

TURBOTVILLE NEWS & HAPPENINGS

Borough Office: 267 Broadway St. 570-649-5476 turbotville547@windstream.net

Website: www.boroughofturbotvillepa.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 8:30a.m. to 6:00p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30a.m. to 3:30p.m. CLOSED THURSDAY

November 2018

CHURCH NEWS

Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church

10275 State Route 44 – about 2 miles west of Turbotville 570-649-5822

Email: holyspirit@windstream.net

Our annual Holiday Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 3rd from 9am – 2pm. Crafts, a Chinese Auction, baked goods and a lunch stand will all be waiting for you to enjoy. Shop for that special gift, have lunch or get some homemade goodies.

November 4th is All Saints Sunday. Holy Spirit has a great tradition of remembering those who have passed away during the past year with the lighting of candles. You are invited to join us and light a tea light in memory of loved ones.

On November 11th, we will be collecting shoeboxes filled with gifts for Operation Christmas Child that will be shipped to children all over the world as part of the Samaritan's Purse International Relief.

We'll be participating in the annual Turbotville Community Free Thanksgiving Dinner again this year. All are welcome on November 17th at the Turbotville Community Hall from 4-6pm.

On November 18th, we will be collecting bags for Seafarers International House In New York City. The bags include sweatshirts, T-shirts, heavy socks, a knitted winter cap, a can of peanuts or chocolate bar and a personal Holiday or Christmas card. It is a way to bring joy to seafarers who will not be home for Christmas.

We will celebrate Christ the King Sunday on November 25th which marks the end of the church year and the start of preparations for the season of Advent.

Remember, you are always welcome at Holy Spirit. Join us for worship at 9:00 every Sunday, with a learning hour afterwards!

Trinity United Church of Christ

7 Church St. Turbotville Pastor Doug Schader

570-649-5040 info@trinityuccturbotville.org

10:30 am Sunday Morning Worship.

November Greetings!

Oct. 28th is "Dress Down Sunday" the monetary donations will go to the American Legion in Watsontown supporting our veterans!

Oct. 31st **Trinity's Open House Halloween Treat 6P TO 8P**

Sunday, Nov, 4th All Saints Sunday & Consistory Meeting following worship service.

Nov. 6th ELECTION DAY we will be making and selling home-made soups. Ham & Bean, Veg. Beef, Chicken Corn \$6.00/quart

Nov. 10th Trinity Craft Show

Nov. 11th Budget meeting prior to worship & Women's Guild will meet after worship.

Nov. 17th Trinity will be hosting the **10th Annual Free Thanksgiving Dinner** @ Community Hall 4pm to 6pm

Nov. 18th Thankoffering Sunday

Nov. 22nd WISHING EVERYONE A HAPPY & SAFE THANKSGIVING

Members continue to **welcome** new faces to our congregation and we continue help those in need in our area. Feel free to join us for church ser vices at 10:30a.m. Come and hear the message given by Pastor Doug Schader. All are welcome at Trinity and we are 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

Worship with us! Wednesday Prayer Service 9:00 am Saturday 6:00 pm + Sunday 8:00 and 10:30 am.

Welcome to Sunday School We offer classes for all ages! Sunday School is held at 9:15 am.

JOLLY BUNCH – Zion's Senior Adult Group

Jolly Bunch is our Senior Citizen fellowship group. They meet the second Wednesday of every month at 10:30 am. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, November 14. We will have our annual Memorial Service remembering our loved ones who are in the arms of Jesus Christ. Lunch will be a Thanksgiving Dinner hosted by the Zion Disaster Relief Team. Cost is \$10. and reservations can be made by calling the church office (570) 649-5195. Everyone is invited to join us. Come make new friends with the Jolly Bunch.

Apple Dumplings! Zion Disaster Relief Team orders for apple dumplings are being received from now until October 28. Pick up apple dumplings November 8 and 9. Price is \$3.00 per dumpling. The next apple dumpling bake will be held November 9 and 10. We appreciate your helping us to serve others.

Middle School and High School Youth Groups We invite all youth to join us! Youth Group meets at the church on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. Group builders, devotions, games, projects, and food are part of every meeting. Youth Group will provide drinks and hospitality at the October 31st “Trunk or Treat.” Dress in costume. Meetings for November will be held on the 11th at 1:00 pm and the 25th at 5:00 pm. Zion’s Youth Group is doing a service project for Haven Ministry in Sunbury. We are receiving donations of items to create comfort kits of toiletries. There is a donation tree in the narthex of the church with the items we are collecting. You may make donations until November 11th.

Trunk or Treat! At the Zion parking lot Wednesday, October 31, 6:00 – 8:00 pm. Youth Group will host our comfort station and provide drinks and hospitality.

