

# St. Paul's summer event

Cars, baked goods, animals, face painting and a smokehouse made for a fun day at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church Summer Fair on July 27. Saturday, July 27. Also part of the event was a "Walk Awhile for Colin" benefit to support Colin Grube in his battle of bone cancer.



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Seven-year-old Carleigh Thomas, of Dallas, plays with Duke, a Beagle mix, from the SPCA during the St. Paul's Lutheran Church summer event.

Left: Heidi, left, Andrew, Scott, and Alaina Schukroft, all of Dallas, start their 'Walk Awhile for Colin' to benefit Colin Grube who is battling bone cancer.



Joel Eneboe, of Shavertown, prepares a cheeseburger hot off the grill at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church summer event.



Michael Newhart, of Dallas, looks over a 1966 Volkswagen bus on display at a car show during the St. Paul's Lutheran Church summer event.

## CHURCH BRIEFS

### FAM JAM PLANNED

Back Mountain Harvest Assembly will host FAM JAM, an evening of fun for the family, from 5 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 14 at the Rock Rec Sports Complex (aka Valley Tennis and Swim Club).

There will be games, swimming and food. For more information, call 696-1128.

### BUFFET OFFERED

A buffet of meats, hot and cold dishes, salads, desserts and drinks will be offered from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 16 at the Noxen United Methodist Church, Route 29.

A free will offering will be taken.

### TUMC SETS VBS

Trucksville United Methodist Church Vacation Bible School will be held from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 18 through Thursday, Aug. 22 at the church's educational facility, 40 Knob Hill Road, Trucksville.

Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. followed by evening activities at "SonRise" National Park. Explore

beautiful landscapes, meet the animals and enjoy God's creation.

Vacation Bible School for grown ups will also be offered.

Call the office at 696-3897 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday through Friday to register.

### BLOOD DRIVE SLATED

The Red Cross will host a blood drive from 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 19 at Fellowship Church, 45 Hildebrandt Road, Dallas.

A blood donor card or driver's license, or two other forms of ID are required at check-in.

For more information, contact Louis Mondy at 706-0742 or visit redcrossblood.org to make an appointment.

### COMMUNITY YARD SALE

The Huntsville United Methodist Church, 2335 Huntsville Road, Shavertown, is having a community yard sale from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 24.

Vendors are wanted. Space is \$10. Call 477-3748. The kitchen will also be open and homemade foods will be available for purchase.

## SENIOR CENTER MENU

Senior Citizens Centers sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging for Luzerne and Wyoming Counties offer hot noon meals Monday through Friday to people 60 years of age or older. Donations from participants are gratefully accepted and needed in order to expand this program.

The following is the menu for the week of Aug. 12:

**MONDAY:** BBQ pork (BBQ on side), vegetable soup, cole slaw, whole wheat sandwich roll, raspberry peach gelatin, margarine, milk and coffee.

**TUESDAY:** Bag lunch

**WEDNESDAY:** Honey glazed turkey, roasted red potatoes, green beans, whole wheat dinner roll, cookie bar, margarine, milk and coffee.

**THURSDAY:** Meatloaf, lentil soup, crackers, broccoli and carrots, mashed potatoes, whole wheat bread, diced pineapple, margarine, milk and coffee.

**FRIDAY:** Chicken and sausage bake, mixed greens salad with raspberry vinaigrette, brown rice, whole wheat bread, birthday cake, margarine, milk and coffee.

## OBITUARIES

**CHACKO** - Andrew J., 81, of Dallas, died Thursday, Aug. 1, 2013, at his residence.

He was born in West Wyoming, and was a graduate of West Wyoming High School and Wilkes College. He was a traffic manager with Nelson Manufacturing, Wyoming, before his retirement.

He was a combat disabled veteran of the Korean War in the U.S. Air Force. He was a member of the Korean War Vets and Daddow Isaacs Post 672 American Legion, Dallas, the Disabled American Vets of Kingston and Mosquito Association of Korea.

