



# HEWITT HAPPENINGS/ OCTOBER 2020



## Pastor's Message

*"The Lord will  
indeed give what is  
good, and our land  
will yield its  
harvest."*

*Psalm 85:12*

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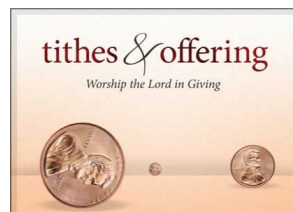
Greetings Everyone,

October is the month of change. Leaves are turning colors, the temperatures are up and down, and the days are definitely shorter. We perhaps already see the holidays of Thanksgiving and Christmas approaching quite quickly. We as well have been living in a year of change. Hardly anything seems normal anymore. We get a few glimpses, but not for very long. However, God does not change. His promise to us is that He will remain the same forever. He is still on the throne loving, listening, caring, and forgiving. In this time we are living in today, we need an anchor, something we can hold on to that makes us feel secure no matter what. That anchor is God!

Covid or no Covid, storm or no storm, in happy times or sad times, He is the constant in our lives. May we cling to Him as He sees us through our changing times.

In His Service,

Pastor Bill



**Please note that you may continue to mail your offerings to:**

**Hewitt Presbyterian Church  
1206 Crucible Road  
Rice's Landing, PA 15357**

## CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**Church services are now being held in the sanctuary.** Until further notice all other church activities will be cancelled due to COVID-19 and the need for social distancing. The “Good News” of the church will not be silenced. Reverend Parker will continue to record his sermons and upload them onto YouTube ([www.YouTube.com](http://www.YouTube.com)) and Facebook so that you may listen to them from your homes on Sunday mornings. If utilizing YouTube you will need to search [www.YouTube.com](http://www.YouTube.com) for Hewitt PC or Pastor Bill Parker on Sunday mornings at 11:00 AM. If using Facebook you will need an account and friend request Bill Parker. Also, an Evening Meditation will be given by Rev. Parker @ 8:00 PM, Monday thru Friday on Facebook and YouTube. We will rely on God to help us through these uncertain and stressful times.

If you should need anything, please call the church office at 724-592-6111 during office hours. Call Amy Ankrom @ (412)720-6939 or Bill Ankrom @ (412)370-3827 for things such as rides, groceries or computer assistance.

### PRAYER CONCERNS

#### *HEWITT CHURCH FAMILY and FRIENDS*

Erica Bastilone	Gene Franks	Jim Minor
Mary Bayard	John Green	Joann Morrow
Peggy Behm	David Hall	Sabrina Murrall
Glen Bistlina	Glenn Hall	Carly Orris
Kenneth Breakiron	Hayden Jack	John Ozohonish
Marge Breakiron	Bob Kelly	Rev. Bill Parker
Robert Bryan	Allison Kiger	Lucianna Rach
Dr. Matthew Burkett	John Krajnak	Marhea Ruzanic
Dorothy Burwell	Linda Krajnak	Addy Shaffer
Travis Burwell	Keith Krause	Colby Simkovic
Carol Christen	Jill Kubasik	Patty Simkovic
Abby Cipoletti	Marilee Lanxner	Pat Snyder
Joey Cipoletti	John Laskosky	Tom Spishock
Shelby Clark	Jackie Lindeman	Gary Stevenson
Kim Cottle	Marlene Link	Doug Suhoski
A.J. Curler	Mary Ann Mauck	Patty Vincent
Loretta DiBiase	Shawn Mayle Family	Hank Workman
Betty Dick	Ruth McCollum	Patricia Yeager
Bob English	Marjorie McKnight	Heather Zuccoolotto
Linda Enstrom Fetig	Maggie Miller	*Bebekka Church*

### CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. E. Christian Wilson  
(Christian and Emily).  
The couple wed on Saturday, September 27, 2020.



**CONGREGATIONAL NEWS—Continued****Sympathy Extended**

The Congregation expresses its sympathy to the family of Thelma Harry who entered into glory on Wednesday, September 23, 2020. Funeral arrangements were private.

**Thank You**

May I express my deep appreciation to those who took the time and effort to enable me to observe and enjoy what some have called a “significant” birthday. Thank you so very much for your thoughtfulness, kindness, generosity and well wishes.

