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MESSIAH NEWS
 April 15, 2018

Worship Service Now Stream-Cast on the Web our 9:00 a.m. worship is broadcast live over **93.9 FM and 1480 AM**. The broadcast is paid for by this congregation and the Fogelsanger-Bricker Funeral Home. **93.9 FM and 1480 AM** Radio, Carlisle, also simulcast our 9:00 a.m. worship service through its website at **www.WIOO** or click on the link at the bottom of Messiah's website, www.messiahshippensburg.com. Pastor Steve's sermons are available in a PDF downloadable form on the church website.

Hearing Enhancement Aids, Large-print Bulletins, and Large-print Hymnals are available; please see an usher.

Our Stewardship of Presence and Giving
 April 8, 2018
 9:00 a.m. (191) Sunday School (93)
 Total Received on Budget: \$XXXXXXX Other: \$XXXXXXX
 Total: \$XXXXXXX

Church News

Trustee Workdays – Have a free morning on April 28th? The trustees have a work day scheduled to work on projects at Timothy House. The picnic area needs to be cleaned up, picnic tables need to be brought down, window air conditioners need to be installed, storm windows need to be checked and adjusted, and batteries need to be replaced in the smoke detectors. Busy on the 28th? On May 5th we will tackle the church- washing windows, painting handrails, installing signs, rinsing heating/cooling units, regluing baseboard, repairing glass, gathering garbage, leaves and cleaning flower beds. There is something for everyone. Sign-up to help on the bulletin board across from the mailboxes.

Child Advocacy Training – The Susquehanna Conference Commission on Child Advocacy has scheduled a training event for all those who work with children, youth, and their families on Saturday, May 12, 2018, at St. Paul United Methodist Church in Chambersburg from 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. More information on this training can be found on the education bulletin board across from the restrooms. If you are interested in attending this event, please contact the church office by April 30th.

Attention High School Seniors - Are you planning to attend college? Every year Messiah Church awards \$1,000 scholarships to qualifying students from our congregation. Applications are available in the back of the sanctuary or the church office. Also, Renewal Applications for current recipients have been placed in their families' church mailboxes. Deadline for submitting applications is Friday, June 1st, 2018. These scholarships are made possible by funds we receive from the Della Lerew Trust. Any questions about the scholarships should be directed to Brian Beidel.

The cereal challenge has returned! - Six months ago the Wednesday Women small group delivered over 130 boxes of cereal to the King's Kettle Food Pantry that were donated by the congregation. We are asking you to take the challenge again. Count the number of boxes of cereal in your cupboard and then purchase an equal number of boxes to donate. At the end of April, we will deliver all the boxes for you. Remember that if a child has a box of cereal, it can be breakfast, lunch, and dinner, even if there is no milk in the house. Thank you for helping with this ministry project!

SUMMER IS COMING (sometime) so get your Messiah tee shirts ordered soon. We are taking orders again for tee shirts, polo shirts and sweatshirts. Order forms are on the Missions bulletin board, or you can place your order on the Messiah website. We need at least twelve shirt orders for submission. Questions see Susie Cook.

Bicycle riders, would you like to go for some rides with friends from Messiah? Here is your chance! Chuck and Brenda Bailey are looking for riders of all ability levels that would like to go for a ride. Starting this week, weather permitting, we will meet at Britton Park on Mondays and Thursdays at 6:00 to ride the Rails to Trails. The ride will be geared to the ability level of the riders. The only requirements are that you have a bicycle and a helmet. Contact the Baileys at 717-532-3349 if you are interested or have any questions or put a note in our mailbox.

Lenten Breakfast Donations - The total donations during the Shippensburg U.M. Cluster/Prince St. United Brethren Lenten breakfasts were \$540 which were divided equally between a local family which has a child undergoing critical medical care and Mission Central of the United Methodist Church.

Rise Against Hunger - It is with great pleasure that we announce the destination of the Rise Against Hunger meals you helped package on 12/2/2017. A shipping container, holding 285,120 meals, has been sent to Nicaragua for our partner, Global Links. Our next program is scheduled for April 21 at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will be assembling up to 20,000 meals. Please feel free to invite your friends and family to participate. If you are attending, please go to this web address to register or make donations of support: <http://events.stophungernow.org/MessiahUMCApril2018>
Please consider making a donation of support either through the website or at Messiah to make these events happen! As always, the missions and outreach team appreciates your support and enthusiasm. If you have any questions about RAH or the up-coming event, please reach out to Chad or any other Missions' team member.

