



2018 PRES

What spills out?



Rev. Henry Wingblade once compared the Christian personality to the unseen soup in a bowl carried high over a waiter's head. No one knows what's inside – unless the waiter is bumped or trips. If Jesus is truly living inside us, Wingblade said, what spills out should be the fruit of the Spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

When you falter, what do people see? How can your “spillage” better reflect the Holy Spirit, who lives in you?



Session Update: Notes from the Session meetings in June and July

1. Reverend Luanne Panarotti reported that she had officiated at the wedding of Tyler and Katlynd Albrecht.
2. Clerk Marilyn Brands reported on information received from Presbytery's Committee on Preparation for Ministry concerning the Irene Bower Scholarship. Session voted to extend this scholarship to those studying to be Commissioned Ruling Elders (new term for Commissioned Lay Pastors). A \$500 scholarship will be given to 5 candidates presently under the care of Presbytery: Betsy Bostwick, Lynn Costa, Gaye Hartwig, Edgar Hayes, and Connie Knapp.
3. Finance Committee Chairperson Myung Sung and committee member Gary Murphy reported that our deficit has been considerably reduced from this time a year ago.
4. Personnel Committee Chairperson Gary Murphy and committee member Mary Jane Gardner reported on the work of the Interim Search Committee. This process has been changed and is taking much longer than previous searches.
5. Stewardship/Church Growth Committee Chairperson Edith Keck reported that her committee will be meeting to determine the recipient of the local portion of the Pentecost Offering. The Summertime Lobster Rolls fundraiser has been held on two Fridays and will have one more on July 27.
6. Christian Education Committee Chairperson Mary Jane Gardner reported that the "Celebration of Christian Education" was held on June 10. The June Plass Sherow Scholarship was presented to Kayla Gordineer and the Denny Smith Award was presented to Ben Sung. Vacation Bible School with its theme of "Rolling River Rampage" is being held July 16-20.
7. Worship Committee Chairperson Phyllis Menzenski and committee member Judy Brandow reported that pulpit supply preachers have been scheduled for July and August.
8. Chesney Baker reported that she attended the June meeting of Trustees. Items discussed included general maintenance and repairs needed for the cottage, oil prices, and building use.
9. In Old Business, Joyce Brower, Office Manager, sent a draft of the updated Church Directory to be edited by the Session. This Directory will be made available to members as soon as all corrections have been made. Photo pages will be provided at a later date.

Pulpit Coverage for August

August 5th (Holy Communion) - Reverend Arlene Wilhelm

August 12th - Reverend Arlene Wilhelm

August 19th - Dane Austin

August 26th - Karen Sheer



CHURCH OFFICERS 2018

SESSION

ELDERS (Ruling Body of the Church)

CLASS OF 2018	CLASS OF 2019	CLASS OF 2020
Mary Jane Gardner	Judy Brandow	Chesney Baker
Phyllis Menzenski	Edith Keck	Myung Sung
Kim Daley	Gary Murphy	Karen Sheer
Clerk – Marilyn Brands		
TRUSTEES (Take Care of the Physical Plant)		
Caroline Dolfi	Andy Albrecht	Debbie Traver
Rick Fay	Tracy Keck	Karen Haight
Don Traver	Philip Keck	Linda Halliday
DEACONS (The Service Body of the Church)		
Steve Albrecht Sr.	Richard Moysey	Amanda Smith
Dawne Fay	Jack Smith	Tom Smith
Traci Haight (Chairman)	Barbara Huneke	Pat Zerbe

Church Treasurer: Wayne Sauer

Mission Treasurers: David Brands and Wayne Sauer

Bargain Basement: Jean Albrecht, Director 845-635-3563

Friendship Callers: Joan Smith, Chairperson 845-635-3687

For numbers of Chairpersons not listed, please refer to the church directory or
call the church office at 845-635-3289.



