



Grace Church

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WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS
OCTOBER 26 - NOVEMBER 1

Pastor Margie's Office Hours This Week

Tuesday - Thursday 9:00am - 12:00pm
Always available by phone, text, or email.

This Week's Office Hours

Monday	8AM-12PM
Tuesday	8AM-12PM
Wednesday	9AM-2PM
Thursday	9AM-2PM

Office is closed on Friday.

OCTOBER MISSION FOCUS

Carmel Ministries

We take all of the stuff of daily life for granted. Get a cut or scrape... we go to your first aid kit for a band-aid. Need some school or office supplies... we run to Walmart or Target. What do you do when those resources aren't readily available?

Carmel Ministries is always in need of the kinds of supplies we can access without thinking about it. Can you give to help bless others with adequate resources?

Check out below to see how you can help!



Grace Church Candy Crawl

No trunks, just treats!

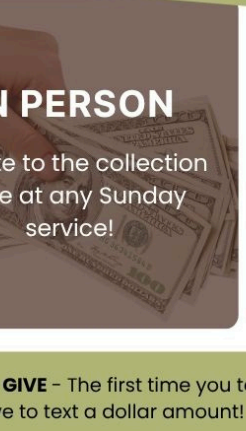
We are looking for volunteers for the Grace Church Candy Crawl (formerly Trunk-or-Treat) that will take place during Lemoyne's Trick-or-Treat on October 30th at 6pm-8pm. NO TRUNK NEEDED - just a camping chair! We will form a line of candy stations for the kids to visit.

Can't volunteer? Consider donating some candy!



Sunday Altar Flower Sponsorships

We invite you to place flowers in the Sanctuary in memory or honor of a loved one or in honor of a special occasion. If you'd like to sponsor the flowers during Sunday worship, please contact the office or click [HERE](#).



Prayer Concerns and Requests

Tony Barr
Donna McBride
Family of Dave Kyler
Vicke Holley
Shawn Snow

If you would like to submit a prayer request to our Prayer Team, you may do so on our website [HERE](#). All are welcome to attend prayer time on Tuesdays at 10am.

TITHES & OFFERINGS

IN PERSON

Donate to the collection plate at any Sunday service!

ONLINE

Click [HERE](#) to connect to our secure Grace Online Giving site!

TEXT MESSAGE

Text a dollar amount to 844.964.1547 to donate via text message!*

*TEXT TO GIVE - The first time you text, you'll be prompted to set up an online account. After that, you'll only have to text a dollar amount! Pro tip: Save the contact in your phone as "Grace Church Giving"!

Click [HERE](#) to donate online.

Opportunities

for Mission, Service, & Giving

Shed of Grace

Always in need of donations! We are currently in most need of Men's clothing. Be thinking of warmer clothing you may be able to donate as we get closer to Fall and Winter. All donations welcome. See Chick Zoll for more information.

Sunday Morning Greeters and Ushers

See Pastor Margie for details.

Mission Central

Mission Central in Mechanicsburg welcomes volunteers at any time. Want to know more? See Pastor Margie.

Second Mile Giving

Opportunities include Carmel Ministries/Carmel Tribal Mission, Hope Made Real (Mama Arlene), and UMCOR Disaster Relief.

Pre Church Conference Mission Project

RISE AGAINST HUNGER

Sunday, November 2nd

4:00PM - 5:30PM	Meal Packing
5:30PM - 6:00PM	Worship
6:00PM	Church Conference

Money in Your Pocket Tax Preparation

Volunteers are needed to serve as greeters and to offer free tax preparation to help working families receive the federal and state tax credits they are eligible for. For more information, see the flyer below or contact Heidi Neuhaus at 717.724.4055 or by email at hneuhaus@uwcr.org.

Fall Back

NEXT SUNDAY

Remember to change your clocks
back one hour
Sunday, November 2, 2025
at 2:00am!



MISSION FOCUS: CARMEL MINISTRIES

Donations Needed

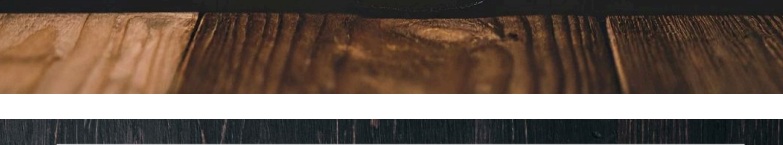
- FLASHLIGHTS
- UMBRELLAS (must fit in suitcase)
- RAINCOATS (kids and adults)
- WINTER JACKETS
 - Kids sizes S-XL
 - Adult sizes S-3XL
- WINTER WOOLEN CAPS
- SWEATERS
 - Kids sizes XS-L
 - Adult sizes S-3XL
- WOOL SOCKS
- WINTER GLOVES
- SCHOOL SUPPLIES
 - Pens, pencils, crayons, and notebooks
- SMALL TOYS
- BACKPACKS
- SHEET SETS (Twin and Queen)

Donations will be brought to Carmel on Pastor Jason's next trip to India!

