy Bashore	4
Sharon A. Bashore	5
Mary Bashore (Sam)	5
Debra Seigfried	5
Marlin Ritchie	6
Stephan Snyder	6
Rita Soliday	6
Mark Swope	6
Derick Kauffman	7

James Bickelman	9
Richard Frantz, Sr.	9
David Fake	10
Jessica Hartranft	10
Marlene Blatt	10
Neal Siegrist	10
Faye Balsbaugh	11
Devin Emerich	11
Kevin Boltz	11
Oscar Manbeck	11
Rachel Graby	11
Darlene Bechtold	12
Ruth Keeney	13
Lisa Hershey	13
Vincent Snyder	14
Anthony Fazio	15
Brenda Hershey	15
Joan Kline	15

Aaron Riegel	15
Jeffery Miller	16
Esther Yenser	16
Cathleen Sauber	17
Donald Bashore	18
Mary Ellen Dietrich	18
Steven Henning	18
Audrey Dickson	20
Jean Snyder	20
Glenn Heisey	24
Janet Costic	24
John Hoover	25
Gregory Dreibelbis	26
Allen Rebman	26
Fred Phillipy	27
Mary Louise Bashore	28
Tammy Long	29
Bonnie Behney	31
Scot Zeller	31



THE GATHERING PLACE

I heard it at the café. . . .



The café volunteers are such a blessing! There is always a lot to do and it gets done. But, sometimes things go missing – ask Patty and Sally about dumpster diving!

LITTLE SWATARA CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

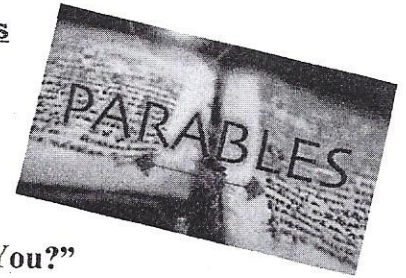
Spiritual Renewal Week

March 19—22, 2017

Story: The Parables of Jesus and Other Stories

with Pastor David Weiss

*Each of Dave's messages include live paintings
he will do during the early part of the service.*



Sunday, March 19 – 10:30 a.m. – “What Kind of Soil Are You?”

Scripture: Matthew 13: 1-23

We'll start by looking at what makes a good story and why Jesus taught in stories, then we'll look at the first of Jesus' parables, The Parable of the Sower.

Special Music: Senior Choir

All Fellowship Meal following service

Sunday, March 19 – 7:00 p.m. – “Pictures of Jesus”

Youth Night

In this evening presentation, Dave will share a few stories and five “live” paintings of Jesus including his own testimony to help us to see that as believers we are all “Pictures of Jesus” to the world around us and how we can represent Him well.

Special Music: Praise Team

Pizza following the service!

Monday, March 20 – 7:00 p.m. – “The Older Brother”

Scripture: Luke 15: 11-32

This message covers the parable of the prodigal son told from the perspective of the older brother and deals with grace and forgiveness.

Special Music – Senior Choir

Tuesday, March 21 – 7:00 p.m. – “What to Hold Onto and What to Let Go”

Guest Church Night

Scripture: Matthew 18: 15-35

This exploration of the Parable of the Unforgiving Servant deals with conflict resolution and the importance of relationships, restoration and forgiveness in the body of Christ.

Guests: Springfield Church of the Brethren

Ice Cream following the service!

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Wednesday, March 22 – 7:00 p.m. – Hurried, Buried and Worried”

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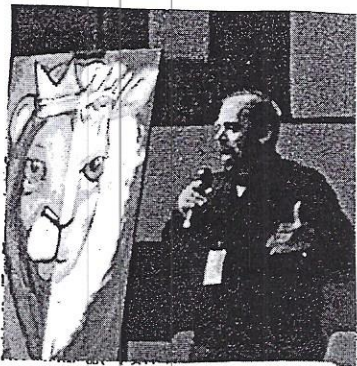
Children’s Night

Scripture: Matthew 25: 14-27

This presentation explores The Parable of the Talents and challenges and encourages all of us to use our gifts to serve the Lord and serve others, as well as digging up some of the things we have buried.

