

What's Happening in Our Churches...



August 4 - Church Picnic - Jerusalem UCC, (Trachsville), 545 Church Dr., Palmerton - Noon to 9PM - food, fun, entertainment - cakewalk, music by Main Street Cruisers - special appearance by "The Hawks" - rain date, Sunday, Aug. 5 beginning at noon



August 5 - 9 — Annual Music Academy - Zion UCC, 2nd & Iron Sts., Lehighton - 6:30 to 8:30PM - this program is completely free and open to children from grades K-12 and beyond - preschool children welcome if accompanied by parent/guardian - theme of this year's program is "Star Wars and other Out of This World Music" - featuring science fiction music - on the 9th at 7PM the participants will present a concert demonstrating the songs that were worked on throughout the week - you can register online at www.zionlehighton.org by clicking the link in the "Star Wars" news item - you can also register by just showing up at Zion by 6:20PM any evening of the program - the program is under the co-direction of Brad & Laura Cressley - questions, call 610-392-1810



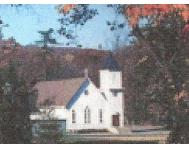
August 11 - Community Picnic - Church Grove, Trinity Great Swamp UCC, 9150 Spinnerstown Rd, Spinnerstown - 3 to 7:30PM. Rain or shine. Win-a-basket raffle, Cake Walk, Games and Crafts for kids and BINGO. The Red Hill Band will be performing from 4:30-6:30PM. Bring lawn chairs. Come and enjoy an evening of food, fellowship and entertainment!



August 11 - Church Picnic - Morgenland Church, Leather Corner Post, Orefield - 4 to 9 PM in the church grove - food, cakewalks, raffles, kids activities, etc. - Country Rhythm Band - raindate Sunday, August 12 from 1 to 6PM.



August 11 - Bus Trip to Sight & Sound in Lancaster to see "Jesus" - St. John's UCC, 1027 Church St., Fogelsville - leaving the church at 2:45 pm. Please be on time. We will be heading to Lancaster to have dinner at Cracker Barrel in Lancaster before heading to the show. The show starts at 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$95.00 per person. For reservations, contact Marilyn Roth at 610-395-3083.



August 14 - Community Meal – St. John's UCC, 891 Columbia Ave., Palmerton – 5 to 6:30 pm - menu will be Pork & Sauerkraut, Corn & Desserts.



August 25 - Free Community Picnic - Salem UCC, 615 Third St., Catasauqua - 11 am to 1 pm - Picnic on the Walnut St. side-if it rains it will be inside in Fellowship Hall - Hot Dogs, Snacks and Desserts - come join us for Fellowship, Fun and Food



August 25 - Peach Festival & Quilt Show – St. John's UCC, 15 S. Second St., Slatington – 3 to 7PM - raffle for king size quilt and other prizes - Chinese Auction - Music & Food



September 15 - SOS Breakfast - UCC Greenawalds, 2325 Albright Ave., Allentown - 8 to 11AM - Menu: Creamed Dried Beef on toast, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Home Fries, Pastries & Fruit - Cost is by donation only



September 7-9 - Jerusalem UCC (Trachsville), Palmerton - will be at the Palmerton Festival featuring "Happy Bowls" - held at the Palmerton Park, Delaware Ave.



September 18 - bus trip to visit Washington DC to visit The Museum of the Bible – Ben Salem UCC (Andreas), 1965 Church Hill Rd., Lehighton – adults/\$7 per person - kids 12 & under/\$5 pp (includes transportation, ticket to Bible Museum, Dinner on the way home at Mountain Gate Restaurant, all taxes, tips, and fees). Leaving Ben Salem Church at 6am with return around 10:30pm. Schedule is to visit The Museum of the Bible in the morning, free time during the afternoon and then short bus tour of additional monuments before we depart DC by 5pm. Contact Kevin Lusch at 570-778-3448 for reservations or more information.



September 22 - Dinner & a Comic - Good Shepherd UCC, 3940 Mountain Rd., Slatington - 6PM Dinner - 7PM Comic - \$20 - fruit cup, turkey, filling, mashed potatoes, glazed carrots, dessert - tickets on sale now through September 14 - call 484-294-5661



September 22 - Heidelberg 5K - Heidelberg Church, 5187 Irvin Rd., Slatington - \$25 to enter by September 5 guarantees t-shirt - 9AM - scenic country, instant results, refreshments, rain or shine, run/walk, first annual, awards - for more information and to register go to heidelberg5k.com

September 22 - Sight & Sound Bus Trip to see "Jesus" - Longswamp UCC, 200 Clay Rd., Mertztown - 8AM to 6PM - bus departs from Longswamp UCC - Sight & Sound Theater and Shady Maple Smorgasbord for a late lunch - \$100/adults - \$50/children (includes bus, show & meal) -50% deposit due upon registration - contact Holly Deiaco Smith (holly@longswampucc.org) with questions.

September 29 - Basket Social - St. Peter's (Lynnville), 5129 Schochary Rd., New Tripoli - 1 to 3PM - kids games, baked goods, food for purchase, craft vendors & more

September 30 - Apple Dumplings - St. Peter's Union Church, 184 St. Peters Rd., Tamaqua (Mantzville) - Order your apple dumplings by September 30 for pick-up October 18 from 1-5PM - call Karen at 570-386-5472

October 13 - Autumn Glory Bazaar Craft & Vendor Show - Jordan UCC, corner of Walbert Ave. & Rte. 309, Allentown - 9AM to 3PM - two floors and over 70 tables of crafts, vendors and lots of food

October 28 - Apple Dumplings - St. Peter's Union Church, 184 St. Peters Rd., Tamaqua (Mantzville) - Order your apple dumplings by October 28 for pick-up November 15 from 1-5PM - call Karen at 570-386-5472

November 10 - Pork & Sauerkraut Supper - St. Peter's Union Church, 184 St. Peters Rd., Tamaqua (Mantzville) - 4 to 7PM

November 11 - Homemade Filling Sale - St. Peter's Union Church, 184 St. Peters Rd., Tamaqua (Mantzville) - Order by November 11 - pick-up November 21 from 11AM to 2PM - call Karen 570-386-5472