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COA Welcomes New Seminary Intern



Jonathan Paredes with his wife, Lucy

There is a notable new face at Church of the Apostles. Jonathan Paredes comes to us by way of Lancaster Theological Seminary and is currently a second year Masters in Divinity student.

Jonathan is a recipient of The Edith and Robert T. Fauth Prize as the highest ranking student in his class. For the upcoming academic school year, he has committed to serve at Church of the Apostles in order to fulfill his field education requirements as the pastoral intern.

Jonathan has had a circuitous journey in life. After graduating from Northpoint Bible College in 2014, he has served in pastoral positions in Youth, Young Adults, Adult Education, Discipleship, and Mission ministries. His current academic interest is in Pauline Scholarship with emphasis on the book of Romans as it applies to the Latinx context.

In the future, Jonathan plans to pursue a PhD in this field. In his time of leisure, Jonathan enjoys playing and watching a variety of sports. He has spent the last 15 years playing international and club rugby and is currently affiliated with the Latin Heat RLFC and the National RL team of El Salvador. Jon is accompanied by his wife, Lucy, who works in the medical field and enjoys reading, gardening, and trying new recipes. We welcome both as they begin this new chapter in their spiritual journey! ■



Submission deadline for the
October *Crown* is September 17, 2019.



***Blessings to all our preschool children
beginning their first school year!***



Letter from the President

What Really Matters

In the last 8 months that I have been Council President, I've talked a lot about change. The change in seasons, the changes in our congregation, and in our leadership. Change is really the only constant we have. I don't mind change...I embrace it. I don't like for things to be monotonous or to get stale. That is to say, except for my pew in the sanctuary....that will never change! For some though, change is scary. As a congregation, we tend to be pretty rigid in our rituals, especially during services.

When Finn was younger and started to go up to the children's time with Pastor Kathy, he would bow down with his head on the floor when it was time to pray. I asked her if that was in any way disrespectful....for it is not the way I pray. Pastor Kathy's response. . . "Of course not, He's praying!" To this day, it is still the way he feels most comfortable having a conversation with God.

It got me thinking....what does prayer look like? In our congregation it is quiet and reserved. Heads bowed and eyes closed. Many find it uncomfortable to lift their hands or shout Amen! But...what does prayer look like? There are so many forms of prayer throughout the world. A quick google search will give you a multitude of different ways to pray. But are we wrong to stifle the spirit in someone else because that is not the way we would pray? We have received the greatest blessing in forgiveness from God, should we not be joyful, appreciative...or more importantly, authentic in showing our gratitude? We need to be authentic to ourselves in our conversations with God.

Paul, locked up in Rome for his faith in Jesus, wrote to the people of Philippi. As a chained prisoner, he shared, "I am thankful for all of you every time I pray, and it's always a prayer full of joy." *Philippians 1:4*

Go forth with a joyful prayer. Bow your head, raise your hands, or shout your joy! For what really matters is not what your prayer looks like....but only that you are praying!

Blessings,

Christa DiDomenico Conrad



Worship Schedule

Sundays at 9:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Dial (717) 392-5718 to listen to the worship information.

The sermon can be watched online at www.apostlesucc.org

Giving Report for July 2019

GIVING REPORT FOR JULY 2019

The cash flow for month ending July 31, 2019 was negative (\$63,591.76) for the year 2019 to that date. Same time last year was negative (\$30,245.92). Operating Expenses through July 2019 were \$338,043.95, Revenue \$274,452.09. Same time last year \$310,375.55 for Expenses, \$280,129.63 for Revenue.



Parish Life



LOOKING FOR THE COUNCIL MINUTES?

They are not here. You will find them in a White Notebook labeled **COUNCIL PACKETS** in the Church Office. Should you wish your own personal copy of the minutes, contact Mary

Tunison at 717-392-5718 ex. 8200 or via email at maryt@apostlesucc.org and she will email you a copy. Any church member can attend any of the council or commission meetings.