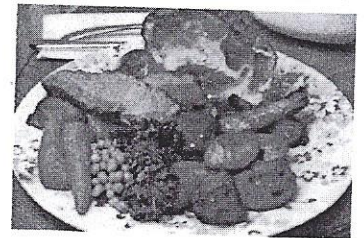
Special Music – Jubilee Choir

Kindergarten through 5th grade will move to the Fellowship Hall for a special program following the children’s story.



David’s Bio - Dave Weiss has always been an artist but he hasn’t always been a preacher. His life was radically transformed when someone cared enough to introduce him to Jesus and someone else showed him that he could use his gifts of art to serve the Lord. When he first walked into the church he was terrified to speak in public, but in the last four years he has spoken in about 180 churches. His passion is for helping people to find and use their gifts to the glory of God and helping the church to embrace creativity as we take the unchanging message of the Gospel to an ever changing world. He is a 1981 graduate of Tulpehocken High School and lives in Mohrsville with his wife, Dawn. They have two sons, Brandon, a farmer in Centre Township and Chris, a teacher in the Wilson School District, and a grandson, David.

ALL FELLOWSHIP LUNCH - Everyone is invited to attend the All Fellowship Meal after the 10:30 am. Worship service (one service) on March 19. As in previous years, please bring a dessert (if able) to keep the tradition alive in “Passing the Desserts”. After the meal members received in the past years will be introduced. The Senior Choir will also sing. Come and enjoy the meal as we fellowship together on **March 19, 2017.**



LENT As Lent approaches, we will begin a new series entitled “Revealing & Reflecting the life and sacrifice of Jesus”.

On Ash Wednesday, we invite you to an interactive prayer service from 6-7pm. We encourage you to please enter in solitude to the fellowship hall anytime during that hour. There will be stations set up with prayer guides, faith deepening questions to reflect upon and an object lesson to deepen our intent to live Christ like and surrendered to God’s Will as we are mindful of what Christ has done for each of us.



"Just as you did it to one off the least of these... you did it to me."
(Matthew 25:40)

LITTLE SWATARA CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING
March 26, 2017

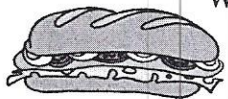
"One Great Hour of Sharing" reaches those near and far, sometimes changing the life of someone in distress in your own community, while at other times impacting the lives of those we may never meet, but who are in need of our compassion. God provides the resources so that we can give back. It's not the size of the gift that matters, it's that we give of what we have. We're simply giving back to God what is already God's – and that means everyone has a gift to bring!

Gifts given through this special offering empower ministries such as:

- *Church of the Brethren's Global Mission and Service
- *Brethren Disaster Ministries
- *Work camps
- *And many others
- *Congregational Life Ministries
- *Brethren Volunteer Service
- *The Global Food Crisis Fund

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

We are knotting Comforters every Thursday morning beginning at 8:00 a.m. A "Sub" Sale is scheduled for **March 9, at 6:00 am.** and on



Wednesday, March 8, at 3:00 pm. preparations for making Subs.

Your Help is needed at both of these times. Look for the sign-up sheet for orders in the Narthex. Mark your calendars for the next Sub sale on April 6, 2017.

Lebanon Valley Brethren Home are having their Annual Membership Drive – Information is on the table in the Narthex.

A special Thank You to all of the volunteers who tirelessly help with all of our fundraisers and for all who support the women by your participation.

The next Women's Meeting will be held on Thursday, March 2, at 9:00 a.m. All women are welcome to attend.