Your Friend, Don Wilson



## HEWITT CHURCH WOMEN

### **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY—THE WORD LIVES**

“The Word Lives” Bible Study will meet on Mondays at **12:30 PM** at the church. We will be studying the second part of the Max Lucado Study...”Life Lessons from John”.

There will be no refreshments served ... bring your own bottled water if you would like. If you have any questions please contact Ellen Pahanish at **724-377-2012**.

### **VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY**

A small group is meeting at Ginger Wainwright's home along with other people **virtually** to study “Finding Hope Through Prayers of Lament”. The group meets Wednesdays at 7:00 PM. Study, prayer and social distancing are practiced. Call Virginia Wainwright at 724-317-6685.

### **THE KNIT WHITS- “Sharing a bit of God's Love”**

Infant hats totaling “47” were delivered to the Washington Hospital in September. Anyone wishing to join in our project may do so. We plan on delivering more hats the first week of December. Thanks to all who helped! For more information call Ellen Pahanish at **724-377-2012**.

### **HCW SPAGHETTI DINNER**

The Hewitt Church Women's Spaghetti dinner scheduled for Saturday, November 7 has been **cancelled due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic**.

### **HCW TURTLES**

We are saddened to inform you there will be **no turtle-making this year due to COVID-19**. We will all have to rely on candy stores to purchase these candies—although they will not compare to the HCW turtles! Enjoy the Christmas season even though the famous holly covered boxes won't be under your tree! Merry Christmas to all!

**HEWITT CHURCH WOMEN—CONTINUED****THANKOFFERING SUNDAY**

Thank Offering Sunday will be held on Sunday, October 11th. The Women of Hewitt Church will be conducting the Service and our guest speaker will be Adolph (Rusty) Salminen bringing us news of our mission work and recent events in Ethiopia. Thank Offering envelopes will be included in the bulletin that Sunday.

What is Thank Offering? It is an annual offering of Presbyterian Women that began in 1888 and gives grants to programs nationally and internationally that provide education, relief from disasters, safe housing, and so much more. Once such grant of \$5,000 will go to the Synod of the Trinity (of which we are a part), the Presbytery of Donegal, to the Domestic Violence Center of Chester County Community Healing Circle. One of the Internal grants will go to the Gidada Theological College, Dembi-Dollo, Ethiopia, for construction of a girls' dormitory.

**SESSION, MISSION AND EVANGELISM****OCTOBER PRAYER LIST**

For God alone my soul waits in silence, from Him comes my salvation; He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken. Ps. 62:1,2.

\* Pray for a vaccine and treatment to end the Corona virus disease. Pray for healing for those who have become infected and pray for those families who grieve loved ones who they have lost.

\* Pray for justice in the world for all people regardless of race, ethnicity or gender. (In everything do to others as you would have them do to you. Mt. 7:12).

\* Pray for children in elementary and secondary school, and for college students as they pursue their education both in-class and virtual classes. Pray for teachers and all school personnel that they are able to do their jobs to the best of their abilities with the current challenges.

\* Pray for our election, that it will be lawful and all citizens will have equal opportunities to participate in the process. Pray with confidence that God is in control and will place the appropriate candidate in office according to his purposes.

## **SESSION, MISSION AND EVANGELISM**

### **PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS**

#### **INDONESIA**

Population: 266,795,000

Christians: 33,379,000

“In Indonesia, conservative Muslim political parties and radical Islamic groups exert significant influence, resulting in Sharia-inspired policies and public opinion that opposes Christianity. ....most problems for believers come from confrontations with radical Islamic groups.”

#### **Prayer Points:**

\*Pray God would do an amazing work in Indonesia – home to the largest percentage of Muslims in the world – and reach many more people with the Gospel.

\*Pray for Christian children in public schools in strong Islamic regions who experience discrimination.

\*Pray for Christian converts from Islam who are pressured to renounce Jesus.

### **KUCHARIKS ON CAMPUS**

“One Giant Leap to Protect Purdue – Overcoming challenges probably defines most people’s current experience. While we are grateful (Purdue) University has made a strong commitment to having students study in person safely, all for the extra policies and lack of clarity have led to a slow start to the semester. So far we have only been allowed to engage with students digitally, but we will be able to start meeting in small groups, mainly outside, soon. Our hope is that by providing both in person and online options for Bible studies, discipleship and other events, we will be able to engage with more students.”