HARVEST HOME SUNDAY—Sept. 8

Each year, we celebrate the bounty of the harvest by giving donations to help feed those in need. We ask our church family to bring non-perishable food to church on Harvest Home Sunday, September 8th. Monetary gifts may go into your special envelope and placed in the collection plate. Donations will be shared with the Hempfield Area Food Pantry, Lancaster County Council of Churches and our own Food Bank at church, which also supports Apostles Assistance. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Schock at 717-569-3837.



MOBILE DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE—Sept. 8

On Sunday, Sept. 8th, stop in the Parlor between services to get help putting the COA Mobile Directory on your smart phone! Stay in touch with members and quickly call, email or get directions to their home! For questions, contact Donna Carr at 717-475-5285.

NERF NIGHT—Sept. 14

Join the fun at Nerf Night, September 14th from 7 PM—9 PM. There will be an indoor course in Fellowship Hall. Standard nerf darts will be provided!

YOUTH FAMILIES COOKOUT—Sept. 22

Sunday, September 22 from 6 PM—8 PM in the youth center and pavilion, we will play together, eat together and plan for the upcoming year of events. Please plan to join us for fun, fellowship and planning!

COOKING CLUB—Sept. 23

The Cooking Club will meet on Monday, Sept. 23rd from 5:15 pm — 7:15 pm in the COA kitchen. Theme: *Assembling Freezer Meals*. Please contact Donna Carr at 717-475-5285 to R.S.V.P. attendance.

COA WIDOWS GROUP—Sept. 25

Whether your loss is recent or long ago, you are welcome to join us. We meet in the Church parlor at 9:30 a.m. on the last Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 25th. Contact Nancy Steger at 717-617-2635.

HERITAGE & HORIZONS—October

Heritage and Horizons programs are scheduled in the sanctuary for the five Tuesdays in October. Look for brochure to be mailed early in September. The topics for this Fall will be very interesting and informative.

PHOTO DIRECTORY—Oct. 29 & 30

The photo shoot for the church directory will take place all day on Tuesday, Oct. 29th, rooms 304 & 305 and 8 AM—3 PM on Wednesday, October 30th in room 304. More detailed information to follow. Contact Donna Carr at 717-475-5285.

CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY BAZAAR—Nov. 9

The 2019 Annual COA Holiday Christmas in the Country Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 9th. It showcases over 60 juried craftspeople, a church members' craft room, homemade soups, pies, sandwiches and beef barbecue in a bustling food court. Vendors wishing to be part of the show please contact Linda Eaton at (717) 393-0274. Application forms, vendor cards and more details are located on the church web site at: <https://apostlesucc.org/bazaar/> Watch for more details as this event approaches!

CULTURAL BUS TRIP PLANNED—NOV. 23

by Cathy Kenlin

Parish Life is sponsoring a bus trip to the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History & Culture on November 23rd. Admission to the museum is free, the cost of the bus trip is \$35 or less. Cost is dependent on how many sign up and the adults/children ratio. The goal is to keep the cost of the bus trip to \$25 or less, for those 18 and younger, so it's affordable for families to attend.

The bus will depart the COA parking lot at 7:15 AM and return approximately 7:30 PM. Cost for adults and children/youth will be finalized by Oct 18. Money for the trip will be due Nov 3.

Please contact Cathy Kenlin to reserve your seat on the bus or with your questions about the trip. She can be reached at cmkenlin@comcast.net or 717-940-0364.



Outreach

ADOPT A SENIOR

The Outreach Commission is excited about the *Adopt a Senior* program which has just begun! We have two seniors who have been adopted and we are looking for more who would like to be adopted.

Adopting a senior means that the adopting individual or family call, visit, send a card, take a treat, etc. as frequently as you would like to do.

Many of our senior members do not get many visitors or perhaps cannot get to services so we want them to know that we care about them.

If you are a senior who would like to be adopted OR you are an individual/family who would like to adopt a senior, please notify Jane McCartney at (717) 392-4844 and you will be connected. ■



Church Business Updates

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING & VOTING OF PROPERTY PROJECTS — AUGUST 11, 2019



Meeting called to order by Christa Conrad at 10:17 am. Usher count affirmed a quorum present. Ballots distributed.