*Please
keep these
people in
your daily
prayers.*

- Prayers for **Ginny Rossway** (member) currently in Lutheran Care recovering from a broken hip.
- Prayers for **Mike Mikula** (Joyce's brother-in-law) who is undergoing cancer treatments.
- Prayers for **Napoleon** (friend of Linda Morey) who is fighting cancer.
- Prayers for **Jane Barden** (member) who is currently at Lutheran Care.
- Prayers for **Tim Sutherland** (friend of Judy Brandow) who was burned in an accident.
- Prayers for **Mary Perdomo** (member) who is home from the hospital recovering.
- Prayers for **Ray Davis** who is recovering from a broken foot.
- Prayers for **Carol Belton** (member) who is struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Paul Wigsten** who is dealing with health issues.
- Prayers for **Kathy Lane** (friend of Hilde) who is having heart surgery.
- Prayers for **Brian Gibson** (friend of Irene Muntz) who is well on the road to recovery.
- Prayers for **Chris Woodward** (Harriet Mark's brother) who is battling prostate cancer.
- Prayers for **Rick Fay** (member) struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Karen Livingston Bernardo** (friend of Phyllis Menzenski) whose cancer has returned.
- Prayers for **Donna Mears** (member) who is struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Arnold Sheer** (Karen's brother-in-law) who is struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Kenny Muntz** (Irene's son) who is struggling with an auto immune blood disease and has upcoming tests.
- Prayers for **Barbara Vaché** (Dawne Fay's mother) who is struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Ron Meek** (father of Rev. Gavin Meek, our General Presbyter) who is suffering with health issues.
- Prayers for **Amelia Borland** (2 yr old child who Jen Miller babysits for) who has leukemia.
- Prayers for **Dariana** (a Haight family friend) who is fighting cancer, but recently received good test results.
- Prayers for **Richard Joseph** (Mary Jane Gardner's brother) who is struggling with health issues.
- Prayers for **Edith & Dave** (Donna Sheak's parents) who are struggling with health issues.
- Prayers of gratitude for **Jim Tyger** (Debi's husband) who is doing well as he continues his treatments.

Long Term Residence Lutheran Care

Prayers for Dort Traver (member) who is in the Lutheran Care Center, Room 111a South.



Stewardship

Thank you to all who contributed to the Pentecost Offering. The total collected this year was \$652.00.



Adam's Gift Cards

Every week is a good week to purchase Adams Gift Card(s) through our church. We have been using this fundraiser since April 2011 to add about \$3000.00 a year to our General Fund. We are not up to the halfway mark yet for this year, so please consider how you can help now. You get full value for your card purchase so it is no added cost to you. Participating does give you a chance to support our church and to say "Hello" to Helen, Linda and Joyce.

THANK YOU!!



A BIG thank you from the Keck family for everyone's help and support in making this year's Chicken BBQ another success for the church. Whether you baked desserts, helped with the prep work, or were one of the many workers the day of or just came to eat with us. Everything was appreciated. God Bless!



SUMMERTIME LOBSTER MEALS

A "GREAT BIG THANK YOU" from Paul & Edith Keck to the team (Joyce Brower, Judy Brandow, Marilyn Brands, Alta & Jerry Conklin, Mary Jane Gardner, Lisa Wendell, Linda Morey and Phyllis Menzenski) that worked so diligently to help make the Lobster Fundraising a \$ucce\$\$\$. Not only did most work all 3 Thursdays to set-up & Prep and all 3 Fridays to serve and clean-up, but they provided 98% of the cookies needed, as well. THANK YOU!!!

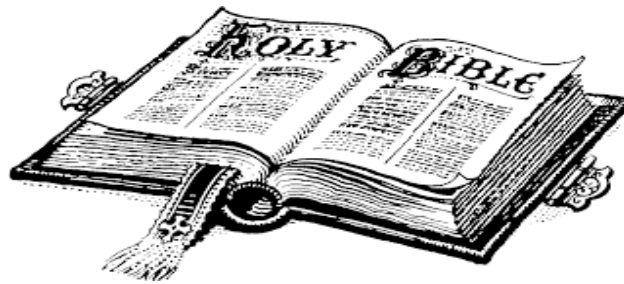


Fundraisers Report



June Yard Sale ~ \$681.00 profit
 June Chicken BBQ ~ \$1536.00 profit
 July Lobster Meals ~ \$1391.00 profit

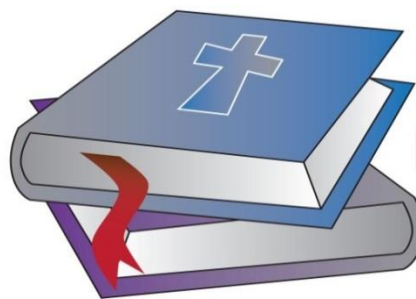
THANKS to all who worked on these events!



Bible Study will resume in September.

