



FEBRUARY



2018

Recollections of Elderton Presbyterian Church

My family moved to Elderton from Kittanning when I was two years old. Even though my parents were Lutherans, we started attending the Elderton United Presbyterian Church (The White Church).

Some of my memories included the following: a mid-week Preparatory Service before every Communion Service, a dinner before our Congregational Meeting held on a Monday night, having a Sunday evening service and our minister serving both the Elderton and Shelocta churches.

In the early years, I remember our Church having Elders and Trustees, not Deacons. I do not recall any women serving as Elders. The Trustees had similar duties to what our Deacons do today. I served as an Elder for several terms in both churches until my early nineties.

The merger the Elderton Presbyterian Church (The Red Church) happened in 1964. Reverend C. Vincent Wilson was the Moderator of the Presbytery and he was called in to conduct the merger. He was then asked to serve as our first minister of the newly formed Elderton United Presbyterian Church. Years later, the name was changed to Elderton Presbyterian Church.

At the present time, there are thirteen Elders and nine Deacons. Since Reverend Gray departed some of the services have been conducted by Deacons and Elders.

It has been a pleasure and an honor to serve and be part of the Church over the years.

Victor

GREETERS & USHERS – NURSERY & ACOLYTE'S
(Mark Your Calendars)

This is the only list you will receive – so PLEASE look this over & PUT A REMINDER NOTE ON YOUR CALENDAR OR REFRIDGERATOR!!

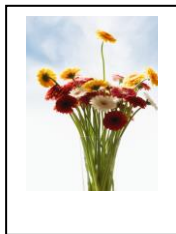
If the date assigned you conflicts with your schedule, **PLEASE TRADE with someone else on the list and**

let the church office know of this change.

GREETERS should be at the door at 10:10 AM and the bell should be rung 10 times at 10:15 and again at 10:30 AM. Greeters also will be responsible for having people help to receive the offering.

Please hand out the morning bulletin. Before worship – open doors into the sanctuary and close when the service begins.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>GREETERS</u>	<u>ACOLYTE'S</u>
Feb. 4	Shawnee Hohl & Terri Maughan	Braden Tutak
Feb. 11	Tom Spencer & Adam Quinn	Allyson Tutak
Feb. 18	Don & Nancy Rupert	Travis Johns
Feb. 25	Betsy Bertolino & Barb Spangler	Makayla Scrips
March 4	Tom & Phyllis Popp	Grant Johnston
March 11	Will & Val Orr	Kirsten Manarelli
March 13	Jamey & Sheila Brumbaugh	Braden Tutak



FLOWERS FOR FEBRUARY

Flower Person – Sue Quinn

Jan. 31-Feb. 7-14 – Marilyn Meyers

Feb. 21-28 – Shirley Schall

March 6-12 – Peg Rowan

NURSERY

Feb. 4 – Hannah Schrecengost- Kent Mummert

Feb. 11 – Carmen Riggle – Rylee Riggle

Feb. 18 – Laurie Pritt – Alexis Stenman

Feb. 25 – Brenda Salley – Brynn Salley

Mar. 4 – Kathy Jo Scrips – Laney Johnston

Mar. 11 – Terri Maughan – Shelby Clowser



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Happy Anniversary

February Birthdays

Emira Brooke Shipley, 1st
John Speer – 4th
Madilyn Grace Silvis – 5th
Rick Milleman – 7th
Scott Craig – 8th
Brian Schall – 11th
Kai Shultz – 11th
Matt Brown – 12th
Joe Bertolino – 14th
Shelby Clowser – 14th
Nicholas Schall – 15th
Bob Coleman - 17th
Dave Dyott – 18th
Karen Gray – 18th
Aaron Patrick Quinn – 18th
Jillian Shaffer – 20th on her 5th
Brandi Bertolino – 21st
Janet (Mrs. Don) L. Rearick – 23rd
Eddie Gray – 23rd
Amanda Perry – 26th
Haley Rose Brumbaugh – 26th
Donna Howard – 27th
Paige Beers – 27th
Ashton Beers – 27th
Sarah Pritt – 28th

February Anniversaries

Melvin (Buster) and Lori Rodgers – 7th on their 35th
Paul and Merilyn Meyers – 17th on their 48th

