

**TUMC WEEKLY NEWS – May 13, 2022**

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**Community Festival**

**JUNE 11th**

**10:00 am – 2:00 pm**



**The FLYING  
DEUTSCHMAN**



**Food Trucks, Craft Vendors, Live Music,  
Kids Activities, and More!**

*Join us to raise money for  
our brothers and sisters in Ukraine.*

**We will need lots of help that day—  
let Pastor Shauna know when you can lend a hand!**

# Happy Father's Day

Our 3 yr. old class celebrated their Dad's and Pop Pop's with a Father's Day Ice Cream Social on Thursday morning—



I Love MY DADDY





Our 4-5 yr. old class celebrated their Dad's with a Donuts with Dad on Friday morning—  
**Happy Father's Day!**

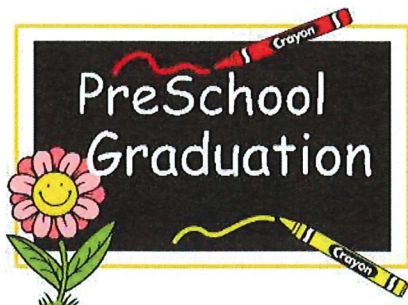


# THORNDALE Learning CENTER

A Christian Preschool where children  
experience TLC as they learn and grow.



Registration is Now Open  
for the 2022-2023 school  
year.



## INVITATION TO ATTEND OUR PRESCHOOL GRADUATION –

Date: Wednesday, May 25

Times: 9:00 AM – 3-year-olds

10:00 AM – Pre-K

Join us as we celebrate our TLC graduates.

## Preschool Adventure Camp is Coming

This camp is a hybrid fun learning event that includes components of Vacation Bible School with preschool fun and learning. The first week, Tuesday May 31 thru Friday June 3 is the Woodland theme. The second week, Monday June 6 thru Thursday June 9, is the Ocean theme.

The camp needs the following things.

**Prayer:** Please pray that we will have a safe, fun time learning about God, Jesus, and the animals he created.

### Helpers to:

- tell Bible stories,
- share information about animals (share info on posters about the animals of the day)
- Game leaders
- Craft Leaders

*Everything is planned out and will be available for you to do these roles.*

The time frame for these helpers is 8:45- 10:45 a.m. And you do **NOT** have to do every day of the camp week.

**Donations still needed. Sign-up sheet at Welcome Center, contact Renay or the church office**

Painter's tape: 2 rolls. Narrow in size

**Thank you for all of the other items which have been donated.**

Drop off date for donated or borrowed items: **Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup>**. *There is a basket at the welcome center to place your donated items into. Look for our Adventure Camp logo. For convenience, the above list of items is also available at the Welcome Center for you to take.*

Contact Renay Oberholtzer if you can help. cell # 484-467-2046 or [roberhol@verizon.net](mailto:roberhol@verizon.net)





## INTENTIONAL SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT.

*Jesus commands us to make disciples, by teaching and encouraging all to grow in their faith.*

- The “Upper Room” for May/June has come in. They are on the table at the front door for easy pick-up.
- “Our Daily Bread” devotional for June/July/August has also come in. They too can be found on the table at the front door for easy pick-up.

Summer Camp Season is fast approaching. Did you know that the Eastern PA Conference owns and operates four unique, scenic camp and retreat centers spread across different regions of the conference: **Pocono Plateau** in the upper northeast; **Carson-Simpson Farm** just north of Philadelphia; **Innabah** centrally located in Spring City; and **Gretna Glen** in the northwest area. Visit their websites at: [innabah.org](http://innabah.org), [gretnaglen.org](http://gretnaglen.org), [poconoplateau.org](http://poconoplateau.org) and [csfarm.org](http://csfarm.org) to check out their exciting programs. A limited number of brochures from Gretna Glen can be found at the Welcome Center.