The class meets on Sundays at 11:00 a.m. in the classroom on the 3rd floor.

Christian



Education

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The next meeting of the Christian Education Committee will be on Thursday, August 16th at 6:00 p.m. in the Parlor.

Anyone that is looking for something new and interesting to do, please feel free to join us!



A BIG THANK YOU goes out to our Rolling River Rampage volunteers for all of the hard work and the time that you spent preparing for Vacation Bible School! None of this would be possible without your commitment.

Jean Albrecht
Ken & Dara Brands
Chesney Baker
Marilyn Brands
Aimee Brower
Joyce Brower
Alta Conklin
Brenda Daley
Keith Daley
Paige Daley
Darcy Gordineer
Max Gordineer
Karen Haight
Traci Haight
Barbara Huneke
Tabitha Maffucci
Max Marcou
Phyllis Menzenski

Jen Miller
Linda Morey
Dick Moysey
Gary & Beth Murphy
Hope Murphy
Faith Reynolds
Missy Sauer
Rachael Sawner
Barbie Smith
Joan & Jack Smith
Ben Sung
Charlie Traver
Helen Traver
Debi Tyger
Angelika Wenzel
Amy Zocchi
Gabby Zocchi

Westchester Broadway Theatre Trip

Tickets are available for the Oct



October 31, 2018 - Matinee Performance of "Phantom" at the Westchester Broadway Theatre. The cost is \$55.00 per person. Please see Jean Albrecht to sign up.



Auction News Already!

It's not too early to give thought for the church's auction.
Yes we know that it's not until November and we certainly aren't trying to rush thru our summer!
We will start in Sept. collecting New/Gently used/clean items for this event.
We would like all items dropped off by Columbus Day (in Oct) to give us enough time to sort, group, and write up all the items.

More news to follow in the Sept press....



A Request for Assistance

Hello,

My Mom, Jan Buell, is now a resident of Vassar Warner Home in Poughkeepsie. I am inquiring about getting someone from the church to pick my Mom up one Sunday a month and bring her to church and take her back. She would love coming to church and seeing everyone again.

I would be happy to work with whomever to get any logistics in place for her to attend church. Again, we are only looking for something like once a month, we don't want to put any undue pressure on church members. This was just an opportunity for her to attend, see old friends, catch up and enjoy the service.

Maybe we can come up with some kind of calendar. The folks at Vassar-Warner are really great to work with, they can help ensure she is ready to go and waiting for whomever in the lobby.

She does have money available to pay for gas (and we definitely want to do that). I know some folks would say... "Oh, that's OK", but she does have the funds so it is important that folks take the gas money.

THANKS to all at PV Presby for helping! We truly appreciate it.

Jim Buell (jimmyb658@msn.com)



The Friendship Callers will begin meeting again in September. If you would like to help visit our shut-ins. Please see or call Joan Smith at 635-3687. All are welcome!



Mailing Address Changes

*Marjorie Buck
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North Chili NY 14514*

*Dick Walker
c/o The Chalet
2219 West Oak Street
Bozeman MT 59718*

*Jan Buell
Vassar Warner Home Rm 9
52 South Hamilton St
Poughkeepsie NY 12601*

*Skip Walker
c/o The Cottage
2219 West Oak Street
Bozeman MT 59718*

*Irene Muntz
16546 West Blackhawk Ct
Surprise AZ 85374*

August 2018



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2 10am C&C 6:30pm Boy Scouts	3	4
5 9:30 am HOLY COMMUNION Rev. Arlene Wilhelm Organist - Luca Cantone	6	7 5:30pm - Yoga 7:00 pm - Grange 7:30 pm N.A.	8 7:30 pm Lyme Disease Mtg	9 10 am C & C	10	11
12 9:30 am WORSHIP Rev. Arlene Wilhelm Organist - Luca Cantone	13	14 4:45PM Homeless Shelter Meal 5:30pm - Yoga 7:00 pm Trustees 7:00 pm Grange 7:30 pm N.A.	15	16 10 am C & C 6pm CE Comm Mtg	17	18
19 9:30 am WORSHIP Dane Austin	20	21 5:30pm - Yoga 7:30 pm N.A.	22	23 10 am C & C	24	25
26 WORSHIP 9:30 am Karen Sheer	27	28 5:30pm - Yoga 7:30 pm N.A.	29	30 10 am C & C	31	