



THE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF LAMBERTVILLE
First Presbyterian Church

Many voices with one faith, one heart.

From Our Elder - Phil McCloughan

Welcome To Holy Week
Do This In Remembrance Of Me

We just Celebrated Psalm Sunday with Excitement as Jesus Comes into Jerusalem For Passover With His Disciples, Followers and Thousands of Others To See what all the Commotion Is all about.

Like every year Spring Gives New Life to so much around us. It's not just the changing of the Season but We are about to embark on the Promise of the Love of God. As Jesus rides into Jerusalem on a Donkey that he said would be available when they get there. Again his disciples are surprised when they find the donkey just as Jesus says it would be. As they enter the city with thousands people laying down psalm branches , Cheering, singing, dancing shouting Hosanna! Hosanna! as the excitement builds for the Passover. With all the teachings, explanations of scripture his Disciples are sure Jesus is the Messiah. But they still can't understand what is coming. Jesus sets in motion more of the Edicts At The Table from the Old Testament. Even though the Disciples are unaware of what is going to happen.

Mark 14:19-20

19 Then he took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

20 And he did the same with the cup after supper, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.

Maundy Thursday

What is known as the Last Supper when Jesus takes Bread and gives it to his disciples and says

Take and Eat for this is my body which is given for you. Jesus tells his disciples to Do this in remembrance of me.

After This Last Supper Jesus is Betrayed, Good Friday Arrested , Denied , Pursued , Tortured , Crucified and put in a Tomb.

When we take Communion we too are at that same Table with the Disciples and Jesus. The difference between Us and the Disciples is we know what is going to happen. Because of Gospel's of the New Testament they tell us what Happens as they Experience what they missed while learning From Jesus before the Last Supper. They give us their Testimony as a Witness of the Events that Happened just as Jesus said would from Scripture of the Old Testament.

As we enter Holy Week let's remind ourselves why we Celebrate Psalm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday Morning.

He Has Risen!!!
He is Alive !!!!

“From the Office”

Happy Easter!!

He is risen! Wishing you a delightful Easter filled with hope, joy and the wonder of God's blessings.

There are many things going on at our church in April... one being Shad Fest. There are sign up sheets in the downstairs hallway. It's always a super busy weekend, but so rewarding!

As always if you have information for the monthly Newsletter, please send it to me by the 20th of each month.

God Bless,
Dana



Church News:

Communion Sunday is April 12 at 10:00 am at Mt. Airy Presbyterian Church

The Community Luncheon is now taking place twice a month!!

This month on Wednesday, 4/8 and also on Wednesday, 4/22 the luncheon will be in the Gym at 12:00 pm.

On Saturday, 4/18 at 10:00 am there is a **Ladies Tea** with Julia Henning at Old Rocks Church. All are welcome!

The Chamber of Commerce will be using the Gym from Friday, April 24 through Sunday, April 26 for their Shad Fest poster auction.

Shad Fest is Saturday and Sunday, April 25 & 26.

Our Church Service here on Sunday, April 26th is at 9:00 am. Fred and Katie Kennedy will lead the service. At 2:00 pm there is a performance of “Peter” in front of the Church!

There is no Sunday School that day.