PULPIT SUPPLIES FEBRUARY & MARCH 2018

Feb. 4 – Rev. Dr. Don Wilson
Feb. 11 – Dr. Jonathan Watt – pastor of the Tusca Area
Reformed Presbyterian Church – (Beaver Falls area)
Feb. 18 - Alfred Kimmel
Feb. 25 – Gregg Hartung
Mar. 4 – Mark Schrecengost
Mar. 11 – Rick Sweeney – Baptism that day
Mar. 18 – Bill Creighton
Mar. 25 – Rick Sweeney
Mar. 29 – Rick Sweeney – Maundy Thursday
Apr. 1 – Rick Sweeney - Easter

*Thank
You*

A BIG thank you to Helen Bowser and Kara Boyer for the MANY, MANY years of service and dedication as financial secretaries.

ALSO

A huge Thank You to Shirley Schall on her invaluable help in preparing the 2017 Annual Report. She made it so much easier to get it compiled. Thank You, Thank You!!

Mary

NEW ELDERS/DEACONS

Elders: Chet Schall, John Craig, Jennifer Johns, Sarah Pritt & Nancy Schrecengost

Deacon: Cory Scrips, Nathan Johns & David Smail.



COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS FOR 2018

Stewardship/Finance – to be announced

Music & Worship – Cassie Clowser

Christian Ed – Joe Scrips

Christian Life and Evangelism – Nancy Schrecengost

Personnel – to be announced

Nominating Committee – John Craig

Deacon's Moderator – Cory Scrips

PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS DURING LENT 2018

Each day in Lent take time to pray for those listed. Feel free to add others or pray for individuals more than one day.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			Ash Wednesday February 14 Ron & Sharon Aikins Chuck & Judy Allison Bob, Kim, Tyler & Travis Anderson	15 Joe & Betsy Bertolino Jane Blaney John & Helen Bowser Jon & Kara Boyer	16 Blair & Lois Brown Matthew Brown & Danielle Kunkle Jamey & Sheila Brumbaugh	17 Russ Brumbaugh Kathy Burns Don Cessna Bob & Loretta Coleman
18 All those that are hungry	19 Bill & Barb Creighton Brian & Adam Dyott Dave & Martha Dyott	20 Jeff & Marcia Elgin Ed & Sally Fink Chuck & Joann Foster	21 Bernie & Pam Gaff Cheryl Hankey Gary & Cindy Henderson	22 Larry Highfield Dave, Kris, Leah & Evan Hilty Dewey & Ruth Hixenbaugh	23 Jeff & Shawnee Hohl Gerald & Doris Howard Gerry & Donna Howard Harry & Gladys Johns	24 Nathan, Jennifer, Travis & Emily Johns Terry & Blythe Johns Mike, Krista, Laney, & Grant Johnston
25 All those that are homeless	26 Rob, Shari, Zach, Josh & Kirsten Manarelli Ray & Sandy McKissick Paul & Marilyn Meyers	27 Will, Valerie, Courtney, & Emma Orr Eileen Price Richard, Laurie, Sarah & Seth Pritt	28 Jean Quinn Adam, Ashley, Aaron, Adalyn & Ava Quinn Tom & Sue Quinn	March 1 Harold & Irene Rankin Roger & Linda Richardson Brett, Joanie, Carmen & Riley Riggle	2 Butch & Linnie Rodgers Don & Nancy Rupert Brian, Brenda, Alexis, & Brynn Salley	3 Chester & Brenda Schall Bob & Shirley Schall Victor Schall
4 All those that are persecuted for being a Christian	5 Eric, Susan, Hannah, & Luke Schrecengost Mark, Regina & Dominic Schrecengost Jeff Schrecengost	6 Mark Jr & Robin Schrecengost Miranda Schrecengost Jason, Jason Jr, Jordan & Jaylin Freeman	7 Nancy Schrecengost Cory, Kathy Jo, Mia & Jona Scrips Joe & Patti Scrips	8 Ryan, Sarah, Makayla & Liam Scrips Rich & Emily Shaffer family Glenna Mae Shughart	9 Dave & Lisa Smail Mildred Smeltzer Barb Spangler	10 John & Jeanne Speer Tom Spencer Bob & Sue Stitt
11 All those that are abused	12 Tom & Sandy Wingard Vaughn & Margie Wood Betty Wood Senta & Aybrah Zelenski	13 Gail Barr Rick, Vanessa & Brina Milleman George Bieber	14 Jeff, Shawnee, Chase & Lauren Hohl David & Landis McCulloch Don & Marion Kunkle	15 Mike & Pam Flickinger Bonnie Gratzmiller Dave, Terri, & Alexandra Maughan	16 Candy & Kent Mummert Tom & Phyllis Popp Larry & Linda Prugh	17 Russell Rizzo Buster & Lori Rodgers family Peg Rowan
18 All those that have an addiction or need healing	19 Larry & Becky Elkin Don & Kathy Fleming Lois Fleming	20 Ashley Gaff Ed, Karen Eddie, & Aaron Gray	21 Dorman Nicholson John, Julie & Charley Quinn Beth Schrecengost	22 Edna Wells Mary Kowaluk Rosemary Strout Ryan and Beth Smith	23 Brett Beere Shirley Claypool Alice Elgin Karen Olsen	24 Mark, Cassie, Zane & Shelby Clowser Dan & Lisa Brumbaugh
25 All those that feel depressed and lonely	26 Scott, Brenda, Breanna, & Brittany Coleman John & Dee Craig	27 Bill & Kim Krebs Chris, Lanette, Kaely & Jaden Klonowski	28 Amanda Schrecengost Tim, Emma, Caleb, & Ari Woznick Beth Schrecengost	29 Julie Tutak Walt, Allyson, & Braden Tutak Ryan & Beth Smith	30 Delone & Arlene Wingard Karen Schall Karen Olsen	31 Peace throughout the world



