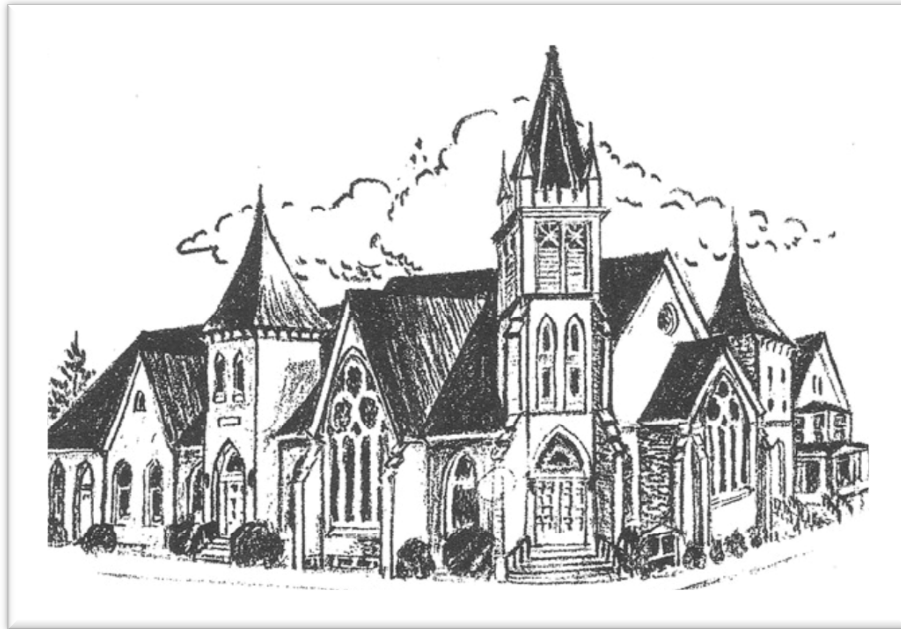


# THE MESSIAH HERALD



**JULY, 2013**



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## DAILY HOME BIBLE READINGS

July	1: Ephesians 5:6-20
July	2: Psalm 140
July	3: John 14:1-7
July	4: Isaiah 66:10-14
July	5: Psalm 66:1-9
July	6: Galatians 6:(1-6) 7-16
July	7: Luke 10:1-11; 16-20
July	8: Psalm 119:73-80
July	9: Genesis 41:14-36
July	10: Genesis 41:37-49
July	11: Deuteronomy 30:9-14
July	12: Psalm 25:1-10
July	13: Colossians 1:1-14
July	14: Luke 10:25-37
July	15: Luke 8:4-10
July	16: Psalm 25:11-20
July	17: Hebrews 5:1-6
July	18: Genesis 18:1-10a
July	19: Psalm 15:1-5
July	20: Colossians 1:15-28
July	21: Luke 10:38-42
July	22: John 20:1-2, 11-18
July	23: Esther 4:1-17
July	24: Genesis 18:20-32
July	25: Mark 10:35-45
July	26: Psalm 138
July	27: Colossians 2:6-15 (16-19)
July	28: Luke 11:1-13
July	29: Proverbs 23:1-11
July	30: Proverbs 24:1-12
July	31: Mark 10:17-22



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer Requests will be placed in the weekly bulletin for one month.

If you wish to have someone included in the prayer list for more than one month, please call the church office.

**DIAL-A-PRAYER (436-2100) IS AVAILABLE 24 HOURS DAILY!**

## JULY SCHEDULES

### LECTORS

7: Linda Bahorik  
14: Cynthia Smith  
21: Barbara S. Geedey  
28: Bob St. Clair

### ALTAR GUILD

July 1—July 14 Sandy Pines  
July 15—July 21 Barbara S. Geedey  
July 22—July 28 Michelle Stoner  
July 29—August 4 Kay Varner

### ALTAR FLOWERS

7: Guy Dillman  
14: Leister/Smith  
21: Nancy (Yocum) Kreiner  
28: Warren & Claire Mummah



Messiah Women of the ELCA met Thursday, June 13, 2013.

