

TURBOTVILLE NEWS & HAPPENINGS

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CHURCH NEWS

Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church

10275 State Route 44 – about 2 miles west of Turbotville
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Worship at 9:15am each Sunday

Greetings from your friends at Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church! Here's what's happening at Holy Spirit this month! On January 7th, we celebrate the Baptism of Our Lord. And the following Sundays we continue to celebrate the Epiphany, a time of healing and fellowship, where the Church comes together in the covenant of brotherhood to love one another as Christ commanded. Reminder – There will not be a monthly meal in January. Meals start up again on February 10. Join us for worship each Sunday at 9:15 as we welcome a new year full of promise.

Trinity United Church of Christ

7 Church St. Turbotville Pastor Doug Schader
570-649-5040 info@trinityuccturbotville.org

10:30 am Sunday Morning Worship

Happy New Year from Trinity UCC Members. Wishing you all a healthy and happy 2018.

The month of December was a busy one for us. Although we did not have our regularly scheduled meetings, we were busy with holiday projects.

The members of the church made up 138 Christmas Bags to give to the children at Neighbors Helping Neighbors. Along with the bags, we also sent along boxes of canned food and quite a few sets of gloves, mittens, scarves, socks and hats. The clothing items were all from our Mitten Tree that we put up every November.

On the 17th, members enjoyed fellowship, games and good food at our Christmas Party. This was held after worship on the 17th. The 24th, we had two services. Our one at 10:30 am and then a Candle Light Service at 7:00 pm. Both services were well attended. The month of January, members will be gearing up for activities for 2018. We will hold our Consistory Meeting on the 7th and our Women's Guild Meeting on the 14th. Feel free to join us for Church Services at 10:30 am. Come and hear the message given by Pastor Doug Schader. All Are Welcome!

Trinity is handicap accessible.

GOD BLESS! HEAL THE PAST; LIVE THE PRESENT; DREAM THE FUTURE....

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

39 Paradise St., Turbotville Pastor Erwin Roux
570-649-5195

Saturday Worship @ 6:00pm

Sunday Worship 8:00am & 10:30am

Sunday School 9:15am

Winter is still with us, but the next month looks like a busy one for Zion, especially with Lent beginning.

Our worship service on Saturday, February 3rd, will include the Laying on of Hands and Anointing with Oil, which Christ and his disciples performed many times to forgive sins, cast out demons, and cure physical diseases. Anyone who wishes to receive this ministry is welcome to participate.

The next event is the **Youth Groups'** date to go snow tubing at Ski Sawmill on Sunday, February 4th. The group will meet at the church at noon and leave by 12:30. Don't worry, you will be home in time for the Super Bowl! The cost is \$25 for three hours of winter fun.

Boy Scout Sunday will be observed on February 4th, with Troop 622 and Pack 3622 joining Zion for worship at the 10:30 liturgy. The Scouts will be back the following **Sunday, February 11th**, to provide an all-you-can eat pancake breakfast with sausage, orange juice, and coffee. Adults are \$7.00 and children under five are free.

Next on the month's agenda is the **Annual Men's Oyster Supper on Tuesday, February 6th at 6:30 p.m.** The cost will be approximately \$15, depending on the price of the oysters when purchased. There will be a speaker.

Ten youth, from sixth through twelfth grades, and three adults will attend Youth Quake in Allentown on the weekend of February 9-11. The group will participate in worship and song, workshops and study, fellowship and fun.

The Jolly Bunch, Zion's groups for seniors, will meet on Valentine's Day, February 14th. They will hold their annual Bingo game and follow up with lunch at OIP. The next gathering will be on March 14.

February 14 is a really special day this year since it is also Ash Wednesday. Worship will begin at 7:00 and will include the imposition of ashes in the shape of a cross. The following Wednesdays will begin at 6:00 in the basement social hall with soup and sandwich, followed by the Holden Evening Prayer in the Nave at 7:00.

TOWN MEETING MONDAY, FEB. 12TH

To all Borough Residents:

Turbotville Borough is applying for a State Sponsored Grant for funds to make improvements at the Borough Park / Recreation area. The Borough is soliciting input from the users of the park regarding these improvements. There will be a Public Meeting on Monday, February 12 at 7PM in the Municipal Building, 267 Broadway St., Turbotville to discuss potential improvements. All Borough residents are invited to attend and participate.

