

News Of The Churches

DALLAS METHODIST CHURCH
Russell C. Lawry, Pastor
Sunday January 5th Divine Worship 8:30 and 11:00 o'clock Holy Communion will be administered at both services and the elements will be served at the altar rail at both services.
Sunday School at 9:15.
The Senior and Intermediate classes will combine for a Communion service in the sanctuary at 6:30 p.m. any adult that cannot make either service in the morning will be welcome at this 6:30 service.
Those who are shut in or in the hospital if they would like to have communion brought to them, please make this request to the minister.
Monday The Executive Committee of the W.S.C.S. will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Charles Hosler presiding.
Tuesday Girl Scout Troop 639 will meet at 4 o'clock.
Board of Trustees will meet at 7 p.m. after Roushey presiding.
The Official Board will meet at 8 p.m. with Mr. Miller presiding.
Wednesday The Chancel Choir will rehearse at 6:30, The Senior Choir at 8:00.
In observance of the Universal Week of Prayer a Prayer service will be held in the church at 7:30.
Thursday Boy Scout Troop 281 will meet at 7.
SHAVERTOWN METHODIST
Rev. Robert DeWitt Yost, Pastor
Thursday: 4:00 Junior Choir Rehearsal; 6:45 Youth Choir; 7:30 Senior Choir and Quartet.
Saturday, Jan. 4th—6:45 Couple's Club Buffet Supper in Social Rooms. Speaker: Mr. Eugene Lavery, Bell Telephone Company.
Sunday, Jan. 5th — 9:45 Church school with classes for all ages.
11:00 Nursery during Church for pre-school children.
11:00 Morning Worship Service.
6:30 M.Y.F. in Chapel Room.
Monday, Jan. 6th—1:00 W.S.C.S. meeting in Social Rooms. Speakers: Mr. Charles A. Adonizio, Probation Officer of Luzerne County.
DAKOTA METHODIST CHURGE
REV. FRED EISTER
DAKOTA: Sunday services: S.S. 10 a.m. Morning worship 11:15 P.M.
WINKLE: Sunday services: S.S. 10 a.m. Evening worship, 7:30 M.Y.F. 5 p.m.
OXEN: Sunday services: S.S. at 10. Morning worship at 10. MYF at 5.
JUGGLES: Sunday services: morning worship at 8:45. S.S. at 9:45. MYF at 5:30.
LEHMAN-IDEWOWN CHARGE
Rev. Norman Tiffany, Pastor
Thursday: Lehman—Senior Choir 8:00 p.m.
Saturday: Idetown — Choirs - Jr. 8 a.m. Sr. 7 p.m.
Official Board 8 p.m.
Monday: Lehman — Official Board 7 p.m.
Tuesday: Lehman — Friendship class 8 p.m.
Idetown — Confidence Class 8 p.m.
Wednesday: Lehman — Little ones 3:45 p.m.
Junior Choir 6:30 p.m.
Luella Neely Bible Class 2 p.m.
WEEKLY SERVICES:
WICKSON — Worship Service 8:45 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
IDETOWN — Worship Service 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m.
LEHMAN — Worship Service 11:15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. M.Y.F. p.m.
SHAVERTOWN BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. R. W. Edmondson, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service — 8:30 P.M.
Monday: Christian Boy's Brigade 7:00 P.M.
December 31. Special New Year's Eve Service.
Tuesday: Mid-Week Prayer and Praise Service — 7:30 P. M.
SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
Beaumont
Elder Roger H. Clausen
Saturday services: Sabbath School, 10:30; church services at 11 a. m.
GLENEVIEW P. M. CHURCH
Rev. Andrew Derrick, Pastor
Sunday services: Morning Worship 9:45; S.S. at 11; Evening service and Christian Endeavor at 7.
Wednesday, 7:30, Prayer and Bible Study.
GATE OF HEAVEN
Rev. Francis A. Kane, Pastor
Assistants: Rev. Richard J. Frank, Rev. Michael Rafferty
Sunday Masses, 7:30, 9 and 11
Religious instruction for those attending parochial schools will be given Sundays at Gate of Heaven after the 9 o'clock Mass; at Our Lady of Victory, after the 9:30 Mass.
OUR LADY OF VICTORY
Sunday Masses at 7:30 and 9:30.
ST. FRANCES OF CABRINI