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, October 30, 2025
10am - 11am
Grace UMC Parlor

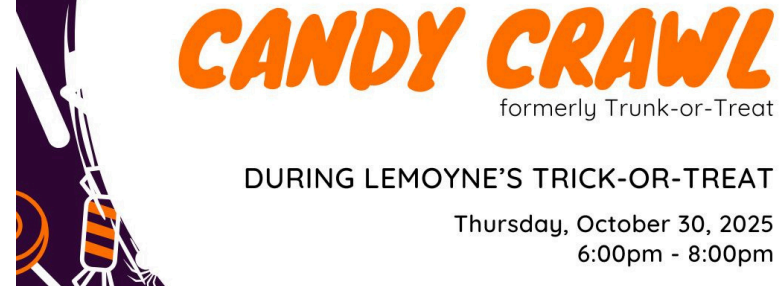
Will be studying the Parables!



GRACE CHURCH CANDY CRAWL

formerly Trunk-or-Treat

DURING LEMOYNE'S TRICK-OR-TREAT
Thursday, October 30, 2025
6:00pm - 8:00pm



MEN'S BREAKFAST

Tuesday, November 11, 2025
9:00 AM

Bring a friend!

Yankee Doodle Restaurant
860 N. Front Street
Wormleysburg, PA 17043



Women's Breakfast

Tuesday, November 18, 2025
9:00 AM

Trindle Family Restaurant
5001 E. Trindle Road
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050



Lemoyne Star Quilters

Wednesday, November 19, 2025
7pm - 9pm
Grace UMC Olewiler Room

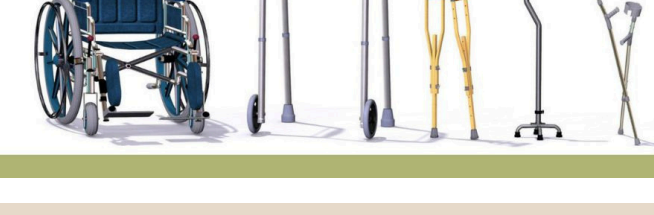


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MEDICAL LOAN CLOSET

Borrow and donate medical equipment today!

717.763.7632



Upcoming Events

OCT 30

10 AM - 11 AM
Adult Bible Study

OCT 30

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Grace Church Candy Crawl

OCT 29

7 PM - 8 PM
Choir Practice

NOV 2

5:30 PM
Church Conference Shepherdstown UMC

NOV 16

9:30 AM SERVICE
Monthly Roof Offering

NOV 18

9 AM
Women's Breakfast Trindle Family Rest.

NOV 11

9 AM
Men's Breakfast Yankee Doodle Restaurant

NOV 19

7 PM - 9 PM
Lemoine Star Quilters

NOV 20

6:30 PM
Church Council Meeting

VOLUNTEER TO HELP WORKING FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS

Fall 2025

Help provide free tax preparation to low- and moderate-income families through United Way of the Capital Region's Money in Your Pocket (MIYP) program. You'll help ensure working families in our community claim all available tax credits while saving them the cost of high tax preparation fees and refund anticipation loan interest rates.

- No previous experience necessary - Easy-to-use computer software.
- Learn a valuable skill - IRS tax training and certification.
- Make a big impact - Help families receive thousands of dollars in Earned Income Credits and Child Tax Credits, which are the nation's largest anti-poverty programs.
- Flexible enough for any schedule - Volunteer days, nights or weekends at one of 17 tax prep sites within Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry counties. Most volunteers work one day a week during tax season (late January through mid-April). Some remote opportunities are available.
- Other ways to volunteer - Serve as a greeter, screener, local tax preparer or translator at one of our tax sites. These positions do not require any tax preparing.



MIYP HIGHLIGHTS since 2003...

- 78,092 federal returns filed
- \$83,299,034 million returned to our community
- \$26,500 - average annual income for clients receiving service
- \$15.6 million saved in tax preparation fees (based on average cost of \$150 per return)
- 17 sites in Dauphin, Cumberland and Perry counties
- 3 site through partnerships in Mifflin and Juniata counties

VOLUNTEER INFORMATION SESSIONS

The following sessions will be held virtually:

Wednesday, October 1 6-7 p.m.	Thursday, October 23 noon - 1 p.m.	Thursday, November 13 6-7 p.m.
Thursday, October 9 noon - 1 p.m.	Tuesday, October 28 6-7 p.m.	Tuesday, November 18 6-7 p.m.
Tuesday, October 14 6-7 p.m.	Wednesday, November 5 6-7 p.m.	Monday, November 24 6-7 p.m.

The following session will be held in person:

- Wednesday, November 12: 6-7 p.m.
Tri County Community Action, 1514 Derry Street, Harrisburg

Register now at: bit.ly/miyp-volunteer-info

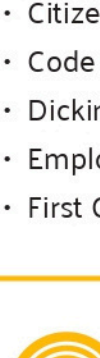
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COALITION PARTNERS

- United Way of the Capital Region - Lead Agency
- Belco Community Credit Union
- Bosler Memorial Library
- Central Pennsylvania Food Bank
- Citizens Bank
- Code For America/Get Your Refund
- Dickinson College
- Employment Skills Center
- First Christian Church of Lemoyne

- First United Church of Christ
- Market Square Presbyterian Church
- Messiah University
- Middletown Public Library
- Midwest Food Bank
- Mifflin-Juniata Human Services
- New Hope Ministries, Inc.
- Penn National Insurance
- Penn State Dickinson School of Law
- Perry County Literacy Council

- PNC
- Shippensburg University
- Tri County Community Action
- United Way of Carlisle and Cumberland County
- U.S. Department of Treasury, Internal Revenue Service
- Widener University Commonwealth Law School

**UNITED WAY**
Capital Region

MONEY IN YOUR POCKET

Sponsored by:
