

**Forget Thee Not Notes:  
April 15th & 16th, 2017**



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“Growing together as disciples of Jesus Christ  
through worship, learning, fellowship, giving, and witness.”

**April 22 & 23, 2017**

Greeters:	5:30 Gary & Betty Schofield	9:15 Dave & Vicki Karnes
Reader:	5:30 Noelle Berkey	9:15 Lois Sholtis
Worship Assist:	5:30 Kim Colosimo	9:15 Brian Harshberger
Comm. Assist:	5:30 Lois Gallus	9:15 Sherry Lynn Harshberger
Acolyte:	5:30 Lakyn Costlow	9:15 Meghan Swartz
Crucifer:	5:30 Erin Shaffer	9:15 Zach Swartz
Ushers:	5:30 Brian & Lori Hiltz	9:15 Dick & Lois Shotis

**April 15th 2017**

Greeters:	5:30 Katrancha Family
Reader:	5:30 Cindy Buday
Worship Assist:	5:30 Cindy Solarczyk
Comm. Assist:	5:30 Deb Ferrin
Acolyte:	5:30 Shane Katrancha
Crucifer:	5:30 Calvin Pringle
Ushers:	5:30 John & Kim Colosimo

**April 16, 2017**

Greeters:	7:00 Osborn Family	9:15 Gary & Betty Schofield
Reader:	7:00 Kathy Ling	9:15 Keli Williams
Worship Assist:	7:00 Susan Brandau	9:15 Harold Ashcraft
Comm. Assist:	7:00 Jane Hagins	9:15 Sherry Lynn Harshberger
Acolyte:	7:00	9:15 Logan Foust
Crucifer:	7:00	9:15 Thomas Hockensmith
Ushers:	7:00 Dick & Lois Sholtis	9:15 Mayket & Swartz Families

**Weekly Schedule**

Sat: 5:30 pm Worship	Sat: 5:30 pm Worship
Sun: 7:00 am Worship	Sun: 9:15 am Worship
9:15 am Worship	10:30 am Sunday School
Mon: 6:30 pm 75th Anniversary Planning Mtg.	6:00 pm Family Volleyball 7:00 pm Volleyball
Tue: 6:30 pm Council Mtg.	
Thur: 1:00pm Womans Bible Study	

Attendance: April 15th, 5:30 pm - 141 April 16th, 9:15 am - 155 Total - 296

# Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed!

## Alleluia!



God's blessing be with you as we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. I pray that you will know our Lord Jesus loves you and is always with you and know the power of the Holy Spirit who is continually leading us and building in us faith in Jesus.

We celebrate this day that Jesus Christ is more powerful than sin, death, and the devil. On the cross, our Lord Jesus took the worst evils this world could throw at him, experienced pain, suffering, abandonment, rejection and death. Sin and evil, poured

out on him by people like you and me, tried to destroy the one who had come to save this world.

In the resurrection we see the mercy and love of God that is found in Christ Jesus our Lord. Death did not win. Jesus entered into death and died, but death could not hold him. Jesus Christ is the Living Word of God, the second person of the Holy Trinity, the one through whom life and light was created. Jesus blew death wide open and he rose. Death no longer has any hold on the one who is life.

Jesus has united us to himself and claimed us in the waters of baptism. Our lives are in Christ. When we die, it is not the end of us—we pass through death into the arms our Living God. Death does not have the ultimate hold over us, Jesus Christ does.

In the story of his resurrection, we see a Jesus who rises from death, opens his nail scarred hands and offers his love and life to a world that rejected and crucified him. He does not condemn those who killed him or rejected him. Instead, he offers love, forgiveness, and eternal life. No matter how we have strayed or fallen short, Jesus offers life and forgiveness. No matter how worthy, or unworthy, we think we are – the merciful and loving Jesus calls us into his life. Jesus forgave those who crucified him, and he forgives, loves, and calls you and me.

Jesus shows us the way of love and mercy by sending the Spirit which is leading and guiding us as we follow. On this Easter Sunday, we thank God for the gift of life we have in Jesus Christ. We give thanks to him for saving us from death and showing us a more excellent way of love and mercy.

God's blessing be with you now and always,

+Bishop Michael

Given to the Glory of God for loved ones,  
**flowers by Linday & Family**



Help us congratulate Caroline (Dolly) & Charles (Chiz) Palm  
on 71 years of marriage!  
Wedding 4/25/1946

If you would like to send a anniversary card to congratulate them, the  
mailing address is: 109 Elsie Dr Johnstown PA 15904



Join us for **Family Volleyball Night.**  
Open to anyone young or old to have a fun night of  
backyard volleyball.

**Every Sunday!**

**6:00 to 7:00 pm**

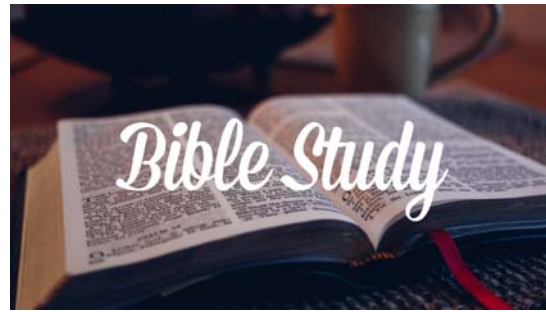
If you have any questions please call April Selepack (262-9986)  
or Sue Cade (322-2258).



**What: New Bible Study! The Topic will be St. Paul's letter to the Philippians**

**When: Starting Thursday April 27th with Pastor Scott.**

**Who: All are invited!**



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



**Save the date!  
VBS Maker  
Fun Factory is June 19-23,  
2017, 9-12pm**

Did you know Mt. Calvary once had a very active Boy Scout Troop? All the needed trappings are still on our premises. It's just a matter of finding someone willing to start a new troop. Know anyone who might fit that bill?



Mt Calvary will be celebrating it's 75th Anniversary in 2019. Anyone interested in brainstorming, planning, etc., join us on April 17 at 6:30 PM in the conference room. All are welcome to share ideas to make this anniversary celebration memorable.



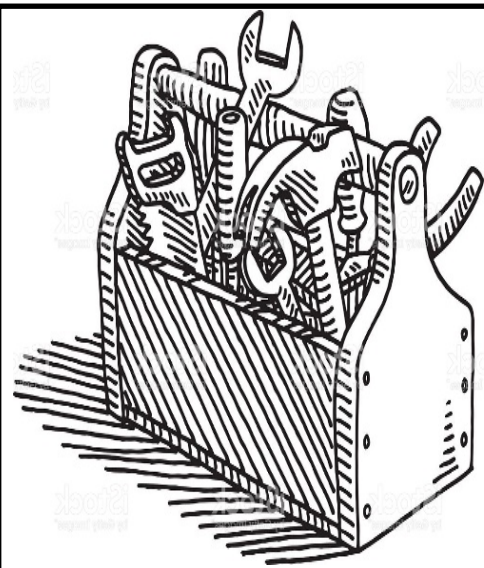
**Sequanota Sunday– April 30th**

Pastor Scott's good friend and valued colleague, the Reverend Nathan Pile, will be present to deliver the children's sermon and share some things about Sequanota; the local outdoor ministry he manages. Be sure to be present in order to learn about the hidden, outdoor treasure located less than twenty miles down the road.



**CLOTHING  
DRIVE**

**When doing your spring cleaning, please keep in mind that we will be having our clothing drive in October. Men, Women, and children clothing and shoes in any size can be donated THANK YOU!**



This summer members of the Allegheny Synod have been invited by Bishop Jessica Crist to travel to Great Falls, Montana to volunteer with the building of the Montana Synod office by the ELCA Mission Builders.

Volunteers of all levels of experience (or no level of experience) in construction are welcome.

The dates of the trip shall be June 20-26, 2017

Contact Information:  
Allegheny Synod Office  
701 Quail Ave. Altoona, PA  
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# FLEA MARKET

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017

8 AM – 1 PM

Anyone wishing to donate any unwanted items for the Flea Market on May 13, may bring them into the church and place them in the new class room (old lounge). Please no adult clothes or shoes— just kids clothing and shoes.

Thank you so much for your support!

## MT. CALVARY PRESS RELEASE!!!

You now have an opportunity to sponsor the Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church notice in the Saturday issue of the Johnstown Tribune Democrat newspaper!

At one time, this community service was offered free by the newspaper, but that has been discontinued. We are asking if any of our members are interested in sponsoring this ad for 1 week. The cost is \$11.00.

We are also giving you the opportunity to place this as an Honorarium or Memorial, if you wish

Sponsored by \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor/Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

How Many Weeks? \_\_\_\_\_



CLARION UNIVERSITY



### Care Packages for Our College Students

Your help is needed to create some very special care packages to be mailed to our college students during their Finals Week. A box will be located in the narthex from April 2 through April 16 for your donations. Monetary donations are welcomed and can be placed in the offering plate in an envelope labeled, "Care Packages - College Students". The following items are needed: **Bag of individually wrapped candies**



VIRGINIA



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**Gum** - Multi-Pack - 8 ct. or larger

**Granola Bars** - 6 ct. or larger

**Cereal/Breakfast Bars** - 6 ct. or larger

**Raisins** - Individual boxes - 6 ct.

**Fruit Snacks** - 10 ct. or larger

**Cheese Crackers** - 6 ct. or larger

**Microwave Popcorn** - 6 ct.

**Animal Crackers** - Individual bags or large bag

**Peanuts/Trail Mix** - Individual bags or large bag

