

Little Swatara Church— Rev. Matthew S. Christ

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WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

VIDEO PROJECTION Glenn Riegel & Mark Myers—CVLI#502613280; CCLI#157691

ORGANIST Marlene Blatt

CHURCH SIGN Changer: July- Pat Timmins August-Tony Fazio September- Sam Forry

	<u>Wk 1 Sept 6</u>	<u>Wk 2 Sept 13</u>	<u>Wk 3 Sept 20</u>
CHORISTER			
10:30 am	Dianne High	Praise Team	Allen Rebman
WORSHIP LDR			
10:30 am	Gary Bashore	Praise Team	John Wise
CHILD STORY			
10:30 am	Michael & Sara Kolbe	Jenny Luckenbill	Ashly Koch
PIANIST			
	Diane Duell	Praise Team	Sarah Brubaker
AUDIO			
	Alan Bashore	Todd Rebman	Todd Rebman
WORSHIP CTR			
	Jennifer Speraw	Jennifer Speraw	Tanya Feathers
WELCOME CTR			
10:30 am	Pat Timmins	_____	Dorothy Gensemer
USHERS			
10:30 am	Bob & Wendy Lingle Sam Forry & Matt B	Gerald B / James B Marlin R / Jason M	Ken Duell / Dylan H Earl Seigfried / John Ziegler

NOTICE: We are currently running a Livestream ministry. If you cannot join us on Sunday morning in person, you can join us "online" by visiting our Facebook page. Our 10:30 service is streamed every week.

PLEASE BE ADVISED: If you do not want you or your child to appear on this Social Media Stream, please contact the camera operator in the back of the sanctuary to make sure your are avoided.

*Little Swatara
Church
of the
Brethren*

*"Keep your lives
free from the love
of money and be
content with what
you have, because
God has said,
'Never will I leave
you; never will I
forsake you.'"*

Hebrews 13:5



September 6, 2020



Outreach: The Gathering Place Café, 8490 Lancaster Ave, Bethel
 Contact: gatheringplacecafe.com / Phone: 717-933-5958
 Café Hours: Mon-Fri 6-11am & Sat 7-11am



Prayer Concerns

Let us remember the shut-ins and elderly not able to be with us today.

Carl Balsbaugh
 Carl Graby
 Earl Ebling
 Tara Ebling
 Sandra Kauffman
 Nolan Keeney
 Diane Long
 Dorothy Merkey
 J. Hershey Myer
 Suzanne Wichert
 Kenny & Marie Zeigler



NOTE - COLLEGE STUDENTS

Parents, if you have a son or daughter attending college this year, please leave an address with the secretary so we can support them with cards & letters of encouragement throughout the coming year



'Little Swatara Church of the Brethren: Transformed by Christ to Love, and Serve Together:'

Because we are called by Christ to continue his work we will:

- Provide opportunities for spiritual growth for all ages.
- Energize, equip and disciple youth and young adults for Christian service.
- Connect and engage with each other and the community.
- Introduce other to Christ through service.
- Expand our ministries in love.

GIVING LAST SUNDAY

General Fund	\$ 4,037.00
Building Fund	\$ 165.00
Fam Assistance	\$ 115.00
Maintenance	\$ 305.00
Sunday School	\$ 25.00
Global Food Initiative	\$ 25.00
Nigerian EYN	\$ -
Womens Fellowship	\$ -
Food Pantry	\$ 17.00
Gathering Place	\$ 50.00
Mission of the Month	\$ -
	\$ -
Total	\$ 4,739.00

GENERAL FUND BUDGET 2020
\$ 312,710.

Last Sunday's Attendance
 Worship 42
 Online Worship 58

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September 6, 2020

10: 30 Worship Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn "Come let us all unite to sing" #12

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory" #366

Offertory

Jr. High Bible Presentation

Josiah Blouch, Julianna Hoffa, Julie Forry,
 Leshane Christ, Emma Landis

Children's Moment

Hymn "Just a closer walk with thee" *projected*

Sermon Series - "What God wants and what we want"
Message "What moth and rust destroy"

Scripture: Luke 12:15; Matthew 6:19, 24b

Closing Hymn "When we all get to Heaven" *projected*

Sending Forth

Please pick up a hymnal on your way into the sanctuary for use during worship and then return it to the table after worship. Thank you.

