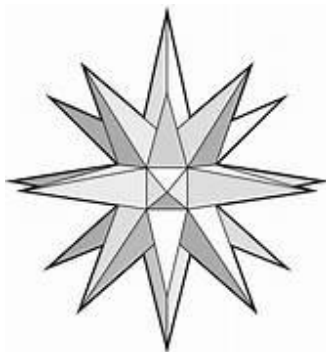


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Trustee Thought

"Giving is not a debt you owe; but it is a seed you sow."

Looking for community opportunities to give?

The Shepherd's Center has reported that more and more calls for transportation needs are coming in and many of the calls have to go to paid transportation providers.

Volunteers for transportation take people to doctor or dentist appointments and sometimes grocery shopping.

These are people who do not have any other way to go to appointments. If you feel you could help in this area call 336-748-0217 and ask for Martina, the Volunteer Coordinator.

Also, Jo Anne Todd has been a transportation volunteer for a number of years and will be happy to give you more details and what a great experience it can be. Her number is 336-817-6858

The Bethania Walkers



Bethania Walkers will meet July 19th for a walk at C. G. Hill located at 5800 Balsom Rd. Pfafftown. Hill park has an easy walk around the lake with a chance to see the over 500 year old tree and a longer walk on upper level.

All walks are paved and located on land that was owned by John Jacob Schaub, one of the early Moravian settlers.

Restrooms and water available. Plan to meet at 8:00.

A Celebration in God's Kingdom!

It isn't every day that we have the opportunity to celebrate in and rejoice over the Holy Baptism AND Confirmation of our youth, and in the month of June we did so in abundance! The joy that rang through the sanctuary, and the Spirit that was present, filled the room.

The youth of Bethania Moravian are an integral part of who we are. They remind us of the child-like simplicity of the love our Lord. They bring an innocence to our faith and remind us often to keep that.

They worship with an easy acceptance of God's love that we hope to retain. And they are our future. We love them, and we celebrate them.

Thanks BE to God. 



The Confirmation of Sr. Emma Katherine Ogburn, Sr.
Rocklyn Ane Ogburn, and Br. Bryce Scott.



The Baptism of Br. Bryce Scott



All three Confirmands stand with Pastor Linda Seippel.



Exciting news for the youth of Bethania Moravian! This also applies to all youth outside of the congregation; ALL are welcome here!

Pastor Linda will be starting a youth group Sunday school on July 6th at 10:00 AM for all the youth who are involved in the youth middle high and high school. This is an open invitation to all parents, whether members or not, to make sure your young ones are here! Pastor Linda has many great things in store for our young sisters and brothers! We sincerely hope that all of them can be present!

June feast - 2025



For June feast 202, we participated in a lovefeast, and sang many, many hymns. The service was very special, but the most special part was when our sisters and brothers had a chance to share their memories of Bethania right there in worship. We heard comical stories, heartwarming recollections, and memories of tear-filled thanksgiving to God for 266 years of faithful service and love. It is our prayer that God uses us in the future, to help offer where a hand may be needed, to smile when someone has lost their smile, and to love without limits, without pause, and without stipulations.

A potluck followed worship, which, in the usual way that is Bethania Moravian, was loaded with an abundance of delicious dishes.

We are so, so grateful to God for 266 years.

Thanks BE to God.



July 1st: Barbara Peiffer
July 2nd: Henry Gough
July 4th: Frank Butner
July 5th: Faye Bricca
July 8th: Estil Taylor
July 10th: Terri Merritt
July 12th: Linda Conrad
July 12th: Karen Stoltz
July 14th: Sandra Doub
July 16th: Judith Dobbins
July 17th: Deborah Thompson
July 18th: Valinda Wolff
July 22nd: Kelly Moore
July 25: Sue Self
July 27th: Tally Bovender
July 30th: Dianne Taylor

With Your presence, Lord, our Head and Savior, bless them all, we humbly pray; our dear heavenly Father's love and favor be their comfort every day. May God's Spirit now in each proceeding favor them with His most gracious leading; thus, shall they be truly blessed both in labor and in rest. Amen.

(Any omission from this list is purely accidental. If your name was inadvertently left off, please contact Joshua to let him know. Our system sometime misses names.)