



## *THE ST. LUKE LETTER*

*June 2026*

Dear Siblings in Christ,

Summer has a way of inviting us outdoors. The warmth of the sun, the beauty of creation, the sound of laughter shared over a meal — these moments remind us that God often meets us in simple and sacred ways.

On Sunday, June 28th, we will gather for our Outdoor Worship and Church Picnic, and this year we are doing so with intention. This is not only an event for our congregation; it is an opportunity to extend hospitality, build relationships, and welcome others into fellowship and community.

Throughout the Gospels, Jesus gathered people around tables, in open fields, along shorelines, and under the sky. Meals became moments of grace. Ordinary gatherings became holy encounters. In many ways, our picnic and worship service continue that tradition. There is something powerful about worshipping surrounded by God's creation and sharing food and conversation with one another.

So this month, I encourage you to think prayerfully about who you might invite. A neighbor. A coworker. A friend. Someone who may not feel comfortable walking into a church building but might gladly come to a picnic in the park. Someone longing for connection, encouragement, or simply a place to belong.

Your invitation matters more than you may realize. Many people are waiting for someone to simply say, "Come and join us."

As a congregation, we are called not only to gather together, but to open our circle wider. The Outdoor Worship and Picnic is a wonderful chance to do exactly that — to share joy, kindness, conversation, and the good news of God's love in a welcoming and relaxed setting.

We hope you will join us on June 28th, bring a friend, and help us make room at the table for others. For additional information, please see the announcement and be sure to sign up so we make sure we prepare appropriately.

Yours In Christ,  
Pr. Becky Horn

**A Note from Pr. Becky:** Are you or a loved one desiring a visit from the pastor? Do you have questions on faith, your spiritual life, or wish for a time of prayer? Please contact Pastor Becky if you would like her to call or visit you at home, in the hospital, or another location. (office: 814-364-9154, cell: 215-208-5535, email: [stluke364pastorbecky@gmail.com](mailto:stluke364pastorbecky@gmail.com) )



**YOU TUBE LIVE LINK - Sunday Morning Worship via YouTube Live** – the 10:30 worship service is available via YouTube Live Stream. Please use the link below from your favorite web browser. The service is also recorded if you are away and would like to watch at a later time.

(either click on the link below, or copy and paste into the search bar)

[https://www.youtube.com/@StLukeLutheran\\_CentreHall/live](https://www.youtube.com/@StLukeLutheran_CentreHall/live)

**Land Acknowledgment** – St. Luke is located on the original and ancestral homelands of the Conestoga-Susquehannock people, where we gather. We also acknowledge the Seneca, Cayuga, and Lenne Lenape, as well as all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to care for this place, this land, and call it their home. Find out more about the Conestoga-Susquehannock at

<http://www.conestogasusquehannocktribe.com/>

**Synod Assembly June 20<sup>th</sup> at the Blair County Convention Center 8:30 am – 4:30 pm. All are welcome and invited to join the Synod in worship, beginning at 9:00am.**

**Shared Ministry Conversation** – Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from 6:30 – 8:30 pm. This is a follow-up conversation for congregations that indicated a interest in collaborative ministry with other Nittany Conference Churches. If you are interested in attending, please let Pr. Becky know and she will get you additional information when it becomes available.

**Get Connected with Allegheny Synod** - Sign up for the new monthly Allegheny Synod Connections, an e-newsletter designed to keep you connected with what's happening around our synod and in the ELCA. But we need your help! Do you have some information you'd like us to share about an event that's coming up? Has your congregation reached out to help your neighbors? We'd love to hear and share your news. Please reach out to us at [alleghenysynodcommunications@gmail.com](mailto:alleghenysynodcommunications@gmail.com) - we can't wait to hear from you! To sign up, send an email to [office@alleghenysynod.com](mailto:office@alleghenysynod.com) or follow this link to enter your email address: <https://www.alleghenysynod.org/blog>.

**Allegheny Synod Life Together Survey** - The Office of the Bishop wants to hear from you. What are you passionate about? Are there ways your gifts and talents could support ministry in the Allegheny Synod? Please take the time to scan the QR code below and fill out the online survey for Life Together in the Allegheny Synod. If you prefer paper, there are copies of the survey available in the entries. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Pr. Becky, or the Assistant to the Bishop for Life Together, Pr. Traci Marriott, whose information is on the survey. Thank you for taking the time to share your gifts and talents with the people of God.