Herb Forry, Chairman of the Property Committee, presented the ballot proposals:

1) to accept the sanctuary lighting project at a cost of \$105,000., and 2) to accept the purchase of a compact John Deere tractor at a cost of \$23,000, of which \$9,500 is assured by donations.

While votes were being counted, Andy Appel, Chairman of the Search Committee, reported that the committee had reviewed 10 applicants available now, and has elected to continue to review applicants. Meanwhile, Dan Dorsey has been asked to resume his role as interim Associate Pastor while he completes his final year at LTS. Dan, and Seminary Intern, Jon Paredes, will work to support Pastor Kuhn during the ongoing search for a fulltime Associate Pastor.

The vote count was returned and both projects were approved. Meeting adjourned at 10:50 am.

Barbara S. Achtermann, Council Secretary



**Food
Pantry
Needs**

Donation Station

Soups (Tomato, Chicken Noodle, etc.), peanut butter, tuna helper and canned fruit

APOSTLES ASSISTANCE FUND NEEDS:

Bath gel or soap, tooth paste, tooth brushes, laundry detergent, toilet paper, Kleenex, paper towels, dish detergent, shampoo and deodorant.

STAMP DONATIONS

Thank you stamp savers. Keep saving stamps for the Wounded Veterans. Drop off in the office for Skip Rhodes.



APOSTLES CARING CARTS

We have been very busy collecting items for our third Blessing Bag assembly and it was a huge success! Thank you to all who donated items for the breakfast kits that are to be distributed to people reentering society after being released from prison. I feel that this is a very valuable outreach ministry and that our members enjoyed the assembly of the Bags during the worship service on August 18th. Watch for notifications of our next Apostles Caring Cart ministry!

Please remember that our small Caring Cart in the cloak room is an ongoing collection for the Apostles Assistance Fund. The Apostles Assistance Fund collects personal and home care supplies for people in need. Thank you so much for your continued generosity and support of this ministry!

RECYCLE PROJECTS



If you have any of the following items to donate and recycle, please leave them in the gray cabinets inside the cloak room: Plastic bags/Power Packs, used eye glasses, prescription tubes (pill bottles, box tops, computer equipment, ink cartridges, cell phones, clothing and pet pantry items (e.g. towels, blankets, etc.)

Thank you for your generosity!



Education

BACK TO SCHOOL AT APOSTLES COMMUNITY PRESCHOOL

By Kathryn Zellers, Preschool Director



On Monday, September 11th, the halls of Church of the Apostles will be filled with happy voices, as Apostles Community Preschool begins its 54th year!

It was in September of 1965 that St. John's Community Preschool opened on Wheatland Avenue with one class of eleven students and two teachers. Today's enrollment totals 160 children in 11 classes with 19 staff members.

The original purpose of the preschool, as stated in 1965, is as follows: "Apostles Community Preschool is conducted by the Church of the Apostles as an expression of its concern for assisting parents in the rearing of young children. The Preschool exists (a) to help each child grow and develop in trustful and loving relationships; and (b) to provide group learning experiences for preschool children through play, stories, conversation, music, movement, and art." Fifty-four years later, we are proud to be continuing this vision.

For the 2019-20 school year, Apostles Community Preschool offers one 5-day morning class, one 4-day morning class, three 3-day morning classes, one 2-day extended day class, two 2-day morning classes, and three 2-day Tot classes.

Janet Rader Memorial Scholarships provide financial assistance to children who may otherwise be unable to attend preschool; over \$22,000 has been awarded over the past decade. In the last school year, scholarships amounted to \$2,000. We welcome donations or memorial gifts to the scholarship fund at any time.

Staff this year includes Ashley Bole, Katie Calderone, Cammie Camens, Karen Dennis, Deborah Franck, Heather Givens, Melissa Harris, Molly Linkey, Megan May, Stephanie Moore, Mindy Paglia, Nichole Madilia, Angela Post Speitel, Michelle Reich, Carol Wright, and Karen Youtz. Kathryn Zellers is the Preschool Director; Linda Lewis serves as Registrar; Pam Smith serves as Treasurer.

