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**July 2024**

Greetings of Grace and Peace from Pastor Sheena and her Family!

It is with a truly thankful and humble heart that we get to be a part of your Conyngham UMC church family! We are looking forward to getting to know everyone and joining in your faithful, Christ-filled ministries!

A little about us:

We are a family in ministry, humbly serving as the Lord leads, and seeking to live lives that speak of the love and grace of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Together with my husband John, we have been faithfully serving the churches of Meed's Memorial, Summit Hill, and Quakake Ebenezer, and now we look forward to faithfully serving our new mission fields of Conyngham UMC and Black Creek UMC. Although my husband and I will be serving separate churches, we plan to continue working as partners in ministry, building connections between our local churches, and growing our faith in community with one another.

We bring with us our two middle-school-aged sons, Henry, who is 13 and Jack, who is 11. We also bring with us our poorly behaved dog named Daisy and our rabbit named Bun-Bun. As we settle into our new home and into our new mission fields, we are excited to see all the good plans that God has in store. We know that God has led us here and it is in his infinite-loving grace that he continues to lead all his people.

I am truly grateful for God's leading and the chance to serve Conyngham United Methodist Church. I look forward to meeting you all soon!  
Peace and love in the name of Jesus Christ. God is good!



# Lectioary

**07—July**

**7th Sunday after Pentecost**

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10  
Psalms 48 (UMH 782)  
2 Corinthians 12:2-10  
Mark 6:1-13

**14—July**

**8th Sunday after Pentecost**

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19  
Psalms 24 (UMH 755)  
Ephesians 1:3-14  
Mark 6:14-29

**21—July**

**9th Sunday after Pentecost**

2 Samuel 7:1-14a  
Psalms 89:20-37 (UMH 807)  
Ephesians 2:11-12  
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

**28—July**

**10th Sunday after Pentecost**

2 Samuel 11:1-15  
Psalms 14 (UMH 746)  
Ephesians 3:14-21  
John 6:1-21



## **Valley Interfaith Council Prayer List**

Please pray for the following in your daily devotions.

**Kayla Baucum, Edee Boyer, Kaylee Barbush, June Blamey, Joanne Mumie, Irene and Robert Burger Family, Pastor Tom Cvammen, Ron Eckrote, Mike Fellin, Pat Ferrari, Jennifer Flores, Food Pantry Families, Irene Healey, Ron Hofmann, Theresa Howley, Kelly Family, Mary and Robert Kisansky, Rose Luethy, Mark and Theresa Marinock, Cristina and David Matthey, Kim Murphy, Carl Roberts, Danny Sampson, Carol Siewell, Maureen Susa, Valerie Sutton, Jacqueline Walker, Marie Waschko, all cancer and COVID patients, our military personnel, as well as leaders of our country, the Russia/Ukraine situation, families of addicts, War in Isreal/Gaza, Mary Nora Wallace, Melody, a 9 year old, Jay Wetzel, Edie Larsen, Madelyn Lawson, Fred Polmounter, Larry Generose, Kyle, Don Zufall, Edie Larsen, Madelyn Lawson, Mary Nora Wallace, Jim Fisher, Henry Parks, Amy Kock Bergstrom, Tarone Veglia, Gretchen Brightaupt, Diane Griffith, Karen Smith and Tim Harter.**

**Please pray daily for your church, its leaders and staff, Pastor Sheena Mylecraine, the Red Bird Mission Clinic, the Red Bird Mission School, the Salvation Army, United Children's Homes, Hazleton Enlarged Ministry, Heartwood Center, Emmaus Road Travelers and Drivers and the Hazleton/Valley Mission Connection.**

## *July Birthdays*

01-Jul	Caroline Schuetz
01-Jul	Alison Schuetz
03-Jul	Robert Yost
04-Jul	Les Shupp
05-Jul	Beverly Selby
07-Jul	Teagan Hughes
08-Jul	Sean Healey
08-Jul	Margaret Flores
10-Jul	Joann Burger
11-Jul	Portia Ervin
13-Jul	Brittany DeBalko
15-Jul	Alex Klein
16-Jul	Brent Radzwich
16-Jul	Craig Radzwich
22-Jul	Christopher Shaffer
25-Jul	Jane Burns
29-Jul	Nancy Stark

## *July Anniversaries*

02-July	Rich and Billie Shaffer
03-July	Matt and Vanessa Cara
22 July	Les and Sally Shupp



