

Church & Community

CHURCH NOTES

Apostolic Faith Tabernacle

Village Road, Orange
 Sunday School & Worship, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 7 p.m.
 Wed. Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Carverton Charge of the United Methodist Church

(Carverton, Orange & Mt. Zion)

Center Moreland United Methodist Charge

1244 SR 292E
 Tunkhannock PA 18657
 333-4354
 Worship times:
 E. Dallas: 8:45 a.m.
 Dymond Hollow: 10 a.m.
 Center Moreland: Covenant Group, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:15 a.m.
 Renew Mondays at 7 p.m.
 Bible Study Thursdays, 10 a.m.

Chapel at the Cross

Meeting at High Point Church, 1919 Mountain Rd., Larksville
 Sundays: Worship, 4 p.m.; personal growth sessions, 5:15 p.m.; Celebrate Recovery, 6:45 p.m.

Cross Creek Community Church

370 Carverton Rd., Trucksville
 Sunday: Worship Services 8 and 10:30 a.m. Current message series, "Discovering Jesus." Adult Bible studies and classes for children of all ages, 9:30 a.m.
 Wednesdays: 7 p.m. adult Bible study/prayer with classes for children and teenagers.
 Small group Bible studies with various subjects, times and locations.
 For information, call 696-0399.

Dallas Baptist Church

Rt. 415, Dallas
 Sundays: Bible study for all ages, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening service 6 p.m.
 Aug. 29: Adult choir resumes practice.
 Sept. 1: Special prayer meeting for pastor search committee.
 Sept. 7: Hospitality committee meeting, 6 p.m.

Dallas United Methodist

4 Parsonage St., Dallas
 Church Service 9:30 a.m.
 Handicapped accessible

Emmanuel

Assembly of God
 243 Church Rd., Harveys Lake
 Sunday School, all ages, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Services, 10:45

a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
 Mondays, teen gathering, 6:30
 Wednesdays, boys groups (Rangers), girls groups, adult Bible study, 7 p.m.

Fellowship Evangelical Free Church

45 Hildebrandt Rd. Dallas,
 Sunday Schedule: 9 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Worship and Sunday School during both hours
 Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., Jr. High Youth Group
 Thursday: 6:30 p.m., Sr. High Youth Group

Grace Community Church

Memorial Highway, Dallas
 Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Youth Group, 6 p.m.; Gems, 6 p.m.
 Wed.y: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.

Lehman-Idetown United Methodist

Lehman UMC, 1011 Mt. View Dr., Lehman Center
 Idetown UMC, Idetown Rd. off Rt. 118 and 415
 Summer Schedule:
 Worship at the Idetown UMC, 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday School resumes Sept. 5
 Information, 675-5192

New Life Community Church

Brace Road, Orange
 Sunday Schedule: All ages Sunday School classes, 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

Rt. 29 Lake Silkworth
 Services: Saturday 4:30 p.m.; Sunday 8 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.
 Aug. 29: Chicken BBQ dinner, noon to 4 p.m. Call 477-5040 for tickets.

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church

420 Main St., Dallas
 Sunday, Aug. 29: Holy Eucharist, 9 a.m.; Summer Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Alanon meeting, 7 p.m.
 Aug. 30: AA Meeting, 7 p.m.
 Wed., Sept. 1: Healing Service, Holy Eucharist, 12:10 p.m.; Finance Commission Meeting, 7 p.m.; Vestry Meeting, 7 p.m.
 Thurs., Sept. 2: Parish Life Meeting, 7 p.m.

River Of Life Fellowship

194 N. Memorial Hwy., Shavertown
 Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
 Soaking Prayer Thursdays, 7

p.m.
 Food Bank every third Saturday of the month.

Shavertown United Methodist

163 N. Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown
 Saturdays: 5:30 p.m., chapel service
 Sundays: 9:45 a.m., hymn sing; 10 a.m., worship service and junior church.
 For information, call 675-3616.

St. Luke's Reformation Lutheran

Tunkhannock Rd., Noxen
 298-2611
 Martin Luther Everhart, Lay Minister
 Church Service at 10 a.m.