The Preschool, which serves as an outreach of the educational ministries of Church of the Apostles to the community, operates as a separate entity reporting through the Education Commission to the Church Council.

Members of the Preschool Committee for the 2019-20 year include:

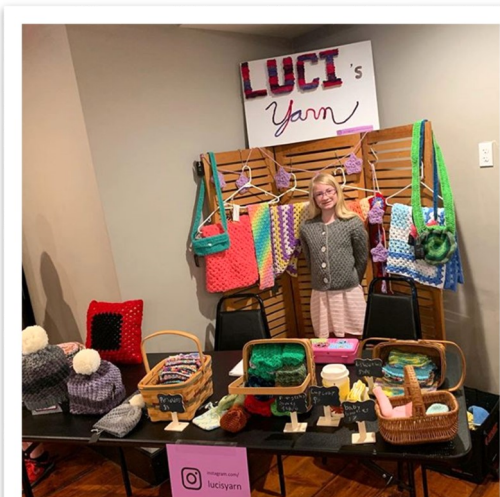
- Chair, Laura Bender; Secretary, Karen Braun; Members, John Hess, Melissa Koehler, Chris Conrad, and Jill Craven.
- Ex officio committee members include: Rev. Kathryn Kuhn, Pastor; Kathryn Zellers, Director; Linda Lewis, Registrar; Pam Smith, Treasurer; Melissa Harris, Teacher Representative; and Ashley Bole, Aide Representative.

Apostles Community Preschool is grateful that Church of the Apostles' mission and outreach recognizes the importance of the early years in the development of the child and the Christian nurturing that can take place in a church-sponsored preschool.

Keep watching the Crown for monthly Preschool updates.



Spotlight on Youth



Luci Stoltzfus participated in the Kidz Biz Expo on July 25th at the Lititz Rec Center. She chose TLC as her charity and raised \$86.50 for the cause by selling her crocheted items. Luci also did another craft show and will be donating a total of \$100 to TLC.



Music Notes

CHILDREN'S CHOIRS OFFER LIFELONG LOVE FOR MUSIC

By Breanne Zipko

My name is Breanne Zipko, Director of Children's Choirs at Church of Apostles UCC. In addition to the fact that I love to sing, my true goal is to expose young children to the positive impact music can have on their spiritual and physical health.



Through games, movement, and quality songs, children in the choir at Church of the Apostles learn to read music! They leave choir with new ideas and an excitement for the next rehearsal. They will share their experiences with you as they learn and build relationships with their peers that often last a lifetime. Teamwork is emphasized! With opportunities to perform on Sunday mornings, their confidence will build.

We would love to have new singers join this year! Beginning Wednesday, September 4th, we will rehearse every Wednesday evening at Church of the Apostles in Room 310 (Cherub Choir, ages 3 through kindergarten, 6 pm—6:30 pm and Carol Choir, grades 1 and up, 6:30 pm—7:00 pm).

It's never too early to instill a lifelong love for music, and your child will thank you for this gift in the future. All you need to do is expose them. You are more than welcome to attend a session and check it out, and if you have any further questions about the choir please feel free to contact me. Hope to see you there!

COA'S ADULT CHOIRS LOOK TO EXPAND

Each year the adult choirs hope to welcome new members into their musical family. This year two dates have been set aside for anyone interested to come out and enjoy an evening of music making.

We would love to have members reach out to Nathan Sheffer so you can attend rehearsal on Thursday September 26 or October 17, 7 pm – 8 pm.

The choir would also like to extend an invitation to anyone interested in participating in the 7:00 pm Christmas Eve service. Choir is a great way to meet members and also a wonderful opportunity to add to Sunday worship services. If you are interested please contact Nathan at noshief@yahoo.com.

