

JACOB'S LADDER

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October 2022

*PURPOSE: To keep the members and friends of Jacob's Church informed of the ministries and happenings at our church and in the surrounding community to be **The Church on a Hill, Shining Forth for Jesus Christ***

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THE PASTOR'S EPISTLE "God's Wise Plans"

*"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him,
who have been called according to his purpose." – Romans 8:28*

How does God work?

He works for the good of those who love him. In other words, God will bring good out of the most horrible circumstances according to his will.

How many of you have ever heard of Corrie Ten Boom? Corrie was a Dutch watchmaker who, along with her family, hid Jews during the Holocaust. It was during that time that her family and her were arrested by the Nazis for helping the Jews and sent to a concentration camp. After the Ten Booms arrest, Corrie's father Casper died. Sometime later, her sister Betsie died as well.

Not only did Corrie lose two of her family members during this time, but she spent time in solitary confinement, scoffed at because she felt mentally ill people were valuable in the eyes of God, and spent much of her time in concentration camps and a women's labor camp. It was at the women's labor camp that Corrie and her sister Betsie, before she died, shared the Good News with their fellow prisoners. Many of their fellow prisoners converted to Christianity because of what Corrie and Betsie did.

Just before Betsie died, she told Corrie, "There is no pit so deep that [God] is not deeper still." Twelve days later after Betsie's death, Corrie was released. It was soon after her release that Corrie learned that all the women in her age group at the camp were sent to the gas chamber.

God had a wise plan for Corrie's life. Though it included some very rough parts, God came to the best end possible for everyone.

And this may be hard for some of you to read. As some of you have faced some of the hardest times in your lives. Times that you may have asked God, why? Why did you allow this person to get sick? Why did you take this person from me so early? Why did you allow this person to hurt me? Why do I have to face what I'm facing right now?

If this is you, my heart hurts for you. As I understand some of your pain. And I'm sorry that you have faced this difficulty in your life. But I want to reassure you that God's wise plan for your life will never change. He will always bring the best out of the worst circumstances. So, continue to trust in God.

As Corrie Ten Boom once said, "When a train goes through a tunnel and it gets dark, you don't throw away the ticket and jump off. You sit still and trust the engineer."

So, trust God as he is the wise engineer driving your life in the direction he has planned for you. Despite the bumps and turns, our wise God is in control.

Haggai

Rebuilding God's Church

A note from our Interim Pastor

Pressures, demands, expectations, and tasks push in from all sides and assault our schedules. Do this! Be there! Finish that! Call them! Everyone seems to want something from us – family, friends, employer, school, church, clubs. Soon we have little left to give as we run out of energy and time. We find ourselves rushing through life, attending to the necessary, the immediate, and the urgent. The important is all too often left in the dust. The problem is not the volume of demands or lack of scheduling skills, but values – what is truly important to us.

In this five-week sermon series, of the book of Haggai, we will discover the challenge to make God our number one priority. To get back to using our time, resources, strength, and talent to serve him before anything or anyone else. So, as we go through the book of Haggai, be prepared to be challenged to put all else aside and obey Him.

JACOB'S CHURCH BOARD MEETING MINUTES

AUGUST 1, 2022

Attendance:

Elders: Ron Belknap, Mike Follweiler, Mike Madtes

Deacons: Kevin Dellicker, Kayla Fusselman, Jared Hermany, Kaitey Sacks, Ed Sawyer

Treasurer: Dave Follweiler

Visitors: Faye Foulk, Louise Hill, Liz Long, Richard Oswald, Joan Oswald, Diane Wertman