## **August Birthdays**

01-Aug	Bruce Hilliard
04-Aug	Sloane Hughes
06-Aug	Thomas Burns
06-Aug	Josh Flaim
10-Aug	Bryce Radzwich
10-Aug	Malcolm Wiley
12-Aug	Darryl Cara
14-Aug	Kathryn Healey
17-Aug	Brennan Malenovitch
18-Aug	Jonathan DeBalko
19-Aug	Richard Piacenti
19-Aug	Eric Legg
23-Aug	Cody Bannon
27-Aug	Sharon Kalinchok
28-Aug	Mia Cundro
28-Aug	Rena Bicking
30-Aug	Tamara Huey
31-Aug	Christine Hilliard

## **August Anniversaries**

08 Aug	Robert and Sharon Kalinchok
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## NEWS FROM THE PEWS



Summertime is a time to relax, travel and spend time outside. However, we need your continued support, even if you're away from worship. **Remember the work of the church continues everyday.** Thank you!

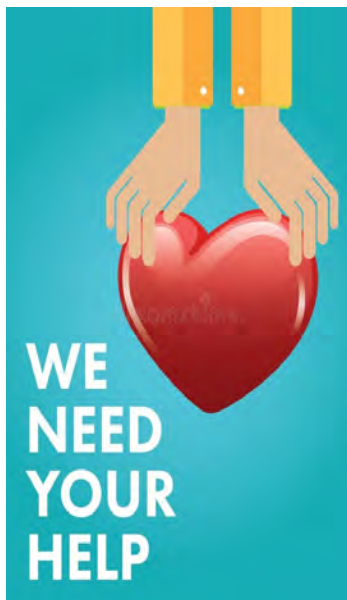


It's summer and our Valley Food Pantry needs help with the following items:

Canned pasta such as Spaghetti's , snacks for children such as pop tarts, cookies, and crackers. Peanut butter and jelly.

Items can be placed in the shopping cart in the social hall. Thank you!

### Heartwood Center News



*Our friends at the Heartwood Center are in need of the following items:* Baby wipes, tents, backpacks, bottled water, and trash bags. If you are willing to donate any of these items, please place them in **Heidi's office.**

We go up to the Center every 4th Sunday of the month. We serve a meal (which we provide) and have a brief Bible Study. Perhaps you would like to get involved by making a meal, side dish or dessert? Perhaps you would like to do a Bible Study with our friends, *we could always use the help!* Please reach out to Heidi to see how you can get involved in this wonderful ministry.



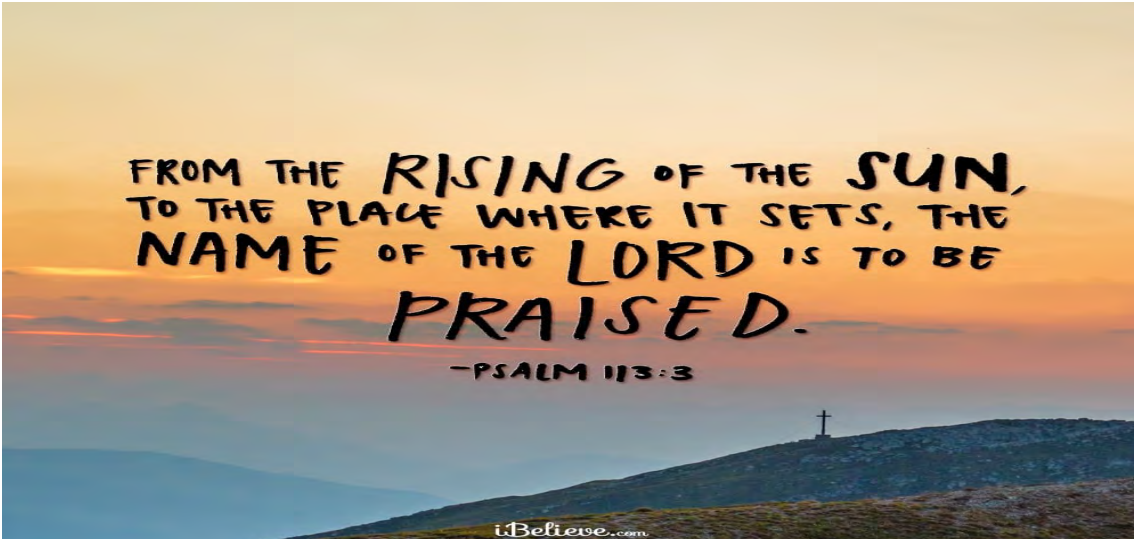
**Secret Sisters Dinner**

Our next dinner will be held on Thursday, July 25th at Evan's Roadhouse at 6:00 PM. Please let Prudence know if you will be attending.



