

The newsletter is generally published and distributed on the last Sunday of the month. If you are away, it will be waiting for you in the distribution box, usually for a week, and then it will be mailed. It is also available on the website or by e-mail. To help save postage, if you know that someone needs a visit, take their newsletter to them. It's a good excuse to stop by. If all else fails, we will still mail the newsletter before the news becomes history. *-Ed.*

Bunker Hill Presbyterian Church's site

Be sure to check out our WEBSITE!!!

www.bhpcwv.org

Basket Making

We are once again meeting in Memorial Hall to make beautiful handmade baskets. We will be making a square bottomed, wide reed, metal handled basket. If you would like to join us, please see Whitney to reserve your spot. It is always so much fun!

Items you'll need to bring:

- Bucket
- sponge
- flat screw driver
- towel
- clothes pins
- garden shears or scissors
- tape measure
- a pencil
- a drink
- a snack/salad of any kind to share.

Date: **Saturday, July 17**

Time: **9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

Cost: **\$45 (checks made out to "Greta Lusk")**



IT'S ALMOST TIME to come to ancient Egypt!

Are you ready for all this fun and excitement???

Each day you will become part of history as you see, hear, touch, and even taste what it was like to live in Pharaoh's empire! You will be exploring authentic Marketplace shops, visiting Joseph who's in Pharaoh's prison, then later gets promoted to Pharaoh's palace, taking part in games, dancing to lively Bible songs, and sampling tasty foods as you discover more about how God was with Joseph in his good times and bad.

July 18 thru July 23, 2010

6:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Ages 2-1/2 to 14 years

Pre-registration is not required but if you'd like to beat the lines please call Sabrina Massie at 304-283-2409 and she will be happy to get you registered!

You are ALL cordially invited
To your very own
FAMILY REUNION



What: A TROPICAL LUAU
When: Sunday, September 12
Where: Bunker Hill Presbyterian Church
All Saints Pavilion

Come one, come all to the family reunion of your church family! Nurture & Christian Ed has incredible, remarkable, astonishing and unbelievably amazing things in store! There will be singing, there will be dancing, there will be grass skirts and leis and delicious food! Don't miss out on this once-a-year event that wraps up the summer days with good will and fellowship.



**ATTENTION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS
(past and current):**

Please plan to help with Vacation Bible School this July. July 18 – 23. You can help before that week in building sets and staging, preparation of areas, and also during the week of bible school in being a group leader, behind the scenes person, prep setup for the day or vendor. You will need to let Janice or Brandi that you will be helping with VBS. IF YOU NEED AN APPLICATION FOR THIS YEAR, PLEASE LET VICKANA KNOW. Thanks!

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Presbyterian Women met Thurs. June 3rd at the church. Present: Vickana Norton, Linda Wilke, Holly Taylor-Lemieux and Betty Ann Miller. We signed and sent out 28 cards this month. We got into our 2nd lesson Bible Study with our new books and video with Tom. We have some homework from that lesson and some preparation for our next meeting, but nothing real hard. We discussed the sickness of hurrying and how when you are always in a hurry, it is very difficult to be close to God and your spiritual wellbeing. It is hard to be spending any time in meditation or prayer if you are constantly running and thinking about the next thing you have to do. Scholarship applications will be reviewed at this months meeting. There is a change in day for July meeting. **WE WILL MEET THE 2ND THURS. on JULY 8th at 6:30.** Scholarship recipients will need to be present at a worship service in order to receive their checks. Please be in touch with Vickana to let her know when you will be present in worship from July 11th forward. Everyone is welcome to Join us!

ANNUAL YARD SALE!!!

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!!!! Sincerely thanks from the Scholarship Fund!
Scholarship Yard Sale was a success again this year all because of the donations, hard work and generosity of everyone involved!! It was wonderful to see some of our applicants there for the day, which is a big reason why we moved the date earlier this year. Thank you to all in the kitchen, silent auction work and yard sale area! It is a week long work effort!!! Yard sale tables out front made about \$1,234. What is sold out front comes from donations, so **THANK YOU!** Kitchen food and sales made about \$760. Donations are given for the kitchen with people baking and cooking and working throughout the day so **THANK YOU!** Silent Auction brought in about \$1,050. These are items that are given and also local businesses giving too and those of you picking up all this stuff! **THANK YOU!!!!** Thank you to everyone that helped, you are sooo appreciated!!!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Thank you to Kaitlyn Snyder for working canteen the day of the drive and also to Betty Ann Miller for your help at our drive on June 12th. We collected 21 pints that day! Remember to give the gift of life where and when you have a chance! You can give blood every 56 days, every other month pretty much. The next area drive will be in August at the Baptist church in Inwood. The drive will be back to Memorial Hall in October.

