

TURBOTVILLE NEWS & HAPPENINGS

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May 2017

CHURCH NEWS

Holy Spirit Lutheran – 10275 Rt. 44

2 miles west of Turbotville on Route 44
or ¾ of a mile past McEwensville toward Turbotville
570-649-5822

holyspirit@windstream.net

[Worship at 9:15am each Sunday](#)

[Here's what's happening at Holy Spirit this month!](#)

[Sunday, May 7th, Kathryn \(Katie\) Raup and Coltin Pentycufe will be confirmed at the 9:15am worship service a celebration reception will follow.](#)

[Stop by our stand at the Turbotville School Fair on Friday, May 19, for fresh cut French fries.](#)

[We are having a Daughters of All Ages banquet on May 20 at 6pm. See Barry Moser for tickets or call the church office.](#)

[Our newly formed **Sawdust Ministry Team**, an outreach ministry of Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, will meet on May 22nd at 6:30pm. Driven to make a difference, we are led by Christ to help people in our local community that are struggling with minor home repairs because of financial or physical limitations.](#)

[Home repairs that we may help with: carpentry, window repair or replacement, wheelchair ramps, steps/porch repairs, minor plumbing, dry wall work, painting, home maintenance inside and out.](#)

[Please No roof or electrical jobs. Contact, Project leaders: Jay Raup 570-649-6193 or Ray Ritter 570-437-2688](#)

[We are getting ready for the Turbotville Community Carnival June 5-10. We'll have the Fresh Cut French Fries stand and our Famous Fish Sandwiches too!](#)

[Remember, you are always welcome at Holy Spirit.](#)

Trinity United Church of Christ

7 Church St., Turbotville
Pastor Doug Schader, 570-649-5040
10:30 am Morning Worship
info@trinityuccturbotville.org

Greetings from Trinity UCC Members:

April was a very busy month for us at Trinity. The month of May will also be busy for us.

For the month of May, we will start out on May 7th, we will have our monthly Consistory Meeting.

On May 14th, we will honor the Mothers of our congregation. On May 16th, the ladies will gather at the Country Cupboard, in Lewisburg, for our annual Mother's Day meal.

May 21st, we will have our monthly Women's Guild Meeting, at which time we will be gearing up for our "TRINITY UCC ICE CREAM STAND". Yes, we will be set up again this year, selling ice cream cones and root beer floats. Carnival Week is from June 5th to June 10th. Come out and support the various stands and enjoy good food and a good time.

Also, Vacation Bible School will be held at Paradise Church. The dates and times are: June 11th thru June 14th, from 6pm to 8pm.

As a reminder, school will be letting out soon, so please watch out for the children as they are out and about for the summer.

Feel free to join us for Church Services at 10:30 am. Come and hear the message given by Pastor Doug

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

Worship 8:00am & 10:30am

Sunday school 9:15am

SATURDAY worship at 6:00 p.m.

The Ascension of Our Lord

In Luke's gospel the risen Christ ascends into heaven and his followers are assured that the Spirit will empower them to be witnesses throughout the earth. The disciples were told to not gaze up into heaven to look for Jesus; we find his presence among us as we proclaim the word and share the Easter feast. We too long for the Spirit to enliven our faith and invigorate our mission. We will celebrate the Eve of the Ascension this year on Wednesday, May 24th at 7:00 pm.

The Jolly Bunch will meet Wednesday, May 10, 2017. It will be our annual Plant Sale, START your seeds now! Get your plants ready and bring your money. We will go to lunch at OIP in Turbotville. Join us for a time of fellowship and socializing.