COMMUNITY HALL EVENTS

Fri. Feb 2th Pa. Dept. of Health Clinic 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Sun. Feb. 4th New Life Worship Center @10:00 a.m.

Tues. Feb. 7th New Life Worship Bible Study 7-9:00 p.m.

Wed. Feb. 7th Dagwood's order due call Margaret Blakeney 570.649.5220 or Bud Bieber 570.649.5537

Fri. Feb.9th Valentine Ham Dinner: benefit for a cancer patient Time: 3-7:00 p.m. Sponsor: Hosteller Church

Sun. Feb.11th New Life Worship Center @10:00 a.m.

Tues. Feb.13thTurbotville Heritage Club 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Feb.14th New Life Worship Bible Study 7-9:00 p.m.

Thurs. Feb.15th Dagwood's sale Pick up 7-9:00 a.m.

Sun. Feb.18th New Life Worship Center @10:00 am

Mon. Feb. 19th Blood Drive 1-6:00 p.m.

Tues. Feb. 20th TCHC meeting 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Feb. 21st New Life Worship Bible Study 7-9:00 p.m.

Sun. Feb. 25th New Life Worship Center @10:00 a.m.

Wed. Feb.28th Lion's Club Meeting 6:30 p.m.

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To reserve: the Turbotville Community Hall or pavilion

Call: Margaret Blakeney 570-649-5220

FUND RAISER EVENT

Raise the Region- Kick off March 14-15- Please donate to help preserve the Community Hall. More details will be forthcoming. Visit Facebook page- Turbotville Community Hall.

EVERYONE WELCOME

TURBOTVILLE HERITAGE SOCIETY

Pres. Michael Sechler 570-649-5289

tbhs1859@yahoo.com

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 13th at 7:00 pm in the Community Hall.

With the winter months upon us, the train station is dormant for a few more months yet. However, that doesn't mean we are sitting around waiting for spring. Mark your calendars because we have a Community Night scheduled for Monday, March 12, 2018 from 5-8pm at the Wendy's Restaurant in Muncy, just off the I-180 Muncy/Hughesville exit. We are also actively seeking grant funding, working on our plan for train station projects to be completed, prepping our archiving system to file historical documents and photos, and much more. Sometimes the winter months are the best time to fall back and regroup and catch up on things. If you have items you wish to donate, place on loan to be displayed, or photographs and papers that we can copy, please let us know? In the meantime, check out our fundraising items on www.turbotville.org including the Turbotville afghans, yardsticks, flyswatters, history books, t-shirts, limited edition train station prints by Raymond Weaver, Milton Car Works books, Turbotville National Bank "shelf sitter" wooden blocks, and the history book series from Robert Swope. We have all items on hand except large t-shirts, which are sold out. We are also selling RADA cutlery and have some different knives and accessories already on hand including their most popular paring knife, tomato slicer, Handi-Stir, and knife sharpener. If there are any items you would like, please contact us at the phone number above.

TURBOTVILLE LIONS CLUB

We would like everyone to know that we were able to purchase Christmas gifts for 29 area needy children and deliver food baskets for 12 area needy families! In addition to that, we were able to donate \$2000.00 to recent area fire victims to help them start all over again! Please pray for them.

Right now, we are having a Gun Raffle Fundraiser-you can purchase a chance to win 10 guns for \$20.00 per ticket. The Lions Club pays for the background check for all winners! See any member for tickets.



We will be holding our Annual Longaberger Basket Bingo on Sunday, March 18th at the Anthony Township Building in Exchange. Doors open at noon, with the early bird game @ 12:45 p.m. \$20.00 for 20 games of Bingo. We will also have door prizes to give away along with Raffles; 50/50; and Chinese Auction. You will get a packet of 6 cards for your \$20.00. The proceeds from these events are some of the funds we use to help others in need! Please consider joining us for Bingo or buy a gun ticket! Thanks for your Support



Exchange Midget League

Signs-Ups went very well on the 25th. You still have time to sign your child up for this ball season. T-Ball age 4-7 B-Ball/A-Ball age 8-14 Must be of age by May 1, 2018. Sign-up fee is \$40 & additional siblings are \$30 each. The fee covers hat, pants, shirt and socks. Practices and games are held on the same days each week at the fields at Exchange Pool starting in April. Fundraisers are only done when necessary. Come register your player @ the Anthony Twp. Bldg. 2/17 10am-noon or 3/15 6:30-8pm. Any new player needs to bring a copy of their birth certificate. If you have any additional questions, contact Hestia @ 570-437-2935. Welcome to the Team!

MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY

Saturday, February 3 is TAKE YOUR CHILD to the LIBRARY DAY! Montgomery House Library has plans. DO YOU? Join us between 12pm and 4pm for family-friendly activities featuring crafts, games, and prizes. Come and see all the cool things you can do at the library and all the good that can come of it. Oh, yeah, we've got lots of new tech toys too!

Feature Program: Valentine's Day Trivia Nite & Ice Cream Social Wednesday, Feb. 14th 6pm to 7pm

Month Long Program:

Blind Date with a Book

Tweet Board: Chinese New Year - hand write your 140-character thoughts about the Year of the Dog. learn about hashtags

CLOSED - PRESIDENTS DAY - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Specials

Saturday, February 10, 10am - Retro Cartoon Club

Saturday, February 24, 2pm - Lego Club

Thursday, February 1, 6:30pm - Board Meeting

Weekly Programs/Building Space

MONDAYS: 2-5, 6pm – Dominoes; 2-12, 7pm - Book Club

2-19, CLOSED; 2-26, 6pm - Knitting Circle

TUESDAYS: 10am Books for Babies; 11am Pre-K Read & Play; 6pm Kids Make & Take Station

THURSDAYS; 6pm Quilting

FRIDAYS: 11am-1pm Kids Make & Take Station

SATURDAYS: 12pm-2pm Gadget Help

Save the Date FRIDAY, MARCH 2 - DR SEUSS'S BIRTHDAY

WEATHER CLOSING - The library follows WRASD closings and advisories, but adapts as needed to support safety for staff, customers, and first responders and unforeseen conditions

Consult Facebook for the latest library weather decisions.

If in doubt, please call before coming out. 570.538.1381

OIP SPECIAL

570-649-6168

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH OIP is celebrating with 2 sizes specials – We have for the larger party 2 LARGE CHEESE PIZZAS, 24 wings, 10 garlic knots w/sauce and 2-liter soda for \$39.99 + tax or for the smaller gathering we have 1 LARGE Cheese Pizza, 12 wings, 10 garlic knots, and 2-liter soda for \$23.99 + tax.

FOR THE ENTIRE MONTH OF FEBRUARY order 1 Large Pizza with 1 topping; 1 2liter Pepsi product; 1 order Garlic knot w/sauce for \$19.99 + tax.

VALENTINES DAY SPECIAL – February 14th only \$1.00 off dinners at OIP.

TORBOTVILLE CARNIVAL

Carnival will be held the first full week in June which is June 4th thru the 9th this year. We have a full schedule of entertainment – with some new bands booked. Pet parade will be on Monday and the Community parade will be held on Friday. Committee meets the 3rd Monday of the month at the Community Hall at 7:00 pm.

TORBOTVILLE HOTEL

570-649-5420

During February, Turbotville Hotel will continue to serve up the present menu of: salads, soups, sandwiches, and wings. **The dining room is open** Wednesday thru Saturday 11 a.m. to 10p.m. Dining room and bar is open “Wing Days” on Sunday and Monday serving from 2p.m. until 10 p.m. **Tuesday** the kitchen is not open for food. We are a SMOKE FREE establishment. Bar hours are Sunday thru Tuesday 2:00p.m. until 12 mid-night. Wednesday & Thru 11 until 12 mid-night and Friday and Saturday 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 a.m. **COMING MARCH 7TH DINNER MENU!!** Sneak peek at what will be served; steaks, FRESH pasta, seafood special along with the present menu. Keep tabs on what is happening at The Turbotville Hotel on our face book page. We look forward to seeing you soon! -Nate & the gang!

WINTER WEATHER

Turbotville’s Borough Ordinance for snow/ice removal on sidewalks states that all sidewalks have snow/ice removed within 24 hours after the storm has ceased to fall. Any owner that fails to remove any snow or ice from the sidewalk will be fined.



VECHILE PARKING – Borough workers would appreciate in snow/ice storms that vehicles be removed from along the side of all streets so that plowing of the streets can be done all the way to the streets edge. Being able to do this eliminates any ‘piles of frozen snow/ice’ on the borough streets and maintains safety in using our streets. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

