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ELDERTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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The Way to a Unified Church

Ephesians 4: 1-6

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

The Ephesian church was experiencing some of the difficulties of not being unified. Among the leadership of the Ephesian church existed a bit of confusion as to the direction of the church. There was also some confusion as to how the Ephesian church should be living out the gospel. These are some of the possible issues the Apostle Paul wanted to focus on.

The Apostle Paul shared the following with the Ephesian Church. “I beg you to live a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity in the bond of peace. We can hear the passion of Paul while calling the Ephesian church from being divided to being unified. Let’s examine the Apostle Paul’s remedy to division.

First, the Apostle Paul encourages unity through the characteristics of humility and gentleness. Humility is the foundation of all virtue. Humility is the absence of arrogance and mean-spiritedness. Paul was asking the Ephesian church to work with each other from a position of humility not arrogance.

Second, the Apostle Paul encourages unity through the characteristic of patience. Patience exists in bearing any adverse circumstance that may arise. The exercising of patience teaches us how to respond to suffering. This can tie unity together when unity is needed the most.

Finally, the Apostle Paul encourages unity through the characteristic of forbearing one another in love. This characteristic translates into being faithful during difficult times. God’s people have the deepest need to forbear one another. It is the ability to suffer with one another during troubled times. These are the ways the unity of the spirit is maintained.

The Ephesian church was experiencing difficulties to being unified. The Apostle Paul boils down some characteristics that would eventually lead to unity of purpose. Humility, gentleness, patience and forbearing one another in love could mend the divide that existed within the Ephesian church. The characteristics discussed would eventually lead to maintaining unity in the bond of peace.

Yours Because of Him,

Angel

As we continue to live with the COVID pandemic, the session of Elderton Presbyterian Church would like you to be aware that we continue to follow the guidelines as per the Presbytery.

- Hand sanitizer is placed at every entrance of the church; we are requesting you use the sanitizer upon entering and exiting the sanctuary.
- We are requesting that you wear masks during worship service to minimize the spread of the virus.
- Gloves are also available at each entrance for your convenience. Please take a pair to wear during worship service.
- We continue to practice social distancing during worship service.
- We also continue to follow the guidelines using hymnals. When having one service a week we are allowed to use the hymnals, as studies show the virus does not live on a surface for more than three days.
- A weekly slideshow of the bulletin can be viewed on the TVs at the front of the sanctuary should you decide you do not want to use a paper bulletin.
- We will not pass the microphones during Joys and Concerns. We ask that you speak loudly so all may here your request.

Please know your safety in Elderton Presbyterian Church is of utmost importance. We are taking every precaution necessary so that we may continue to worship together.



GREETERS & ACOLYTE'S

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, the bell should be rung 10 times at 10:15 and again at 10:30 AM. Please hand out the morning bulletin. Before worship – open doors into the sanctuary and close when the service begins.

Please lock the front doors into the church. Pull to make sure the door is latched, use the small “key” found on the window ledge, insert it into the bar of the door and turn until the bar pops out. The handicap door will remain unlocked until 10 minutes into service (Cassie will take care of this.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>GREETERS</u>	<u>ACOLYTES</u>
June 6	Blair and Lois Brown	Liam Scrips
June 13	Vaughn and Margie Wood	Jonah Scrips
June 20	Dave and Kris Hilty	Emily Johns
June 27	Sharon Aikins and Linda Richardson	Mia Scrips
July 4	Larry and Linda Prugh	Travis Johns

NEW ADDRESS

Please make the following address change in
your church directory

Glenna Peterman
PO Box 406
Elderton, PA 15736

FLOWERS FOR JUNE

Anyone wishing to sign up for chancel flowers
please contact Joanie Riggle
724-954-1671,
to be place on the schedule.

June 6 and 13 – open
June 20 and 27 – Nancy Schrecengost

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES



Brittany Coleman – West Shamokin High School
Josh Manarelli – West Shamokin High School
Mason Fleming – West Shamokin High School
Zachary Manarelli – Penn State
Tyler Rodgers – Point Park University
Brina Milleman – IUP
Leah Hilty Tatsak – Salus University -
Pennsylvania College of Optometry



SUMMER MUSIC!

