



What's Happening in Our Churches...

July 29 - Deadline to order shoofly pies - Christ's Church at Lowhill, 4695 Lowhill Church Rd., New Tripoli - \$4.25 - pick-up August 8 from 4 to 6 PM - to order call Sue at 610-395-0723 or Wanda at 610-842-4781

July 29 - Summer Harmony - Jordan UCC, corner of Route 309 and Walbert Ave., Allentown - 4PM - Summer Harmony is the Lehigh Valley's premier men's vocal group and we welcome all to their summer concert indoors at Jordan. They will entertain us with selections from sacred and secular composers plus spirituals and many well-known pieces. A love offering will be received. Any questions call the church office at 610-395-2218.

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 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 - 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 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