1. Ed Sawyer opened in prayer.
2. Visitors – Richard Oswald expressed concerns regarding possible repairs being made to the school house without notice to the congregation first. No repairs are currently being made other than preventing further loss; clarification has been made in July official board minutes.
Richard also brought forward discussion on the topic of asking the congregation to stand during the scripture reading. Further discussion will take place with Pastor Schlegel.
Diane Wertman is looking for volunteers to help with the God Loves You tour coming to Allentown. Please contact Diane for more information.
3. Property Report – Jared reports there are no new projects. The search for contractors to work on Tad’s house continues.
Mike reports that he has found someone to replace the removed bricks from the school house to stabilize and prevent further loss, while discussions of next steps continue.
Kevin suggests creating a strategic planning task force to find the best use of all facilities belonging to the church, working towards our mission.
4. Youth Group – No current updates for Youth Group. Young Adults Bible Study and Sidewalk Sunday School did not meet for the month of July due to VBS and illness.
5. Website/Social Media/Podcast – Ron reports that Tad is in contact with Entertainment Services, but repairs/upgrades have been currently put on hold due to illness.
6. Music Director Committee – References for current candidate have been received. Two of the four references have responded. A second in person interview is set to take place shortly. The committee will continue to advertise the position.
7. Oyster Supper – Oyster supper will be held November 5th, 2022. Ron Smith would like to continue the drive-thru set up of the previous two years while also opening the dining area to 80 guests per hour. More details to come.
8. 200 mugs will be ordered to include in the welcome bag for new members.
9. Communion Sunday will be August 7th, 2022.
10. Life Screening will be held on September 16th, 2022.
11. Treasurer’s Report – July 2022 Meeting Balance \$45,971.15

Income	\$9,848.50	
Expenses	\$18,483.57	
August 2022 Meeting Balance		\$37,336.08

A motion was made to accept Treasurer’s Report as read, by Kayla and seconded by Ed; motion carried.
12. Meeting Minutes – A motion was made to accept July’s meeting minutes with corrections regarding stabilization to the school house, by Kayla and seconded by Mike; motion carried.
13. Next Elders Meeting will be held on August 8th, 2022.
14. Next Board Meeting will be held on September 12th, 2022.
15. Pulpit Committee – Ron reports committee is continuing to search for additional candidates; details to come.
16. Adult Retreat – Ed reports the annual adult retreat to Twin Pines will be held this year. Please contact Ed if you have suggestions for study topics.
17. Ed Sawyer closed in Prayer.
18. A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Jared and seconded by Kayla; motion carried.

Recorded and Submitted by Kaitey Sacks

Next Jacob's Church Board Meeting is scheduled for 7:30PM, Monday, October 3, 2022
Next Jacob's Church Elders Meeting is scheduled for 7:00PM, Monday, October 10, 2022

At our December 5, 2021 Annual Congregational Meeting, we voted to contribute \$3,956.00 per week in order to meet our 2022 budget. The following tithes and offerings were collected in August 2022:

August 7	\$3,485.00
August 14	\$4,564.00
August 21	\$3,373.00
August 28	\$4,961.00

Budgeted Tithes and Offerings for January-August	\$138,460.00
Actual Tithes and Offerings for January-August	\$134,272.81
Deficit for August 2022	\$ 4,187.19

UPCOMING END OF YEAR EVENTS

2023 Budget meeting – Sunday, October 30, 2022

Committee Reports due for Annual Congregational meeting – Sunday, November 6, 2022

Annual Congregational Meeting – Sunday, December 4, 2022

ALL CHURCH COMMITTEES – In order to prepare for our Annual Congregational Meeting on **Sunday, December 4, 2022** all Committee Reports are due to the Administrative Assistant, Faye Foulk on or before **Sunday, November 6, 2022**. The following committees and ministries need to submit their reports Activity Center Director, Altar Committee, Archives Committee, Choir Director, Christian Education Committee (VBS and Children's Church), Freedom in Christ Ministry, Jacob's Church Little Lambs Preschool, Kitchen Committee, Men's Prayer Breakfast, Mid-Week Bible Study, Missions Committee, Property Committee, Scholarship Committee, Sisters of Esther, Special Events Committee, Stephen Ministry, Women of the Church, and Youth Group. Please submit to novaps@aol.com. Thank you



Jacob's Church Commitments for October.... THANK YOU FOR SERVING!

