

# MONTHLY MANNA

Drawing on our heritage, centered in Jesus Christ, looking to the future; Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church reaches out with the Gospel to our community and the world.

### October 2019

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#### **SUNDAY AT DMPC**



#### Adult:

9:30am Coffee in White Chapel9:30am Breakfast & Bibles at Henry G's9:45am Dr. Lacy Bible Class in Dunham Room

#### Youth:

9:30am Breakfast & Bibles at Henry G's

Worship Service at 11:00 am and Live broadcast on WDNE, 1240am

# **WELCOME NEW CHURCH MEMBERS!**



Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church accepted new members

during morning worship on Sunday, September 29th.

The new members are:

Alan and Ginny Byer

Joan Armbruster

Rose Nelson

Barbara Tedford

We are very happy to have these new members joining our church family!

# Session Notes from September 9, 2019...

- Capital Gifts Chairperson, Clifford Marstiller, presented the second vote on a \$30,000 transfer of funds from the Angel Fund to the General Fund at the request of Treasurer. The secret ballot vote passed 9 for 0 against. There was a request for up to \$16,400 for concrete replacement on the Sycamore Street side of the church. \$15,000 had been given for the project, so the actual need from Property 1 Fund would be around \$1,400. The vote passed on a voice vote 9 for 0 against.
- Dana Marzolf, chairperson of the worship committee reported that Communion was served September 1, 2019. Lisa Wood will be the guest speaker at the Gift of Women Sunday on October 13<sup>th</sup>. And that there will be a pulpit swap among local Presbyterian Pastors on October 20<sup>th</sup>. Rev. Rich Cardot will be preaching at HTLC and DMPC that day. Peter Vial will be preaching at Mill Creek and Beverly.
- Nate Garver-Daniels, chairperson of Christian Education, reported that Sunday School for you has started up again for the programmatic year. Youth group will begin on 22<sup>nd</sup> of September.
- Kim White, Chairperson of the Fellowship Committee, thanked everyone for the assistance in making our annual picnic such a success in the park on the 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Stewardship Chairperson, Jean Snedegar, reported the committee will be getting together soon to line our the fall stewardship campaign. She reported that the online giving option through the Presbyterian Foundation was up and running. Promotion to the whole congregation will begin soon.
- Mike Bell, Finance Chairperson, presented the financial report. He also recommended that three gold rings appraised at almost \$100 given to the church by Carolyn Respess be sold. The recommendation was approved.
- Monica Varchetto, chairperson of Property, reviewed various projects the committee was following including the replacement of concrete on the sidewalk, doors and security issues, mice infestation at Manse two, maintaining the flat part of the roof over the educational building and a new job description for the Janitor.
- Pastor Peter Vial reminded the Session of his upcoming vacation September 30 through October 12 with David Bower preaching on October 6<sup>th</sup>. He will be taking personal time to travel to the Mayo Clinic to accompany his brother for treatment. And there will be a pulpit swap October 20<sup>th</sup>.
- There will be a called Session Meeting September 29 for the purpose of receiving new members.

# WOMEN'S SUNDAY...

**OCTOBER 13, 2019** 

The Presbyterian Women of DMPC will celebrate Women's Sunday on October 13th. The women will conduct this service with participants from our Church and the College. We welcome Lisa Wood, D&E College First Lady as our speaker this morning. The Presbyterian Women of DMPC are assisting with today's service.

### MITTEN TREE...

The Mitten Tree is in the White Chapel where we will be collecting mittens, gloves, scarves, hats, and socks to distribute to needy children and young adults in the community. We are starting in October so that the children may have them before the weather gets really cold. Monetary contributions are also welcome to help us "fill in" any items that are needed.



Thank you for your continued support of this worthy endeavor.

### ROGER BERTOLINI IS 100 THIS YEAR!...

Friends and relatives from far and near came together to celebrate Roger Bertolini's 100th birthday. Roger's 95 years young brother Leo traveled from Springfield Va. Many stories were shared and remembered.



Former pastor George Ogilvie's daughter Sara presented Roger with a photo of a brick which will make up a wall to honor veterans at the World War II museum in New Orleans.

Sara also gave Roger a picture of the

plaque that will be on display there. Sara works for the Holocaust museum and lives in Alexandria Va.



# LIL' LEROI...

Many thanks to our own Julia Elbon for her gift of Lil' Leroi books to our Children's Library. Julia authored this trilogy of books which entertain and educate children about acceptance and friendship. This is a wonderful series that sparks the imagination and spirit of adventure in children, along with educating them about trains and important life lessons.

These books can be ordered at: www.lilleroi.com www.amazon.com www.mcclainprinting.com



# Rally Day...







Rally Day was kicked off by Susie Heckel sharing her lovely singing voice with us. Our annual picnic was held after the morning service in the Elkins City Park where there was plenty of food for everyone! Thank you to our Fellowship Committee for once again organizing this glorious day.

(At left) Samantha White displays the plaque that Bob McCutcheon brought from our sister church in Kenya.

# Robin and Lulu Receive Award...

A unique team, Robin Mams & Lulu serve the Elkins area in a variety of ways. Robin is a certified therapy dog trainer and Lulu is a therapy canine. Together they provide cheer to the mentally ill, disabled, seniors, Veterans, children and hospice patients. Robin and Lulu visit local organizations at least two times a week. Together they empower and comfort some of the most vulnerable in West Virginia. They received the distinguished Governor's Service Award.