\*Remember in prayer: Nathan, Linsey, Ellie and Aidy as they work with students at Purdue University.  
[Complete letter is posted on the bulletin board in the back of the Sanctuary.]

### **LAST CALL FOR FISH BANKS**

Have you turned in your **FISH BANK for ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING?**

If not, please do so by Sunday, October 4. OR you can include your donation in your offering envelope.

So far we have collected \$450. Thanks.

**SESSION, MISSION AND EVANGELISM—CONTINUED****SHOEBOXES**

We have been collecting items for the Shoebox project. **On November 8 we will have a “shoebox packing party”** immediately after Worship Service (hopefully in our newly “floored” Fellowship Hall).

	<u>Items we requested for this project were:</u>
January	Toothbrushes with covers
February	Hand Towel/Wash cloth
March	Bar of soap in soap holder
April	Calculators, flashlight, batteries
May	Soccer Balls, pumps
June	T-shirts, socks
July	Flip Flops
August	Tablets, coloring books, pencils, crayons
September	Toys, (ex. Match Box cars; small dolls; fake jewelry
October	Stuffed animals

These items are also good if you are going to prepare your own shoebox. Other suggestions are: jump ropes; yo-yos; toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries); combs; pens; pencils and sharpeners; notebooks; solar calculators; sunglasses.

**DO NOT INCLUDE:** Candy, toothpaste, gum, war-related items, seeds, food, liquid or lotions, vitamins, breakable items or glass containers and aerosol cans.

Our goal is 50 boxes. You may use any standard-size shoebox. Samaritan Purse shoeboxes are available in the Church Office or during worship on Oct. 11. A donation of \$9/box is requested to cover shipping. However, HCW will cover the cost of any shoeboxes donated without the \$9. **Bring your prepared shoeboxes on Sun., Nov. 8 for dedication.**

Pray for those children who will receive our shoeboxes. Thank You!

### J-M Food Pantry News

The Food Pantry is changing from month to month as we seek to find the best way to distribute food during the pandemic. In September, food was once again distributed at the Jefferson Baptist Church. Only the workers who felt comfortable being in the environment helped on that day. Two of the workers who usually work at the Pantry took charge of the distribution. They were able to bring in some new helpers to work alongside the regular workers who were comfortable being there. Distancing and mask wearing were still practiced and patrons did not enter the building. Hours were shortened and set-up took place on the morning of distribution. People received boxes of food, as usual, and a pre-packed box of produce that was delivered that morning.

As always, Hewitt Church contributed to the boxes by donating several cans of vegetables, soup, SpaghettiO's, peanut butter and boxes of cereal. Ninety-four families were helped that day. We assume that distribution will continue in this same way next month, but, as things are constantly changing, we really can't be sure. What we can be sure of is that, however the food is distributed, those in need will definitely receive it. The Jefferson-Morgan Food Pantry will always be there to see that those in need receive as much food as we are able to provide.

Please continue to remember your donations. We will currently be accepting both food and monetary donations and, as always, any help we receive will be very much appreciated.

Also remember the power of prayer and continue to pray for those in need and the work of the Food Pantry.





### **HEWITT DARTBALL TEAM UPDATE**

The Hewitt Church Dartball Team has **opted out of the upcoming season due to Covid-19**. We were one of 10 teams that decided not to field a team this year.

We look forward to competing next season when, hopefully, all goes back to normal.



### **Thinking Ahead to Christmas!**

I really hate to do this, but it is time to think about the **Hanging of the Greens Service**. This year the Service will be held on **Sunday, November 29**. Would you like to participate in this service as a reader? If so, please let me know.

**Birthday Party for Jesus** will not be held following the Hanging of the Greens Service due to COVID-19. However, we will be collecting baby items for "Love In a Basket" - a mission work of the Laboratory Presbyterian Church.

