

Rocky Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church  
321 Rocky Grove Avenue  
Franklin, PA 16323



# SONSHINE NEWSLETTER

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*“Sharing, Preparing and Caring in Jesus’ Name”*

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**Worship – 9:00 a.m.**

**Church Staff**

Rev. Rachel J. Johns, Pastor

Rhonda Rust, Secretary

Mike Burkhardt, Organist

Janet Bish, Assistant Organist

Scott Donaldson, Custodian

**Church Office Hours**

*Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.*

**FROM THE SESSION**

***ACTIONS TAKEN BY SESSION MAY 13, 2019:***

1. Approved minutes of April 8, 2019 Session meeting as corrected.
2. Approved Financial Secretary's Report for the period ending April 30, 2019, the checking account summary for April, 2019, and the Treasurer's Report for April, 2019.
3. Approved the request of Fatherhood Initiative to use our electricity and parking lot for their soap box derby on July 27, 2019.
4. Voted to use the Ministry Works program to prepare our payroll including tax deposits, annual tax filing, annual W-2 preparation.
5. Approved the request of Rhonda Rust to change her hours as follows:

June 4, 2019	7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (no lunch break)
June 5, 2019	7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
June 6, 2019	8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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**“Biblical Studies” with Rev. Joe “Joey” Martin intermittently from February 17<sup>th</sup> through May 26<sup>th</sup> have been a blessing to those attending. A break for the summer with sessions resuming as Rev. Martin’s schedule allows is planned. A debt of gratitude is felt for the insight shown attendees.**

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If you would like to provide flowers for Sunday morning worship, please contact Judy Ream (673-6492). You will want to advise Judy as to whether you will order your own flowers, how you want it listed in the bulletin and if you will be removing them after the service.



*June Birthdays*

- 7 Baylee Cutchall (2005)
- 9 Norma Aiken
- 21 Phyllis Vogan
- 21 Parker Smith (2011)
- 22 Donna Wendt
- 29 Marie Alcorn



***Servants for JUNE***

**Hospital Visits:** Phyllis Vogan & Joyce Wetjen

**Worship Leader:**

- 2 Rhonda Rust
- 9 Diane Whitman
- 16 Lois Pierce
- 23 Rhonda Rust
- 30 Diane Whitman

**Offering Recorders:**

- 2 Lois Pierce & Joyce Wetjen
- 9 Linda Zeller & another Elder
- 16 Joyce Wetjen & another Elder
- 23 Linda Zeller & another Elder
- 30 Lois Pierce & another Elder

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***Newsletter articles are due in the church office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month or risk being omitted from next month’s issue.***

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AT RGAPC**

### *Youthful Spirits*

Men and women with **YOUTHFUL SPIRITS** gather for food and fellowship at noon the first Wednesday of each month. Join in the fun **June 5, 2019, at Bob Evans, 27 Kimberly Lane, Cranberry.** Please inform Lois Pierce (437-3653) by June 3<sup>rd</sup> if you plan to attend. Watch future bulletins for information on the next gathering.

### *Women's Prayer Breakfast*

The Women's Prayer Breakfast will meet **June 15<sup>th</sup>**. Consider joining the small group of women of RGAPC when they meet at Linda Lou's Restaurant, 1572 Mercer Road, at 8:30 a.m. on the third Saturday of each month. Devotions are followed by good food and fellowship. *(Please note change of date to 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday.)*  
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## **MISSIONS CORNER:**

**MISSIONFEST 2019** is fast approaching!! The date is Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. This year we will be having everything in Moorhead Hall - the Garage Sale, Prize Drawing, Food and Beverages which includes Hot Dogs/Chips/Cookies & Brownies/Soda & Water. You can bring your garage sales items any day that the office is open. We are looking for people to bake cookies and brownies to lighten the load for the committee of three! Any assistance you can give us would be greatly appreciated.

Recipients this year are: **Grace Learning Center, Mustard Seed Missions, United World Missions (Robert & Nina Bruneau in Columbia), ABC Life Center, Child Evangelism Fellowship, Presbyterian Mission Agency (Josh Heikkila in Ghana) and Seneca Hills Bible Conference & Retreat Center.**

Blessings!

## **Lake Erie Presbytery Prayer List for month of June**

### **Week of June 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Union City & Mill Village Presbyterian Churches  
*Rev. Robert Willert, Pastor*

*Rev. Mary Kathryn Crom* (Honorably Retired)  
*Rev. Rick Cepris* (Honorably Retired)

### **Week of June 9<sup>th</sup>**

Watson Run & North Shenango Presbyterian Churches  
*Greg VanderVeen, preaching*

Coordinating Committee of the Presbytery of Lake Erie

### **Week of June 16<sup>th</sup>**

Lake City Presbyterian Church  
*Deb Rimmer, Commissioned Pastor*

*Barb Sundberg*  
Presbytery Financial Administrator

### **Week of June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Oil City First Presbyterian Church  
*Rev. Ronee Christy, Pastor*

*Rev. Greg Gillispie*  
State Clerk, Presbytery of Lake Erie

### **Week of June 30<sup>th</sup>**

Emanuel Presbyterian Church (Erie)  
*Rev. Anita Bernhardt, Temporary Supply Pastor*

Ghana Mission Network



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<b>1</b> 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous
<b>2</b> 9:00 Worship 5:30 Boy Scouts ~ <i>Court of Honor</i>	<b>3</b> 2:00 CLAW	<b>4</b> 6:30 Sweet Adelines	<b>5</b> Noon <i>Youthful Spirits</i> at Bob Evans 1:30 <b>Deacons meet</b> 6:30 Boy Scout Merit Badge Training	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous
<b>9</b> <i>Pentecost</i> 9:00 Worship ~ <i>Communion</i>	<b>10</b> 6:15 Session & Trustees meet 7:00 Trustees	<b>11</b> 6:30 Sweet Adelines	<b>12</b> 6:30 Boy Scout Leaders meet	<b>13</b> 8:30 Venango Pastors at Oil City 1st	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> 8:30 Prayer Breakfast @ Linda Lou's 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous
<b>16</b> <i>Trinity Sunday</i> 9:00 Worship 	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 6:30 Sweet Adelines	<b>19</b> 6:30 Boy Scout Merit Badge Training	<b>20</b> <b>NEWSLETTER DEADLINE</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous
<b>23</b> 9:00 Worship	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 3:00 Presbytery Meeting ~ OC 1 <sup>st</sup> 6:30 Sweet Adelines	<b>26</b> 6:30 Missions	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <i>July/August Sunshine Newsletter available:</i> <a href="http://www.rockygrovepres.org">www.rockygrovepres.org</a>	<b>29</b> 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous
<b>30</b> 9:00 Worship	<b>Enjoy your summer!</b>					