Join us for a short service of Word and Prayer on Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am as we pray for all on our prayer list and others whom we know. Let Pastor Becky know if you have any questions or know of a prayer concern (private or public). Please note that we will take a break for the months of July and August and resume gathering on September 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Our next book is *The Silver Ladies of Penny Lane* by Dee MacDonald. Book group is meeting on June 10<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm at Seven Mountains Winery. Join us for discussion, conversation, and fellowship!



St. Luke's Annual Outdoor Worship Service and Church Picnic will be coming up on **Sunday, June 28th**. Please take a moment to read Pastor Becky's June newsletter article and extend an invitation to a neighbor, coworker or friend who may be waiting for an invitation to "come and join us." The Worship service and picnic will be held at the large pavilion at the Centre Hall Lion's Club Park at 153 E. Church Street. **Worship will begin at 10:30am**, with the picnic immediately following. Sandwich trays, chips and drinks will be provided. If you would like to bring a potluck side or dessert, they would be welcome, but please do not feel that it is necessary in order to attend. We always have plenty of food! Please sign up in the narthex by Sunday, June 21st if you plan to attend, just so that we have a general idea of how many sandwiches to order. Plenty of picnic tables are available for seating or you may bring a lawn chair if you wish. Hope to see you all there!

# BELOVED COMMUNITY DAY CAMP

**Who:** Kids who completed Kindergarten-5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
**Register by July 10<sup>th</sup>**  
**Cost:** Deposit of \$10/ind or \$20/family

**Fun & Creative  
Outdoor Activities**

**August 3rd - 7th**  
**8:30 am - 4:00 pm**

**At the Centre Hall  
Lions Club Park**  
 153 E Church Street  
 Centre Hall

Program provided by  
 Susquehanna Conference & Retreat Ministry,  
 Wesley Forest Camp

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 GRACE UMC, ST. LUKE LUTHERAN, TRINITY UCC

For more information, go to: <https://gracecentrehall.org/beloved-community-camp>

## Community Events



Breathing in Christ with Marsha Roscoe at St. Mark Lutheran Church, Saturday, **May 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am** (850 Snyderstown Rd, Howard)

The Celestial Sounds choir (formed from members of the Lenten Ecumenical Choir) and Centre Bassoon Consort will give a collaborative free concert called “Heavenly Sounds and Earthly Tunes: Songs of Church, Theatre, and Country.” The program will take place at the Huntingdon County Arts Center (313 12th St. in downtown Huntingdon) as part of their 2026 Celebration of the Arts day on **Saturday, June 13 from 2:30-4:30pm**

On **June 13<sup>th</sup>**, Trinity Lutheran Church of State College will be celebrating their 60th Anniversary with a picnic from 12-2pm and Evening Worship from 5-6pm with Bishop Kevin Shock presiding. Then on Sunday, **June 14<sup>th</sup>**, there will be additional worship services, a coffee hour, and a retirement party for Pastor Ron Miller. If you would like additional information about events and times, please see the Celebration Flier that is posted on the narthex bulletin board.

**Iron Man Race**—On **Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup>**, the annual Iron Man Bike Race will be traveling through Centre Hall from approximately 8:30am—1pm, with road restrictions beginning around 7:30am and ending around 1pm. St. Luke will still be holding worship services at 8:00am and 10:30am. The Southbound lane of N. Pennsylvania Ave and all of West Church Street will be blocked off for the bike route of the Iron Man Race. We are still able to access the parking lot via the Northbound lane of PA Ave. Those using the parking lot can carefully cross over the southbound lane for entry and exit. There will be a volunteer 'flagger' to assist in the crossing. There will be no street parking in front of St. Luke on this date.

**Organ Recital** by Dr. Michael Burkhardt, *With People of All Times and All Places* at Grace Lutheran Church, 205 S. Garner St., State College, on **Sunday June 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm**.

**Free Benefit Concert – Ciao, Italia: Songs for the Journey** – a celebration of sacred music presented by the Lenten Ecumenical Choir on **Saturday, June 27 at 4:00 pm** at Grace Lutheran Church, 205 S. Garner St., State College. Donations of shelf-stable food and cash to benefit the Community Food Pantry at Grace.

**Allegheny Synod Night at the Curve – August 16<sup>th</sup>** – save the date for now, additional information to follow.

