

HEWITT HAPPENINGS APRIL 2021



**“When I came to you,
brothers and sisters, I
did not come
proclaiming the mystery
of God to you in lofty
words or wisdom. For I
decided to know nothing
among you except Jesus
Christ, and him
crucified.”**

Corinthians 2:1

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Pastor's Message

Greetings,

April means Spring has sprung! Rain, mowing, planting, planning for summer vacations and much more. This year we are all hoping we can be out doing all the things we could not do last year. But we cannot forget the most important part of this April.

Resurrection Day! Easter! The time we spend remembering and celebrating the wonderful gift of eternal life is the most important part of every spring. It gives us hope for all of the days that are yet to come. It gives us assurance that we will one day be reunited with our friends and family who have gone before us. It gives us comfort that our loving Lord has prepared a place for all who love Him. This spring, let's celebrate the one who gives us life itself.

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) 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 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	John Green	Joann Morrow
Mary Bayard	Glenn Hall	Carly Orris
Peggy Behm	Hayden Jack	John Ozohonish
Glen Bistlina	Bob Kelly	Lucianna Rach
Kenneth Breakiron	Allison Kiger	Marhea Ruzanic
Marge Breakiron	Keith Krause	Addy Shaffer
Dorothy Burwell	Marilee Lanxner	Patty Simkovic
Travis Burwell	John Laskosky	Pat Snyder
Carol Christen	Jackie Lindeman	Tom Spishock
Shelby Clark	Marlene Link	Gary Stevenson
Kim Cottle	Mary Ann Mauck	Doug Suhoski
Loretta DiBiase	Shawn Mayle Family	Patty Vincent
Betty Dick	Ruth McCollum	Patricia Yeager
Rosemary Dittman	Marjorie McKnight	Heather Zuccoolotto
Linda Enstrom Fetig	Maggie Miller	*Bebeka Church*
Gene Franks	Jim Minor	

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS—Continued

GET YOUR TICKETS!!!

The Drowsy Chaperone

Staring: **Abby Ankrom**

Directed by: **Christian Wilson**

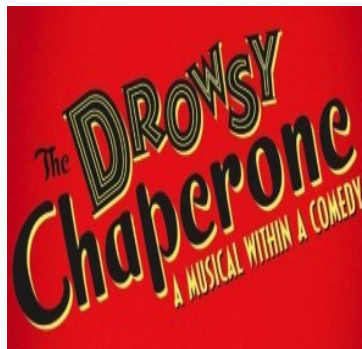
April 7-10 @ 7 p.m.

Jefferson-Morgan High School

Adults \$10; students \$5

Get tickets at:

www.showtix4u.com/event-details/47322



JOIN US FOR A TRIP TO PENNSYLVANIA AMISH LANDS!

QUEEN ESTHER AT SIGHT AND SOUND
MENNONITE INFORMATION CENTER AND
BIBLICAL TABERNACLE REPRODUCTION
KREIDER FARMS DAIRY TOUR

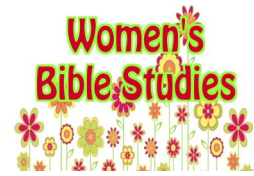
Includes:

Lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord
Family style dinner at Hershey Farm Restaurant
1 night lodging; breakfast

OCTOBER 6-7, 2021 2 days, 1 night

For additional information and to make reservations
contact Rev. Don and Debbie Wilson @ 724-852-6417

Note: This is the trip that was originally scheduled for April, 2020.
If you previously made reservations and paid for your trip, your reservation is secure.

HEWITT CHURCH WOMEN**Women's Bible Study Meeting**

A Women's Bible Study called "Life Lessons from 1 Corinthians" by Max Lucado is currently being held on Mondays at 12:30 PM at the church. The Group began their studies on Monday, March 15. If you would still be interested in joining the group at this point please contact Mona English at 724-592-6929 or Ellen Pahanish at 724-377-2012.

HEWITT CHURCH WOMEN

The Hewitt "Knit Whits" delivered 26 knitted baby hats to Washington Hospital recently. The hospital was very appreciative of the donation. Thanks to all the "Knit Whits" who helped with this project! The plan is to deliver more hats to the hospital in mid-July.



SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**DONALD P. WILSON SCHOLARSHIP**
NOW AVAILABLE

The Scholarship Committee would like to announce that applications for the Donald P. Wilson Scholarship are now available for 2021. This Scholarship is awarded directly to the student and is open to those enrolled in a college or technical school. For more information, including criteria and application, please contact Amy Weinschenker at the church office at 724-592-6111 or contact Cassie Teegarden @ cassiebryan03@gmail.com.