Rev. Stanley Kolucki
Sunday Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
Rev. Frank A. Barlik
Sunday Masses: 7 and 9 a.m. at Lake Silkworth. Confessions Saturday 7 to 8.
At St. Martha's, Mass at 11.
ST. THERESE'S
Rev. John P. Walsh, Pastor
Rev. Francis T. Brennan, Assistant
Sunday Masses: 7:30; 8:45 and 10:45.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sweet Valley
Rev. B. Kirby Jones
Sunday Services: Sunday School at 10; morning worship at 11.
6:30 Young Adults.
6:30 Young People.
7:30 Evening Worship.
Thursday at 7:30, mid-week prayer service and Bible study.
TRUCKSVILLE FREE METHODIST
Rev. Grove Armstrong, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30.
Morning Worship 10:30.
Free Methodist Youth Roundtable 7:00.
Bible Studies for Soul Winners at 7:00.
Evening Service 7:30.
Wednesday — 7:00 Every Creature Crusade.
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS (Mormon)
145 Lehigh Street
Sunday: Sunday School 10 A.M. Sacrament Service 11 A.M.
Tuesday: Young Men's and Young Women's Mutual Improvement Association. Chapel, 7:30 P.M. Ages 12 - 20.
Adult Gospel Study 7:30 P.M. Primary Association Ages 4 - 11 7:00 P. M.
ST. LUKE'S, NOXEN
Rev. Wesley Kimm, Pastor
Sunday services:
Sunday School 10 a.m.
The Service at 11 a.m.
First Tuesdays, Sunday School meeting.
Second Tuesday, Council.
Second Wednesday, Ladies Society.
HUNTSVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. Morgan Richard Bevan
Sunday services: Worship service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30
Young People 7:30
Thursday at 7:30, prayer meeting.
DALLAS FREE METHODIST
James S. Randle, Pastor
Sunday services: S.S. 10 a.m. Morning worship at 11; Youth Service 7 p.m.; evening evangelistic service 7:30.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting.
TRINITY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. Andrew Pillarella, Pastor
Sunday 9:45 A.M. Church School.
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship and church hour nursery.
4:00 P.M. Jr. and Sr. Hi Fellowship.
7:00 P.M. Young Adult Fellowship.
Last Sunday afternoon the congregation attended a Christmas program and party. Everyone attending brought woolen gifts for the Mitten Tree and canned goods which were distributed to needed families in the community.
On Christmas Eve an impressive candlelight service was held in the Dallas Junior High School at 7:30 for the congregation and friends.
CHURCH OF CHRIST SWEET VALLEY
William Hughes, Minister
Sunday services: Bible School 10 a.m.; morning worship and communion at 11.
7:30 Evening worship.
6 p.m. Christian Endeavor.
8:30 Senior Choir rehearsal.
Tuesday: prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30.
6:30
Third Fridays, 8 P.M. Christian Comrades.
EMMANUEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Harveys Lake
Rev. and Mrs. George Clement
Sunday services: S.S. at 10 a.m., morning worship at 11; 6:30 Young People; 7:45, Evangelistic service.
Wednesday, 7:30, Bible study and prayer.
THE TRUCKSVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Robert E. Germond, Pastor
Tuesday, December 31st — 9:00 P.M. Watchnight Communion Service.
Thursday: 7:00 P.M. Rainbow Girls.
Saturday: 8:00 P.M. Couples Club. Church Basketball League Game.
Sunday, Jan. 5th 8:30 A.M. Early Morning Communion Service.
9:30 and 11:00 A.M. Worship Services.
9:30 A.M. Church School. Classes for all ages.
6:00 P.M. Junior High Fellowship.
6:30 P.M. Senior High M.Y.F.
Tuesday: 3:30 P.M. Girl Scouts.
Wednesday: 4:30 P.M. Wesleyan Boys Choir; 5:15 P.M. Wesleyan Girls Choir; 6:30 P.M. Aldersgate Choir.
7:00 P.M. Boy Scouts.
8:00 P.M. Chancel Choir.
8:00 P.M. Trustees Meeting.
Saturday: 6:30 P.M. Mr. and Mrs.