Butterfly Hill Preschool

Wow! Where did the month of January go!!!! The new year came and here we are at the month of February. Lots of "flu bugs, colds, etc." going around preschool. The weather sure didn't cooperate either. There were delays and cancellations in the month of January. Those sub-zero temperatures were awful to endure, but preschool continued to do what needed to be done.

February brings topics of Groundhog Day, Olympics, Valentine's Day, President's Day, Dental Health, Healthy Eating with the Monthly Concept being Sequencing for Pre-K students and Patterning for the 3 year olds. Toddlers will be doing the letter B and numbers 2, 3, 4, plus Dinosaurs. February is also Fitness Month and Dr. Seuss Read Across American Day.

Preschool will be having a Fundraiser running from February 5 to the 21st selling Joe Clark Easter Candy. Delivery date is the week of March 19th.

Valentine Parties will be held February 13th and 14th. Students will exchange Valentine cards, treats, and take everything home in a Treat Bag that they have decorated during class.

2018-2019 Registrations for preschool have been started "in-house". "Public" registrations will begin on February 5th. Anyone interested in preschool, please contact Jeanne or Martha at 724-354-3117 and request a Registration Form. Don't delay...classes fill up fast! Fall of 2018 will begin our 26th year of service to this church, the children, their families and this community.

We thank Dr. Fetchko for supplying toothbrushes and cute little giraffe flossers for each child for the unit on Dental Health. Dr. Fetchko is kind to supply these items each year in February.



Butterfly Hill Preschool wants everyone to try and keep healthy and weather out this winter as best as they can. Keep warm, eat soup, and enjoy some hot chocolate!

"Children coming out of their cocoons and developing as beautiful Butterflies in a Christian based preschool."

February 2018						
← January						March ►
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 Helping Hand
4 8:15 – Choir 9:15 – Ch. Sch. 10:30 – Worship Installation Elders/Deacons	5 6:00 - Deacons	6	7	8	9	10
11 8:15 – Choir 9:15 – Ch. Sch. 10:30 – Worship Communion Dr. Watt	12	13	14	15 Helping Hand	16	17
18 8:15 – Choir 9:15 – Ch. Sch. 10:30 – Worship Alfred Kimmel	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 8:15 – Choir 9:15 – Chime Practice 9:15 – Ch. Sch. 10:30 – Worship Gregg Hartung	26 6:00 Ch.Ed	27 9:00 Prayer Breakfast	28			

