

FOOD BANK REQUESTS – May

canned chicken (12.5 oz cans)	pork and beans (15 oz can)
macaroni and cheese box	Manwich or Sloppy Joe can
green beans (can)	corn (can)
tomato soup (10 oz can)	ketchup
chicken noodle soup (10 oz can)	mayonnaise
tuna fish (can)	Chef Boyardee canned pasta (15 oz can)

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 – upcoming hip surgery April 30
Colton Boyd – great nephew of Elaine Ressel-health concerns
Jeff Evans – health concerns
Donna Garver – health concerns
Carol Girvin- large variety of health concerns
Paul Girvin-recuperating from surgery
Robin Hammond – health concerns
Kathy Harvey-upcoming surgery
Mike Herr – health concerns
Douglas Hileman-recent surgery
Linda Kushlan – health concerns
Shyanne Moore – health concerns
Jodie Mylin-health concerns
Luke Pelton- newborn in Hershey NICU
Joan Probst – health concerns
Faye Reinhart – health concerns
Sam Reinhart – health concerns
Sue Ressel – recent surgery
Wade Sheaffer –health concerns
Summer Stebbins – health concerns (daughter of Walden’s)
Claire Troop – health concerns
Erik & Ethel Walden – health concerns

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 Raymond Hart in memory of wife, Jean, son Fenton and the Rice Family.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR April 27, 2025

Pastor John has hip surgery scheduled for April 30. He will be off duty during May to recover.

Please contact Dan Henry for pastoral care during that time. M. O. members and local Pastors will be supporting our members during Pastor John's recovery.

May Pulpit Supply

May 4 Mindy Boyd

May 11 Pastor Charlie Gross

May 18 Dan Henry

May 25 Pastor Charlie Gross

Church secretary/treasurer Deb Hoover and Technology Team

Leader Mike Hoover will be on **vacation** from May 19-June 2.

The May 25th and June 1st bulletin will be done before they leave, so if anyone has announcements that would be appropriate for those two Sunday's please email them to Deb by Friday, May 16th. The June newsletter will be available June 8th instead of June 1st. Deb will continue to check emails and phone messages.

MOPW will have a meeting after church **today**.

Thank you for your very generous contributions for our Easter meal giveaway. We provided Easter meals for a record number of families this year.

*We also offer supplemental food staples, meat, etc. to **anyone** in the community on the 2nd Saturday of each month from 9-11 AM. Folks are asked to register for the event on our webpage or by calling the office at 717-786-4308.*

Solanco Neighborhood Ministries

Sunday May 4 Covered Dish Luncheon immediately following the worship service. Bring a generous covered dish and join us for food and fellowship.

JANE HENRY has a birthday on May 2. Please help to fill her mailbox with birthday wishes.

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The **300th Anniversary Committee** is conducting an oral history project, just as was done by the eighth grade Sunday School class for the 250th Anniversary in 1977 - "Voices From the Past."

If you are asked or if you want to volunteer to be interviewed, please remember that the process is about life, not just the church. Life way back then takes the reader to a broad view of society as it was. You may want to pick up a copy of "Voices From the Past" from the library and experience anything from Edith Mendenhall's description of dating customs to Alan Beyer's broken nose at a corner ball game.

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who helped in any way with our spring indoor and outdoor yard sale. We made a profit of \$2,500.00+ which will benefit our Peru Mission. We heard a lot of comments that our yard sale is a fun event and enjoyable to attend. We were blessed with a nice day to have the outdoor vendors and several of them made comments that they did well with their stands.

Thank you again, Yard Sale Committee

Thank you for having your Community Meal collection benefit our fire company. We are so appreciative of the support we receive from the community we serve. This helps us to continue to provide emergency services coverage to anyone who unfortunately finds themselves with that unexpected need.

Bart Twp. Fire Company