BULLETIN/PAPER RECYCLING



Please help participate in paper recycling at the church by placing your used bulletins and other paper material in the specially labeled bin placed outside the back sanctuary door and other locations. The Inwood Recycling Center accepts mixed paper for recycling, and here at the church we would like to begin making a concerted effort in recycling as much mixed paper as we can that is used by everyone here. Thank you for your participation in this effort!

LABELS & BOX TOPS

Please be sure to clip those **Campbell Soup Label proofs and Box Tops for Education**. The box on the breezeway table is where you can leave them. **Every little bit helps to go to our area schools!** Thank you Venetta for cutting and organizing the labels! That

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**Some minds are like concrete -
Thoroughly mixed up and
Permanently set.**

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C-CAP REPORT

Because of your generous donations, C-CAP/Loaves & Fishes provided assistance to families in Berkeley County in the following ways:

C-CAP/ Loaves & Fishes	05-10	Year to Date
Food	313	1635
Rental Assistance	78	367
Prescription Assistance	103	446
Water & Sewer		
Bill Assistance	30	144
Gasoline & Bus	61	187
Propane for cooking	4	31
Miscellaneous*	68	351
TOTALS	657	3156

*Items needed but not in our general guidelines

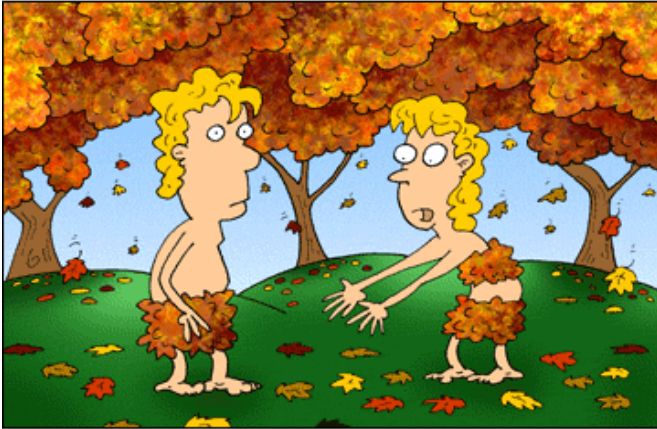
**Blessed are those who are generous,
Because they feed the poor.
Proverbs 22:9**

Bless you for you help!

C-CAP/Loaves & Fishes is a partner agency of the United Way of the Eastern Panhandle (CFC #85658)

A little funny...

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WILL YOU PLEASE PICK UP ALL YOUR CLOTHES?



Special Offerings

Jul	4	Four Cents A Meal
Jul	11	Meals On Wheels
Jul	18	Air/Heat Reconditioning
Jul	25	Building Improvement

Liturgists

Jul	4	N/A
Jul	11	Mona Prince
Jul	18	Rena Downs
Jul	25	Betty Hutsler

EVANGELISM, WITNESS, AND MISSION COMMITTEE NEWS

The EWM Committee met on June 8, 2010, and the following attended: Vickana Norton, Linda Wilke, Holly Taylor-Lemieux, Dana Spiker, Linda Custer, Rena Downs, and Jane West

Pentecost Sunday/Bake Sale/Offering: A total of \$925.56 was collected this year for the Pentecost Offering. That is awesome! Thanks so much for your support! Our 40% (\$370.22) of the offering was used for the "Stay on Track/Drug Demand Reduction" program (Bill Nolan's work program). Specifically, our check helped sponsor a young person to attend this summer's Youth Leadership Camp.

Healthy Smiles Community Dental Program: This program was suggested also as a recipient of our Pentecost Offering, so the EWM Committee voted to match the offering amount from our dinner fund to this very worthwhile organization as well.

June 26th Yard Sale/Silent Auction/Kitchen Sales: EWM wants to thank our generous congregation for your donations, whether to the yard sale, auction, or kitchen. This event could never be so successful if it weren't for the generosity of our congregation and local businesses that support our cause!!

Community & Church Family needs:

Devonshire Family: Committee members agreed to use a portion of our "Local Mission" budget item to make a \$250 donation to the Devonshire Family in the form of a Walmart gift card. This is the local family whose daughter and grandson were murdered leaving behind a 6-week old baby. The gift card was suggested to help with expenses of the baby.

