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



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"Sharing, Preparing and Caring in Jesus' Name"

Rocky Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church

321 Rocky Grove Avenue, Franklin, PA 16323 Church Phone: 814-432-4162 Website: www.rockygrovepres.org Email Address: rgapc@verizon.net

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.



17 Doris Feather

25 Jamie Wetjen

24 Brad Wetjen 27 Reagan Hartman



Servants for July

Recorders: Lois Pierce & Joyce Wetjen

Worship Leaders:

- 3 Lois Pierce
- 10 Rhonda Rust
- 17 Pastor Rachel Johns
- 24 Lois Pierce
- 31 Rhonda Rust



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

Newsletter articles are due in the church office by the 20th of each month or risk being omitted from next month's issue.

MISSIONS CORNER:

2022 Missions Recipients

The Life Center – Franklin
Child Evangelism Fellowship – Cranberry
Grace Learning Center – Franklin
Mustard Seed Missions – Venango County
Presbyterian World Mission – Josh Heikkila (Ghana)
Seneca Hills Bible Camp & Retreat Center – Polk
United World Missions – Columbia
Youth for Christ – Venango County

INDEPENDENCE DAY TRIVIA FACTS

- 1. On July 4, 1776, Congress officially adopted the Declaration of Independence, but it actually wasn't signed until almost a month later. When the declaration was officially approved on July 4, John Hancock and Charles Thompson (president and secretary of the Continental Congress) signed the draft that day. But the official copy wasn't signed by all 56 signers until August 2, 1776.
- 2. Calvin Coolidge was the first (and so far, the only) president to have been born on the Fourth of July. He was born on July 4, 1872, in Plymouth, Vermont, and went on to become president in 1923.
- 3. While only one president has been born on Independence Day, three have died on the holiday. Presidents John Adams and Thomas Jefferson actually died on the same day, on July 4, 1826, the fiftieth anniversary of the Fourth of July. Later, President James Monroe died on July 4, 1831.

Lake Erie Presbytery Prayer List for month of July

Week of July 3rd

Josh Botts, Commissioned Pastor Moderator of the Presbytery

Rev. David Lee (Honorably Retired) Rev. Steve Morse (Honorably Retired)

Week of July 10th

North Warren Presbyterian Church *Rev. Buddy Ward*, Pastor

Rev. Forrest Claassen
Executive, Synod of the Trinity

Week of July 17th

Plumer Presbyterian Church Corry Presbyterian Church Adamsville Presbyterian Church

Presbyterian Senior Care of Lake Erie Jim Ohrn, Board Chair "Bobbie" Gray, Director

Week of July 24th

Cambridge Springs Presbyterian Church Rev Tommy O'Leary, Temporary Supply Pastor

> Rev. Jim Moelk (Honorably Retired) Rev. Lyta Seddig (Honorably Retired)

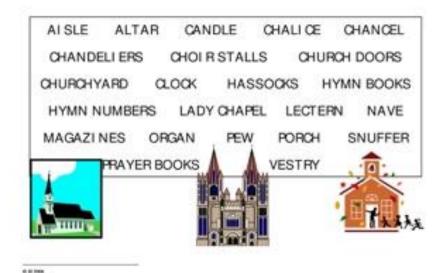
Week of July 31st

Rev Eusebius Agbesi, Saboba District Pastor 20 congregations of Upper Northern Presbytery (Ghana)

V. Tulasi, Bolgatanga and Wa District Pastor 4 congregations of Upper Northern Presbytery (Ghana)



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(See Rhonda in church office for answers if necessary!)



JULY 2022



| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | | | | 1 | 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous |
| 3 9:00 Worship | 4 Happy July 4th | 5 6:00 Trustees | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous |
| 10 9:00 Worship | 11 | 12 1:15 Session | 13 | 14 | 15 | 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous |
| 17 9:00 Worship | 18 | 19 | 20 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE | 21 | 22 | 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous |
| 24 9:00 Worship | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | August Sonshine Newsletter available: www.rockygrovepres.org | 9:30 Overeaters Anonymous |
| 31 9:00 Worship | | | | | | |