**Our Annual Worship and Picnic in the Park** will take place, on **August 18<sup>th</sup>**. Worship Service at **10:30 am** followed by a potluck lunch afterward, so bring your favorite dish to share with everyone. The Church will provide that paper products.

*Invite a friend or neighbor!*



**FROM THE RISING OF THE SUN,  
TO THE PLACE WHERE IT SETS, THE  
NAME OF THE LORD IS TO BE  
PRAISED.**

**-PSALM 113:3**

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## July Worship Leaders

### July 07

Greeter: Rodney Hawk  
Head Usher: Paula Piacenti  
Liturgist: Eamon Wiley  
Singer: Carrie Joy Wiley  
Children's Message: Pastor Sheena  
Sound Board: Nancy Stark and Jay Morgan  
Acolyte: Malcolm Wiley

### July 14

Greeter: Rodney Hawk  
Head Usher: Paula Piacenti  
Liturgist: Barry Jones  
Singer: Denise Wetzel  
Children's Message: Pastor Sheena  
Sound Board: Wiley Family  
Acolyte: Eamon Wiley

### July 21

Greeter: Rodney Hawk  
Head Usher: Paula Piacenti  
Liturgist: Rosemary Mandrick  
Singer: Joe Racho  
Children's Message: Pastor Sheena  
Sound Board: Wiley Family  
Acolyte: Hazel DeBalko

### July 28

Greeter: Rodney Hawk  
Head Usher: Paula Piacenti  
Liturgist: Jean Luchi  
Singer: Rena Bicking  
Children's Message: Pastor Sheena  
Sound Board: Wiley Family  
Acolyte: Malcolm Wiley



## Altar Flowers

For the month of JULY

**07-07**—Beverly Selby and Kelly will give a donation to the Building Fund in memory of Bob Mace.

**07/14**—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shaffer will give a donation to the Building Fund in honor of their 47th Wedding Anniversary.

**07/21**—Bob and Nancy Stark will give a donation to the General Fund in memory of their parents.

**07/28**—Mary Lou Legg will give a donation in memory of loved ones.



# CVHS Concerts in 2024 at the Gazebo



**Cindie Gunderman**

Appearing on:  
**June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6 PM**

*Performing music of  
the 50's, 60's & 70's*



**Tony Angelo**

Appearing on:  
**July 21<sup>st</sup> at 6 PM**

*Featuring music of  
the 50's, 60's & 70's*



**St. Ann's Band**

Appearing on:  
**July 28<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM**

*Performing a wide  
selection of music*



**The "Two of Us"**

Appearing on:  
**August 11<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM**

*Performing Golden Oldies  
to more recent tunes*



## July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> 6:00pm Zumba 6:30pm Trustees Meeting	<b>2</b> 6:30pm Church Council Meeting	<b>3</b> 10:00am Religious Studies 6:30pm Christian Conversations	<b>4</b> 9:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b> 10:30am Worship Service	<b>8</b> 6:00pm Zumba	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 10:00am Religious Studies 6:30pm Church Health Team Leadership Meeting	<b>11</b> 10:00am Plastic Mat Ministry	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> 10:30am Worship Service	<b>15</b> 6:00pm Zumba	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 10:00am Religious Studies 6:30pm Christian Conversations	<b>18</b> 9:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> 10:30am Worship Service	<b>22</b> 6:00pm Zumba	<b>23</b> 4:00pm Finance Meeting	<b>24</b> 10:00am Religious Studies 6:30pm Church Health Team Leadership Meeting	<b>25</b> 10:00am Plastic Mat Ministry 6:00pm Secret Sister's Dinner @ Evan's Roadhouse	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> 10:30am Worship Service 12:00pm Heartwood Center	<b>29</b> 6:00pm Zumba	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> 10:00am Religious Studies 6:30pm Christian Conversations			



# The Conyngham United Methodist Church

## Inspiring People to Love and Serve God

Pastor:	Sheena Mylecraine
Lay Leader:	Kate Flaim
Secretary:	Heidi Klein

### Vision Statement

Conyngham United Methodist Church is a Christ centered, warm and caring congregation which welcomes, nurtures, and equips people to follow Jesus Christ. As servants of the Gospel, we value the essentials of Holy Scripture, joyful praise, prayer and worship and developing personal faith in Jesus Christ. We accomplish this through a dynamic musical ministry, exciting youth programs, inspiring young adult and adult programs, fellowship of small groups, outreach to the community, strength through personal support, and the shared ministry of our laity and its pastor. We realize all this by being a church where God's Holy Word is a source of nourishment and strength.

**You are cordially invited to worship with us.  
Our Worship Service begins at 10:30 am**

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