**Book Study Gathering in Nittany Conference** - Pastor Laurretta Dietrich, of the Spring Mills Lutheran Parish, is looking for persons in the Nittany Conference who are interested in reading AND DISCUSSING the book *The Gift of Small: Embracing Your Church's Vocation* by Allen T. Stanton. You may order the book online or contact Pastor Laurretta at (pastordietrich@hotmail.com or 814-422-8259 to order you a copy and pay her (\$21.00) when it comes in; she will collect a list of names of those who order a book. Once all those who are interested have the book, they will set up times to meet and discuss the book, via ZOOM and/or in person (desirable), perhaps even with a meal, together! Please use the contact information above to let her know your name, contact information, and in which congregation you are a member.

**If you have any community events that you would like to share in the weekly bulletins or newsletter, please call or email Patty in the Church Office at 814-364-9154 or StLuke364@gmail.com and we will include them in announcements as we are able.**



**FOOD PANTRY:** The Centre Hall/Penns Valley Food Pantry is located in the lower level of Grace United Methodist Church. The monthly distribution day is the Third Tuesday of each month from 1:30-3pm except for August when it is held the second Tuesday. In case of an emergency, a coordinator can always be contacted for a food distribution. The next monthly food distribution will be held on **Tuesday, June 16, 2026**, at Grace United Methodist Church, Centre Hall. Volunteers are needed to pack and distribute boxes from **8:00am-4:00 pm**.

Now that the Food Pantry is serving all of Penns Valley, the monthly need more than doubled. We are now serving over 110 families so any help you could provide would be greatly appreciated. The most needed items typically remain shelf stable items like canned goods, cereals, pastas, etc.; however, there is an emphasis item each month that is listed below. If you would like to make a donation, please place non-perishable items in the designated Food Pantry Box located in the narthex at St. Luke Lutheran Church on or before **Sunday, June 14, 2026**. You may also make a monetary donation by specifying a designated amount on your offering envelope, by making a check payable to St. Luke with "Food Pantry" in the memo line and placing it in the offering plate, or by placing a cash donation in an envelope in the offering plate that is specially marked for Food Pantry.

**NEW LIST - Suggested Monthly Donation List for the Food Pantry:**

January – Tissues

February -Toilet Paper

March – Toothpaste & Individual Toothbrushes

April – Household Cleaners

May - Kitchen Garbage Bags

**June - Paper Towels**

July – Liquid Hand Soap

August – Laundry Detergent

September - Shampoo

October - Toilet Paper

November - Sandwich Bags

December - Dish Detergent

We are Blessed by our volunteers who order and shop for food, unload delivery trucks, sort donated food, pack orders, register clients and deliver to a few clients who have no transportation. If you would like to volunteer in any way or if you would like more information about the Food Pantry, you can contact Anne Gaddis at 814-404-4693, [annegad58@gmail.com](mailto:annegad58@gmail.com) or Page Gaddis at 814-571-8110, [paggad@protonmail.com](mailto:paggad@protonmail.com). You may also speak to Gary Zellers who is the St. Luke Food Pantry representative in 2026. Thank you so much for any assistance you can give to this important outreach in our community.






- June 6 J.D. and Holli Kubalak  
Scott and Barb McAllister
- 8 Jack and Shirley Sharer
- 10 Bob and Inez Luse  
Forrest and Nichole Rishel
- 11 Pastor Russ and Dotti Sauerwein
- 12 Dustin and Ashley Boob
- 14 Daniel and Bobbi McAllister  
Andrew and Donelle Foor
- 23 Larry and Deb Frazier
- 24 Kenneth and Alice Cromwell
- 27 Dennis and Susan Royer



- June 1 William Wolfe
- 2 Shari Welch
- 3 Gary Zellers, Sr.
- 4 Faith Wolfe
- 5 Linda Murphy
- 6 Rose Dillon  
Karla Korman
- 7 Ronald K. Homan
- 9 Carol Sampsell
- 10 Tom Sharer
- 11 Michele Shawver
- 15 Ronald C. Homan
- 17 Valerie Kubalak  
Doug Roth  
Linda Whitman
- 18 Judy Bair
- 21 Donelle Foor  
Madison Bair

### June Birthdays Continued...

- 22 Kim Theodorous  
Breanna Praskovich
- 23 Glenn Roth  
Neal Thompson
- 24 Krista Wolfe  
Ethan Long  
Robert Smeltzer  
Vicki Crater
- 25 Jill Decker
- 26 Judy Homan  
Pat McClenahan  
Donald Shawver
- 27 Rachel Gavlock
- 28 Louisa Wagner
- 29 Shawn Lehman



**Birth  
Announcements**

Congratulations to Chris and Carla Cipro on the birth of their daughter, Victoria Vitalia Cipro on May 12, 2026. She joins big sister, Harper, and big brother, Aurelio.

