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A Message from Pastor Jonathan:

Fresh Wind

There's a fresh wind blowing. Can you feel it? God is doing a new thing. Can we see it? He is making the way forward. Are we willing to walk it?

I don't know about you, but I have sensed God moving in fresh ways over recent months. Our times of worship together on the weekends seem filled with his joy and grace. Our praise Is filling the sanctuary space and reaching the heavens. I am regularly hearing stories from many of you about steps you have taken in obedience to God. You have shared ways that you have felt him leading you, and you are striving to follow, even if you're not 100% sure of what you're hearing. You're stepping out into serving in ways that you haven't before. You are leading others in faithfulness, even though you might never have seen yourself as a leader before. You have started attending a small group, or even leading one. I have seen you offering forgiveness to people who have hurt you deeply, because you know how much you have been forgiven. You are growing in grace, love, and holiness.

I have seen this fresh wind in the way God is connecting us in the community around us. You have told me of conversations that seemed to be random, but where you have had the opportunity to share God's love with someone that you didn't know, or to invite a neighbor to church, or to pray with someone who is hurting. We have reached out in love to our neighbors through ministries like the Matrona Family Resource Center and the Food Bank. God is growing those relationships in ways that honor him.

These are not just a series of coincidences. All of these are ways that the wind of God's Spirit is moving among us!

So what do we do when God is doing new things among us? First, we need to open our eyes. Often we don't see the big picture of what he is doing; we just see individual small events. Ask God to open our eyes to see the bigger picture.

Second, we respond in obedience. When our eyes are opened to how God is moving, we are more likely to see those opportunities as they are happening and to say yes to them. When we see things developing, let's use that as a prompt from God for us to act.

Third, we ask God for more. We don't want this to be just a brief season of him moving, but we want to continue to grow in our relationship with and obedience to him. Ask Jesus to reveal himself more to people through us. Ask the Holy Spirit to fill us and use us more for God's glory. Ask the Father to draw us closer to him.

Lord, let it continue!

See, I am doing a new thing. Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43:19

In Christ,

Pastor Jonathan

How to Reach Us

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childrenecabotumc.com

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Worship Schedule

Saturday 6:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am

Worship Service
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it was you who set all the boundaries of the earth; you made both summer and winter.



June	10	Motorcycle Ride	
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June 12 Admin Teams Meetings
June 17 Men's Breakfast & Kelly's