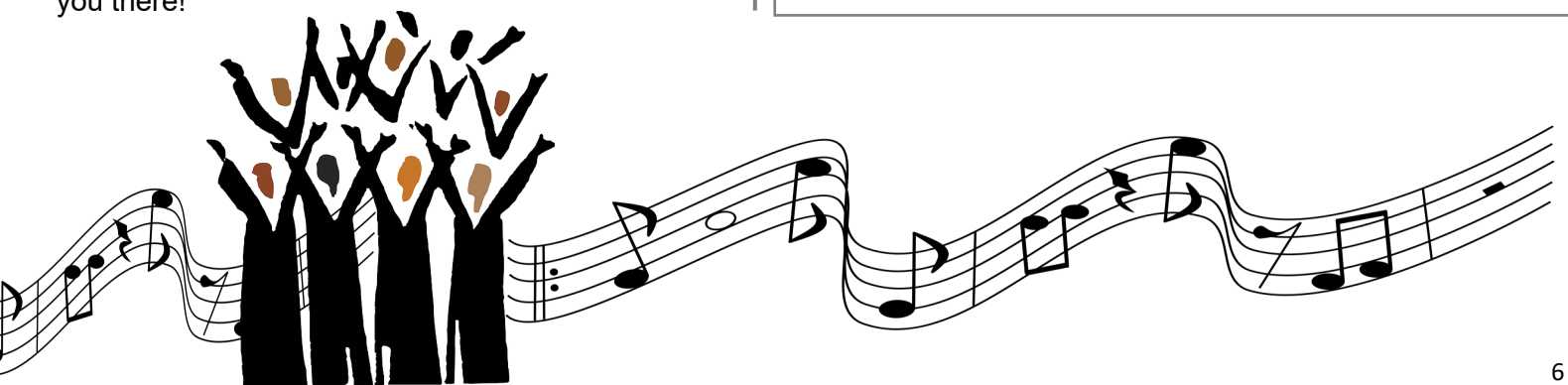


APOSTLE BELLS

Apostles Bells has been dwindling in size over the last several years, and we are looking for ringers to fill out our ensemble. We presently have a shortage of five ringers in order to use all of the equipment we own. We rehearse on Tuesday evenings from 7-8PM in the sanctuary, and normally play in church services once/month. You do not need prior ringing experience to be able to participate - all you need is a desire to learn while having fun! Oh, and the ability to count to four.... that WOULD be helpful!



Please contact Ron Bellamy at ringinron@comcast.net or 717-615-0944, or speak to any of our present or former ringers to learn more about the ministry.





September Celebrations

- * 90+ Birthdays
 ** 50+ Anniversaries



Happy Anniversary

Date	Name
9/1/2002	Timothy & Susan Stirling
9/6/2008	Michael & Laura Bender
9/6/1975	Daniel & Kitty Flynn
9/10/2011	Joel & Jeannie Clausen
9/16/2014	Sara & Nick Bravo
9/23/1989	Randy & Lisa Sweigart
9/30/1961	Kenneth & Beverly Keller **

*You can never
 cross the ocean
 unless
 you have the courage
 to lose sight of the
 shore.*



*Never allow waiting
 to become a habit.
 Live your dreams
 and take risks.
 Life is
**HAPPENING
 NOW...***

*Don't be pushed by your problems.
 Be led by your dreams.*

Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Happy Birthday!

Date	Name
9/2	Darlene Beck
9/2	Christa Conrad
9/2	Louise Wagner
9/3	Ruth Senior *
9/5	Myra Yarnell
9/7	Susan Ann Althouse
9/8	Cathleen Bernhardt
9/8	Matthew Christian Sweigart
9/9	Cristina Bahling
9/9	Kay Custer *
9/9	Larry Waltman
9/12	Suzanne Doult
9/13	Michael Bender
9/14	Bev Keller
9/15	Catherine (Kit) Gregory *
9/17	Barbara Achtermann
9/17	Clyde Holbein *
9/17	Ludmil Kosmela
9/20	Harriet Latschar *
9/20	Bev Moran
9/21	Betty Reiff
9/22	Tom Lewis
9/22	Sedona Watkins
9/24	Austin Royer
9/24	Sharon Shaeffer
9/25	Ken Keller
9/25	Marsha Erisman
9/25	Maeson Sheffer
9/26	Bill Irwin *
9/27	Debbie Belsinger
9/27	Cindy Kahler
9/28	Ann Harting
9/28	Rev. Debra Sickles
9/29	Ken Whittington
9/29	Jonathan Paredes
9/30	George Bechtold, Jr.





