

# WEEKLY

# UPDATE

Take a look at  
what's coming up!



Week of  
March 8th

Our capital campaign is still going strong for Camp Mount Luther!  
Any financial gift you make will be matched for 2026!

You can make a contribution through a weekly/monthly donation in your offering to the church, noting the contribution is for the Camp Mount Luther Capital Campaign; a one-time donation to the campaign through your giving envelope to the church, or by going to the website: <https://www.campmountluther.org/capital-campaign/> and making a donation either by check to the camp or by credit card. It's as easy as that!

By giving through MLC's campaign, you basically double your giving as we match the gifts that come in!

Camp is a respite for so many. A place that spreads love and joy and the Word of God! Your donation will help improve Camp to be the best it can be for all who attend!





The purpose of the Milton Lutheran Church Endowment fund is to further the Mission of MLC by supporting projects, programs, and events sponsored by our members. Endowments will be granted for areas dealing with children and youth, matching funds for existing fundraisers, service projects, local, national, and international initiatives, and existing church partnerships. Applications will be reviewed by the endowment team and granted upon their approval. Deadlines for requests are March 1, June 1, September 1, and December 1.

Applications can be found on the website on the *documents & videos* page, under *Milton Lutheran Church Documents*, and at the church office. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact the office and your questions will be directed to whomever can best answer the query.

## PLEASE NOTE THE DATE OF SELF CARE AND PET PANTRY!!!

Our pet pantry is the first Sunday of the month from 11:30am-12:30pm held in conjunction with our Self-Care Sanctuary. Our next one is March 29th.



## Fidget Quilt



Our Fidget Quilters are  
next meeting:

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

Sept 2<sup>nd</sup>

Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>

If you have any  
questions, contact  
Connie Stover.



## Milton Panther Pack Program

ST. ANDREW'S METHODIST CHURCH  
102 LOWER MARKET ST. MILTON PA



MARCH 11TH  
6PM - 7:30PM

FELLOWSHIP HOUR

**SUNDAY,  
MARCH 8<sup>TH</sup> & 22<sup>ND</sup>**

FOLLOWING WORSHIP

In our fellowship hall.



Pub Theology  
will not be  
gathering for  
the month of  
March.

**Open Sunday's  
for  
Flower Donations**

March 29th  
June 28th  
July 19th  
July 26th  
August 2nd  
November 29th

The poster features a light yellow background with decorative floral illustrations in orange, blue, green, pink, and purple. The text is centered and includes a list of dates for flower donations. The dates are: March 29th, June 28th, July 19th, July 26th, August 2nd, and November 29th.

We are taking a break from Breakfast Club for Lent! Join us instead for our Thursday brunch at Silvermoon.

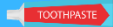


March 29th  
11:30 A.M.- 12:30 P.M.

## Self-Care Sanctuary

Free hygiene / self-care products for anyone that needs them.

  
MILTON  
Lutheran Church  
1125 Mahoning St.  
Milton, PA



For the month of March, we are requesting donations of bar soap.

We appreciate anything you can give to this ministry!

Please take note of the date!

MILTON LUTHERAN CHURCH  
1125 MAHONING ST. MILTON, PA

## MOVERS & SHAKERS SENIOR'S GROUP

MARCH 17TH 10:30AM - 12:30PM

MEAL

CONVERSATION

BINGO



Join us this Lent as we center ourselves on a new worship series: *Tell Me Something Good: Grounding Ourselves in the Good News this Lent*. Join us for this series in worship on Sunday mornings as we move through our Lenten journey seeking out the good news, even in the wilderness. This year, we will be making this journey alongside our neighbors at United In Christ (UIC) and Christ's Evangelical Lutheran (CELC), as all three communities move through this series together!

In addition to the lenten brunch, we invite you to join us for the opportunity to be told something good from new perspectives as we gather for midweek worship. Beginning on **Wednesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>**, we invite you to join us weekly at CELC (100 S. Third St, Lewisburg) for a time of soup and fellowship at 6:00pm, followed by Holden Evening Prayer at 7:00pm in the sanctuary. Each week, we will hear "something good" from a lay leader from one of the three congregations. We hope you will come out to be renewed by the perspectives that bring!

As we hear "something good" each week this season, we will be *sharing* "something good" with the neighbors around us. Each week, all three congregations will collect much needed household items to be donated to DIG Furniture bank in Milton. These items will go to support families getting a fresh start in our community! Keep your eyes peeled for which items we will be collecting each week (ex. bath towels, throw pillows, etc.) to share in something good! Items can either be gently used or new!

We hope you will join us for any or all of these opportunities in the weeks ahead!

We will be having a potluck along with the annual meeting. Please bring a dish to share!



Please note the change in time!  
The chili cookoff will begin at 4:30pm!



We are beginning our Easter Candy Collection for our Easter Egg Hunt! Please consider donating! Donations are due by March 22<sup>nd</sup>.



Lenten Queen Sized Challenge

**COLLECTING QUEEN SIZE BEDDING**

An illustration of a woman with dark hair in a bun, wearing a blue patterned nightgown, sitting up in a bed with a metal headboard and footboard. She is holding an open book and looking at it. The bed has a white pillow and a pink blanket. A green plant is on a table next to the bed.