Greeters/Ushers for October

October 2 Jacob's Church Board

October 9 Ron and Bonnie Belknap
Ron and Donna Smith

October 16 Jennifer and Kelly Mease
Jacob and Michael Follweiler

October 23 Faye Billig and Charles Kaley
Thomas and Faye Foulk

October 30 Confirmation Class
Greeters should be at church by 9:45am

Puppet Ministry
Sunday, October 2, 2022
Kayla Fusselman and Rose Moyer
Sunday, October 16, 2022
Rose Moyer and Joan Oswald



Cost of Flowers for Sunday Service:

(2) Altar vases \$25.00
(1) Floral stand \$15.00
Bud vase \$5.00
Bulletins \$5.00
Contact Pam Zoghby to
order flowers 610-298-3002

Scripture Readers for October

October 2 Mike Sacks

October 9 TBA

October 16 TBA

October 23 TBA

October 30 TBA



October Acolyte
Chase Sukanick

Pictures by
Leann Sacks

Flowers for October

October 2 In Memory of Janet Petrow – Robert Nester (stand)

October 9 Jacob's Church Altar Committee

October 16 Jacob's Church Altar Committee

October 23 Anniversary of Jared and Andrea Hermany

October 30 Jacob's Church Altar Committee

MEMBERSHIP NEWS



Congratulations and Best Wishes to the following couples celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries in October:

*Daniel and Jennifer Bernhard
Richard and Angela Bittner
Chris and Shani Feinour
Michael and Denise Follweiler
Andrew and Katie Foulk
Kyle and Juliet Harshbarger
Jared and Andrea Hermany
Solomon and Ginger Johri
Ethan and Joanna Keichel
Zach and Jennifer Madtes
Donnie and Blaise Malloy
Robert and Tracy Miller*

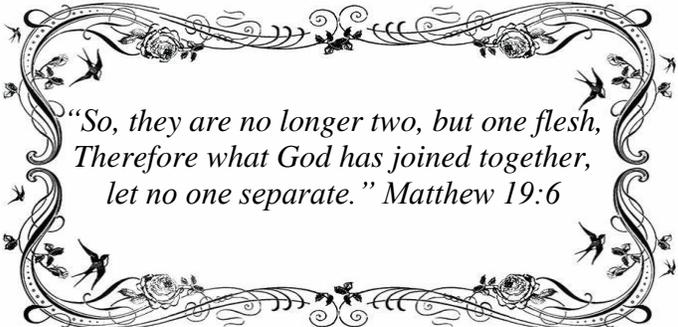
*Donald and Eileen Myers
Adam and Tonya Peter
Justin and Katelyn Pradel
Kevin and Jennifer Randall
Chad and Rachel Reppert
Wilson and Michelle Reppert
Ray and Kaitlin Sacks
Walter and Lucille Schlottman
Timothy and Ashley Van Blargan
James and Melinda Wessner
Vadim and Amanda Yamayev
Jeffrey and Candace Zoghby*

Wedding...

*"I have found the one whom my soul loves"
Song of Solomon 3:4*



CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES to Nicholas Allen Schaeffer and Kayla Louise Fusselman, who were united in holy matrimony on Friday, August 19, 2022 at Jacob's Church with Interim Pastor Tad M. Schlegel officiating the ceremony. Nicholas is the son of Thomas Schaeffer and Susan and Robert Jones. Kayla is the daughter of Brian Fusselman, member of our Jacob's Church Family, and the late Diane Fusselman. May God's Blessings be upon Nicholas and Kayla.



Mourning the Loss Of...