All four centers truly come alive during Summer Camp, with hundreds of excited children and youth learning, playing, being nurtured and making friendships and lifetime memories. Our Camp & Retreat Ministry centers are places where people of all ages and backgrounds can experience God’s love and creation together in a caring Christian community.

## HEALTHY COMMUNITY LIFE

*Providing opportunities to build and strengthen relationships within our faith community through communication, collaboration, and accountability.*

### **Upcoming Birthdays:**

5/21 – Whitney Phelan      5/22 – Diane Scott  
5/22 – Jacob Monaghan    5/24 – Gretchen Bates  
5/28 – Lily & Molly Scotti



The **2022 Flower calendar** has been posted to the bulletin board outside the office. **Open dates begin in May** which is just around the corner. Thank you for your continued sponsorship of our altar flowers. Sign up early so you get your desired date. You can pay later as the date becomes closer.





## RECOGNIZING OUR GRADUATES!

It's that time of year again – Graduation Time!  
If you have a HS or College student who will be graduating this year, we would like to recognize them.

Please submit the following information to the church office no later than **May 31**.

<b>Name of graduate</b>	<b>HS or University graduating from</b>
<b>Degree and any Honors recognition</b>	<b>Future plans</b>
<b>Major of Study</b>	<b>3-5 pictures of the graduate</b>

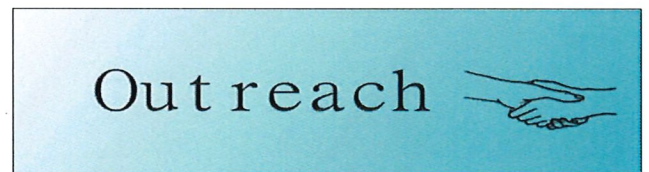
### SHUT-INS:

Listed below are our shut-ins and their mailing addresses if you would like to send them a card.

Onzelle Barber	Hickory House, 3120 Horseshoe Pike, Honey Brook, PA 19344
Richard Bohot	St. Martha's Villa-Room 10, 490 Manor Ave., Downingtown, PA 19335
Gretna Crossan	Newport Meadows, Birch Unit, Rm. 206, 41 Newport Avenue Christiana, PA 17509
<b>Dot Johnson</b>	<b>Harrison House, Room 111, 300 Strode Avenue, East Fallowfield, PA 19320</b>
Ivan Purcell	Regal Heights Healthcare, Room 7A, 6525 Lancaster Pike, Hockessin, DE 19707
Shirley Hammons	Newport Meadows, Room 108C, 41 Newport Avenue, Christiana, PA 17509

### APRIL/MAY DONATIONS FOR CALN SCHOOL

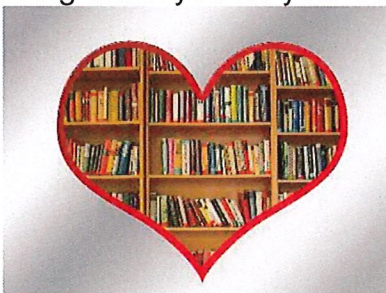
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#### Caln Elementary School

*"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."* Matthew 25:40 NIV

A big thank you for your book donations to keep the children at Caln reading over the summer. The teachers are very appreciative and the kids will be excited to be going home with new books. Not only are you providing reading for the summer, but you are also helping them to build their own libraries and become life-long readers.



This is our last collection for this school year. I want to thank you for your tremendous support for this ministry. You are making such a difference in the lives of these children. We have been told that we are the only

group that remembers them all year long.

Our collections will resume in **August** with **backpacks and school supplies**. Watch for those sales over the summer!

Thank you for your prayers and continued support of this ministry.  
**Holly Orr, Caln School Coordinator**

## SUMMER FOOD DRIVE (Now through June 3, 2022)

Most Needed Items:

Cereal

Granola Bars

Macaroni & Cheese

Peanut & Butter



### For too many kids, summer means hunger.

The end of the school year is fast approaching and for over 18,000 students in Chester County that means the uncertainty of a daily meal since school will be out of session. Help the Chester Co. Food Bank to fill the shelves for neighbors in need.