PRINCE OF PEACE EPISCOPAL
Rev. John S. Prater
Tuesday, New Year's Eve — District 5 Party at St. Stephen's in Wilkes-Barre.
Sunday, 8 A.M. — Holy Communion.
9:30 A.M. — Holy Communion Family Service and Church School.
11 A.M. — Holy Communion.
6 P.M. — Episcopal Young Churchmen.
Wednesday, 8 P.M. — Junior Choir Rehearsal.
Card Of Thanks
The family of the late Mark Brown wishes to express thanks to all who sent flowers, cards, money, food, loaned cars and performed any act of service during the recent bereavement.
A special thanks to the Highway Department for keeping the roads plowed, the VFW Post of Noxen for their part in the grave service, and the ladies of the Centermoreland Church who served lunch following the burial.
Mrs. Mark Brown, Mark Jr. and Francis Ann Brown.
Richard Lengel Was World War II Veteran
Richard Lengel, 45, Shavertown, died Tuesday night at University of Pennsylvania Hospital where he had been admitted six weeks earlier. Services were conducted Saturday afternoon by Rev. Frederick Eidam from the Bronson Funeral Home. Burial was at Chapel Lawn.
A native of Nanticoke, son of the late Clarence and Mae Angle Lengel, he had lived most of his life in the Back Mountain, where he attended St. Paul's Lutheran Church.
He was employed by American Chain and Cable Co. for 27 years. A veteran of World War II, he was a member of Daddow Issacs Post, American Legion.
He is survived by his widow, the former Dorothy Moore two sons: Theodore, Lancaster; and James, Columbia; S. C.; one daughter, Mrs. Merrie Zerfass, Sweet Valley; nine grandchildren; and a brother, Floyd, Luzerne.
Card Of Thanks
Mrs. Corey Hoover and family wish to express their deep appreciation to all who assisted in any way during their recent bereavement.
In The Caribbean
James E. Saxe, fireman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Saxe, Route 1, Sweet Valley is participating in a three month Navy Marine Corps amphibious training exercise in the Caribbean aboard the dock landing ship USS Rushmore.
This striking force includes more than 3,300 Navy and Marine Corps personnel and six ships.
Mrs. VanHorn's Mother Passes Away Dec. 24
Mrs. Kaziah Jones, 86, mother of Mrs. Robert VanHorn with whom she had made her home on Lake Silkworth, following services conducted by Rev. Herbert Anderson from a Plymouth funeral home.
Mrs. Jones, widow of the late Evor Jones of Plymouth, who died ten years ago, passed away Tuesday morning at Nesbitt Hospital, one day after admission. She had been ill for several weeks at her daughter's home, but active up until the first of December.
She retained membership in the Pilgrim Congregational Church in Plymouth, but attended the Methodist Church in Dallas.
She leaves in addition to her daughter a son Paul, of Plymouth; six grandchildren; a sister Anna Mae Richards, retired school teacher who once lived on Pioneer Avenue, now a patient at a rest home in Plymouth.
Mrs. Harriet Rogers Lies At Mt. Greenwood
Mrs. Harriet Ellen Rogers, 74, Lehman, died Monday morning at Danville State Hospital, where she had been a patient for nine months. Burial was Friday afternoon at Mt. Greenwood, following services conducted by Rev. Norman Tiffany, pastor of Lehman Methodist Church, from the Disque Funeral Home.
A native of Ashley, daughter of the late William and Catherine Back Mountain, most of her life. Her husband Dorey Rogers died seven years ago.
Surviving are: a son George, Lehman; a daughter, Mrs. Nile Hess, Rochester N. Y.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.
CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. David Voitek, Carverton, wish to thank the neighbors who assisted them at the time of the disastrous fire which struck their home November 14, and have cooperated in the necessary cleanup jobs afterwards, washing household linens and dishes. Many neighbors offered housing and clothing stored furniture, and helped in every way possible.