Saturday Evening 6:00 pm Worship Our Saturday worship is meant to be helpful to those who find an evening worship time more convenient. It is a simple but inspiring service of Word and Holy Communion that includes organ November 4 will include “The Laying on of Hands and Anointing with Oil” for those who wish to receive this healing ministry. We are also recruiting to form a Praise Group that will lead worship from time to time. If you play an instrument or sing, please contact Pastor Roux at the church (570) 649-5195.

Wednesday 9:00 am Prayer Service-Join us as we gather at the altar at the entrance to the nave for a simple worship service. Members of our community and church who have any need are remembered in prayer. We celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion on the fourth Wednesday of every month.

Turbotville Community Thanksgiving Eve Service will be celebrated at Trinity United Church of Christ on Wednesday, November 21, 2018 at 7:00 pm. Pastor Schaefer of Trinity will serve as presider and Pastor Roux is preaching.

COMMUNITY HALL EVENTS

To reserve the Community Hall or pavilion please call Margaret Blakeney at 570-649-5220.

The New Life Worship Center holds services every Sunday during the month at 10:00 a.m. On Wednesdays they hold a Bible Study 7pm to 9pm in the Community Hall auditorium.

Fri. Nov. 2 Dept. of Health Clinic 9a.m. to 12pm (noon)

Fri. Nov 2 Magical Memories CHINESE AUCTION 3p -7p AND again Sat. (3rd) from 10:00am – 6:00pm

Mon. Nov 5 Life Line Screening 8:30am – 5:30pm

Tues. Nov 6 ELECTION DAY the TCHC will be serving PANCAKE & SAUSAGE 7am – 1pm & 4pm – 7pm

Wed. Nov 7 DAGWOOD ORDERS DUE call Margaret Blakeney 649-5220 or Bud Bieber 649-5537

Thur. Nov 8 Lions Club Meeting 6:30pm

Sat. Nov 10 FOOD AUCTION 1pm – 6pm

Tues. Nov 13 Heritage Society meeting 7pm

Thurs. Nov 15 DAGWOOD SANDWICH pick up 7 – 9am

Sat. Nov 17 COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

Mon. Nov 19 Carnival Committee Meeting 7pm

Tues. Nov 20 TCHC meeting 7pm

Thurs. Nov 22 HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Sat. Nov 24 TCHC CRAFT SHOW 9am – 3pm

Jan 1st 2019 the new contact person will be Loretta Mabus-phone 570.742.7702 to reserve the Turbotville Community Hall or Pavilion.

TURBOTVILLE HERITAGE SOCIETY

Pres. Michael Sechler 570-649-5289

tbhs1859@yahoo.com

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

As colder weather approaches, the train station will lie dormant until spring, but we will continue to make the train station better in every way we can. We will be working on our archival system for Turbotville documentation and photos throughout the winter months. We are working on resolving the lighting issue for the exterior "Turbotville" signs on the front and both ends of the train station. We will also be looking into exterior improvements to the train station and landscaping around the station. We are working on some ideas for more events centered around the train station, as well. We will be attending the Turbotville Community Hall Corporations Holiday Craft Show at the Turbotville Community Hall on Saturday, November 24th. We will have all our Turbotville merchandise on display and for sale. Check out the 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. All items are on hand except large & 3X t-shirts, which are sold out. Small and Medium shirts are also in limited supply, but we have plenty of XL and 2X available. 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. If anyone or any other organization is holding any events in the future and is looking for vendors, please do not hesitate to contact us so we can participate. We are a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization registered in the State of Pennsylvania.

EXCHANGE POOL

The Exchange Pool needs board members. Please consider serving on the pool board. We have a lot of fun and you will get a free season pass for serving. If interested, please call Brenda Reasner (570) 649-5749

TURBOTVILLE LIONS CLUB

APPLE BUTTER

Happy Fall Y'All-- And with Fall comes the changing of the Leaves, Pumpkins, Mums, Cider and Apples. Apples, did someone say Apples? That can only mean one thing---OUR FAMOUS APPLE BUTTER-- we are selling it at Great Valu Nov. 1,2,and 3rd from 10 a.m. till 7 p.m. and at Gander Outdoors Nov. 9, 10,and 11 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. and at Sam's Club Nov 16, 17 and 18 10a.m. - 7 p.m. Please make sure you try a sample and buy some--it is definitely the best ever! Next on our agenda will be shopping for less fortunate children and wrapping and delivering their gifts to their house on Dec. 24th-- What A Wonderful Feeling to Help Those in Need! Thank You For All Your Continued Support--You help us in so many ways! Meetings are the fourth Wednesday of each month-- WANNA JOIN???

MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY

570-538-1381

Website: www.mghlib.org

Regularly Scheduled Events

1st Mondays, 6pm - Game Night

2nd Mondays, 7pm - Book Discussion Group

3rd Mondays, 6pm - Cardmaking

4th Mondays, 6pm - Knitting Circle

Tuesdays, 11am - Books for Babies, 12pm - PreK Read & Play with JA & PBJ

1st Thursday @ 6:30pm - Board of Directors Meeting

Quilting has resumed on Thursdays



LIBRARY'S ANNUAL TOY AUCTION SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH

Doors Open at 8am with drawings happening at 1pm. Over 300 toys and baskets! Come out and support the library and do your Christmas gift buying

LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED: Saturday, Nov. 17th, for the auction. Thursday, Nov 22nd and Friday Nov. 23rd for Thanksgiving Holiday. Wednesday, Nov. 21st closing @ 5pm.

OIP

570 649-6168

Happy Thanksgiving! We will be closed on Thanksgiving Day. Regular hours on Wednesday.

NOVEMBER SPECIAL:

Have you tried Pete & Vinnie's Taco Pizza? Here's your chance if you haven't during the month of October you can order One Taco Pizza with an order of Garlic Knots for \$18.99 + tax.

HAPPENINGS IN TOWN

CRAFT SHOW

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2018

9 am – 3pm

Turbotville Community Hall

Vendors downstairs Admission Free

Come find gifts for everyone on your list...

Home décor, baked goods, nuts, country accents/primitives, soaps, jewelry, wooden items, crochet items, wreaths, Christmas decorations, and more!!

Lunch items will be available for purchase.

ELECTION DAY

Election day is Tuesday, November 6th. The Community Hall Corporation is serving PANCAKES AND SAUSAGE that day in the basement of the community hall. Serving time begins at 7:00 am until 1:00pm so when you come out to vote you can enjoy breakfast or lunch. They will be serving again from 4:00pm until 7:00pm. Supper time! Come out and VOTE and support the Community Hall Corporation!



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

Turn on your porch light and enjoy an entertaining evening with the ghost and goblins from 6:00pm until 8:00pm.

LEAF PICK-UP

Leaf pick-up CURB SIDE- Now until November 19th on **Monday and Thursdays** the borough workers will be around to vacuum leaves up. Residents are to rake leaves to the side of the curb! Remember **JUST LEAVES!**

What's New at Turbotville Great Val

You probably know Fred sold the grocery store. The new owners are Rocky, and Peter and they have continued Turbotville Great Val in much the same way, including the Valero gasoline brand. So, what's new? Rocky and Peter, of course!

Rocky, Peter, and Peter's wife have moved from Wilkes-Barre to Watsontown to be part of this community. Both Rocky and Peter have experience running a convenience store (they still own one in Wilkes-Barre) and are enjoying the challenge of managing a larger store with many more products. And it has taken some time to work with new vendors. However, Rocky and Peter are more interested in helping people than just making money; both enjoy meeting their customers.

They offer many weekly specials on items throughout the store. For example, the week of October 21, Progresso Vegetable Classics soups were on sale for \$1.00! The meat department offered boneless, skinless chicken breasts at \$1.99/lb., chuck roast \$4.69/lb., London Broil \$3.49/lb., Kunzler bacon \$4.99/lb., and Berks ring bologna \$3.99/lb. One could also purchase Ragu Pasta Sauces 2/\$4.00, Jif peanut butter 2/\$4.00, Chips Ahoy! 2/\$5.00, and Marie Calendar's frozen dinners 5/\$10.00. Which brings up an important question: Must one purchase 5 dinners to get the sale price? Rocky assures that the answer is still "no"; one dinner will cost \$2.00, and that holds true for other similar sale prices.

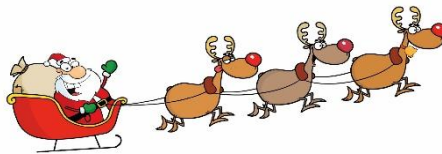
What can we expect next? Every week, beginning with Wednesday, November 14, there will be a store flyer in the Webb Weekly. So, look for special prices for the foods you'll need for your Thanksgiving dinner. If you purchase \$25.00 worth of groceries in one order, you will get a lower price-per-pound on your turkey! Rocky plans to offer a similar deal on ham at Christmas time.

If you haven't met Rocky and Peter, stop in and welcome them to our community.

Store hours are: Sunday 8:00am - 6:00pm, Monday through Saturday 8:00am - 8:00pm

Submitted by Betsy Watts

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!



**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2
CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY
1:00PM TO 4:00PM**

The Carnival Committee will again be sponsoring the party. Entertainment will be a Magician beginning at 1 followed by crafts and refreshment in the basement. Special guest will drop in for a visit at 3.