He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away, Revelation 21:4

Our Deepest Heartfelt Sympathy

May the Lord Bless and comfort the family Franklin James Klingaman, who went home to be with our Lord and Savior on Tuesday, August 23, 2022, at the age of 102-0-17. Franklin was born 6 August 1920 baptized as an infant on 12 September 1920, the sacrament officiated by the late Rev. Milton Klingaman; confirmed on 20 October 1935 with the late Rev. Clarence Rahn officiating, and married to Kathryn E Knepper (1922-2011) on 28 June 1947 which the late Rev. Rahn also officiated. Franklin has extensive family members resting in the Jacobs Union Cemetery. Deepest Heartfelt Sympathy from your Jacob's Church Family.

Our Deepest Heartfelt Condolences

May the Lord Bless and comfort the family of Merritt Alton Smith, who went home to be with our Lord and Savior on Tuesday, September 13, 2022, at the age of 97-9-7. Merritt was born 6 December 1924 baptized as an infant on 11 January 1925, sacrament officiated by the late Rev. Clarence Rahn; confirmed on 15 October 1939 with the late Rev. Clarence Rahn also officiating, and married to Anna Mae Sittler (1928-2015) on 18 October 1947 officiated by the late Rev. Leroy Bond. Merritt for a time served as secretary for the Jacob's Union Church Joint Council. Merritt joined many of his family members, who are resting in Jacobs Union Cemetery on Saturday, September 17, 2022. Deepest Heartfelt Condolences from your Jacob's Church Family.

*⁵⁰ I declare to you, brothers and sisters, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. ⁵¹ Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed— ⁵² in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. ⁵³ For the perishable must clothe itself with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality. ⁵⁴ When the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the saying that is written will come true: "Death has been swallowed up in victory." ⁵⁵ "Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" ⁵⁶ The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. ⁵⁷ But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
I Corinthians 15:50-57*

2022 Summer Home Communions:

Nancy Backenstoos
Jean Fronheiser
Besty Hauser
Virginia Henry
Eva Kunkel
Rhonda Lindahl

Lester Lutz
Ray and Karen Moyer
Shirley Ruppert
Joyce Sacks
Hermie Schappell
Joan Staudt



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT JACOB'S CHURCH



WORLD WIDE HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated on **Sunday, October 2, 2022** during the **10:15AM** Worship Service. Circle this date on your calendar for this special service.

COVENANT SIGNING – During the months of **October** and **November**, members of Jacob's Church will have the opportunity to renew their faith and commitment to Jesus Christ by a **voluntary** signing of the Church Covenant located in the church parlor area. During this time, we are reminded once again of the vow we made to God and his Church the day we proclaimed Jesus Christ as our personal Lord and Savior. We praise God for His Church and the opportunity we have to serve.



HARVEST HOME SERVICE – will be held on **Sunday, October 16, 2022**. Please share in this day of celebrating the blessings of our Lord. The items collected will be delivered to the Lowhill Food Pantry to assist families in the Northwestern Lehigh District. Non-perishables and canned goods may be brought to church through **Sunday, October 16th** and placed on the table in the parlor area. Fresh fruits and vegetables may be brought on **Sunday, October 16th**. "Praise God from whom all blessings flow!" Thank you for all you do!

STEPHEN MINISTRY – **Christ caring for people through people**
Everyone faces periods of difficulty. During these times, someone who will listen, empathize, pray and encourage them with Christ's love and care can be a tremendous benefit. Stephen Ministers Meetings on **Thursday, October 6th** and **Thursday, October 20th**



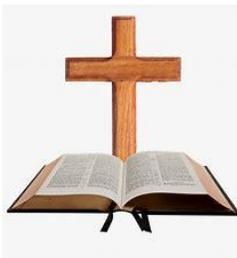


CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX MINISTRY please pick up a shoebox in the Church Sanctuary, fill it up with fun stuff and bring it back to the church by **Sunday, November 13, 2022**. If you prefer, you may place a monetary gift in the offering plate in an envelope marked OCC. Thank you for your generous participation!

CARDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT MINISTRY – Jacob’s Church continues to reach out to our members and extended families with “Thinking of you” cards. The cards to be sent out are located in the parlor area, please take the time to sign each card before or after worship. Our mission is to remember each other as we go through life’s journey. Please contact Diane Wertman at 484.330.1033, for additional information or to offer a name in need.



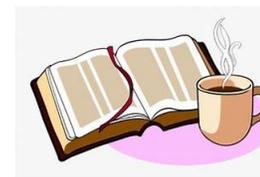
SISTERS OF ESTHER BIBLE STUDY meet **Tuesday** mornings in the Activity Center **9:30AM-11:30AM**. For additional information, please contact Louise Hill at 610.573.1977.



FREEDOM IN CHRIST MINISTRY meet **Tuesday evenings** at **7:00 pm** in the Activity Center meeting room. Topics discussed such as Artificial Intelligence, UAP’s, Global Reset, Bio Warfare and much more all in light of end time Bible prophecy. Video’s from well -known experts in the field will help us not to be caught unaware but will encourage and strengthen our hope in Christ Jesus as times are growing increasingly darker and more chaotic. **Hebrews 10:24-25** “**And let us consider one another to provoke**

unto love and to good works: not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another; and all the more as you see the day drawing near.” Diane Wertman can be contacted at 484-330-1033 for more information.

MEN’S PRAYER BREAKFAST meet **Wednesday mornings** at **7:00AM** in the Activity Center meeting room! For additional information, please contact Ralph Hill at 610.767.1286.



MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY GROUP will resume in the upcoming weeks.



LADIES' NIGHT OUT will meet on **Monday, October 17th** at **7:00pm** in the Activity Center! Please contact Kayla Fusselman at 610.844.1567 for additional information

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS – Remember to turn your clocks back on **Sunday, November 6, 2022** otherwise you will be at Church School and Family Worship an hour too early!



CHOIR PRACTICE IS ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

**LIFE'S CHOICES
ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BANQUET
THE MISSING PEACE
FILLING THE GAPS IN A POST-ROE WORLD**

**Thursday, October 6, 2022
Stone Spring Farm, Hamburg, PA**



SAVE THE DATE

**TWIN PINES ADULT RETREAT
Friday, November 11 –
Sunday, November 13, 2021**

**ANNUAL OYSTER SUPPER
JACOB'S CHURCH ACTIVITY CENTER**

**8373 Kings Highway, New Tripoli 18066
(near Leaser Lake)**

**Saturday, November 5, 2022
3:00 pm - 7:00 pm**

EAT IN RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED!

TAKE OUT ORDERS NEED TO BE PRE-ORDERED!

**DEADLINE FOR EAT IN RESERVATIONS/TAKE OUT ORDERS
IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2022**

To place your take-out order, please call one of the following:

Faye B. – 610-298-2271

Leann S. – 610-739-6896

To place your eat in reservation, please contact:

Faye F. – 610-751-5742

**CASH OR CHECK ONLY
NO CREDIT CARDS**

**MAKE YOUR
RESERVATIONSTODAY!**

MENU: Oyster Pies - \$10.00

Oyster Stew - \$9.00

Fried (4) Oysters Platter - \$17.00

Fried (7) Shrimp Platter - \$13.00

Fried Combo (2) Oyster/ (4) Shrimp Platter - \$14.00

Platters Include: Baked Potato (TAKE OUT) -

French Fries (EAT IN) and Pepper Cabbage

Additional Fried Oysters – \$3.00

Turkey Barbecue - \$5.00

Whole Pies (Apple, Cherry, Pumpkin, and Coconut Cream) - \$10.00

Additional Pepper Cabbage by pint - \$3.00; quart - \$5.00

**FIRST RESERVED SEATING - 3:00pm
LAST RESERVED SEATING - 6:00pm**

*Lots of help is needed to make this event successful!
Please consider helping Friday, November 4th
and/or Saturday, November 5th. Please reach out to
Ron Smith at 610.298.3405 or sign up on the posted
voluntary sheet in the church parlor area.*

Thank you

JACOB'S CHURCH YOUTH GROUP

Sidewalk Sunday School

Becky and Eugene are currently meeting every Wednesday at Jefferson Court Cul-de-sac in New Tripoli from 4:30PM to 5:00PM.