Flowers for Worship

September Flowers for Worship

September 1

To the Glory of God

September 8

In Memory of. . .

+Paula Alspach by Robert and Betty Perry
+In memory of Linda J. Fuller and in honor of
our 52nd wedding anniversary by Ed Fuller & Family



September 15

In Honor of:

Kit Gregory's 100th birthday by daughter, Nancy Black

September 22

In Memory of. . .

+Mother, Maggie Hartman and brother, Rev. William
Hartman by Louise Arms

September 29

To the Glory of God

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to place flowers on
Sunday, please contact:

July—December

Wilma Klingler 717-872-8419

January—June

Jean Heidig 717-394-8733

Cost of altar flowers: \$35.00

VERY IMPORTANT. . .

Please be sure to complete the form on this page
when requesting flowers for loved ones or in honor
of special occasions. Please print the details very
clearly. This is very important so that your information
can be accurately represented in the worship bulletins
and newsletters.

Flowers for Worship Form

Our flowers are an integral part of our worship service. Not only providing a physical symbol of beauty during our worship, after the service they are given as a symbol of love and caring to a member of our community who is unable to be with us physically. The cost of our flowers and bulletins averages about \$140.00 a week. Our suggested contribution for sponsoring flowers and bulletins is \$35.00; however, any amount is welcomed and appreciated.

If you would like to sponsor flowers, please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate or send it into the office. A thank you letter will be sent following your sponsorship with directions for sending in your donation. Thank you for your support in this important ministry.

I would like to sponsor flowers on the following date:

"In honor of" or "In memory of"

Your name

Phone number

If you have any questions please contact:
Jean Heidig 717-394-8733
or Wilma Klingler 717-872-8419



September 2019 Calendar of Events

September 1, One Service Sunday

9:00 am Nursery Care
 9:00 am Blood Pressure Screening
 9:30 am Children's Sunday School
 10:00 am Worship with Children's Sermon
 2:30 pm Worship Service—HVHC

September 2, Monday, Labor Day

Church Office Closed
 5:00 pm COA Fantasy Football

September 3, Tuesday

12:30 pm Growth Task Force Meeting
 4:00 pm Music Planning
 5:00 pm Pilates
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

September 4, Wednesday

7:00 pm Crafts
 5:15 pm Family Pizza Night
 6:00 pm Cherub Choir
 6:30 pm Carol Choir

September 5, Thursday

12:00 pm Worship Planning
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

September 6, Friday

9:15 am MOPS

September 7, Saturday

8:00 am Basketball with Jonathan P
 7:00 pm Stewardship Meeting

September 8, Sunday

Harvest Home Sunday

8:15 pm Choir Rehearsal
 9:00 am Nursery Care
 9:15 am Worship with Children's Sermon
 9:30 am Children's Sunday School
Church Mobile Directory assistance between services
 10:45 am Worship Service

September 9, Monday

8:00 am Meditation Monday
 9:00 am Preschool Begins
 6:30 pm Education Commission
 7:00 pm Commissions: OR, PL, PR & Worship

September 10, Tuesday

2:00 pm COA Book Club
 4:00 pm Music Planning
 5:00 pm Pilates
 5:15 pm Cancer Support Group
 6:30 pm Committee on Ministry
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

September 11, Wednesday

5:15 pm Family Pizza Night
 6:00 pm Cherub Choir
 6:30 pm Carol Choir
 7:00 pm Crafts

September 12, Thursday

7:00 pm Stewardship Meeting
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

September 14, Saturday

8:30 am Basketball with Jonathan Paredes
 7:00 pm Nerf Night

September 15, Sunday

8:15 am Choir Rehearsal
 9:00 am Echo Valley Art Group
 9:00 am Nursery Care
 9:15 am Worship with Children's Sermon
 9:30 am Children's Sunday School
 10:15 am Children's Library