To the Members & Staff of St. Luke's Lutheran Church,

Thank you so much for your continuing and generous support of the Centre Hall/Penns Valley Food Pantry! Your gift of \$575.00 helps us continue to supply a variety of fresh, frozen and shelf stable food to our neighbors in need each month.

We also appreciate your volunteer support on distribution day!

It is such a joy to see our community in action.

With gratitude,  
Beth Powell, Secretary

## PRAYER CONCERNS

*Pray for the recovery and the Lord's healing and peace on our brothers and sisters.*

Jeff Reeder...multiple myeloma/stemcell treatment

Dale Moore...brain tumor

Joel Meyers...infection

Family and Friends of Lee Wingard

Lois Albright...heart issues

Faye Breon...health concerns

Josh Johnson...cancer

Melinda Farhenbach...cancer

Gay Homan...recov. from fall

Louise Miller...health concerns

Jane Kurzinger...recov. from stroke

Ellie Marooney...cancer

Cathy Brunner...health concerns

Lynn Carr...double knee replacement

Family and Friends of Paul Hatton

Family and Friends of John Kubalak

Carolyn Bohn...hip replacement

Michael Richard...recov kidney surgery

Mackenzie McCafferty...recov broken femur

Tshana Myers...health concerns

Tara Homan...health concerns

Heather Korman...health concerns

Cindy Foust...cancer

Ron Holsopple...health concerns

Greg Garner...health concerns

### **Ongoing Prayer Concerns:**

Greg Bohn...kidney issues

Jim & Tanya Evans...health concerns

Jean Bender...myelodysplastic syndrome

Karen Willar...cancer

Paul & Sandy Larson...health concern

Nancy Boyle...respiratory issues

Bob & Betty Ishler...health concerns

Mike Moyer...health concerns

Lisa Moir...cancer

Joan Glaser...health concerns

Barbara & Ernie Kirsch...health concerns

Freda Schluter...health concerns

Pr. Russ Sauerwein...health concerns

Ellen Coffman...cancer

Melody Green...health concerns

Sarah G...health concerns during pregnancy

Dave Ferree...health concerns

Paulette Smigo...life concerns

Don Rudy...health concerns

Silas Green...multiple health issues

Dotti Sauerwein...healing and strength

Sabrina Wert...remission and healing

Gary Homan...Parkinson's

Paul "Fox" Dietrich...health concerns

Sherri Taylor...cancer

Bev Haines...health concerns

Nancy Wintersteen...health concerns

Marilyn Wendt...dementia

Jordan Holsopple...health concerns

Sam Rudy...recov. kidney transplant

Kyle Lehman...Army National Guard Boot Camp

Pat Brett...CML

### **Please pray for the Health of our Homebound:**

Fred Lohr Jr. (244 S. Pennsylvania Ave., Centre Hall, PA 16828...814-364-9368)

Barbara Mark (Wynwood House, 122 Wynwood Dr, Centre Hall, PA 16828)

Gladys Sampsel (c/o Randy & Julia Long, 165 Reeder Rd, Spring Mills, PA 16875)

Bob Smeltzer (Wynwood House, 122 Wynwood Dr, Centre Hall, PA 16828)

**\*If You Would Like to Add, Update or Remove a Prayer Concern: Please notify the Church Office by calling 814-364-9154 or emailing [StLuke364@gmail.com](mailto:StLuke364@gmail.com).**

**-Updated 5/28/26**

**THANKS BE TO GOD FOR OUR  
WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS**

**June 7, 2026 –2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Altar Care: **Open**  
Altar Flowers: Barb and Scott McAllister  
Communion Bread: Shari Welch  
Counters: Carol Sharpe and Barb McAllister  
Greeter (8am): Linda Decker Reitz  
Greeter (10:30am): Nancy Shunk  
Lay Reader (8am): Rick Homan  
Lay Reader (10:30am): Susan Stover  
Bell Ringer (10:30am): Walt Schluter  
Offering Usher (10:30am): **Open**  
Worship Assistant (10:30am): Carol Sharpe  
Lawn Mowing 6/7/26—6/13/26: Tonia Bower

**June 14, 2026 –3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Altar Care: **Open**  
Altar Flowers: Jack Sharer  
Communion Bread: **Open**  
Counters: Ken Cromwell and Deb Frazier  
Greeter (8am): Gary Zellers  
Greeter (10:30am): Patty Lehman  
Lay Reader (8am): Kathy Long  
Lay Reader (10:30am): Barb McAllister  
Bell Ringer (10:30am): Jerry Homan  
Offering Usher (10:30am): Larry Frazier  
Worship Assistant (10:30am): Shawn Lehman  
Lawn Mowing 6/14/26—6/20/26: **Open**