April Birthdays

2 - Becky Hopkins

4 - Kendra Thatcher

7 - Dan Serlenga

9 - Julia Stratuik

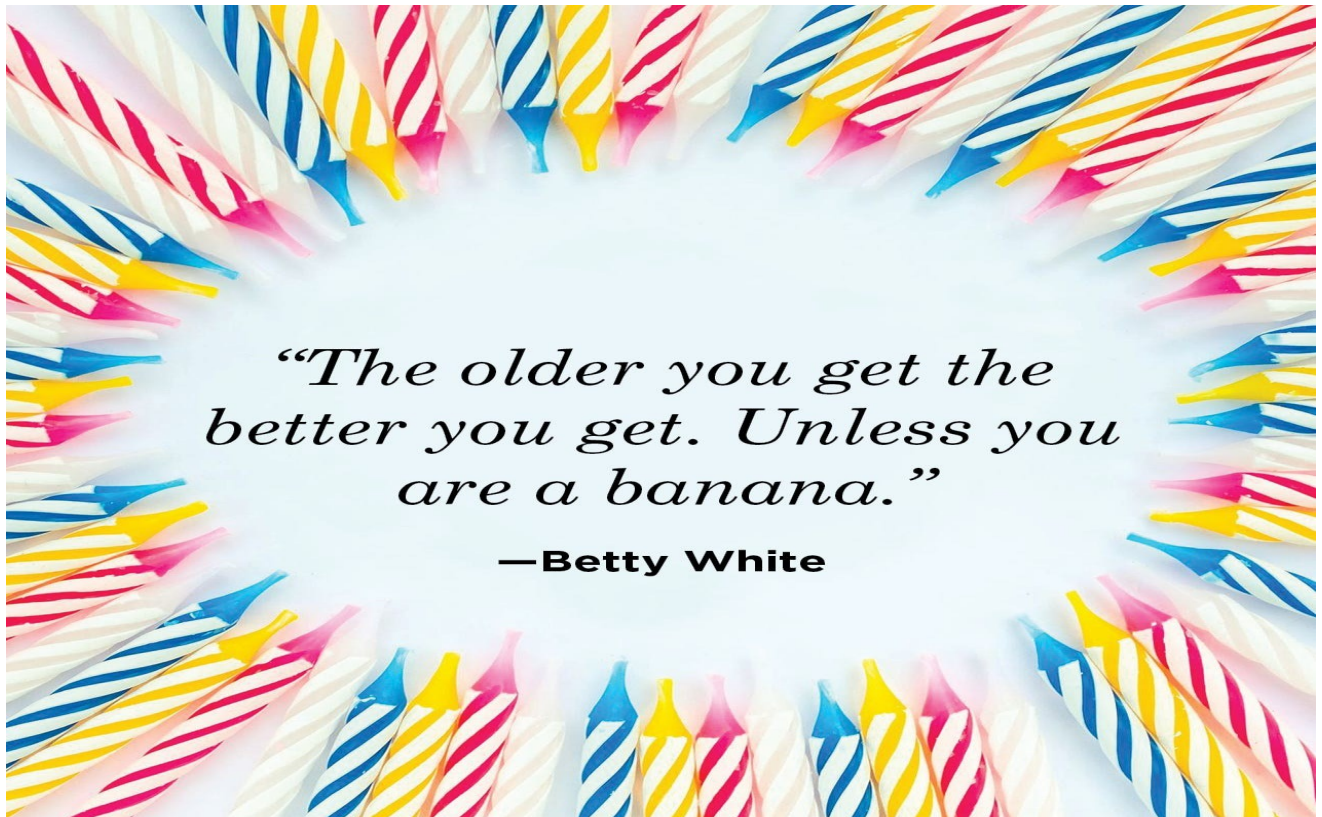
9 - Donna Zambella

11 - Jason Shurts

14 - Elise Stratuik

15 - Carol Shurts

28 - Suzanne Zambella



*“The older you get the
better you get. Unless you
are a banana.”*

—Betty White

Ministry and Outreach:

A note from our Missions Team:

Please see the Missions bulletin board in the back of the Sanctuary.

Your Missions Team: Addie Andino, Gail Armitage, Joanne DiBlasi, Russ Topping and Donna Zambella

Here are the upcoming events and activities from the Deacons!

The Deacons will be hosting the annual Easter Breakfast and Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday, April 5.

Breakfast starts at 9:00 am and the egg hunt will begin right after.

On Saturday, April 25th at 2:00 pm during Shad Fest weekend, there will be a performance of “Peter” in front of the Church. The Deacons will be having their table at the Shad Fest. A sign up sheet to help out is posted on the bulletin board in the Sanctuary.

The Deacon’s are seeking any youth interested in being a Junior Deacon! If you have any questions or know a young person who might be interested in being a Junior Deacon, please email Jen Chernoski at : jenniferchernoski@gmail.com

In His Love—Gail Armitage, Jen Chernoski, Heidi Danberry, LaNelle Gallagher, Dana Garrenger, Stephen McCloughan and Heather Pursell.

Proverbs 19:17 “Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the LORD, and he will reward them for what they have done.”



April Assisting and Greeting Schedule:

Elders:

April 5— Phil McCloughan
April 12— Worship Service at Mt.Airy
April 19— Don Pidcock
April 26— Karen Thatcher

**If you are in need of pastoral care after office hours, please phone the Elder on Call.
The Elder on Call for April is Don Pidcock. 609-397-3560**

Deacons:

April 5— LaNelle Gallagher
April 12— Worship Service at Mt.Airy
April 19— Stephen McCloughan
April 26— Dana Garrenger

Greeters:

April 5— Joan Yannerella
April 12— Worship Service at Mt.Airy
April 19— Betsy Brown
April 26— Carol Griffiths



We are all God's Messengers!

***If you unable to serve your scheduled dates, please find
a replacement and contact the church office. Thank you!**

The Sermon and Accompanist Schedule for April


Easter Sunday, April 5th, Don Pidcock will be giving the Sermon and George Warner is our Accompanist.

** It is also Communion Sunday at First Presbyterian

April 12th—Joint Service at Mt. Airy—also Communion Sunday at Mt. Airy

April 19th—Pastor Bob Louer will be giving the Sermon and Lucia Lee is the Accompanist.

April 26— 9:00 am—Fred & Katie Kennedy will be giving the Sermon and music.



Joy is a net of
love by which
you can catch
souls.

- Mother Teresa

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