

### **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 – 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  
Paul Girvin-recuperating from surgery  
Robin Hammond – health concerns  
Kathy Harvey-recuperating from surgery  
Mike Herr – health concerns  
Douglas Hileman-recent 2 surgeries  
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 – recuperating from hand 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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**Facebook:** Middle Octorara Presbyterian Church

**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** The Miller Family in memory of Carl Miller and all Veterans.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR May 18, 2025**

We thank Dan Henry for sharing his message with us during this morning's worship service.

Little Britain Church will be hosting a **spring concert this afternoon** at 2:00 p.m. Janet Jackson Whitman will be playing her harp and Rick Rineer the church pipe organ. There will be a free will offering and light refreshments. Questions call Vicki Graybeal at 717-371-9281.

Please contact Dan Henry for **pastoral care** while Pastor John is recuperating from his recent hip surgery. M. O. members and local Pastors will be supporting our members during Pastor John's recovery.

**May 25 Pulpit Supply-** Pastor Charlie Gross

Deb and Mike Hoover will be on **vacation** from May 19-June 2. The June newsletter will be available June 8<sup>th</sup> instead of June 1<sup>st</sup>. There will be no Powerpoint during the May 25<sup>th</sup> worship service.

The community is invited to come to **Union Presbyterian Church's Strawberry Social**, 5637 Street Road, Kirkwood Saturday, May 31st from 4:30 to 6:30. Beef BBQ, hot dogs and sides. Plus the best part of the meal, strawberries and ice cream!! We will have a couple outside games set up if the weather is good. There will be a free will offering basket to go to the church missions. Questions see Colleen Sheaffer or call 717-529-2236.

**Sunday June 1-** Covered dish luncheon immediately following the worship service. Bring a generous covered dish and stay for food and fellowship.

*Special thanks for the beautiful cards sent to me on my birthday #93. Thank you for your kindness, Jane Henry*

MOPW's next **sub/pretzel sandwich sale** will be soon with orders due Thursday, June 5<sup>th</sup> and delivery Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. Please put order forms in the box on the table in the welcome center or give your orders to Shirley Miller. This is a very good fundraiser for the women.

**VBS - Let's go on a ROAD TRIP**

Vacation Bible School week will be June 16-20, 6-8:30 PM. There will be classes for children, preschool age through Grade 5. Also, we are happy to once again hold a class for those who are disabled and have special needs (all ages). Pre-registration available on the church website. Please see the bulletin board for everyone who has their background check current and are able to help.

**Note from the 300th Anniversary Committee -**

Individual and business sponsorship forms for this year's Scottish Festival are available on the table in the Welcome Center

Checklist for the 300th Anniversary

All correspondence goes in the 300th Anniversary mailbox outside the copier room.

Needed - veteran information, recipes for the Cookbook, story updates for Shirley Girvin, suggestions for choirs for 2027, and volunteers: writing Minutes for History, helping with public relations, taking a turn sharing our video with community organizations, offering to share your story through an interview, directing a play, helping with a Veterans' Day service in 2026, supporting efforts by the Green Tree Thimble Club and other initiatives that are yet to be known.

**COMMUNITY MEAL** - Let's have a Picnic! June 7, begins at 4 PM. Donations will support MEALS ON WHEELS. Menu will be some favorite picnic foods.

*I would like to thank everyone for all the cards, blessings and all the caring. A special thank you to Val Keene and Shirley Miller and girls.*  
*Blessings, Linda Farmer*