Thanks, Debbie Wilson



# OCTOBER 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>On Sunday, Oct. 4 there will be "drive through" communion for those not attending in-person in parking lot.</i>	<i>Every Monday</i> <i>Women's Bible Study</i> <i>12:30 PM @ church</i>		<i>Every Wednesday</i> <i>Women's Bible Study</i> <i>7:00 PM Ginger Wainwright's</i>	1	2	3
4 <i>World Communion Sunday</i>	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 <i>HCW Thankoffering Service</i>	12 <i>Columbus Day</i>	13	14	15 <i>Session Meeting 6:30 PM</i>	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

## October Birthdays

- 1 Lenora Melega
- 3 Kelly Cartwright
- 4 Dustin Teegarden
- 8 Mary Bayard
- 10 Troy Moskal
- 17 Jill Lanxner
- 23 Lynn Cunningham
- 23 Dean Cochran
- 23 Drew Cartwright
- 29 George Phillips
- 30 Kim Cottle



## October Wedding Anniversaries

- 18 Mr. and Mrs. Roger Myers (Laci)
- 31 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelly (Karen)



**HCW RECIPE OF THE MONTH**  
**Submitted by Amy Weinschenker, Secretary**

**Chicken & Broccoli Stromboli**

**Ingredients**

- 1 Can Refrigerated Pizza Crust, Ready To Bake**
- ½ cup Shredded Mozzarella Cheese**
- 1-½ cup Chopped Broccoli Florets, Roasted Or Cooked Until Slightly Crunchy**
- 1 cup Shredded Rotisserie Chicken**
- 1 cup Shredded Sharp Cheddar Cheese**

**Preparation**

**Preheat oven to 425 F.**

**On a pizza stone or parchment paper-lined baking sheet, press dough into a 14-by-10-inch rectangle. Sprinkle 1/2 cup mozzarella cheese down the middle running the entire length of dough (leave about 1 inch at each end empty). Top evenly with broccoli, then chicken. Top with cheddar cheese.**

**Fold in the short sides of the dough, folding them in about 1 inch.**

**Then fold the long sides over each other, overlapping them in the center. Pinch to seal. Carefully flip dough over so the seam is on the bottom. The stromboli looks prettier with the seal on the bottom, but it's not necessary.**

**Bake stromboli in the preheated oven for about 20 minutes, or until crust is a deep golden brown. Let cool 10 minutes before slicing or serving.**

## **SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS FALL AT CORNERSTONE**

### **Family Day**

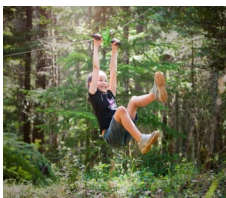
**October 24  
(Oct. 31 rain date)  
10 AM to 4 PM**

**Bring the family to  
experience Camp  
Cornerstone and enjoy a  
Spaghetti Lunch on us!**



**Ride the zipline  
Complete the challenge  
course  
Try our human foosball  
court  
Learn to play carpetball  
Relax with some crafts  
Visit the camp store and  
much MORE!!**

**Cost: Free**



### **Weekend Camp**

**Nov. 13-15**

**Open to children in 3rd-  
6th grade. Perfect for  
those wanting to get a  
taste of what camp is like  
here at  
Camp Cornerstone.  
Join us for a 2-night stay  
and enjoy all that we  
have to offer.**

**Price includes all meals  
and activities. If you  
would rather not stay  
overnight or have  
scheduling conflicts, try  
our Saturday-only option  
(10 AM to 4 PM).**

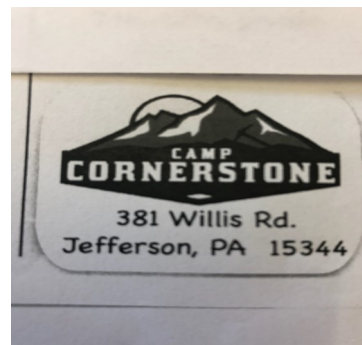
**Check out our Website  
for more details!**

**Cost: \$25 or  
\$10 Saturday only**

### **Mark your calendars**

**Saturday Happening  
2nd-6th grade  
Jan. 16 10 AM—4 PM**

**Teen Weekend  
Winter Camp  
7th-12th grade  
Feb 19-21**



**Register for either of these events at [cbmswpa.org](http://cbmswpa.org)  
or call us at 724-966-9157**

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**Join us Sunday Mornings-  
WORSHIP @ 11 AM  
IN SANCTUARY**