**June 21, 2026 –4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Altar Care: **Open**  
Altar Flowers: **Open**  
Communion Bread: **Open**  
Counters: Sue Royer and Carol Sharpe  
Greeter (8am): Connie Zellers  
Greeter (10:30am): Nancy Shunk  
Lay Reader (8am): Kelly Moran  
Lay Reader (10:30am): Carol Sharpe  
Bell Ringer (10:30am): Larry Frazier  
Offering Usher (10:30am): Walt Schluter  
Worship Assistant (10:30am): Susan Stover  
Lawn Mowing 6/21/26—6/27/26: **Open**

**June 28, 2026 –5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost –  
Outdoor Worship & Picnic @ Lions Club**

Altar Care: Barb McAllister  
Communion Bread: Wafers  
Counters: Ellen Hug and Deb Frazier  
Offering Usher: Shawn Lehman  
Communion Assistant: Scott McAllister  
Lawn Mowing 6/28/26—7/4/26: **Open**

**July 5, 2026 –6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Altar Care: **Open**  
Altar Flowers: **Open**  
Communion Bread: **Open**  
Counters: Evelyn Reeder and Barb McAllister  
Greeter (8am): Linda Decker-Reitz  
Greeter (10:30am): Patty Lehman  
Lay Reader (8am): Rick Homan  
Lay Reader (10:30am): Alice Cromwell  
Bell Ringer (10:30am): Scott McAllister  
Offering Usher (10:30am): Larry Frazier  
Worship Assistant (10:30am): Shawn Lehman  
Lawn Mowing 7/5/26—7/11/26: **Open**

**July 12, 2026 –7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Altar Care: **Open**  
Altar Flowers: **Open**  
Communion Bread: **Open**  
Counters: Ken Cromwell and Lois Albright  
Greeter (8am): Gary Zellers  
Greeter (10:30am): Jerry Homan  
Lay Reader (8am): Linda Decker-Reitz  
Lay Reader (10:30am): Scott McAllister  
Bell Ringer (10:30am): Walt Schluter  
Offering Usher (10:30am): Ken Cromwell  
Worship Assistant (10:30am): Carol Sharpe  
Lawn Mowing 7/12/26—7/18/26: **Open**



The regular meetings are held 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at 7:00 pm. The next meeting is **June 8th**, a Zoom link is available if needed. Council Executive Committee communicates by the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month regarding agenda items and information as needed. Please contact the Council Executive Committee if you have questions, Scott McAllister (President), Rick Homan (Vice President), Carol Sharpe (Secretary), Jack Sharer (Treasurer) and Pr. Becky Horn.

**Elected Council Members & Officers for 2026:** Scott McAllister, President (27), Rick Homan, Vice-President (27), Carol Sharpe, Secretary (26), Jack Sharer, Treasurer, Alice Cromwell (26), Evelyn Reeder (26), Susan Stover (26), Jerry Homan (27), Gary Zellers (27), Lois Albright (28), Todd Fetterolf (28), Dawn Holsopple (28), and Marty Hug (28). **\*The numbers in parenthesis indicates the year their term is complete.**

**St. Luke Cemetery Association Representatives**—Michele Brown, Brian Long and Walt Schluter

**Centre Hall Council of Churches** – The next meeting is scheduled for **June 3rd** at 11:15 am at St. Luke Lutheran Church.



**Looking ahead...**Please note that if you have news or articles for the **July 2026** issue of the St. Luke Newsletter, please submit them to the church office **by Wednesday, June 24, 2026.**



**Pastor's Office Hours** – Pastor Becky is normally in the church office on **Tuesday and Wednesday mornings from 9-11am**, but these hours may vary as needed. If you need to reach Pr. Becky outside of the office, please feel free to call or text her at 215-208-5535 and please leave your name and a message. She will return your call or text as soon as possible. You may also email her at [StLuke364PastorBecky@gmail.com](mailto:StLuke364PastorBecky@gmail.com).