Devotions: An article by Jack McClung—What Flag Day Means to You? Go back to our roots and rearrange the order of things – God, Red, White, Blue. God is in everything – even the simple act of folding our flag.

Business: Counted items for the Personal Care Kits. We need 3 more towels to make 50. The towels will be purchased.

We will start collecting items for School Kits during July, August and September. Watch bulletins for information.

Collecting items for the Seafarers Christmas gift set through October.

- casual T-shirts, medium & large (no slogans, etc.)
- sweat shirts, large & extra-large
- 3 pairs of socks
- 1 heavy knit winter cap

(Please place collected items on the table in the Adult Sunday School Room).

The project for May and June will be collecting new bath size bars (4 to 5 oz.) of any brand soap in its original wrapping (boxes are accepted). There will be a wash tub in the Adult Sunday School Room for soap donations. **“Rub-a-dub-dub, let’s fill the tub”** for Lutheran World Relief.

WELCA Convention will be held at Camp Mt. Luther on July 27. Anyone who might be interested in attending, call Barb Geedey at 436-6433.

The next meeting will be Thursday, July 11, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Area.

## **NEW TREASURER NEEDED**

Messiah is in need of a new treasurer to replace Ken Eyler after his many years of service.

If you would like details, please contact Executive Director Guy Dillman or Pastor Esborn.

## **MEALS-ON-WHEELS**

Volunteer drivers and cooks are needed and people to help assemble meals.

If you have some spare time and can help, please call Dottie Heck at 436-6002 or 717-348-1950 (cell).

Individuals, church groups, or Sunday School classes who would like to make a contribution to the Meals-On-

Wheels program, your continued support would be greatly appreciated. Contributions can be sent to:

Juniata Meals-On-Wheels  
P.O. Box 251  
Mifflintown, PA 17059

## **QUIET COMMUNION**



Each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. (during June, July and August), a Quiet Communion Service will be held in the Jr. Church/Showers Class Room for those who are unable to attend on Sundays during the summer.

Pastor Esborn, Jim Bahorik and Andrea Cameron will be presiding over these services.

## **HELP AVAILABLE**

If you or someone you know needs help with home repairs or yard work, there are volunteers in our community who may be able to help.

For more information, contact Michael “Doc” Johnston at 436-9209 or Cynthia Smith at 436-8512.

## **PRAYER CHAIN**

The current Prayer Chain will be deactivated and a new one started. If you would like to receive emails for persons needing prayers, please contact Stacie Kint at [dskint@nmax.net](mailto:dskint@nmax.net).

A new phone chain will also be established. If you wish to receive phone calls for persons needing prayers, please contact Stacie at 436-6341.

## Juniata County Food Pantry July Update

Dear Friends,

We are still dealing with empty shelves in the area of baby care and paper products like tissues, toilet paper, and paper towels.

In May 2013, the Food Pantry served 312 families in need – a total of 863 individuals. A special thank you to Free Spring Church of the Brethren for providing volunteers for the month of May.

### Help Needed!

- 1) Regular (every week) Saturday morning volunteer to help customers with groceries, and do some shelf stocking. Must enjoy working with people.
- 2) A Macho Man (Men) who can load and unload trucks, lift stacks of cases and move skids with one hand (or at least a pallet truck!) Guys, put your God-given muscles to work for a good cause at the Food Pantry. This is a regular volunteer position for any of the following times: Mon. and Wed. 2-6, and Sat. 9-1. And if you're good at handy man stuff in the bargain, we'll double your pay!