WIDOWS LUNCH

March 14, 2017

11:30 am

at

**COUNTRY FARE
RESTAURANT**



All widows are invited to attend
Join us for lunch and fellowship

Call: 610-678-5247 for Reservations

**ALL MEMBERSHIP COUNCIL
ACTIONS**
February 13, 2017

The verbal reports from Financial, Mortgage Update, Gathering Place, Auditor's, Pastor Matt, were given. The Ministry Team reports were presented in the booklet. In New Business, a supported motion from the Leadership Team to install a WiFi System in the church, through to the Parsonage at an estimate cost of \$7,035. This was Approved.

NEW WINDSOR DAYS – March 17-19, 2017 -For anyone who trained in BVS, volunteered, worked, or was part of the Brethren Service Center... Zigler Hospitality Center, in New Windsor, Md., invites you to join us for a casual time to sharing memories and experiences, touring the campus, and celebrating the importance and the history of all those who passed through the Brethren Service Center in the past 70+ years.

Please bring pictures and stories. Share how your time at New Windsor influenced your life and faith.
Friday evening, March 17: Dinner at 6 pm; Saturday, March 18: Casual Breakfast-8-10am; Light lunch: 1-2pm; Dinner: 5:30pm; and late night Ice Cream Social: 8:30 p.m.; Sunday, March 19, Breakfast 7:30 am.

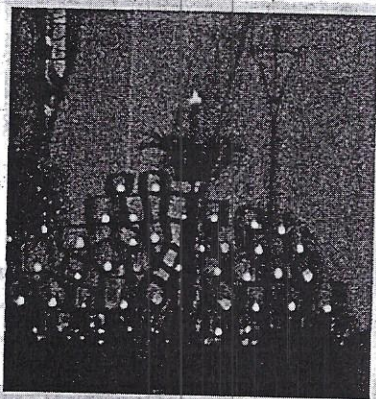
Special package rate: (Friday-Sunday)>Lodging and meals: 60/person; Meals only:30/person.

RSVP appreciated by March 10. More information, contact:410-635-8700/(mgrossnickle@brethren.org), New Windsor, MD 21776

P.S. If unable to attend, feel free to send written or video memories.

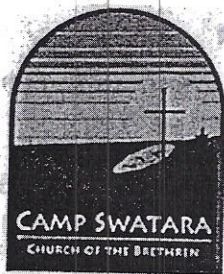
Camp Swatara

Taizé Lenten Retreat



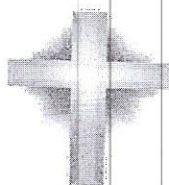
March 10-11, 2017

West Retreat



Friday Night Worship service 7pm

For Adults ages 18- 118



SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON

Harrisburg/Lebanon

Thursday, April 20
Hershey Spring Creek CoB
12:00pm— Price TBD

Menu:

TBD

(to be determined)

Cliff & Wendy Flick

"Tribute to Fred Waring"

Cliff & Wendy toured with the Waring Team during 1981-82. They will be sharing music from the tour, (via video clip and songs).

Registration Deadline: 4/6



Youth Scholarship Fund

If your youth group is planning to attend one of the Church of the Brethren workcamps and an individual or group is in need of some financial assistance, you may submit an application for this fund. This fund was established in 1983, in memory of a number of Church of the Brethren members killed in a plane crash.

Please contact Jess at jross@ane-cob.org for an application. Applications will be accepted through March 31, 2017. The Nurture Commission will then disperse monies as the fund allows. We will work to give as much as requested, however it may be less depending on how many applications we receive.

Plan to join us for the Art of Marriage!

Who doesn't want a more fulfilling marriage, even if yours is already good?
Why would you not want a good thing made even better?



The Art of Marriage® weaves together expert teaching, real-life stories, humorous vignettes, and more to portray both the challenges and the beauty of God's design for marriage.

In The Art of Marriage, over 40 ministry leaders provide biblically-centered teaching about marriage. In addition couples who have struggled, openly and honestly share their stories from their marriages of pain, loss, forgiveness, and grace. No matter where you are in your marriage, this event can help you to realize that others have some of the same challenges and struggles and to learn tools for improving your marriage.