This ministry is for kids from 3 years old to 5th Grade. At Sidewalk Sunday School, Eugene and Becky tell stories from the Bible, play games, sing songs and dance, among many other crazy things. Not only that, but there are free snacks and surprises! We want to help you with your relationship with Jesus.

Come out and join us at Sidewalk Sunday School! Hope to see you there!



Young Adults Group

This group will meet on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month beginning at **6:30PM**. If you are interested in joining us, or want more information, please contact Rev. Tad M. Schlegel at 717-644-1153. For those of you with children, child care will be provided.

If you have any questions, please contact

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JACOB'S CHURCH

LITTLE LAMBS PRESCHOOL 2022-2023



Preschool is off to a fantastic start!! We are having lots of fun with our friends and exploring the wonderful world God made us! We will be celebrating the last week of October with our annual Fall Fun Fest so if you would like to take part with a talent, hobby or occupation you have that is related, please let us know-we would love to have you visit! Please contact Jill Sabo at JSabo615@aol.com. Please keep our ministry in your prayers.



2022-23 Little Lamb Important Date
Tuesday, October 25th – Picture Day

LOOK WHO IS IN THE NEWS!



Dianne Ralston



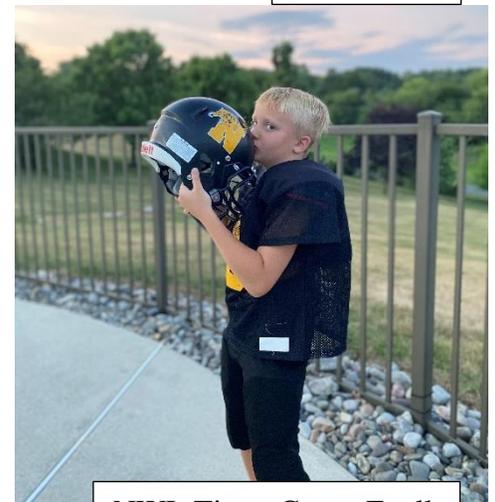
Mr. & Mrs. Nick Schaeffer



Mike Sacks



GO NWL Tigers



NWL Tiger, Carter Foulk

GROVE CITY
 Students earn dean's list status
 Jake Dellicker of Germansville and Josh Gornicz of Kempton, were named to the dean's list for the spring 2022 semester at Grove City College, Grove City.

GROVE CITY
 Local man on dean's list
 Will Dellicker of Germansville, a Biblical and Religious Studies major, was named to the dean's list for the fall 2021 semester at Grove City College, Grove City.

Sons of Kevin and Susan Dellicker



Michael Schlegel and friends



THANK YOU!

Jacob's Church VBS Team,
God's Blessings and thank you
for the donation to CHF. Your
group truly allows for children all
over the world a chance at food
and the Hope of the Gospel!

Thank you!

Anthony Kasper
Director, Donor Engagement



Dear Jacob's Church,

Thank you for opening your doors for our community health screening, Friday, September 16, 2022! It is because of your generosity that Life Line Screening is able to bring these health screenings into your community and for that, we are very appreciative

