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I have wrestled with what to write as we are heading quite swiftly into the month of July. The last few months our church has experienced immense joy in celebrating new births; however, we have also felt the deep heart ache of losing two precious individuals whom we have had daily interaction with. Donna Stemmler and Walter Gilbert were two faces we would see every Sunday, and personally, I enjoyed very much conversating with them, and I will miss them terribly.

The only words that I have are simply not my own, because I truly believe that the words of Christ not only sum up how we are feeling but, His words also provide how to keep going when all seems lost. When circumstances beyond our control happen, and when our routines become jolted, the promises to cling to even closer are found in The Words of Christ. Promises for the here and now such as what is said in Psalm 23:4, "Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me." Promises pertaining to our soon eternal home, as John 14:2 says, "In my Father's house are many rooms...I will come again and will take you to Myself, that where I am you may be also."

Friends, Jesus loves you and will be your comfort in the deepest, darkest night.

Keep holding on to Him,

Pastor Patrick & Leanne



We will be meeting until
Wednesday, June 10th. We will take
a break because of an upcoming
conference, VBS, and the 4th
of July week.

We will start again with all
5th to 12th graders for this 2025
School year on Wednesday,
July 9th from 6 pm to 8 pm at
Pastor Patrick and Leanne's house
for a Backyard BBQ.
Bring a lawn chair and join us for
burgers, hot dogs, smores, games, a
firepit and more!

Please Message if Interested! *If it rains checkout Facebook for updates

Upcoming Events

7/6: PPRC Meeting 6 pm Council Meeting 7 pm

7/9: Generation Ignite Youth Group Kids Backyard BBQ 6-8 pm

7/11: Bake Sale Drop Off 4-6 pm

7/12: Great Allegheny Yard Sale/Bake Sale 7:30 am-2 pm

7/14: Missions/ Congregational Care Meeting 6 pm

7/18: Healing Service 7 pm 7/19: Men's Group 8 am



Interested in baking for our Generation Ignite Youth Group to help us raise funds for our dinners, games, crafts, activities and more?!? Checkout our sign-up sheet in the Lobby today! If you are not a baker we are also asking for donations of hot dogs, rolls, waters and cans of soda to sell as well!

Would you like a prime spot for this year's Great Allegheny Yard Sale on Saturday, July 12th? Sign-up today in the Lobby. We are asking for a minimum of a \$15 donation per table, this funding will go to help with building repairs for the church.



Join us on Friday, July 18th for our next Healing Service! Our last healing service was a rich time of praying over one another, our families, friends and community. Join us as we cry out for the healing power of the Lord together!

July Birthdays!

3: Natalie Kister

4: Dennis Barnick

5: Bret (Shaffer) Ford

8: Jeff Frampton, Caitlin Rosenbaum

9: Allie Knorr

14: Dan Graboski

19: Donna Thomas, Kristine Thomas

23: Skip Shaffer

26: Heather May, Faith Pelesky

27: Norm Kaufman

31: Ian Lasure

July Anniversaries!



24: Dennis & Debbie Barnick

25: Skip & Patti Shaffer

27: Jude & Jackie Rietscha

Jennerstown Family News

- Ready to take that next step and commit your life to Christ? Be sure to reach out to Pastor Patrick to help guide you through next steps and Baptism!
- Men's Group meets the third Saturday of every month at 8 am. Join us for a time of fellowship and study.



Our Church Picnic in the Park is right around the corner so make sure to mark your calendars! This year we will have a sweet time as we get to watch those in our church commit their lives to the Lord through Baptism. If you or someone you know is interested in full immersion baptisms please speak with Pastor Patrick or Leanne so we can add you to the list!