DEADLINE TO APPLY IS RAPIDLY APPROACHING!!!
APRIL 11, 2021



SESSION, MISSION AND EVANGELISM

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

Providing relief from natural disaster,
food for the hungry, and support for
the poor and oppressed.

OGHS provides us a way to share God's love
with our neighbors in need. In fact, OGHS is
the single, largest way that Presbyterians
come together every year to work for a better
world.

FEED YOUR FISH AND RETURN YOUR
OFFERING ON **SUNDAY, APRIL 11.**

If we all do a little, it adds up to a lot!

Our offering last year was \$531—can we do better this year?

SESSION, MISSION AND EVANGELISM—CONTINUED**Message of Hope****Mike and Sheri Johngrass, Scotland**

“Dear Friends:

We pray that you are well!!! 2021 has looked a lot like 2020 so far for us in Scotland. But we are trusting God to bring great things from this time in lockdown. Pray that He will continue to open doors like He has with the opportunity to share the Gospel with the entire prison.

Last week we were grateful for the opportunity to minister in-person at Teen Challenge Scotland. Mike preached and we recorded a few testimonies for the prison service. It was a great time of ministry.

We would like to thank you for your prayers and support. Also we would like to wish you and your families a blessed Resurrection Sunday.

Yours in Christ,

Mike and Sheri”

PRAY FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

For 60 years, Open Doors has worked in the world’s most oppressive countries, empowering Christians who are persecuted for their beliefs. “At Open Doors, we’re committed to those who suffer for following Jesus, and we believe the persecuted Church is part of the DNA of every Christian... We want believers to know they’re not alone – that the worldwide Church stands with them.”

For more information on Open Doors go to: OpenDoorsUSA.org/WWL



J-M Food Pantry News

March distribution was held at the Jefferson Fire Hall once again but, the good news is that we plan to return to the Jefferson Baptist Church in April. Most of our senior helpers will have been fully vaccinated by then and will feel comfortable returning to a more normal distribution. Hopefully, all will go as planned.

Donations really exceeded expectations this past month. The baskets at Hewitt were overflowing – it was such a beautiful sight. There was so much that we will mention just some of the foods that were donated and taken to the Food Pantry cupboard. There were several jars of peanut butter, jelly and a honey spread. There were many cans of soup, vegetables, fruits, Spaghetios, and pasta sauce. In addition, in the bags were boxes of cereal, hot chocolate, macaroni and cheese, pasta, and packets of mixes for sides. This is only some of what was donated – Hewitt's generosity was overwhelming and so very much appreciated. We can't thank everyone enough for your support. Thank you, thank you, thank you!

We hope to be able to tell you next month that the distribution was more normal than it has been in a long time. We also challenge you to extend your generosity into the next month and continue to donate from your heart. May God bless all of you during this holy season of sacrifice and Easter joy.



APRIL 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<u>Every Sunday</u> 11:00 Am Worship				1 <u>Maundy</u> <u>Thursday</u> <u>Service 7 PM</u>	2 <u>Good Friday</u> <u>Service</u> 7 PM	3
4 <u>Easter Sunday</u> 11:00 AM Worship	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Session Meeting 6:30 PM	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

April Birthdays

- 1 Mary Rohanna
- 3 Randy Teegarden
- 4 Karen Kelly
- 5 Savanah Clark
- 12 Kolson Myers
- 19 Patti Dickens
- 21 Kipton Myers



April Wedding Anniversaries

- 11 Mr. and Mrs. George (Jan) Phillips



HCW RECIPE OF THE MONTH

Butter Pecan Poke Cake

Cake:

- 1 box Butter Pecan Cake Mix
- 1 tub (16 oz) coconut Pecan Frosting
- 4 eggs
- 3/4 Vegetable Oil
- 1 cup water
- 1/2 cup chopped pecans



Sauce:

- 4 TBSP unsalted butter
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 1/4 chopped pecans

Submitted by:
Charlotte Makel

“This is my most recent recipe from my daughter-in-law, Olivia. She’s a great cook and this is to die for.” Mmmmm

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

In a large bowl mix cake mix,, frosting, eggs, oil and water. Mix well and add chopped pecans. Pour batter in greased 9 x 11 baking pan. Bake 35-40 minutes. Cake should be firm with no jiggle and edges slightly drawn in from pan. Set cake aside to cool slightly while sauce is prepared.

In medium saucepan, melt 4 TBSP butter before adding condensed milk. Stir well. Let simmer on medium heat until consistent and heated. Add pecans and mix well.

Quickly poke holes in cake and pour sauce slowly over the cake covering top. Allow to cool before cutting.

Refrigerate cake but bring to room temperature before serving or heat slightly in microwave oven. ENJOY!!!!

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Join us Sunday Mornings-
WORSHIP @ 11 AM
IN SANCTUARY