When: March 31, 2017 - 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
and April 1, 2107 - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost to attend: \$50 per couple or \$25 per person;

Register by March 19th:

- stop at the table at the back of the sanctuary and pay registration with check or cash
-OR-

-register online at theartofmarriage.com. Click on "About" and then on "Attend an Event" and search by date or location to find event or go to eventbrite.com and search Little Swatara to find event) and pay with credit card. (Note there is an additional fee added by eventbrite if registering online.)

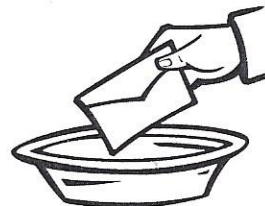
For more information: Go to theartofmarriage.com

ANALYSIS OF OUTREACH GIVING FOR 2016

	Yearly Budget Amount Achieved	Outreach Budget Amount FOR 2017
General Fund - Expenses		
I. WHAT WE PROPOSE TO GIVE		
I-A · Brotherhood Outreach	10,900.00	14,400.00
I-B · District Budget Self-allocation	10,500.00	14,400.00
I-C · Elizabethtown College-Young Ctr	600.00	800.00
I-D · Camp Swatara	600.00	1,800.00
I-E · Lebanon Valley Brethren Home	600.00	600.00
I-F · Bethany Seminary	600.00	1,000.00
I-G · Area Council of Churches	200.00	200.00
I-H · COBYS	2,300.00	2,400.00
I-N · Brethren Hour	500.00	500.00
I-O · We Care Packages	149.89	200.00
I-P · Community Support		
1. Keystone Fire Co. of Rehrersburg	150.00	150.00
2. Union Fire Co. of Bethel	50.00	50.00
3. Frystown Community Fire Co	50.00	50.00
4. Mt. Aetna Fire Co.	50.00	50.00
5. Bethel Community Ambulance	100.00	100.00
Total I-P · Community Support	400.00	400.00
Total I. WHAT WE PROPOSE TO GIVE	\$27,349.89	\$36,700.00
Outreach budget for 2017 increase =		9,350.11

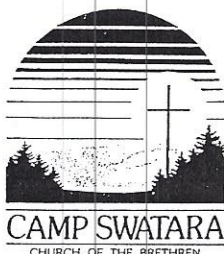
Ordinary giving to outreach in 2016

Emergency Disaster Fund	100.00
Family Assistance Fund	17,145.00
Food Pantry	848.00
Global food incentive	2,295.00
Good Samaritan Fund Rancks	553.43
Haiti Mission Fund	11,796.01
Men's Fellowship	2,400.00
Mission of the month	1,387.00
Nigerian EYN Fund	800.00
One Great Hour of Sharing	3,677.53
	41,001.97



Stewardship

TOTAL OUTREACH for 2016	\$68,351.86
TOTAL GIVING 2016	\$368,177.85
Outreach Percentage of total giving	18.56%



CAMP SWATARA NEWS - Spring Weekend Camps are here:
 March 17-19 – Juniors (G 1-3) and Junior High (G 7-9)
 March 24-26 – Intermediate (G 4-6)
 Please register online at www.campswatara.org

Also register online for 2017 Program Summer Camps – This years theme is:

Branching Out, Connecting Through Christ

For more information about Camp Swatara, please see the Bulletin Board near the Church Office.



Little Swatara Preschool

March 2017



Dear Friends,

Hello on this cool and windy "winter" day. I must say, I'm thinking *Spring* will be here before we know it. We are ready for a month of fun activities. We will be teaching academic and spiritual skills that ready our students for kindergarten. And, we are hoping for warm days to get outside to run and use our muscles in more energetic ways. Please continue to dress your child appropriately for the daily weather and preschool activities.