**Secretary Office Hours** - The Church Secretary's office hours are normally **Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10am to Noon**, but these hours may vary as needed. If you need to reach Patty outside of the office, please feel free to call or text her at 814-933-6296 and please leave your name and a message. She will return your call or text as soon as possible. All emails for the secretary should continue to be sent to [StLuke364@gmail.com](mailto:StLuke364@gmail.com). **Patty will be out of the office on Tuesday, June 23, 2026.**

**St. Luke Contact Numbers:**

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Council President, Scott McAllister	814-364-1285 (h); 814-280-7891(c) or email <a href="mailto:horsedr72@verizon.net">horsedr72@verizon.net</a>
Treasurer, Jack Sharer	814-364-1658 of email: <a href="mailto:StLuke16828TreasurerJack@gmail.com">StLuke16828TreasurerJack@gmail.com</a>
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# Puzzle!

## A Father's Love

Directions: Match the biblical children to their father, using the clues by the father's name. Then write the corresponding letter on the lines to complete the Bible verse below.

Shem, Ham & Japheth = <b>M</b>	John the Baptist = <b>N</b>	
Solomon = <b>O</b>	Jacob & Esau = <b>A</b>	
Jonathan = <b>I</b>	Cain, Abel & Seth = <b>O</b>	
Jesus = <b>C</b>	Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar, Zebulun, Joseph, Benjamin, Dan, Gad, Isaac & Ishmael = <b>P</b>	Naphtali, Asher & Dinah = <b>S</b>

God:	"This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased."	_____
Adam:	God gave him another son because the older killed the younger.	_____
Noah:	His sons were blessed and told to multiply and replenish the earth.	_____
Abraham:	God promised he would be a father of many nations. The Jews and Arabs descend from these two sons.	_____
Isaac:	His older son sold his birthright, and his younger son tricked Isaac and received the blessings for the firstborn.	_____
Laban:	He had two daughters; the older was tender-eyed and the younger was very beautiful. Both married Jacob.	_____
Jacob:	Two wives and two handmaids gave him 12 sons and a daughter.	_____
Saul:	His son was David's best friend.	_____
David:	He had many children, but one was known for his wisdom, for having many wives and for building God's temple.	_____
Zechariah:	His son, a cousin of Jesus, was born to be a messenger of repentance.	_____

As a father has \_\_\_\_\_  
on his children, so the LORD has  
\_\_\_\_\_ on those who  
fear him. *Psalm 103:13, NIV*



Answer: compassion

## IN MY FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Make this keepsake to express love for your dad or another special man this Father's Day.







- What you need:**
- White construction paper (11" x 13" sheet)
  - Pencil
  - Black permanent marker
  - Crayons or paint

### What you do:

1. In the center of the paper, trace your foot in pencil. Darken the outline with marker.
2. Color or paint the footprint. Let it dry.
3. Trace your father's foot (same side) on top of your footprint (with yours in the middle of his).
4. Color or paint his footprint. Let it dry.
5. Sign your names and the date at the bottom.



## June 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> 	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Prayer Service 10:30-11am in Sanctuary  Centre Hall Council of Churches Meeting 11:15am-Noon at St. Luke	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>          AA Meeting 7pm
<b>7</b> Worship 8am & 10:30am      Boy Scout Troop Meeting 4:30-6p	<b>8</b>      Council Meeting 7pm	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Prayer Service 10:30-11am in Sanctuary  Book Group at Seven Mountains Winery at Noon	<b>11</b>      	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>          AA Meeting 7pm
<b>14 Flag Day</b> Worship 8am & 10:30am  IRON MAN BIKE RACE    Boy Scout Troop Meeting 4:30-6p	<b>15</b>      	<b>16</b>     Food Pantry Distribution 1:30-3pm at Grace UMC	<b>17</b> Prayer Service 10:30-11am in Sanctuary	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> <b>Allegheny                      Synod Assembly                      Meeting</b> <b>8:30am-4:30pm</b> <b>Blair County                      Convention                      Center</b> <b>Worship is at                      9:00am</b>   AA Meeting 7pm
<b>21 Father's Day</b> Worship 8am & 10:30am    Boy Scout Troop Meeting 4:30-6p Cub Scout Committee Meeting 6:30-8pm	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> No Office Hours	<b>24</b> Prayer Service 10:30-11am in Sanctuary  <b>*June                      Newsletter                      Deadline</b>	<b>25</b>      	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>          AA Meeting 7pm
<b>28</b> <b>Outdoor                      Worship Service                      and Picnic at the                      Centre Hall                      Lions Club Park                      beginning at                      10:00am</b>   Boy Scout Troop Meeting 4:30-6p	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>      				

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Mission Statement: Inviting all into relationship with Christ, Church and Community

St. Luke Evangelical Lutheran Church

Centre Hall, Pennsylvania