*Thank you for the special breakfast treats and coffee!
Much appreciated.*

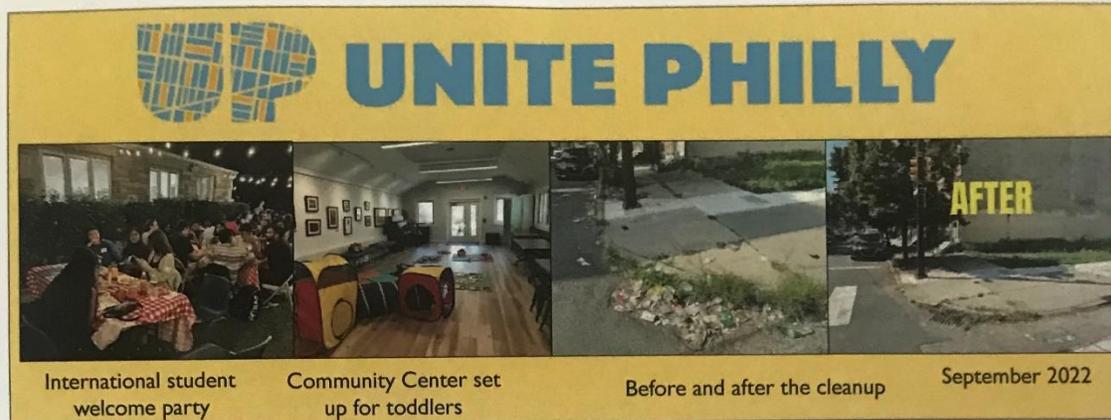
We look forward to working together again!

*Sincerely,
Megan Schirtzinger
Health Service Coordinator*

*"And may the Lord reward
you for your kindness."
Ruth 1:8*



MISSIONS!



“Uniquely restoring every community with the good news of Jesus Christ.”

Katie and my ears perked up when we heard the above new vision statement for Cru City. It affirmed the variety of tactics we employ to bring each community closer to understanding and loving Jesus. For some in poverty, it is the effects they encounter of an unjust circumstances that need restoring. For others, it is the loneliness of living in a new place that a Christ followers can address. For everyone, this ultimately points to the love and sacrifice of Jesus. Here is a sample of what we have engaged in at the community center at 42nd and Pine as well as across the city.

Hosting Welcome Parties: Global Connect, my former role before City, hosted 100 new International students at the community center our church owns.

Toddler FreePlay: One group that is often lonely in University City are the spouses of scholars. Many from abroad cannot study or work in America. For those with kids, these highly capable people live's suddenly slow down in a new country. This weekly time at our church's community center allows new parents to connect with Christians in a safe, neutral setting.

Yoga: A woman from church will soon be launching a yoga class at the community center.

I hope to utilize this yoga class to have members of my church connect with the community, and for neighbors to enter a space that is far less intimidating than a church.

Homeless: For other communities, physical needs are at the front of their minds. These include the hungry that are fed at the community center every Friday evening. Katie's work in Kensington seeks to bring dignity and clothing to women living on the streets.

School: Katie tutors kids who are struggling to read in North Philly. Via zoom over the summer tutoring was able to continue. One day last month she asked her student if he was excited for school to start. He said he was and Katie asked why. He responded "Cause I can't wait to work with you again in person."

After this, Katie organized a cleanup of the trash filled lot next to the school. She did not want her students or others to see such signs of brokenness and neglect on their way to their first day of school on August 29th.

Dave and Katie Brindley dave.brindley@cru.org
 5005 Chestnut Street katie.brindley@cru.org
 Philadelphia, PA 19139 215-407-7182

To give online to our account: give.cru.org/0521081

Please make checks payable to Cru

UnitePhilly.org

COMMUNITY EVENT!



FALL YARD SALE 2022

Friday Sept 30, 7a – 6p?

Saturday Oct 1, 7a – 12p

9077 Steinsville Road, Kempton

Come and sell new or gently used items (housewares, clothing, furniture, puzzles & games, books, tools, etc) to raise money for a new roof for SPADE. Food donations (baked goods) are also appreciated. All we ask is that you donate 10% of your proceeds or more as you feel led. Bring your own cash box; you are responsible for your own sales.

Free tables provided – limited number available; first come, first serve. You can also bring your own!

Contact Kim Huber to reserve your table.