Shippensburg Band Spring Concert – Today, April 15, 2018, at 2:30 pm; Shippensburg High School Auditorium. Admission is free and open to the public. Selections include: highlights from *Hamilton*, *La La Land*, *Prokofiev's March 99*, *Keystone March*, and others.

King's Kettle - Please bring in non-perishable food items and diapers next Sunday to be donated to the King's Kettle Food Pantry. Thank You!

Safe Sanctuary Reminders

Parents are responsible for the supervision of their children before, during, and after the worship service. Children need to be accompanied by an adult while they are in the hallways, stairways, bathroom, and elevator. Parents will monitor older children/youth so that they are not unsupervised in the hallways, bathrooms, stairways, and elevator.

Messiah Ministry Calendar

April 15, 2018

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service (S)

10:00 a.m. Social Time (FH) 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

1:00 p.m. Zook Piano Recital (S/FH)

6:00 p.m. AA (TH) 8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

April 16, Mon. 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)
7:00 p.m. Council (P)
7:30 p.m. SU Concert Choir (S)
8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

April 17, Tues. 7:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting (FH)
8:00 a.m. UMC Pastor Cluster Meeting (FH/Kit)
8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)

April 18, Wed 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)
4:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship (TH)
7:00 p.m. Ship Band Meeting (FH)
8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

April 19, Thurs. 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)
6:30 p.m. AA (TH)
6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts (CD)
6:45 p.m. Spirit Choir (K)
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (YR)
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir (S)

April 20, Fri 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)
7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)
8:00 p.m. AA (P)

April 21, Sat. 7:30 a.m. Saturday Men (Select/CR)
8:00 a.m. Rise Against Hunger (FH/Kit)

NEXT SUNDAY

April 22, 2018

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service (S)

10:00 a.m. Social Time (FH) 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

6:00 p.m. AA (TH) 8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

Cancellations due to inclement weather will be listed on CBS 21, ABC 27 and Mix 95.

Room Key: (B Chr Rm) Bell Choir Room, (Chr Rm) Chancel Choir Room, (Bal) Balcony, (CD) Children's Department, (CR) Conference Room, (FH) Fellowship Hall, (K) Kindergarten, (Kit) Kitchen, (N-II) Nursery II, (P) Parlor, (S) Sanctuary, (S Chr Rm) Spirit Choir Room, (TH) Timothy House, (YR) Youth Room.

Nursery Caregivers

Nursery School I: Barb Keefer/Kim Traini

Nursery School II: Laura Dayok/Lindsey Weibley

Sunday School:– Lori Farner/Amy Shively

Children's Church: Deb Beckenbaugh

Next Sunday

Nursery School I: Debbie Beckenbaugh/Karen Mohn

Nursery School II: Chasity Johnson/Stacy Gregson

Sunday School:– Debbie Beckenbaug/Karen Mohn

Children's Church: Chrissy Hoover

Youth Ministry Corner

- ✓ April 18 – Historical Society Service Project
- ✓ May 2 – No YF
- ✓ May 6 – Phillies Baseball Game
- ✓ May 16 – End of Year Picnic at the Levy's
- ✓ June 28 – Amusement Park Trip

Worship Notes:

Worship Service Nursery Care is available for children up to five years in the Evangel Center. To reach the nurseries, exit through the front-left door of the sanctuary. Infants and toddlers are welcome in our sanctuary worship. If, however, their discomfort or energy level poses an obstacle to others in worship, please utilize the Nursery ministries gifted to us by God in rooms marked Church Nursery I and Church Nursery II.

Photos: We ask that you not use flash photography during worship services and refrain from drinking coffee in the Sanctuary

Privileged to Hold One Another in Prayer:

(as of 4/10/2018)

Known to be Hospitalized:

Offer your prayers, rising as incense, before God for;

Dave and Lois Heberlig, Janet Reed; Deb Fabrizio, Glenn Sites, Bill and Arlene Plasterer, Gerald and Charlotte Crider, Peggy Bigler, Rhonda Wolford; David Perkins, Beth Dickinson, Linda Dickinson,; Leroy and Frances Jones (Providence Place); Peggy Naugle, (Penn Hall); Kit Miller (Episcopal Home); Twila Mowery, Helen Fulton, (Menno Haven); Carol Holtry (Falling Spring); and Molly Tolbert (Missionary in Rochester, NY) **Military Service Personnel:** Kami (Bock) & Joshua Moore (Missouri); Steven Wright; (Dover AFB); Chris and Megan Shaffer (Ft Bragg, N.C.) Grant (Kuwait) and Rebecca (Hershey) Speer

Requests for intercessory prayer may be made by calling Lynne Landi at 977-7716.