



Lyricist of the timeless Christian hymn, "Great is Thy Faithfulness," Thomas Chisholm, wrote the second verse that says, "Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in manifold witness, to Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love." Chisholm understood that seasons of life will most certainly change but, the mercies and kindness of the Lord are new every morning. The author of the Book of Lamentations writes in 3:22–23 ESV, "The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness." Together, we proceed to enter the month of November, and we are very aware that the season is changing not only in God's creation but, the season is changing within the life of the church. We must hold on to those verses in Lamentations, continuing to turn our focus on the Lord's new mercies, continual faithfulness, and of His eternal love and grace (Jeremiah 31:3).

Blessings to you in this season and in the next!

Pastor Patrick & Leanne



### **Upcoming**

11/3: PPRC Meeting at 6 pm Council Meeting at 7 pm Finance Meeting at 8 pm

11/10: Missions Meeting 6 pm Worship Meeting 7 pm

11/16: Combined Service at 10 am
with Sunday School at 9 am
Blessing Party and Potluck after service

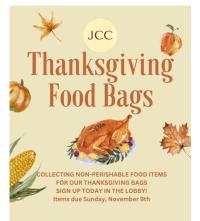
11/17: Trustees Meeting at 6 pm 11/27: HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!!

## **Blessings Party**

Join us on Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup> for our Blessings Party! We will have a combined service at 10 am on that Sunday with Sunday School at 9 am. This will be followed by a Potluck lunch, a fall craft for the kids and us putting together acts of kindness as a church family for our community!

We will be putting together the Thanksgiving Bags to deliver to Stonebridge and the Projects in Boswell. We will be putting cookie bags together for the Jennerstown Fire Department, we will be collecting quarters and placing them in bags to walk down and drop them off at the laundry mat, and writing cards to the local nursing homes! Join us as we spread the Love of God this season! Please sign up today if you can join us and bring a dish to share!





# **Thanksgiving Blessing Bags**

We will be starting our Thanksgiving Blessings Bags and will be collecting non-perishable food items. There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby, so please sign-up today!

We will also be collecting donations to use to purchase turkey meals and bread for the families. There is a collection jar on the lobby table that will go towards these purchases. We thank you for your continued help to aide those in our community to make sure they have a blessed Thanksgiving!

### **November Birthdays**

8: Dean Gindlesperger

9: Harper Gottschalk

12: Christy Berzonski, Brandon Fulmer

15: Phyllis Berkey 17: Debbie Barnick 18: Hannah Lepley 25: Sarah Parks 28: Leshia Stufft

#### **November Anniversaries**

7: David & Brett Ford 11: Jerry & Mary Manges 24: Dan & Sally Graboski

24: Randy & Sherry Hoffman



This year's Operation Christmas Child boxes are available when you first enter the church to the left. Please grab a reusable shoe box today and fill it to be sent to those around the world! These are due on Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>.



Ladies, join us for our Jesus & Coffee Christmas Party & Cookie Exchange on Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup> from 9 am - 10 am. This will be a time of fellowship, Jesus, coffee and a cookie exchange. We will also be revealing our Secret Sisters if you had one this year but ALL are welcome to this event! Sign-up in the lobby today!

