

CHURCH BRIEFS

FEFC holding Bible school

The Fellowship Evangelical Free Church will hold Son Treasure Island Vacation Bible School on June 26-30 at the church, 45 Hildebrandt Road in Dallas Township. The morning session will start at 9:10 a.m. and the evening session will begin at 5:45 p.m.

Both sessions will feature a skit, puppet show, games, crafts, music and other activities. Both sessions are open to children 4 years of age through fifth grade. The evening session is also open to sixth-graders. For more information, call 675-6426.

Center Moreland UMC sets adult VBS

The Center Moreland United Methodist Church will hold an adult evening Vacation Bible School study, which will be held during the week of the children and youth VBS. The Bible schools will be held Monday through Thursday, June 19-22 at the church on Creamery Road in Center Moreland. The adult VBS study will take place from 7-8 p.m. and public is invited.

The adult study "Spiritual Disciplines for Ordinary People" was written by John and Nancy Orthger, teaching pastors of the

Willow Creek Community Church.

Community VBS to begin Aug. 7

A community-wide Vacation Bible School "The Xtreme Encounter: 'A Salvation Space Journey'" will be held from 9 a.m. to noon Aug. 7-11 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Route 118 in Dallas Township. The event for children ages 3 and older is being sponsored by churches of the Back Mountain Ministerium. The following churches will be represented - Shavertown United Methodist, St. Paul's Lutheran, Dallas United Methodist, Trinity Presbyterian, Prince of Peace Episcopal and Huntsville United Methodist.

The Bible school will feature music, crafts, stories, games and snacks. The registration deadline is July 23 and limited to 150 children. Forms are available at the churches listed above or by contacting Jennifer Martin of the Prince of Peace Episcopal Church at 675-1723 or princeofpeace@epix.net.

Thomas performing at FEFC concert

Shavertown native and Chris-

tian recording artist Lily Thomas will hold a concert at 7 p.m. Sunday, June 11 at the Fellowship Evangelical Free Church on Hildebrandt Road in Dallas Township. Thomas, a 1990 graduate of Ebenezer Christian School in Plymouth, will perform songs from her recently-recorded CD "simplest way."

The daughter of Modesto and Ana Ramirez has been singing and writing Christian music since 1990. Thomas lives in Bella Vista, Ariz. with her husband Andy and their two children, Caroline and Andrew Jr. There is no admission charge to attend the concert and the public is invited. The CD will be available for purchase at the concert.

Center Moreland UMC plans 'Fiesta' VBS

The Center Moreland United Methodist Church will hold its annual Vacation Bible School from Monday, June 19 through Friday, June 23 at the church on Creamery Road in Center Moreland. The VBS will be held from 8:30 a.m. to noon Monday and 9 a.m. to noon Tuesday through Friday. A closing program will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, June 23.

This year's theme is "Fiesta" and the event will feature Bible lessons, songs, games, crafts,

snacks, daily Bible challenges, special mission projects and other activities. The VBS is open to boys and girls in kindergarten through high school.

Nursery will be provided for the children of teachers and helpers. Other nursery children are welcome if accompanied by parent or caregiver. To register, call Meg Venn at 333-1016. For more information, call Susan Vozzak at 333-4579.

Celebration set for 100th birthday

The family of Florence "Til" Weaver and the church family of the Center Moreland United Methodist will hold a 100th birthday celebration from 2-5 p.m. Saturday, June 17 at the church on Creamery Road in Center Moreland. The public is invited to attend the open house. Weaver, a lifetime member of the church, celebrates her 100th birthday June 14.

Youth group sets yard sale

The youth group at St. Paul's

Lutheran Church will hold an "Inside Yard Sale" from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church on Route 118 in Dallas Township. Good, clean useable items - including clothing, books, toys, kitchen items, decorations, pictures, jewelry, curtains and small appliances - may be dropped off at the church beginning Monday, June 5. Large items, such as computer equipment, appliances, furniture and exercise equipment cannot be accepted.

Proceeds from the event will be used for the group's trip to San Antonio, Texas.

Fine Arts series presenting concert

Tim Zimmerman and The King's Brass will perform at 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 28 at the Shavertown United Methodist Church on Pioneer Avenue in Shavertown. The concert is being held as part of the Fine Arts Series. The group will perform a variety of songs, including many from its recently-released CD "Classic Hymns." Tickets are \$8 for adults and

\$4 for children. Tickets are available at the church office. For more information, call 675-3616.

Lehman-Idetown UMC plans Bible school

The Lehman-Idetown United Methodist Church will hold its annual Vacation Bible School from 9-11:30 a.m. June 19-23 at the Lehman United Methodist Church on Mountain View Road in Lehman Township.

The program "Bible Kids: Kids in Daily Service" will include Bible lessons, crafts, games and snacks. The Bible school is open to children in nursery school through sixth grade. Teen and adult volunteers are welcome.

A special service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, June 25 to celebrate the program. The children will sing during the service. For more information, call Mandy Newman at 674-9777 or pastor Nancy Russell at 675-5192. Pre-registration is not required.

For more information, call the church office at 675-3723.



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