

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



SONSHINE NEWSLETTER

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A Publication of Rocky Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church



"Sharing, Preparing and Caring in Jesus' Name"

Rocky Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church

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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 1:00 p.m.



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If you would like to provide flowers for Sunday morning worship, please contact the church office (814-432-4162). You will want to advise Rhonda 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.

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Lake Erie Presbytery Prayer List for month of June

Week of June 5th

District Pastors
Rev. F. Agidipo & Rev. F. Mawusi

Bimbilla District, Upper Northern Presbytery,
17 congregations

Week of June 12th

Lake City Presbyterian Church
Deb Rimmer, Commissioned Pastor

Barb Sundberg, Presbytery Financial Administrator

Week of June 19th

Hartstown Presbyterian Church
Rev. Hwa Sung Ryu, Pastor

Emmanuel Presbyterian Church (Erie)
Pulpit Nominating Committee

Week of June 26th

Rev Greg Gillispie, Stated Clerk
Presbytery of Lake Erie

Rev. Harvey Boal (Honorably Retired)
Rev. Sue Montgomery (Honorably Retired)

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<p><i>Newsletter articles are due in the church office by the 20th of each month or risk being omitted from next month's issue.</i></p>
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June Birthday

21 Phyllis Vogan
24 Piper Sparling (2018)

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## Servants for June

Recorders: Lois Pierce & Joyce Wetjen

Worship Leaders: 5 Pastor Rachel Johns  
12 Lois Pierce  
19 Rhonda Rust  
26 Pastor Rachel Johns

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ACTIONS TAKEN BY SESSION

May 10, 2022

1. Approved the minutes of the March 15, 2022, Session meeting and April 24, 2022, Congregational Meeting.
2. Approved the financial reports for March and April 2022 as prepared by the Financial Secretary and Treasurer.
3. Approved Janet Bish as moderator of Missions & Outreach Committee.

~~~~~ Did You Know?

The term, June Bug, is given to many large bugs found in the United States, during May and June. The bugs get this name because the transition of larva to adult happens in this month. These are usually seen in the dark when they are attracted to light.

The birth flowers of June are rose and honeysuckle.

June is regarded as the National Iced Tea Month as well as the National Candy Month in the United States.

Nathaniel Parker Willis said, "It is the month of June, the month of leaves and roses, when pleasant sights salute the eyes and pleasant scents the noses."

Mark Twain said, "It better to be a young June bug than an old bird of paradise."

Al Bernstein said, "Spring being a tough act to follow, God created June."

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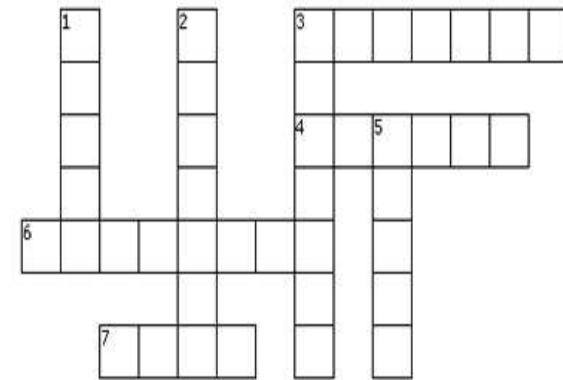
### Crossword answers:

Across: 3) blessed 4) little 6) children 7) arms

Down: 1) truth 2) Kingdom 3) belongs 5) touch

## Let the Children Come

He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these." Mark 10:14b (NIV)



### ACROSS

3. Bringing happiness, pleasure, or contentment to someone
4. Small in size
6. Sons and daughters, young people
7. The parts of the body which connect the hands to the shoulders

### DOWN

1. A statement accepted as fact
2. A country or territory ruled by a king or queen
3. To be a member of a group, such as a club or organization
5. To come in contact with or to feel with your fingers

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| little   | touch | kingdom | arms    |
| children | truth | belongs | blessed |



# JUNE 2022



| SUNDAY                                                                                                        | MONDAY             | TUESDAY                          | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY                                                                                                          | SATURDAY                           |
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|                                                                                                               |                    |                                  | 1         | 2        | 3                                                                                                               | 4<br>9:30 Overeaters<br>Anonymous  |
| 5<br>9:00 Worship ~<br>Communion<br><br><i>Pentecost</i>                                                      | 6<br>6:00 Trustees | 7                                | 8         | 9        | 10                                                                                                              | 11<br>9:30 Overeaters<br>Anonymous |
| 12<br>9:00 Worship                                                                                            | 13                 | 14                               | 15        | 16       | 17                                                                                                              | 18<br>9:30 Overeaters<br>Anonymous |
| 19<br>9:00 Worship<br><br> | 20                 | 21<br><br>NEWSLETTER<br>DEADLINE | 22        | 23       | 24                                                                                                              | 25<br>9:30 Overeaters<br>Anonymous |
| 26<br>9:00 Worship                                                                                            | 27                 | 28                               | 29        | 30       | July<br>Sonshine Newsletter<br>available:<br><a href="http://www.rockygrovepres.org">www.rockygrovepres.org</a> |                                    |