The Food Bank is reaching unprecedentedly low numbers in food donations. Donations are critical to helping the Food Bank serve their network of community agencies throughout Chester County. Let us fill our food basket and outdoor food cupboard. Let us help keep our children fed during these summer months.



Listed below are the baseball and softball schedules for the two teams we sponsored for this Little League season.

Thorndale Learning Center sponsored the "Yellow" T-ball, girls' softball. Listed below is their schedule.

Sat. 5/14	10:15AM	Rookies Field
Sat. 5/21	9:00AM	Rookies Field
Mon. 5/23	6:00PM	Rookies Field
Sat. 6/4	11:00AM	Giant Softball Field

Thorndale UMC sponsored the "Astros" which is part of the Minor League boy's baseball division. Our very own Ryan McCarthy plays on this team. Listed below is their schedule:

Sat. 5/14	1:00PM	Caln Park-Majors Field
Tues. 5/17	6:00PM	Caln Park-Majors Field
Sat. 5/21	11:00AM	Scott Field
Thurs. 5/26	6:00PM	Scott Field
Wed. 6/1	6:00PM	Scott Field
Sat. 6/4	1:00PM	Scott Field

In the past many of you have supported our sponsored teams by attending their games. We hope you will be able to make a game or two this season to support the above team.



*"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." Matthew 6:33*

### Where have you experienced God's presence in your life this week?

- The blessings of service animals everywhere.
- Safety from car accident

### Praise and Thanksgiving:

- Wedding of Frank & Cary Cianfrani
- Mothers, family and friends

### Hospitalizations, Treatments, Tests & Surgeries:

Meg – new treatment	Jesusine Portal-Dirado
Mark E. ICU from open heart	Rose Parola - stroke
Chris W.	Joe Carroll – stroke
Hester Etta Whisler-Paoli Hospital	Phil Byers-surgery on 5/27
Woody-Chester Co. Hospital	Fred Cluck-pneumonia

### Traveling:

Olivia Kurtz-Dublin IR (study abroad).	Refugees from Ukraine
Safe travels for our children.	Cheryl
Dailey family to CO.	

Pray for our Staff: Cheryl Faust

Pray for our Ministry Team: Building & Grounds Team

### Pray for our Outreach Ministry:

- TLC Adventure Camp
- United for Ukraine Community Event – June 11

### Pray for our TLC Students:

- All current and future students and staff.
- TLC Graduation on May 25.

Condolences: Wayne Barrows on the passing of his sister-in-law

### Other:

- Serini leaves for final service dog training.
- Dennis B – as he continues to recover from hip replacement surgery.
- Kimberly Walker on pregnancy-due in June.
- Prayers for hope for Ukrainian people.
- For the Bresler and Gershunov families still in Ukraine. These are the in-laws of a former co-worker of Pete Scotti.
- People of Ukraine and Russia.
- For evil to be defeated
- Peace in the world

### Healing

Chuck M. (Holly's cousin)

Michelle C.

Meg

Diana

Hester Etta Whisler

Pat Donnon

Barbara Byers-cancer treatments

Patsy's arm after surgery

Kelly Chamblin following miscarriage

Karen Moore

Tina Stuber

Matt Scott

Cathy Norrbom

Lee & Shirley Carroll

Carol & Beth Barnes

Kay Lewis-cancer

Nancy VanHorn

Carl Purcell

Gretchen O

Uncle Ken

Helen Pennell

Bill Zynn

Phil & Barb Byers

Bob Lewis-therapy

Jenn G.

Doris Kramer

Andy

Tom Zynn







**CHURCH**  

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**WORKDAY**

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**June 4th**  
**9am - 1pm**



*Come help support  
our Building & Grounds Team  
care for our awesome property!*

**Inside jobs & Outside Jobs -  
Bring your own work gloves.  
Coffee, Donuts & Water Provided.**