### FOOD PANTRY NEEDS FOR JULY

FRESH PRODUCE AND ANY OTHER FOODS,  
BABY WASH, DIAPER RASH OINTMENT, WIPES, DIAPERS (SIZES 4-6), PULL-UPS (ALL SIZES),  
PAPER PRODUCTS (PAPER TOWELS, TOILET PAPER, AND TISSUES)

WE ALSO GLADLY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF CASH AND GIFT CARDS TO LOCAL STORES  
PLASTIC AND PAPER GROCERY BAGS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED

**\*REMEMBER, OUR VESTIBULE (LOCATED ON THE RAMP SIDE OF THE BUILDING )  
IS OPEN TO RECEIVE DONATIONS ANY HOUR, ANY DAY!  
CASH OR GIFT CARD DONATIONS MAY BE DEPOSITED THROUGH THE MAIL SLOT.**

**HOURS: MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY, 2:00 – 6:00 PM AND SATURDAY, 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM.  
CLOSED ON TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SUNDAY.**

**\*PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE JUNIATACOUNTY FOOD PANTRY, P.O. BOX 44, 114 N. MAIN ST.,  
MIFFLINTOWN, PA 17059. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: 436-9718 (CONTACT PERSON: KATHY QUEITZSCH).  
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Brochures are available on the  
table in the Adult Sunday School Room.

For more information, please contact  
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### Why utilize our services?

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**We aim to provide you with outstanding services and care.**

For the **Senior Citizen**, our Team Members will help you maintain the independence, security and dignity that will enable you to live safely and remain in the comfort of your own home.

For the **Busy Professional**, we can help make YOUR life easier by assisting with daily errands or tasks specifically outlined through your personalized assistance plan.

For the **Family On The Go**, our Team Members can provide that needed assistance in the morning or evening for your aging loved one or assist with daily tasks to make YOUR time more available to the ones you love.

### What we do....

***Our in-home services include but are not limited to:***

**Companionship** ~ helping to keep individuals engaged both mentally and socially while supervising their safety and well-being.

**Homemaking** ~ assisting with light housekeeping, meal preparation, laundry, and transportation for appointments, errands, shopping and outings.

**Independent Living Services** ~ assisting with activities of daily living, such as dressing, grooming, mobility assistance, medication reminders.

**Respite** ~ giving a primary caregiver time off.

**Pet Care** ~ providing care for pets (dogs and cats), walks, feeding, outdoor breaks.

**Specialized Services** ~ such as, book-keeping, legal / notary services , home maintenance and plant care / gardening..

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Plans Are Developed For ALL  
of Our Clients!**

**Additional Services are available, please visit our website or call for a complete overview of services we may provide.**

[www.InHomeServicesofCentralPA.com](http://www.InHomeServicesofCentralPA.com)

### How we do it

In Home Services carefully screens all Team Members (Service Providers). Background and criminal checks are conducted. We carry both professional and general liability insurance and all caregivers are bonded.

### Who we serve

We provide services to people of all ages in the Centre, Mifflin and Juniata County Area.

### Flexible and affordable

Whether we are your primary caregiver or providing respite care, our Team Members are available for as little or as much as you need them – during the day, night or weekend. In Home Services of Central PA provides affordable and flexible assistance plans to meet your needs.



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25 YEARS TOGETHER IN CHRIST

We, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), celebrate our 25th anniversary in 2013. We are a church that is deeply rooted – and always being made new.

**Mark your calendar!**  
**“God’s work. Our hands.” Sunday**  
**September 8, 2013**

For 25 years, the ELCA has been a church deeply rooted in faith and in sharing its passion for making positive changes in the world.

To celebrate our anniversary and our church’s commitment to sharing God’s love with our neighbors, your congregation is called to take part in a dedicated day of service on **September 8** known as **“God’s work. Our hands.” Sunday**.

You work every day to welcome your neighbors and make your community a better place. Now let’s do it together as one body, using our hands to do God’s work in Jesus Christ’s name.

Imagine the nearly 10,000 congregations of our church serving meals, cleaning up neighborhoods, making quilts for refugees or simply visiting the neighbors who need us. We are a church that rolls up our sleeves and gets to work.

More information will become available in May, including how to order your **“God’s work. Our hands.” Sunday** t-shirts and a toolkit designed to plan for the dedicated day of service at: [www.ELCA.org/25years](http://www.ELCA.org/25years).

To learn more about the ELCA’s 25th anniversary visit [ELCA.org/25years](http://ELCA.org/25years).