**DONATIONS GO TO DIG**

We are collecting queen size bedding for DIG in our Lenten Queen sized challenge!

# Lenten Soup Supper

DINNER 6PM  
HOLDEN PRAYER SERVICE 7PM

CHRIST'S EVANGELICAL  
LUTHERAN CHURCH  
100 S 3<sup>RD</sup> ST. LEWISBURG PA



On the Wednesdays in Lent, we are joining with Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Lewisburg for their soup supper and Holden Prayer.

Dinner is at 6pm, followed by a Holden Evening Prayer service at 7pm.

Each week, we will hear "something good" from a lay leader from one of the three congregations. We hope you will come out to be renewed by the perspectives that bring!



**Healing**  
SERVICE

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1ST**  
**7:00 P.M.**



Maundy  
Thursday  
Dinner Church

Thursday, April 2nd 6:00 P.M.



MILTON  
LUTHERAN CHURCH



***Good Friday***  
***Worship***

Friday, April 3rd  
— 7:00 P.M. —



You are invited to join us as we dig deeper into our Lenten Worship Series "Tell Me Something Good". Together, Christ Lewisburg, UIC and MLC will delve into our weekly theme and enjoy some great food together. Our discussions will be led by Pastors Justin, Katy, and Gary.

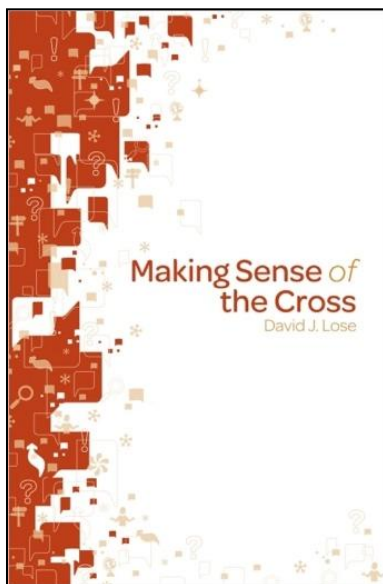
Meeting at 11am at Silvermoon Restaurant!

Join us for the start of a new Lenten study series: *Making Sense of the Cross!* Beginning on **Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**, we will gather weekly at United In Christ (1875 Churches Road, Lewisburg) for a video series that explores how the cross has been understood over time and how we might understand it as Christians today!

For those interested, we invite you to pick up a copy of the accompanying participant book to read at home each week. **Copies are \$15 each and can be ordered through the church office!**

From the publisher:

*Listen in on a conversation between two people having an open and candid discussion about the cross. One assumes the role of teacher or coach, someone who has had the time and opportunity to study the faith in some depth. The other is curious, knows a little bit about the faith, and brings a lot of questions: So what's with the cross? What does the cross say about God? What's the big deal? Did Jesus have to die?*



# Both/And

Real people don't fit  
inside boxes.

April 19<sup>th</sup>-May 10<sup>th</sup>

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Clearcut categories can be helpful and make life easier to understand. But people are different. What we believe, our values, our upbringing, experiences, and future goals all shape who we are. Sometimes we can be tempted to label people, make assumptions about them and place them inside nice, neat boxes. But people don't belong inside boxes. We are full of tensions and paradoxes that – when embraced – can bring immense depth and beauty to life. Through this series, we will explore how faith in Christ calls us away from simplifying our experience of one another into an “either/or” perspective and embrace the beauty of the “both/and.” Join us as we learn how to celebrate the diversity of being Children of God.

## **Week 1: Heart & Head | Mark 12:30-31, Acts 8:26-30**

Having faith is not just about believing the right things or feeling a certain way. Faith in Jesus brings together both head and heart, understanding and experience.

## **Week 2: Sacred & Secular | Acts 10:9-16**

Sometimes we divide up the world into “sacred” and “secular,” places where we expect and accept God's showing up – like church on Sunday morning – and places where we don't. But God reaches into all areas of life, leading us to live with compassion and grace no matter the time or place.

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### **Week 3: Us & Them | Galatians 3:28-29, Hebrews 13:1-2**

Categories like “us” and “them” can give us a false sense of identity and community based on who is inside and who is outside. But through Jesus, we no longer must identify ourselves this way. We are called to reach across those boundaries with God’s love in action.

### **Week 4: Saint & Sinner | 1 Timothy 1:12-17**

In our divided world, it can be easy to cast blame on those we think have it wrong, seeing ourselves as “holier-than-thou.” But Paul reminds us that we are all sinners in need of God’s grace and that Jesus is continually working in and on all of us – saints-in-progress.

## Announcements from our Friends



The graphic features a light yellow background with various icons: a bar chart, a cross with radiating lines, gears, a QR code, a molecular structure, and a tree. The text is arranged in a clean, modern layout.

**BUFFALO VALLEY  
FAITH LAB**

Scan to sign up!

1st and 3rd Sundays of the Month  
4:30pm-6:30pm  
September-May  
Grades K-6  
Free family dinner!

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday @ Christ's Lutheran  
100 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Lewisburg, PA 17837

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @ United In Christ  
1875 Churches Rd.  
Lewisburg, PA 17837