Teacher Needed

Little Swatara Preschool is looking to hire a Preschool Teacher. Responsibilities would be to lead a 2.5 hour class, 2-4 mornings a week along with an assistant teacher. The class would consist of no more than 10 students, ages 3-5. For more information contact:

Cindy Bradley (717) 274-9875
or Renee Brown (724) 809-6433

Women's Fellowship News



CHOW CHOW TIME! We will be taking orders or chow chow. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex or you can give Beatrice or Brenda a call with your order. The **final day** to place your order will be **September 15th**. The Annual Christmas Bazaar has been cancelled, so ordering will be the only way to get your chow chow this year. We appreciate your cooperation and support.



Bake Goods Needed for the Hershey Myer sale on September 12th. Please drop off baked goods at the church on Friday, Sept 11th between 2-4 pm (so they can be individually packaged).

Help is needed at the refreshment stand on the day of the sale. Please let Wendy Lingle know if you can help.

There is a sign-up sheet for help at the refreshment stand on the table in the narthex.



Exploration Days September 12, 2020

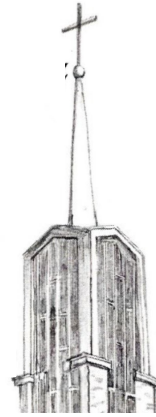
Camp Swatara is hosting a **FREE** Exploration Day for families!

Horseback riding
Make your own butter
Canoeing
Mini golf And more



RSVP & MORE DETAILS:
WWW.CAMPSWATARA.ORG/EVENTS

Children's Bulletins are on the table in the back of the sanctuary for two age groups. Please help yourself.



You're Invited!

Outdoor Service / Tailgate Party (Weather Permitting)

Youth Pig Roast Fundraiser Sept. 20th



Upcoming Youth Events

September 13th - Jr/Sr High COBY's walk/bike 4 pm at Camp Swatara

September 20th - Pork Roast Fundraiser 11:30 am—1:00 pm. Pick up meal after church

October 18th - Corn Maze or Campfire/Manhunt

November 15th - Movie Night



December 6th - Jr/Sr High Christmas Party



Save the Date: Sunday, September 13, 2020
Lititz Church of the Brethren •
300 West Orange Street, Lititz, PA 17543

The Tradition Continues!
65-mile Motorcycle Ride •
10/25-mile Bicycle Ride • 3-mile Walk

For more information go to: cobys.org/bike-and-hike



SILENT AUCTION

The LSCOB quilters have a quilt ready for the Disaster Relief Auction which has been canceled for 2020. We have decided to display the quilt in the back of the sanctuary and accept silent bids until September 27, 2020 with the money going to the Disaster Relief Auction fund. Please check out the quilt and place your bid in the box provided. The quilt will also be shown on the Sunday morning Live Stream. A picture of the quilt will be in the church newsletter. You may submit your bid by emailing: Jean351@aol.com. The quilt top was donated by Hershey and Anna Mary Myer. It is king size measuring 106" x 92". Think of that wedding gift you will soon need or a Christmas gift to that special person, while you will also be helping the Disaster Relief Fund. The highest bid will be shared Sept 13th & 20th during church service, giving you a chance to increase your bid.



September
Mission of the Month









"Brethren Disaster Relief"

What's Happening in:

September



- 6 Jr. High Bible Presentation Sunday
- 7 Labor Day
- 8 8 pm Christian Ed Team Meeting—Zoom
- 10 8:30 am Quilting 
- 13 4:00 pm Youth Activity / COBYs Bike & Hike @ Camp Swatara
- 16 Newsletter Deadline
- 17 8:30 am Quilting 
- 18 Food Pantry 
- 19 Exploration Day @ Camp Swatara 
- 20 10:30 Outdoor Worship Service
11:30 am—1:00 pm Pork Roast Tailgate Dinner (Youth Fundraiser)
12 noon Spiritual Nuture Meeting
- 22 Ministry Team Minutes Due  **MEETING MINUTES**
- 24 8:30 am Quilting 
- 25 6:30 pm Scout Troop Meeting
- 26 C. Ziegler Reunion/Pav

Note: Groups that wish to meet in the church should contact
Pam Gerberich, Moderator (717) 222-1094

or

Gary Bashore, Asst. Moderator (484) 332-0295