St. Paul's Lutheran

RR 4 Box 627A (off 118), Dallas
 Saturday evening service at 5:30 weekly.
 Sunday service, 9:30 a.m.
 Tuesdays, A.A. meetings at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

St. Therese's Catholic

Pioneer Ave. and Davis St., Shavertown
 Sunday: Sacrament of the Eucharist, 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9 a.m.
 Sept. 1: Altar & Rosary meeting, 6 p.m., Old Country Buffet, Wilkes-Barre.
 Sept. 1: 6:30-8:30 p.m., final chance to register children for Religious Education. Questions, contact Denise Murphy, 696-1144.
 Sept. 4-5: Special blessing for students and teachers at all Masses.

Trinity Presbyterian

105 Irem Rd., Dallas
 Saturday evening worship: 5:30 p.m. Sunday morning worship: 10 a.m. followed by a weekly reception on the lawn.

Truckville United Methodist

40 Knob Hill Rd., Trucksville
 Summer Sunday Services are at 8:30 and 10 a.m.; 'Cafe Truckville' between services.
 FallMum Sale pickup Sept. 11.
 Sept. 5: Rally Day, to celebrate the opening of church school.

Victory Baptist Bible Church

58 Market St., Lehman
 Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 11 a.m.; evening worship, 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday prayer service, 6:30 p.m.



Penny Wars program aids free health clinics

The Fifth Annual Penny Wars for the Poor Program raised a total of \$3,952.75 to help support our community's free health clinics. Fifteen churches teamed up with the Commission on Economic Opportunity (CEO), the "People Helping People" organization, to help economically disadvantaged families with children and fixed-income senior citizens in need of assistance.

From left, first row, Dave Ritter, CEO Staff; Gene Brady, CEO Executive Director; Betty Glass, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Marjorie Fritzinger, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Deacon Gene Kovatch, St. Jude's Church, Mountain Top; Denise Murphy, St. Therese's Church, Shavertown; John Namey, CEO Board of Directors; Rev. James Quinn, Immanuel Baptist Church, Edwardsville; Rev. William S. Marshall Jr., St. Clement and St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Wilkes-Barre. From left, second row, Bernice L. Hill, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Dianna Smith, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Ethel MacAvoy, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Lois Gdovin, St. Paul's Church, Dallas; Rev. Wallace Smith, CEO Board of Directors. Other participating churches and organizations that helped raise the money were Exaltation Holy Cross Church, Buttonwood; First Presbyterian Church, Pittston; Transfiguration/SS. Peter & Paul Churches, West Hazleton; Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Wilkes-Barre; Interfaith Clinic at St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre; Memorial Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre; Stella Presbyterian Church, Forty-Fort; Welsh Congregational Church, Hazleton; Wilkes University; and the CEO "People Helping People" team.

Institute on Sacred Scripture marks 36 years

The 36th annual Institute on Sacred Scripture was held recently on the College Misericordia campus. Organized by Dr. Marie Noël Keller, RSM, Th.D., executive director of The Institute on Sacred Scripture, this year's program featured three speakers, Dr. Kathleen O'Connor, Dr. Daniel J. Harrington and Dr. Bonnie Thurston. The Book of Job, the Gospel of Luke and Prayer in the New Testament were the topics discussed.

The Institute on Sacred Scripture has provided clergy and lay people from across the nation the opportunity to study Scripture under the leadership of the top Biblical scholars in the country. It relates to those of all educational backgrounds with the simplicity and elegance of the Scriptures themselves. This year, 126 participants attended the Institute.



Principals at this year's event, from left: Dr. Marie Noël Keller, RSM, Th.D., executive director of The Institute on Sacred Scripture; Dr. Kathleen O'Connor; Dr. Daniel Harrington, S.J.; and Dr. Bonnie Thurston.

Gospel music at Trinity Presbyterian

The Jacobs Brothers gospel music trio will perform at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 105 Irem Rd., Dallas on Sunday, Sept. 12 at 6 p.m. The concert is free. The public is invited. Reception and light refreshments will follow.

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