

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:

Steve Heizer

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



It's never too early to plan and prepare for our "FALL FESTIVAL". The committee has met and decided on Saturday, October 16th for the celebration. As of now, the plans are to feature all the displays, yard sale along with apple butter and stew as in the past.

This church mission has successfully helped support our local pantries. But, it takes money to get it all started. We need \$450 for jars, \$700 for apples, 200 pounds of sugar and spice, along with turkey, potatoes, corn beans, tomatoes, and more. Please help support this project by sending a check marked clearly for "Fall Festival."

SUNDAY, May 30, 2021 — Trinity Sunday

9:30AM Sunday School—"The Shack" week 2
11:00AM Worship Service

WEDNESDAY, June 2, 2021

3:00PM Zoom Fellowship

THURSDAY, June 3, 2021

5:30PM Christian Education

SUNDAY, June 6, 2021 — 2nd Sunday Pentecost

9:30AM Sunday School—"The Shack" week 3
11:00AM Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The usher for June—Penny Moehler



A VBS Summer Camp opportunity is available to the children in our community. New Providence is hosting "Camp Daniel", 4-week summer Bible camp from June 7th

through July 19th 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 times, registration, etc.

Psalm 29:1-11

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory of his name;
worship the LORD in holy splendor.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is over the waters;
the God of glory thunders,
the LORD, over mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is powerful;
the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedars;
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon.
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf,
and Sirion like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.
- 8 The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness;
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 9 The voice of the LORD causes the oaks to whirl,
and strips the forest bare;
and in his temple all say, "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned over the flood;
the LORD sits enthroned as king for ever.
- 11 May the LORD give strength to his people!
May the LORD bless his people with peace!

Ezekiel 36:25-27

I will sprinkle clean water upon you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will remove from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. I will put my Spirit within you, and make you follow my statutes and be careful to observe my ordinances.

Gospel John 3:1-17

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?"

"Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

"Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him."