If you would be interested in providing
special music for worship or if you know
someone who would like provide us
with special music,
please contact Cassie Clowser.

VIRTUAL VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Shelocta Community Presbyterian Church
and Elderton Presbyterian Church
will host VBS this year,
due to COVID concerns it will be virtual.



Starting June 21, 2021
And each Monday for 8 weeks.
Each lesson will be online for 1 hour,
you will receive a bag with the lessons, crafts, snacks,
and games for each week.

- Week 1: I wonder what makes my story unique?
- Week 2: review
- Week 3: I wonder what gifts God gave me?
- Week 4: review
- Week 5: I wonder what I can learn from others?
- Week 6: review
- Week 7: I wonder how I can spend time with God?
- Week 8: review

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 1, 2021
Online registration: bit.ly/scpc2021
Or pick up a registration form in the vestibules or
church office and mail to:
Shelocta Comm. Pres. Church
PO Box 177
Shelocta, PA 15774

Any questions please contact Shelocta Church
724-354-2352
sheloctapres@gmail.com

Elderton Presbyterian Church continues to have the following online options for services:

The church has installed a new video recording system in
order to stream our worship services live.

If you wish to view worship services live you will need to
download the following app to your device.

Guarding Vision
Log in: **17249541717**
Password: **Hc18professional**

You can view the weekly worship service on Facebook Live

A video recording of the service is
posted to YouTube after worship service.

The weekly bulletin is posted to the church website:
eldertonpc.org
click news tab, click weekly bulletins.

The weekly bulletin is also posted to Facebook.



THE FOOD WINDOW AT ELDERTON FIRE HALL TAKE FOOD – GIVE FOOD

**The Elderton Volunteer Fire Department
has a Food Window for those
in need of food.**

**Go to the fire hall, go to the window, open it
and take the food you need.**

**If you are not in need of food you can donate,
Place the food donation in the window.**

**If you know anyone who is struggling and needs
food, please tell them of this service and the food
pantry at Elderton Presbyterian Church.**

HEY KIDS!

Come join us for
Fun Day Sunday's as we learn
how **WIDE** & how **LONG**
& how **HIGH** &
how **DEEP** the **LOVE** of God is



One Sunday a month thru the summer
we will have Sunday School.
You will travel to different stations for lesson,
snack, craft and finish with games!

June 20 - 9:15-10:15

July 18 - 9:15-10:15

August 15 - 9:15-10:15

(the third Sunday of the month)

For more information contact the
church office 724-354-3117

or

Hannah Schrecengost 724-541-3360

BRING A FRIEND WITH YOU! WE ARE GOING TO HAVE FUN!

**Friends Day Wednesday's
Grab and Go Evening Meals
4:30-6:00 p.m.
Shelocta Presbyterian Church
182 South Ridge Road
Shelocta, PA 15774**

**June 16, 2021 – Hot Ham & Chesse Sliders, Pistachio Salad,
Chips, and Dessert**
Free will offerings accepted as we continue God's work in the community

Order your meal(s) by the Wednesday before meal delivery date.

To order call: 724-354-2352
Leave a message with your name, telephone number, and time for pick up
Or
Order online at: bit.ly/scpc2021

Proceeds support community mission projects of the church.

**DAYTON GLADE RUN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
4 PERSON GOLF SCRAMBLE
SATURDAY, JULY 24, 2021
WHITE OAK GOLF COURSE, DAYTON, PA**

Check In Time: 9:00-9:45 am
Tee Time: 10:00

Nonrefundable Registration
No Rain Date
\$220/Foursome

Early Bird Discount: \$200/team (deadline June 30, 2021)

Register Today: Call or Text:
Shelia Wadding 724-525-7470
sdwadding@windstream.net

Make payments to:
Sheila Wadding
137 State Route 1041
Dayton, PA 16222

18 holes – Cart Included
Also Included:
Lunch
Prize Holes and Door Prizes
50/50 Putting Contest

**MANSE CLEAN UP
DAY**

**The Deacons are planning a
cleanup day at the manse.**

If you have time to help the Deacons they
would appreciate it. The more help there
is the less time it takes.