Here are some activities to use at home to keep your child busy and in a "learning is fun" state of mind. * Pour salt or sand in a pie plate and instruct your child to write alphabet letters in the salt or sand with their finger. * Draw straight, curvy, wavy or zigzag lines across a piece of paper. Give a child safe scissors to her or him to practice cutting. * Collect lids from milk bottles and write a letter on each lid, spell your child's name. Write numbers on the lids, put them in order, group by colors, make your telephone or house number, make groups of 2s, 3s, 5s etc. These activities will help prepare your child for Kindergarten while having fun. Take time to encourage your child's imagination to grow and to learn that education is fun.

We are once again busy Preschoolers, learning many new skills and growing daily. If you have any questions or concerns about your child and /or preschool please contact me at Church (717)933-4500 or at home (717)274-9875. I will arrange for you to meet with you and your child's teacher.

Your friend, Miss Cindy

Enroll Now for 2017-2018

It's time to begin enrolling your child in Preschool for next fall. Student enrollment applications are available and will be accepted March 1, 2017. We will be offering 4 classes to start the end of August. They are as follows:

Preschool classes will meet-Mon and Wed, 9 to 11:30 am.

Tues and Thurs, 9 to 11:30 am

Pre Kindergarten classes will meet- Mon, Wed & Thurs, 9 to 11:30 am.

Mon, Wed & Thurs, 12:30 to 3pm.

The Pre Kindergarten classes are intended for children enrolling for Kindergarten in 2017. If you are interested in any of our programs, please contact Miss Cindy. *** In the past, the morning Pre Kindergarten class has been the first to fill, often registration is closed in June. If you are wanting to enroll your child in our Pre K classes an early enrollment is encouraged.



Art Show

Wow, thank you to everyone that attended the Student Art Show! It was an afternoon full of fun. We were able to view students works of art, and we spent time together crafting, sculpting with play dough and being creative. Check the Preschool Facebook page for pictures. There were over 150 people in attendance.



Extended Day Program

March begins our Pre Kindergarten 1 Extended Day Program. Each Thursday in March, April and on May 4, Miss Diana and Miss Josie will lead an extended Pre Kindergarten 1 class. The extended times will be spent exploring the workings of a full day classroom. This class will be made up of our Pre K1 students. The Extended Day Program is an opportunity to expand the areas of structured science, math skills, physical activity, life skills and phonics. Each participating student will need to **bring a packed cold lunch** on Thursdays.

Miss Sara will be the lead teacher for the PK 3 class on Thursdays through May 4. Miss Danielle will continue as their assistant teacher.



Foul Weather

Preschool closings and delays will coincide with Tulpehocken Elementary School. If school is closed due to bad weather, we will be closed. If they delay for 2 hours, our morning sessions will run 10-12noon. And the afternoon session will run 1-3pm. Extended day 10am-3pm. If there is an early dismissal, our afternoon session will be cancelled or we will dismiss early. Weather delays and cancellations are posted on the Preschool Facebook page. **The television stations do list the school district at the bottom of the screen.**

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone that helped make our Valentine Celebrations a success by contributing food and party items. The children had a fun filled day. Everyone went home with a bags full of love and cheer. Thanks for your support.

PARENT TEACHER CONVERSATIONS

Miss Diana and Miss Sara are available to parents to discuss your child and their Preschool experience. Please call the Preschool if you want to set up a time to have a telephone conference or make an appointment to meet on site with your child's teacher. You may call (717)933-4500 to make an appointment.





For Your Information

-April 17 and 18 are scheduled vacation/snow make-up days. As of February 27 the Pre K classes and the T/Th class have one snow day to make-up.

-April 23rd is Preschool Sunday at Little Swatara Church. It is a Sunday morning church service that the Preschool children provide special music for the congregation. All families are invited to attend.

- We are waiting to hear from Bethel Elementary for a date that the Pre K students are invited to visit their Kindergarten classes.