Worship Together All Year 'Round

December reminds us that — except for some special religious holidays—parents still drive their children up to the doors of churches and synagogues, deposit them on the sidewalk, and then head home to indulge in another forty winks or the sports section of the morning paper.
How parents can reason "it's good for them, but not necessary for us," is puzzling when indications are that parents and children who do worship together are happier families and form the basis for a better community.
According to a report by Juvenile Judge Sam Tatum of Nashville, Tennessee—of the 46,000 juvenile cases he tried in Juvenile Court over a period of twenty-five years, only one family in every 2,700 problem cases attended religious classes or worshipped together as a family. Just seventeen families who took worship seriously were involved in all of the 46,000 trials.
Statistics such as these certainly speak volumes for families who do "worship together each week." Seeing that "they" go just isn't enough. Here's one area in which participation by all members is called for. Show your children the way to a richer, fuller life this week by joining them in worship.

Shavertown WSCS To Hold Dessert Lunch

First meeting of the new year of Shavertown Methodist Church WSCS will be held Monday, January 6, at 1 p.m.
Business meeting and dessert luncheon will follow prayer in the sanctuary at 12:45. This period is very inspirational and all are urged to attend.
Mrs. John Rogers will preside, and Mrs. Milton Evans will lead devotions.
Charles A. Adonizio and William Beck of the Luzerne County Juvenile Court will speak.
A nursery school will be provided for pre-school children.
Hostesses are Mrs. Jack Magee, chairman, assisted by Mesdames McFarland, Ted Meixell, James Martin, Roy Martz, Patrick McGough, A. J. Moreck, Thomas Morgan, William Morgan, Charles Lockhart, Lyman Lull, Austin Line, Ralph Lewis, Clarence Laidler, Misses Helen McCord and Ruth Lamoreaux.

YMCA News

The Back Mountain Branch of Y.M.C.A. was the scene, recently, of a gala Christmas Dance for Junior High School Students. Featured in the evening's entertainment, were "The Silhouettes"—a popular combo composed of five junior high students.
Several of the students decorated the YMCA gym with holiday lights, evergreens and a huge, colorful Santa Claus.
Adult volunteers who supervised the dance were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rozelle, Mrs. Vernon Ash, Miss Sandra Ash and Mr. John Henninger, Jr. Charles Wolverson, teen-age volunteer, assisted at the Snack Bar, Russell Montedonico, Jr. also assisted the staff in the game room.
Rick Ash, leader of the group announced the next dance for Saturday, January 4 at 7:30 p.m. All junior high students are invited.

Requiem Mass Today For John Fetsko

A requiem Mass for John Fetsko, Dallas RD 4, is scheduled for this morning at 8:30, at St. Mary's Church followed by burial at St. Mary's Cemetery GRC, where he had been custodian for more than thirty-five years.
Mr. Fetsko died Friday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Strollis of Ashley, where he had been living since taken ill in October.
He was born in Kingston, son of the late Michael and Mary Jorda Fetsko. He belonged to St. Mary's Church, Wilkes-Barre.
In addition to his sister Mary, he is survived by two brothers: Andrew, Wilkes-Barre, and Nicholas, at home.

Mrs. Grace M. Bitzer Was Born In Germany

Mrs. Grace M. Bitzer, Huntsville, died last Wednesday morning at the home of her brother Joseph Manzoni, Follies Road. She had been ill for some time.
A Mass of Requiem was celebrated Saturday morning at Gate of Heaven, with burial in St. Nicholas cemetery.
Mrs. Bitzer was a native of Frankfurt, Germany, coming to this country sixty years ago. For many years she operated a variety store in Wilkes-Barre Township. Ten years ago she moved to Huntsville.
She was a member of Gate of Heaven Church.
She leaves in addition to her brother Joseph, nieces Anna, Alice, Mary, Catherine Manzoni and Mrs. Grace Fielding, all of Huntsville.

In Memoriam

Anderson-Grover G. In loving memory of our husband and father, who passed away Jan. 5, 1962.
Memories are keepsakes
None can steal
Death leaves a heartache
None can heal.
Some may forget you
Now that you are gone
But we will remember
No matter how long.
Sadly missed by
Wife and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

The Manzoni family, Follies Road, wish to thank friends and neighbors who assisted during their bereavement, and those who sent cards and flowers.

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