

FOOD BANK REQUESTS – February

pineapple (can)	chicken noodle soup (10 oz can)
tomato soup (10 oz can)	mayonnaise
SPAM/other canned meats	pudding cups
applesauce cups	fruit cups
microwave popcorn	granola bars

MISSIONS OUR CONGREGATION SUPPORTS

Scott & Sally Glover Tamshiyacu, Peru Church

SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

John Diller	Dave Garver	Tyler Hargraves
Curtis (CJ) Johnson	Chad Ankney	Joey Hamilton
Steven Hoffman	Sean Lefever	Orryn J. Smyth

PRAYERS

Pastor John – recuperating from hip surgery
Colton Boyd – great nephew of Elaine Ressel-health concerns
Jeff Evans – health concerns
Donna Garver – health concerns
Carol Girvin- large variety of health concerns
Robin Hammond – health concerns
Mike Herr – recuperating from surgery
Hurricane & California Wild Fire, airplane crash victims
Linda Kushlan – health concerns
Margarita-nurse in Peru-family health concerns & loss of family members
Shyanne Moore – health concerns
Jodie Mylin-health concerns
Luke Pelton- newborn in Hershey NICU
Joan Probst – health concerns
Faye Reinhart – health concerns
John Ressel- recuperating from surgery
Wade Sheaffer –health concerns
Erik & Ethel Walden – health concerns
Lewellen, Sonny, Annette Williams – health concerns
OUR NATION AND LEADERS

MIDDLE OCTORARA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

OUR MISSION

To provide a place of fellowship where a community of believers come together to be spiritually renewed and enabled to effectively witness for Christ through service to others.

Worship Service begins at 10:30 a.m. You may follow along with the paper bulletin or the PowerPoint.

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ROMEO Club Quarryville Family Restaurant **Wednesday morning @ 9:00a.m.** “RELATIVELY Old Men Eating Out.” **This is not just for Middle Octorara members, please invite others in our community!**

Prayer time – Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

THE FLOWERS IN THE ALTAR THIS MORNING ARE GIVEN BY Jerry & Donna Garver in memory of Dorothy & John Garver and Bill & Mary Geib.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 16, 2025

We thank the following folks for filling in as pulpit supply for a few weeks while Pastor John recuperates from his hip surgery.

Today - Ray Marvin

PASTORAL CARE Please contact Dan Henry for pastoral care until further notice. M. O. members and local Pastors will be supporting our members during Pastor John's recovery.

Silver Sisters will meet for lunch on Wednesday February 26 at 11:30 at "Joe On the Go Coffee" place in Lampeter Square.

The **Winter Congregation Meeting** is scheduled for Sunday March 2 immediately following the worship service.

The **Trustees** are planning on having the **carpet** in the church replaced. The current carpet is at least 50 years old. We don't yet have a schedule for it, but want to start collecting donations to help with the cost. If you would like to make a donation towards it, put carpet on the memo line or on the envelope. We do want to have it installed before our anniversary. Thank you in advance. We have **received \$1,300.00** so far.

COMMUNITY MEAL

On February 22 we will host another community meal at Middle Octorara, beginning at 4 PM. Food will be from Dolce Vita pizza and pasta. Please contact Boni Henry or Brenda Roark if you would like to help with preparation or serving or clean up. This was postponed from last week because of the weather.

300th anniversary committee – RECIPES NEEDED We are still collecting recipes for the cookbook that will be published for our 300th anniversary. We do not have many at this point. Please pick up a recipe form or the instructions to submit it online that are on the tables. There is a mailbox labeled for the 300th anniversary with the other mailboxes at the copier room door. Let's make this a wonderful cookbook full of recipes. You may put recipes in memory of loved ones too!

LENTEN TEA

We are asking for donations of cookies for the Lenten Tea on March 8. (they don't have to be homemade). We are also looking for volunteers to help prepare for the tea at 11:00 am that day. Just let Shirley Miller know if you can help in either way at (717) 786-3690.

Thanks to all for the visits, cards, flowers and especially the prayers for Faye from our amazing Church family during her second battle with breast cancer.

The surgeon is pleased with her progress. She meets with the radiologist on February 25th. I would like to thank everyone for the birthday wishes. They were greatly appreciated.

Love and blessings,

Sam and Faye