

We Remember in Prayer

Help carry one another's burden, and in this way you will obey the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

Charles Armstrong	Vera Kuehne
James Armstrong	Mary Lipscomb
Steve Chaplin	Debbie Lucas
Grayson Coleman	Sarah MacCorkle
Lyle Crossman	James Mayo
Carl Deacon	Linda McGee
Roger Goughnour	Pete Norcross
Sam Hall	Bill Peel
Adam Hoofnagle	El & Maryanne Pultz
Gladys Kuehne	Keith & Barbara Putbrese
Sergei Kuehne	Pastor Luther Witt & Judy

Congregation Members with Special Needs:

Those in Military Service:

Adam Hoofnagle, Albert Miller Jr., Robert & Sharon Miller, Wayne Perez, Markus Strecker, Ben Switzer, Clint Taylor

Our College Students:

Brett Turpin

Our Missions Near & Far:

WRE, RARA, Gideons International, Relay for Life, Young Life, Theological Seminaries, Habitat for Humanity, Blue Ridge Food Bank, Kings Way Help Center, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Massanetta Springs, Rockbridge Area Hospice, Samaritan's Purse, Living Waters of the World

RARA FOOD PANTRY

"Products of the Month" for May -
Cereal or oatmeal



SUNDAY, May 16, 2021 — 7th Sunday of Easter

9:30AM Sunday School
11:00AM Worship Service

WEDNESDAY, May 19, 2021

11:00AM Synod Meeting
2:30PM Pastor at Presbytery Nomination Comm.
3:00PM **NO** Zoom Fellowship this week

FRIDAY, May 21, 2021 — Movie Night!

7:00PM "The Shack" Adult Sunday School beginning on Pentecost, May 23rd. We will show the movie on Friday, May 21st at 7PM.

SUNDAY, May 23, 2021 — Day of Pentecost

9:30AM Sunday School—"The Shack" week 1
11:00AM Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The usher for May—Art Kuehne



A VBS Summer Camp opportunity is available to the children in our community. New Providence is hosting "Camp Daniel", 4-week summer Bible camp that will mix

VBS, STEM educational activities, and character lessons together.

Classes are organized into three age groups (Pre-K-1st, 2nd-4th, and 5th-8th), and will involve four 3-day sessions in each of the four weeks in June. The cost is \$25 per child per week. Timber Ridge would like to take advantage of this opportunity, and the committee voted to approve the use of funds to cover the expenses for our children who may wish to attend.

Linda Kuehne will follow up with New Providence to inquire about exact dates, times, registration, etc.

Psalm 47:1-9

- 1 Clap your hands, all you peoples;
shout to God with loud songs of joy.
- 2 For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome,
a great king over all the earth.
- 3 He subdued peoples under us,
and nations under our feet.
- 4 He chose our heritage for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.
- 5 God has gone up with a shout,
the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.
- 6 Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our King, sing praises.
- 7 For God is the king of all the earth;
sing praises with a psalm.
- 8 God is king over the nations;
God sits on his holy throne.
- 9 The princes of the peoples gather
as the people of the God of Abraham.
For the shields of the earth belong to God;
he is highly exalted.

Selah



Acts 1:1-11

In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. “This,” he said, “is what you have heard

from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”

So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?” He replied, “It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

Luke 24:44-53

Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you — that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.” Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; and they were continually in the temple blessing God.