Call or text 484-347-6352 anytime.

Set up at your convenience starting Sun 9/25 1 pm – 7 pm,

Mon/Tues/Thur 9 am – 7 pm, Wed 9am – 1pm

Space available indoors and outdoors.

Event will be held rain or shine.



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Saturday, October 1, 7a – 12p

Community fundraising yard sale for a new roof
for the historic 1832 SPADE Inn!

9077 Steinsville Road, Kempton

- Housewares, clothing (adult and children), toys, books, puzzles & games, furniture, and more!
- Baked goods, coffee, and cold drinks for sale
- **Rain or shine!**

Monetary donations can also be made at
<https://spadeinternational.org/donate!>



SPADE International is a 501(c)(3) non-profit faith-based
Christian Retreat, Conference, & Outreach Center

JACOB'S CHURCH
ACTIVITY CENTER REPORT
"THE CHURCH ON A HILL, SHINING FORTH FOR JESUS CHRIST"

September 24, 2022

Happenings in the Jacob's Activity Center during the month of September....

Sisters of Esther held their meetings on Tuesday, September 6, 13, 20 and 27, starting at 9:30AM and ending approximately at 11:30AM.

The Freedom in Christ Ministry held their meetings on Tuesday, September 6, 13, 20 and 27, beginning at 7:00PM.

Men's Prayer Breakfast held their breakfast on Wednesday, September 14, 21, and 28 at 7:00AM.

Stephen Ministers held their meeting on Thursday, September 1 and 15.

Young Adults Group are holding their meetings in the church.

Life Line Screening Event was held on Friday, September 16th, 8:00am to 12:30pm.

Kutztown Lady Twirlers began their season on Friday, September 16th, starting at 5:30pm- ending approximately at 9:00pm. The group also held practice sessions on Friday, September 23 and 30.

When we put our problems in God's hands, he puts peace in our hearts.

God Bless You,
Faye M Foulk

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Jacob's Church Scheduled Activities in Church **October 2022**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 9:00am Sunday School 9:00am Confirmation 10:15AM Blended Worship Service	31					1
2 9:00am Sunday School 9:00am Confirmation 10:15AM Blended Worship Service Pew Holy Communion	3	4 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	5 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	6 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	7	8
9 9:00AM Sunday School 9:00am Confirmation 10:15AM Blended Worship Service	10 Jacob's Church Elders Meeting Parish House 7:00PM	11 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM 6:30pm Young Adults Group	12 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	13 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	14 Wedding 10:00am	15
16 9:00AM Sunday School 9:00AM Confirmation 10:15AM Blended Worship Service	17	18 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	19 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	20 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	21	22
23 9:00AM Sunday School 9:00AM Confirmation 10:15AM Blended Worship Service	24	25 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM 6:30pm Young Adults Group	26 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	27 Little Lambs Preschool 9-11:30AM	28	29

Jacob's Church Tentative Activity Center Schedule

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 9:00am Sunday School Private Celebration	31					1
2 9:00am Sunday School Private Celebration	3 Jacob's Church Board Meeting 7:30PM	4 Sisters of Esther 9:30- 11:30am 7:00pm Freedom in Christ Ministry	5 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00AM- 8:30AM	6 Stephen Ministers Meeting 9:30AM- 12:00PM	7 Twirlers 5:30pm	8
9 9:00am Sunday School	10	11 Sisters of Esther 9:30- 11:30am 7:00pm Freedom in Christ Ministry	12 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00AM- 8:30AM Wedding set up	13 wedding set up	14 Wedding Reception 5:30PM Twirlers	15 Private Celebration
16 9:00am Sunday School	17 Ladies Night Out! 7:00pm	18 Sisters of Esther 9:30- 11:30am 7:00pm Freedom in Christ Ministry	19 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00AM- 8:30AM	20 Stephen Ministers Meeting 9:30AM- 12:00PM	21 5:30-9:00PM Twirlers	22
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