

THE OCTOBER NEWSLETTER will be assembled and mailed out on Tuesday, Sept. 20. Helpers please meet in the Lower Church Hall at 9:00 am.



GIFT CARD FUNDRAISER: The youth are raising funds for their 2023 mission trip by selling gifts cards for many places. Buy some for places you typically go or buy some as gifts. Please consider purchasing some of these cards to donate to THE UNION COUNTY GIVING CLOSET. They need cards for Walmart, Target, Kohl's and Old Navy. Order forms can be found at the Welcome Desk. **Order deadline is NEXT Sunday, Sept. 25th.** Thanks you!

- **MUMS:** Those of you who purchased mums from the preschool fundraiser may pick them up here at the church on Thursday, September 22th.
- **BLANKET SUNDAY:** If you have misplaced the Oct. 2nd Blanket Sunday envelope that came in your Sept. newsletter, extras are at the Welcome Desk.

LEWISBURG'S WALK AGAINST FOOD INSECURITY: Walkers are lacing up their sneakers & getting ready to walk on Sunday, October 2nd at 2:00 pm. Monies raised will support programs in our area that fight food insecurity through providing food and education. The walk will begin at St. Paul's UMC and continue throughout Lewisburg (1 mile or 5K). If you'd like to walk or sponsor a walker, see Charlene Rineer.



MINI MISSION MONDAY: On Oct. 10th we'll gather in room 204 at 6:30 pm to pack care packages for college students. Mini Mission Mondays are for all ages: children, youth, and adults. We're requesting donations for these boxes as well as school supplies, snacks, individual drink mixes, candies and gum, inspirational items, puzzle books, and other fun items. Items can be placed in the blue mesh basket by the Faith Formation bulletin board. Thank you in advance.

OCTOBER 15, 2022 – WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT: Spend the day at Camp Mount Luther for renewal in a beautiful setting, sponsored by Upper Susquehanna Synodical Women's Organization. The day will include sessions focusing on the Fruits of the Spirit led by Pastor Stina Schaeffer, running from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm. Light morning refreshments and lunch are provided.

Registration forms are available at the Welcome Desk. Note that the \$30 registration fee is being covered by CELC, so please turn in your registration to the church office by Wednesday, September 28, 2022.

COFFEE HOURS: Volunteers are needed to ensure coffee hour continue on Sundays. Please consider taking on a Sunday or two with friends, family or a group or committee in the church. Sign-up sheets are at the Welcome Desk. If you have any questions please contact Lisa Veloz at 570-524-4876 or lisaveloz@gmail.com.

EXPENDITURES & CONTRIBUTIONS ANALYSIS

	Month of <u>August 2022</u>	Year-to-Date
Contributions Made	\$ 18,399	\$ 196,546
Actual Expenses	<u>23,365</u>	<u>163,486</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Cash	\$ (4,966)	\$ 33,060
Actual Expenses	\$ 23,365	\$ 163,486
Budgeted Expenses	<u>30,990</u>	<u>227,168</u>
Expenses Over (Under) Budget	<u>\$ (7,624)</u>	<u>\$ (63,682)</u>

CELC CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 18-25, 2022

Sunday, September 18 15 PENTECOST Steven Moyer preaching	8:00am Holy Communion 9:15am Sunday School 10:30am Holy Communion 5:30pm –7:30pm UYG - St. Paul's
Monday, September 19	6:00 pm–9:00pm Transitions Meeting-Parlor 7:30 pm Parish Peal Handbell Choir/Handbell Ensemble 7:30 pm Al-Anon-YR
Tuesday, September 20	Assemble/Mail Oct. Newsletter - LCH
Wednesday, September 21	9:00 am Holy Sew 'N' Sews-LCH
Thursday, September 22 First Day of Autumn	9:30 am Ladies Bible Study - Elijah- Priscilla Shirer 6:00 pm Ladies Bible Study - Elijah- Priscilla Shirer
Friday, September 23	12:15 pm –2:00 pm Transitions Training - LCH
Saturday, September 24	10:00 am Fall Road Clean-up- YR
Sunday, September 25 18 PENTECOST Chad Hersheberger preaching Gift Card Orders Due	8:00 am Holy Communion 9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Holy Communion 5:30pm –7:30pm UYG - St. Paul's

ATTENDANCE: 9/11/22: 8 AM: 61 / 10:30 AM: 53 / **OFFERINGS for 9/4 & 9/11: \$7,515.00**