Mother's Dinner Sunday, May 7, 6:00 pm

Turkey, Filling and Gravy ~ Mashed Potatoes and Roll, Vegetable ~ Cranberry Sauce, Dessert and Drink. Tickets are \$ 8.00 for adults \$4.00 for children ages 4-12, 3 and under free. Contact the office (570-649-5195) for tickets if you can't get them on Sundays. We hope that ALL the women of the church will join

Anyone who wishes to be part of a group should meet at the church at 8:00 a.m. Gloves, vests, and bags will be available at the church, and volunteers are asked to register. Collected bags will be taken to the Lycoming Landfill and anyone who wishes to pick up on their own are asked to call the church office (570-649-5195) for pick-up of their bags. Last year Pennsylvania reported that nearly 159,000 people worked to make our state a cleaner one. Great job, folks!

The Youth Group will observe a 30 hour famine on Friday and Saturday, April 28 and 29 to raise funds to fight global hunger through World Vision. Youth will begin fasting after breakfast on Friday and will gather at the church at 6:00 p.m. The overnight session will include videos, Bible Study, and games to learn about hunger. A nutritious meal will end the fast for departure by 2:00 p.m. on Saturday. Donations will be sought within the congregation and individually from family and friends.

Youth Groups will also serve the Mother's Day Dinner on Sunday, May 7. Anyone wishing to attend may purchase their ticket at the church office. There will also be entertainment.

COMMUNITY HALL EVENTS

May 5th Pa. Dept. of Health Clinic 9:00 a.m.

May 7th New Life Worship Center service 10:00 am

May 9th Turbotville Borough Heritage Society 7:00

May 10th Dagwoods orders due-call Marie Smith 570-649-5381 or Bud Bieber 570-649-5537

May 11th Lions Club 6:30

May 14th New Life Worship Center service 10:00 am

May 15th Turbotville Cemetery meeting 7:00pm

Tues. May 16th TCHC meeting 7:00 p.m.

Thurs. May 18th Dagwoods Sales pick-up 7-9:00 a.m.

Fri. May 19th WR Elementary graduation 11-2:00

Sat. May 20th Pavilion –reserved

May 21st New Life Worship Center service 10:00 am

May 23-24-25 WR Elementary Sch. Book Sale. 8-4:00

May 28th New Life Worship Center service 10:00 am

COME PLAY BINGO @ THE CARNIVAL WITH US!! June 5 to 10th in the basement!!!

*** For reservation call Margaret Blakeney 570.649.5220

MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY

20 Church St., McEwensville

570-538-1381

May 2017 Activities

Make a Fairy Garden Planter Workshop - Saturday, May 20, 11am-1pm

\$20 fee for supplies, which include dish, soil, marbles, rocks, pebbles and 4 succulent plants

Library Closed Monday, May 30

Regular Programs for Kids

Tuesdays, 10am - Books for Babies (ages 0-3) thru May 16th, and then on a break until June 13

Tuesdays, 11am - PreK Read & Play (ages 4-6) thru May 16th, and then on a break until June 13

Fridays, 11am - 0-K Read & Play (ages 0-6) no May programs. Reconvene Friday, June 16

Regular programs for Adults

Mondays

2nd Mondays - Book Club, 7pm

3rd Mondays - Card Making, 6pm

4th Mondays - Knitting

Thursdays - Quilting, 6pm

SAVE THE DATE: Montgomery House Library 50 Year Anniversary, Sunday afternoon, June 25

TURBOTVILLE BOROUGH HERITAGE SOCIETY

Pres. Michael Sechler 570-649-5289

tbhs1859@yahoo.com

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 9th at 7:00 pm in the Community Hall.

The United Way's "Day of Action" took place on April 21st this year and we were glad to have the assistance of two volunteers, Russ Bressler and Garrett Bogart, from the PPL Sunbury Service Center. The new sidewalk we had poured last fall looks great, and with the help of Russ and Garrett, the debris from the old sidewalk was broken up and removed from the front of the train station. They also moved ground, filled in around the new sidewalk, and spread mulch to finish the landscaped area around the sidewalk. The interior of the train station was cleaned and new displays are being readied for this year's opening of the train station during the carnival week. The train station will be open to the public every night of the carnival and the nightly entertainment will again be on the freight dock on the front of the station. If you have any historical items that you wish to donate or allow us to copy for our archives, please let us know? We are looking for anything that relates to the history of Turbotville from old documents, deeds, and other paperwork, to photographs of buildings, streets, and families. And, as always, we are always looking for volunteers and fund raising ideas so that we can have the train station open more often to the public in the future.