June 18 at 6:00 PM

If needed they will finish up on Saturday June 19.
Time to be determined.



THE ELDERTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PRESENTS
“ONE NIGHT OF TALENT”

SEPTEMBER 11, 2021
Doors will open at 7:00 PM

Admission: A Free Will Offering will be collected at the door.
All Proceeds will go to The Heifer Project.

All Ages: Play an Instrument, Sing, Dance, Poetry, Karaoke, Lip Sync.....
Whatever your God given talent is please share it with us
in this amazing night of fun and fellowship!

START PRACTICING NOW!!!!
Join those who have already signed up!
Please see Hannah Schrecengost to sign up!

The Harmony Gove Lutheran Church is having a fundraiser which
will benefit the fire companies that came to their rescue
when arsonists attempted to burn down the church in February 2019.

Turkey Dinner

Harmony Grove Lutheran Church
Five Points, PA

June 19, 2021 4 - 7 p.m.

Take out only!

\$10.00 per dinner

Meal includes: Turkey (prepared by Wadding Family Meats), mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing,
corn and angel food cake with strawberries

To pre-order call 724-397-4005
(Leave your name, phone number, and how many dinners)

Or order online at

<https://tinyurl.com/HarmonyGoveLC>

before June 9, 2021



Spaghetti

Dinner

Benefit

For

Carolyn Warr (Krizmanich)



Elderton Firehall

Sunday, June 13, 2021

Time: 11:00 – 4:00

Take out available

\$10.00 per person

\$5.00 Kids under 12

50-50 Raffle

Basket Raffle



Donations welcome

Questions please contact:

Barb Krizmanich Blausen on Facebook

Miss Carolyn has been teaching at Butterfly Hill Preschool for 8 years. Carolyn had a routine mamogram and was diagnosed with stage 1 breast cancer.

Carolyn's family is asking for donations of baked goods for this fundraiser please call the church office 724-354-3117 to sign up

PLEASE SUPPORT CAROLYN BY ATTENDING THIS FUNDRAISER!

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Kathleen Bertolino – 2nd
Scott Mummert – 3rd
Helen Schall – 4th
Sue Quinn - 7th
Sara Lasser – 7th
Kim Krebs – 8th
Will Orr – 8th
Ray McKissick – 9th
Ava Quinn – 9th
Valerie Orr – 10th
Sue Stitt – 13th
Abby Cessna – 17th
Landon Gubitose - 20th
TJ Spencer – 21st
Ryan Scrips – 22nd
Brandon Richardson – 23rd
Terry Johns – 25th
Michele Rouzer – 25th
Zane Clowser – 26th
Patty Mellish -28th
Brett Riggle - 28th
Mary Kate Guerrieri – 28th
Jean Quinn – 29th
Michael Wood – 29th
Eric Howard – 30th
Laney Johnston – 30th

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Mike and Pam Flickinger – 2nd, 1973
Scott and Ronda Craig – 1994
Curt & Caroline Speer – 4th, 2005
Brooks and Heidi Fleming – 8th
Andrew and Michelle Rearick – 9th, 2006 -**15 years**
Cody and Alissa Meyer – 9th, 2012
Ron and Sharon Aikins – 10th, 1978
Kyle & Carolyn Beers – 11th, 2013
Larry and Jodi Beers – 14th, 1986 – **35 years**
Bob and Kim Anderson – 15th, 1991- **30 years**
Devin and Ashleigh Creighton – 16th, 2013
Roger and Linda Richardson – 17th, 1972
David & Landis McCullogh – 18th, 2016- **5 years**
Adam & Leah Tatsak – 23rd, 2018
Mark Jr. & Robin Schrecengost- 25th, 2016 – **5 years**



June 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6 10:30 –Worship Service	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 10:30 –Worship Service Carolyn Warr Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser 11-4	14  Flag Day	15	16	17	18	19
20  9:15 -10:15 – Children's Fun Day Sunday Sunday School 10:30 –Worship Service – hunger offering	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 10:30 –Worship Service	28	29	30			

**At this time there are no meetings scheduled in June.
All activities are subject to change or cancel due to COVID concerns.**