# Presbyterian Women...



Roberta Dye and Juanita Kyle honoring those who have passed

Brenda Hermanson installs the officers for 2019-2020:
Julia Cassells, Treasurer
Holly Reilly, Mission Interpretation and
Liaison for Church Women United
Susan Pell, Secretary
Sue Chenoweth, Historian & Assistant Moderator
Linda Rudy, Moderator

Susan Pell presents pottery gifts to Linda Ruby and Judy Guye

Sue Chenoweth presents Susie Kump her Life Membership Pin







The Presbyterian Women will hold a Joint Circle meeting Thursday, October 10 at 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Members are asked to bring sandwiches or salad to share. Dessert and drinks provided. Dana Marzolf will lead the Bible Study from our new study book, Love Carved in Stone, on Chapter One. All are invited.

### HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH OCTOBER NEWSLETTER...

Due to the recent hurricane disaster, we will be collecting for the ELCA Disaster Relief fund during the months of September and October.

Pastor Vial will be on vacation from September 30 thru October 12.

Bishop Matthew Riegel will be here at Holy Trinity on October 6 to conduct our communion service. We urge all members to attend.

The women of the ELCA Fall Cluster Retreat of the Monongahela Valley-Mountain and Ohio-Kanawha Clusters will be held at the Tygart Lake State Park on October 19 and 20. Sunday worship service will be held at the Covenant in Grafton. If you would like to attend, please see Nancy Schumacher. Reservations need to be in by October 1.

The ladies of Holy Trinity will host the World Community Day service for Church Women United on November 1. Lunch will begin at noon, followed by the program. We will provide the drinks and desserts. Everyone is welcome to attend.

We will prepare and serve the meal for Common Ground Café along with Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church on November 9. If you would like to help, please contact Jane Hazer.

#### ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR WILL BE HELD ON DECEMBER 7 FROM 8:00 UNTIL 2:00.

**HAPPY OCTOBER BIRTHDAY TO:** Oct. 10 Gill Estridge

Oct. 11 Emma Hose Oct. 21 Chip Ramsey

# WORLD COMMUNITY DAY (PREPARATION DATE) FRIDAY, OCT. 11, 2019

Church Women United will meet at the Randolph County Senior Center on 5th Street. You are welcome to join us for lunch at 11:45pm and the meeting will begin at 12:30pm.

### **WORLD COMMUNITY DAY**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2019

Church Women United will hold this meeting at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church at 302 First St. beginning with lunch at 12:00 noon. The program and business meeting will follow.



# **Happy Birthday**

+1 Tracy Fath

4 Jeff Caplinger

4 Brian McDonald

5 Bryan White

6 Gayle Moore

8 Virginia Landrum

8 James Legg

12 Hans Hermanson

13 Kim Anger

17 Anna Simmons

20 Sue Chenoweth

23 Mandi Wilson

25 Kennedy Schooley

27 Phillip Reilly



Oct. 7 Ed & Linda Rudy

Oct.12 Robert & Wilma Miller

Oct. 15 Donnie & Sonja Corbin

Oct. 17 Brian & Mary Ann

McDonald

### **DMPC YOUTH GROUP**

Oct. 06 6:00pm Regular Meeting Oct. 20 6:00pm Regular Meeting

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

Every Monday 6:30m Cub Scouts/Fellowship
Every Tuesday 10:am-2pm Prayer Tuesdays/Sanctuary
6:00pm Girl Scouts/Fellowship

Every Wednesday 7:00pm Al-Anon/Dunham Room

Every other Thursday 6:00pm Girl Scouts/Fellowship

Oct. 1	10:00am	Minister's Lectionary Study
	1:30pm	Membership Committee
Oct. 8	5:30pm	Capital Gifts
Oct. 10	Noon	PW Joint Circle Meeting/Fellowship Hall
	6:00pm	Girl Scouts/Fellowship Hall
Oct. 11	4-9pm	Wedding rehearsal/Sanctuary
Oct. 12	All day	Wedding/Fellowship Hall
Oct. 14	6:30pm	Session/Dunham Room
	7:00pm	Emma Scott Garden Club/Fellowship
Oct. 15	5:30pm	RCHS
Oct. 17	7:00pm	Phipps Lecture/Madden Student Center
Oct. 24	1:30pm	Property Committee
	7:00pm	Home Prayer group
Oct. 25	6:00pm	Mary Jane Kiley/Fellowship Hall

### **BUCKWHEAT BREAKFAST**

November 2, 2019

Fall is here and with it comes those famous buckwheat cakes! Come join us for this years' annual event hosted by the Men of the Church. Breakfasts will be on the first Saturday of each month.

November 2

December 7

January 4

February 1

March 7



**ELKINS, WV 26241** 

Minister Rev. Dr. Peter A. Vial Director of Music Dr. Melody Meadows **Assistant Organist** Mark Armentrout Marsha Gardner Church Secretary Clerk of Session Mark Armentrout Treasurer Dr. Larry Wing After School Program Monica Varchetto

Chi-Rho Youth Group

Kids Club

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### **CIRCLE MEETINGS**

CIRCLE 1 Brenda Hermanson & Mina Cupp, Chairs

CIRCLE 2 Judy Guye Swanson & Linda Rudy, Chairs

CIRCLE 6 Holly Hughes-Reilly, Chair

The Presbyterian Women will hold a Joint Circle meeting Thursday, October 10 at 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall.

If you need a ride to our Sunday morning Worship Service, please call the Church Office at 304-636-2788 and we will ask a Church member to pick you up.

Join us on Facebook! Join the Group "Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church" to receive current announcements, discuss topics, see our growing photo gallery, and generally stay in touch.

