

## **FOOD BANK REQUESTS –January**

Cleaning supplies

Toilet paper

Diapers size 5

Thank you for your support of this ministry throughout the year.

We look forward to working with you in 2019.

Blessings, Louella

## **MISSIONS OUR CONGREGATION SUPPORTS**

Scott & Sally Glover

Tamshiyacu, Peru Church

## **SERVICE MEN & WOMEN**

John Diller

Keith Rineer

Dave Garver

Wes Girvin

Chad Ankney

Joey Hamilton

Sean Lefever

James Girvin

Orryn J. Smyth

## **PRAYER LIST**

Bob Book – health concerns

Brenda Brubaker – health concerns (Jill Garver’s aunt)

Ruth Frackman – health concerns

Barry Girvin – health concerns, tests

Betty Henry – health concerns

Keith Henry – health concerns

Sue Herr – health concerns

Joe Linton – cancer surgeries

Donna Mason-loss of husband, Joe

Pastor Nominating Committee

Jerry Rhoads – health concerns

Ray Wessner – Recuperating from foot surgery

Aaron Williams – health concerns

## **SYMPATHY**

Mary Ruth Minchhoff family

*The Middle Octorara Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) wishes to extend to the family of Mary Ruth Minchhoff our deepest sympathy and prayers at this time. Mary Ruth will always have a special place in our hearts and while we rejoice in the gift of new life, we will miss her.*

# 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.*

## INFORMATION FOR OUR GUESTS & VISITORS

**Sunday school** begins at 9:00 a.m.

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

**Bibles and Hymnals (Blue)** are available in each pew and songs are displayed on the PowerPoint.

**Large print Bible's** and **Audio Head Sets** are available, please ask a greeter for help.

**ROMEO Club** – (Real Old Men Eating Out) meets **Wednesday** mornings 9:00 a.m. at Quarryville Family Restaurant.

**Women's Bible Study** – Monday 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Beginning Jan 14th studying Hebrews.

### **For Pastoral care call:**

Rev. Mary Brondyke 717-660-8100 or

Rev. Richard Brondyke 717-969-0019

**Pastoral Church Office Hours:** Wednesday 9:30 – 2:00  
Hometown Kitchen-Georgetown 12:00 – 1:00 for fellowship

**THE FLOWERS IN THE PULPIT TODAY ARE GIVEN BY**  
Nancy Harnish in memory of Betty Kindler.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Chris & Lindsey (Girvin) Neiss on the birth of their second child and first son, Lincoln Thomas Neiss.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JANUARY 13, 2019**

**New office hours** for Pastor Richard and Pastor Mary are Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. with lunch at the Hometown Cafe from 12 Noon to 1 p.m.

**MOPW** will hold a meeting **today** January 13, immediately following the worship service. All are welcomed to attend to give input on our plans for 2019.

All **Treasurers' reports and books** are due **today**. Please put them in the copy room on the table.

**Please note:** the **ROMEO men's group** is now meeting on **Wednesday** mornings at 9 a.m. at the Quarryville Family Restaurant! **New day**, same time, same great guys! Come join us! Pastor Richard.

The **Fidelis Sunday School** class is now featuring the series "Christianity, Cults, and religions." The premise, Christians need to know what they believe and why. They also need good advice on sharing the Gospel with people of other religions. There will be lessons on Jehovah's Witnesses, Mormonism, Hinduism, Buddhism, New Age, and Islam. Readings are available on dozens of other religions and cults.

**2019 Peru Mission Trip** We plan to go on the Peru Mission Trip either June 28th through July 6th or July 5th through July 13th. Please let Dan Henry know if you are interested. There is financial help available. A \$200.00 deposit will be due by January 15th.

The **Women's Bible Study** will begin Mon., Jan. 14th from 9:00 – 11:00. We will be studying the book of Hebrews.

The **Widows' group** will meet on Wednesday, January 16 at 2 PM for game time. Afterwards we will go to a local restaurant for an early dinner.

The **Personnel Committee** will meet on Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. The 2019 committee consists of Sue Ressel, Rose Griest and Val Keene.

If you would like to help with **funeral expenses** for Joe Mason and **other expenses** for his family, please give donations to Debbie Hoover, **making checks out to MOPC.** (*Please do not include with other donations*)

**Winter Congregation Meeting** is on January 27 beginning at 12:30 pm. Please bring a covered dish for the luncheon between the morning worship service and the meeting.

We will review all the financial reports from 2018, elect an auditing committee, a nominating committee and discuss any other matters of the church.

Please have your **Per Capita** paid by **January 27th**. The amount is \$34.78 **per member, the same as last year**. This amount can be included on the same check as your General Fund and/or Benevolence offerings only. Please put a notation on the memo line and make payable to **Middle Octorara Presbyterian Church**. Please do not include it on any other fund payments, such as Building Fund, Mission Fund etc.

Addresses for Joe Mason's wife Donna and his daughter Charlotte for sympathy cards.

Donna Mason, 52 Ridgedale Rd., New Providence, PA 17560  
Charlotte Knauer, 225 Danielle Lane, Coatesville, PA 19320

### **THANK YOU**

*Middle Octorara Presbyterian Church family, thank you for the nice fruit basket. I really enjoyed the fruit. JoAnn Irwin*

*Thanks so much to those that sponsored wreaths at Quarryville Cemetery's Wreaths Across America! Your support was greatly appreciated! Despite the rain, we had a great turnout, attended by more than 200 people. It was great to see volunteers of all ages participate. Thanks so much. God bless, Kristi Sprout*