September 16, Monday

8:00 am Meditation Monday
 7:00 pm Church Council Meeting
 7:00 pm Crafts

September 17, Tuesday

4:00 pm Music Planning
 5:00 pm Pilates
 7:00 pm Worship Design
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

September 18, Wednesday

5:15 pm Family Pizza Night
 6:00 pm Cherub Choir
 6:30 pm Carol Choir
 7:00 pm Crafts

September 19, Thursday

7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

September 21, Saturday

8:30 am Basketball with Jonathan Paredes
 7:00 pm Koinonia Group

September 22, Sunday

8:15 am Choir Rehearsal
 9:00 am Nursery Care
 9:15 am Worship with Children's Sermon
 9:30 am Children's Sunday School
 10:00 am Welcome Center Volunteer Information Session
 10:15 am Children's Library
 10:45 am Worship Service
 12:00 pm Adult Education Class
 6:00 pm Youth Families Cookout

September 23, Monday

9:00 am Meditation Monday
 5:00 pm COA Cooking Club
 7:00 pm Koinonia Group

September 24, Tuesday

4:00 pm Music Planning
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

September 25, Wednesday

5:15 pm Family Pizza Night
 9:30 am Widows Support Group
 6:00 pm Cherub Choir Rehearsal
 6:30 pm Carol Choir Rehearsal
 7:00 pm Crafts

September 26, Thursday

7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

September 27, Friday

September 28, Saturday

8:30 am Basketball with Jonathan Paredes

September 29, 1 Service Sunday

8:15 am Choir Rehearsal
 9:45 am Nursery Care
 10:00 am Worship with Children's Sermon/Potluck
 10:15 am Children's Sunday School
 11:00 pm Adult Education Class
 4:00 pm MOP's Kickoff Potluck

September 30, Monday

8:00 am Meditation Monday



Notes of Thanks. . .



Dear Church of the Apostles Members,

Thank you so much for the cards and well wishes on the occasion of my retirement from full-time work as Director of Music.

It has been a privilege to serve these last 22 years. I'm also glad that I am able to continue playing the organ and piano for worship services.

Sincerely,

Cindy Kahler

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Thanks to all the church people who helped make the TLC picnic a success.

Andy & Carol

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Dear Church of the Apostles,

Thank you for allowing us to hold our recent Vision Corps Expo at Church of the Apostles. The space and amenities served our needs perfectly, from the large open space of Fellowship Hall, with the available tables and chairs, to the classroom for Dr. Yealy's presentation, the kitchen area and ample parking.

We appreciate your instrumental role in making our event a success!

Sincerely,
Linda Greth

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To Church of the Apostles

We were so pleased to receive the bouquet of flowers on Monday, our 63rd wedding anniversary. Thank you all so much. And thanks to Andy Apple for bringing them.

Don & Dorothy Freeman



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Prayer List

Do you have a prayer intention that you would like the church family to pray for? Please contact the church office to have your loved ones added to the prayer list. Below is a list of current concerns. Thank you.

Continued Strength and Healing:

Annette Rohloff's friend, John, on military assignment; The Stirlings and their friend, Rachel; Jean Cunningham; Barbara Bimson; Helen Preston; Pat Shane; and Mary Alice Butkofsky

Hospice Care: Mary Alice Butkofsky

Protection: Kit Gregory's grandson, Remi, and military personnel serving at home and abroad



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(Meets the 2nd Monday of the month/Rm 306)
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 Ph: 717-392-4844 • Email: spmccartney@comcast.net

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(Meets the 2nd Monday of the month/Rm 304)
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 Co-Chair: Donna Carr (as listed under VP)

Property Commission

(Meets the 2nd Monday of the month/Rm 305)
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 Ph: 717-201-7863 • Email: heforry@comcast.net

Stewardship Commission

(Meets the second Thursday of the month/ Rm 304)
 Chair: George Alspach
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Worship Commission

(Meets the first Tuesday of the month/Rm 111)
 Chair: Bernie Fickes
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Church of the Apostles Prayer Chain

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