He was also a member of the United Spinal Association, Yonkers, N.Y., and a fourth degree knight with the Knights of Columbus, Luzerne.

He was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas.

Surviving are a son, Andrew J., Mountain Top; daughter, Linda Royer, Harveys Lake; brother, Edward, West Wyoming; sister, Dorothy Michael, Swoyersville; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Memorial donations to Scared Heart Hospice, 600 Baltimore Drive, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702.

**FINK** - Leonette, 100, formerly of Harveys Lake, died Friday, Aug. 22, 2013, at Tiffany Court in Kingston.

She was born on Nov. 10, 1912, in Plymouth and was a graduate of Plymouth High School. Prior to retiring, she was the owner of Smith's Pharmacy in Easton for many years.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hoyt Library, 284 Wyoming Ave., Kingston, PA 18704.

**FRATES** - Gerald J., 61, of Sweet Valley, died Friday, Aug. 2, 2013, at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

He was born in Wilkes-Barre on June 23, 1952, and was a graduate of Pennsbury High School, Fairless Hills, Class of 1971.

Surviving are his sisters, Mary Ellen Kordowski, of Sweet Valley; Barbara Neiman, of Dallas; brothers, Bill, of Lyons Station; and Joseph; nieces and nephews; great-nieces and great-nephews.

**HEWITT** - John M. Jr., 84, of Dallas, died Wednesday, June 19, 2013, at home.

He was born in Jackson

Township on Dec. 29, 1928, graduated from the former Lehman High School in 1947 and served in the U.S. Army as an engineer during the Korean Conflict.

Surviving are his sister, Babetta Bernstein, Chase; two nephews and a niece.

Memorial donations to the Lehman-Idetown United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 1, Lehman, PA 18627.

**PRIVUZNAK** - Michael F., of Tunkhannock, died on Friday, Aug. 1, 2013, at the Meadows Nursing Home in Dallas.

He was born in New York City on Aug. 8, 1932, was a 1950 graduate of St. Anne's Academy, New York City, and served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a 25-year veteran of the U.S. Army Reserves, serving with the 78th Division and

retiring as sergeant major of the 2nd Battalion 2nd Brigade in Lodi, N.J.

Prior to retirement, he was employed for several years at National Standard Athenia Steel Division, Clifton, N.J.

He was a member of the Church of The Nativity BVM, Tunkhannock, its Holy Name Society and of the Father Francis Perkosy Knights of Columbus.

Surviving are sisters, Louise DeStories, Sun City, Ariz.; JoAnne Lynch, Shickshinny; Marianne O'Connell, Lenoir, N.C.; brother, John, Jensen Beach, Fla.; nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Memorial donations to the Geno Merli Veterans Center, 401 Penn Ave., Scranton, PA 18503.

**SMITH** - Barbara "Bobbie," 90, of Dallas

and Naples, Fla., died Wednesday, July 31, 2013, in Naples, Fla.

**ZEKUS** - Proxeda F., 80, of Dallas, formerly of Edwardsville and Kingston, died Friday, Aug. 2, 2013, in Hospice Community Care Inpatient Unit, Geisinger South Wilkes-Barre.

She was born in Edwardsville, was a graduate of Edwardsville High School and had been employed by Johnson & Johnson for 20 years. She was a member of St. John the Baptist Church, Larksville.

Surviving are daughters, Joyce Covert, Thornhurst; and Carole, Jacksonville Beach, Fla.; two grandchildren; sister, Nancy Janoski, Hanover; nieces and nephews.

**WALKO** - Leonard A. Sr., 88, of Hunlock Creek, died Saturday, Aug. 3,

2013, at the Kindred Hospital, Rahway, N.J.

He was born in Swoyersville on Dec. 24, 1924, and served in the U.S. Army during world War II and Korea. He was employed by E.H. Allen Trucking in Old Bridge, N.J., for 34 years, retiring 26 years ago.

Surviving are sons, Larry, of Old Bridge, N.J.; and Gary, of Colonia, N.J.; a sister, Jean Kieczkajilo, of Kingston; two grandchildren.

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