Breeden Family: Thanks to those who have been able to help Harry and Susan Breeden with meals while Susan serves as Harry's primary caregiver after his recent hospital visit. This has helped the family tremendously to concentrate more on Harry's care.

An invitation: The EWM Committee invites you to join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, July 13th, at 7 pm. We are a very busy committee, but the rewards are GREAT! Please come join us!

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

July 18th-23rd – Vacation Bible School



Thank you!

A special “thank you!” goes out to the following organizations that are helping us share our Vacation Bible School news:

The “Community Events” sections of:

Lite 97.5 Martinsburg
91.9 Tacoma Park
Q102 Winchester
WCRH (The Compass) Hagerstown
The Martinsburg Journal
The Shepherdstown Chronicle
The Herald (allHagerstown.net)
Cable Channel 10

Our Local Organizations:

Kids Kount Day Care program
City National Bank
Susquehanna Bank
BB&T
Inwood Post Office

And last but not least ~ The Bunker Hill
Presbyterian Church FaceBook Page!

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

The Worship and Music Committee publishes the Prayer List in the monthly newsletter. All requests and concerns are taken during “prayers and concerns” on Sunday mornings. You may also send individual requests for prayer directly to Joy Kerns at kerns07@verizon.net or call (304) 283-1146.

Prayer List – July, 2010

Members and Family

Susan and Harry Breeden; Larry Kirby; Virginia and Jim Klunk; James Massie Sr.; Vareck Miller; Maggie Linton; Linda Wilke; Ginny Sims; Gene Belger; MC Warren; Don Smith; Brenda Wonsetler; Mabel Sheets; Benjamin Dulaney; Janice Nolan; Ed Zacek; Pam Whetsel; Sam Hutsler; Patricia Kidwiller; James Tressler; Lindeta Williams; Lorraine Cummings; Willow & Phoenix Herman & Family; June Cottrell; Jim Massie; Evelyn Mackenzie; Duane Hamrick; Dana Spiker; Betty Balenger Bealman; Jack Hall.

Serious Illness

Paula Hutzler; Cecilia Clark; Buck Hess; Tommy Lathwell & Family; Linda Kirkpatrick; Nelda Wallace; Bobby Morris; Jackson Jenkins; Danny Loughlin; Julie Kuyper; Linda Barnhart; Dante Cook; Jerry Smith; Jonah McKinney; Brenda Long; Viktor Somau; Roman Rebkovets; Doug Spiker; Debbie Furr; Conor Bobik; Lewis “Buddy” Harden; Sally Cloonan; Bill Zaccarvi; Reba Hoffman.

Circumstantial

Family of Chad Hammond; White & Devonshire families; Daniel Carter; Cynthia & Jeff Deep & Family; Jonathon McCarthy; Colton Webster; Debbie Napier; Lance Corporal Jordan Meyers & all of our men & women in the armed forces.

Lectionary Readings

July 4th

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalm 30

Galatians 6:(1-6) 7-16

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

July 11th

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 7:7-17

Psalm 82

Colossians 1:1-14

Luke 10:25-37

July 18th

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 8:1-12

Psalm 52

Colossians 1:15-28

Luke 10:38-42

July 25th

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Hosea 1:2-10

Psalm 85

Colossians 2:6-15 (16-19)

Luke 11:1-13

From an email....

When your hut's on fire

The only survivor of a shipwreck was washed up on a small, uninhabited island. He prayed feverishly for God to rescue him. Every day he scanned the horizon for help, but none seemed forthcoming.. Exhausted, he eventually managed to build a little hut out of driftwood to protect him from the elements, and to store his few possessions.

One day, after scavenging for food, he arrived home to find his little hut in flames, with smoke rolling up to the sky. He felt the worst had happened, and everything was lost. He was stunned with disbelief, grief, and anger. He cried out, 'God! How could you do this to me?'

Early the next day, he was awakened by the sound of a ship approaching the island! It had come to rescue him! 'How did you know I was here?' asked the weary man of his rescuers.

'We saw your smoke signal,' they replied.

The Moral of This Story:

It's easy to get discouraged when things are going bad, but we shouldn't lose heart, because God is at work in our lives, even in the midst of our pain and suffering. Remember that the next time your little hut seems to be burning to the ground It just may be a smoke signal that summons the Grace of God.