MARCH 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 COBY's Youth Gym Night Newsletter Deadline Praise Team 8:15am/Jubilee 10:30am 11:00 AM FH,K Res. P-Stupp	27 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class	28 Ministry Team Minutes Due 6:30 PM Den Meeting 7:30 PM FW Group #2 Mtg	1 ASH WEDNESDAY 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class 7:00 PM MEN'S Bible Study 8:00 PM Praise Team Practice	2 8:00 AM Knotting Comforters 9:00 AM Thirsty Thursday w/PS 9:00 AM Women's Fellowship Mtg 5:00 PM TOPS Mtg 7:00 PM Senior Choir Practice	3	4 9:30 AM Women's Spring Fellowship @ Hsbg 1st CoB 12:00 PM FH Res/PS Art Show (Snow Date) 1:00 PM Sanct. Res. 50 Plus Program
5 JOY 8:15am/Senior 10:30am 8:15 AM Testimonies of Haiti 9:30 AM Youth Yummies 5:30 PM Scout Den Meeting 6:00 PM Christian Poetry Fellowship	6 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class	7 7:00 PM Leadership Team Mtg	8 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class 3:30 PM Sub Sandwich Prep 7:00 PM LADIES Bible Study 8:00 PM Praise Team Practice	9 6:30 AM SUB SALE DAY 8:00 AM Knotting Comforters 5:00 PM TOPS Mtg 7:00 PM Christian Ed Mtg 7:00 PM Senior Choir Practice	10 7:00 PM THS Musical "Footloose"	11 8:15 AM 50 Plus Bus Trip 7:00 PM THS Musical "Footloose"
12 Food Pantry Collection 10:30 AM Praise Team	13 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class	14 11:30 AM Widows Luncheon at City Fare 6:30 PM Den Meeting 7:00 PM Mission & Evangelism Mtg	15 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class 7:00 PM Jubilee/7:30JOY Practice 7:00 PM MEN'S Bible Study 8:00 PM Praise Team Practice	16 8:00 AM Knotting Comforters 5:00 PM TOPS Mtg 7:00 PM Senior Choir Practice	17  2:00 PM Bethel Food Pantry	18 6:00 PM Young Family Fellowship
19 WLBR Broadcast Sunday/Sr Choir 10:30 AM ONE SERVICE 12:00 PM All Fellowship Luncheon 7:00 PM SPIRITUAL RENEWAL with David Weiss	20 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class 7:00 PM SPIRITUAL RENEWAL with David Weiss	21 7:00 PM SPIRITUAL RENEWAL with David Weiss	22 8:45 AM Exercise Class 10:00 AM Seated Exercise Class 7:00 PM SPIRITUAL RENEWAL with David Weiss	23 8:00 AM Knotting Comforters 5:00 PM TOPS Mtg 7:00 PM Senior Choir Practice	24	25 7:00 AM Men's Ministry Prayer Breakfast
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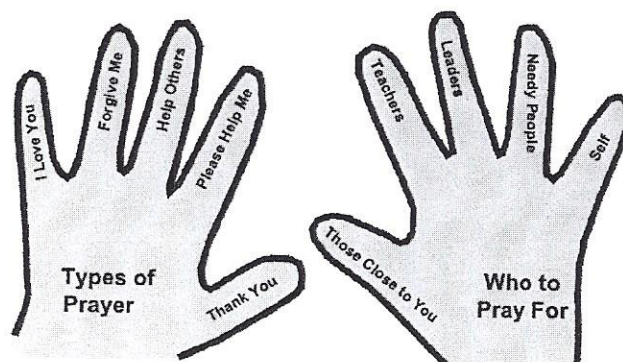
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OLD ENGLISH PRAYER

Take time to work –
It is the price of success.
Take time to think –
It is the source of power.
Take time to play –
It is the secret of perpetual youth.
Take time to read –
It is the fountain of wisdom.
Take time to be friendly –
It is the road to happiness.
Take time to dream –
It is hitching your wagon to a star.
Take time to love and be loved-
It is the privilege of God.
Take time to look around –
It is too short a day to be selfish.
Take time to laugh –
It is the music of the soul.

-The *Newsletter* Newsletter

Hands For Prayer



“Kindness has converted more sinners than either zeal, eloquence or learning.” F.W.Faber