TURBOTVILLE LIONS CLUB

Our Basket Bingo was a success, thanks to everyone who came to play or to volunteer in some way or another. Now on to our Gun Raffle--there are only a few tickets remaining and the drawing for the gun raffle tickets will be on Wed. May 10th. If you would like to get a ticket, please contact any Lions Club Member. Then our next upcoming fundraiser will be The Annual Turbotville Community Carnival where we will be serving up Cheesesteak Sandwiches, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers and Nardone's Pizza slices. We are also having a Nardone's pizza sale going on right now till April 26th where you may order a 24ct. box of Nardone's Pizza slices for just \$11.00. They will be delivered on Monday May 1st (see any member to place an order). We meet on the fourth Wednesday of the month--consider becoming a member! We are working on our Augustfest prizes for our raff tickets and will start selling the tickets at the Carnival. Thanks for your unending support--without you, we cannot be successful!

TURBOTVILLE CARNIVAL

ATTENTION ALL BAKERS:

The Turbotville National Bank will once again be running the cake wheel stand at the Turbotville Area Community Carnival – June 5th – June 10th. All cake donations can be dropped off at the bank or if special arrangements are needed for pick-up, please let us know. The money raised from this event goes 100% to the carnival association.

It's just a few weeks away and everything is coming together. Check out the flyer insert for activities.

OIP

570-649-6168

Spring is a busy time with yard work, soccer, baseball, softball games, & other activities. Let Vinnie & Pete make it easy for you! May Special is:

Large Stromboli, Garlic Knots, and Potato Skins for only \$19.99 plus tax!

EXCHANGE POOL

1301 Whitehall Rd

The 2017 Pool season opens on June 2nd. Pool hours based on weather & attendance.

Membership Fees are:

Family by May 31 \$140 after May 31 \$160

Single by May 31 \$75 after May 31 \$85

Senior 65+ before \$60 after \$70

Senior Couple \$100 before \$110 after

Daily rates: \$5 - 18 and over. \$4 17 and under. Age 2 and under free with paying adult. Just \$2 after 5pm.

POOL rentals for parties: \$100 for 2 hours. Picnic pavilion available for \$50 a rental. Call the pool for reservations at 570-437-3794.

To purchase a membership please contact a board member or mail a check payable to: Northern Montour Recreation Association for the preferred membership. PO BOX 241, Turbotville, PA 17772

Board members are: Leslie Machuski, President; Jenn Williams, Vice President; Linda Zeager, Secretary; Paige Blickley, Treasurer; Chris Crouse; Lisa Hartman; Brenda Reasner; Kim Ranck; Catherin Yetter.

LEWIS TOWNSHIP RECYCLING IS BACK!!

1428 Rovendale Drive, Watsonstown, PA 17777

HOURS OF OPERATION

MONDAY – SATURDAY from 8:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.

Please be considerate and respectful to others that use the recycling and also to Lewis Township and follow the simple requests that have been noted in this recycling list. We are under contract for 1 year and if there is misuse of this program it will be terminated.

Listed are the recycling materials accepted at the drop off facility:

Newspapers: Dry, No Strings or Plastic Bags

Magazines & Catalogs: Dry, No Strings or Plastic Bags

Clear, Brown & Green Glass: Rinsed and Clean *Note: No plate glass, mirrors, auto or drinking glasses.

Tin Cans and Bi-metal Lids (Example: from a pickle jar, etc.): Rinsed & Clear

All card board, chip board, pizza boxes, office paper, envelopes, junk mail, paperback & hard cover books, greeting cards & notebook paper are to be placed in the same container labeled card board & office paper.

No Household garbage or junk may be left at the facility as this could result in the facility to close.

If you have any questions please feel free to call the township office at 570-649-5371.