June 18 Father's Day

June 19 Food Bank Truck Delivery

Food Bank Packing

Congretional vote on joining Global Methodist Church

June 21 Food Bank

June 26-30 VBS

June 26 COM Meeting

June 29 Book Club with Kate



July 7 Blood Drive

July 10 Admin Teams Meetings

July 13 Women's Ministry Christmas in

July

July 15 Men's Breakfast @ Kelly's

July 17 Food Bank Truck Delivery

Food Bank Packing

July 19 Food Bank

July 24 COM Meeting

July 27 Book Club with Kate



August 14 Admin Teams Meetings

Prayer Shawls

Food Bank Truck Delivery

Food Bank Packing

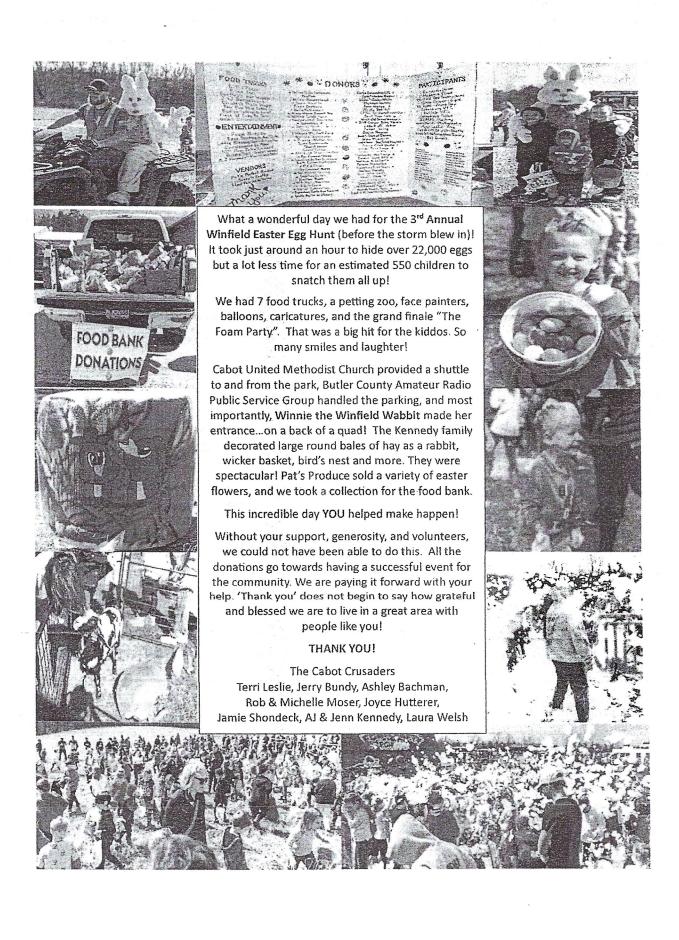
August 16 Food Bank

August 19 Men's Breakfast @ Kelly's

August 28 COM Meeting

August 31 Book Club with Kate

See enclosed calendar for full schedule. Fo latest updates, sign up for the Cabot UMC Happenings email by contacting Jacy Barbiaux of program@cabotumc.com or check the Cabo UMC website.



Global Methodist Church Vote

As Cabot Church prepares to disaffiliate from the United Methodist Church, we have been discerning our next steps. Our Administrative Board believes the two best options are joining the Global Methodist Church or setting out as an independent congregation. They are continuing to explore, pray, and discuss those options. We will hold a church meeting followed by a vote regarding this on Tuesday, June 20 at 7:00 pm in the sanctuary. Members of the Administrative Board and the Disaffiliation Team will share more of what we have learned and will make a recommendation. Those present at the meeting will be able to ask questions and have more discussion. Then we will vote to decide our direction. Church members in good standing who are present will be able to vote. With questions, contact the church office, Randy Fertelmes, or Pastor Jonathan. Thank you for continuing to hold our church in your prayers.

Help Grow Our Food Bank Family!

Our church food bank serves many families in our community with free distributions of good food to those who can benefit from it. We offer fresh produce, frozen meats, milk, eggs, and canned and boxed goods. We constantly hear what a blessing this is for those who receive food.

We are looking for more people who would like to serve on this team and be part of this essential community ministry. So, what is this all about? Currently we are specifically looking for helpers to pack bags on the 3rd Monday night of each month following the morning food bank truck delivery, and we also need people on Wednesday evenings during the second distribution. Help at other times would also be greatly appreciated, but these two times are currently in greater need. This ministry is much bigger than the areas just mentioned, and there are many ways you are welcome to serve.

Food Bank work includes sorting, packing, lifting, and loading in an often fast-paced environment. You'll work alongside others in a friendly service-based setting, while experiencing the satisfaction of meeting basic needs in the community.

As a church, God has given each of us special gifts. If your gift is in helping or serving, check us out. Come see what we're all about. Maybe this is the area God wants you to step into. Our food bank family would be happy to provide you with more information.

In general, the Food Bank distributes items on the 3rd Wednesday of each month, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm and 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm. The delivery truck comes the Monday morning before the distribution, and the packing time happens that Monday evening beginning at 5:30 pm.

Talk with us by contacting the church office. We would be so grateful to have you join our team, and thank you for giving this ministry your prayerful consideration!

Summer Worship and Office Hours

Our church schedule changes a little beginning Memorial Day weekend. Sunday, May 28, our worship service will move to its 9:30 am time, with no Sunday School. (No change for Saturday night.) Then starting Tuesday, May 30, the office will be open 9:00 am until noon, Monday through Thursday for the summer. Fall hours will return after Labor Day.



Thank you all for the beautiful luncheon today. Dan would be so happy that we were able to have his service here with the church family he loved.

God Bless!

Manreen, Mike, Dave, Deanna, Brent, Anri and Sam



Mark & I would like to extend our thanks to our Cabot Church Family for your love and support during the loss of my sister. The meals, cards, calls, gifts in memory, and visits ministered to ou hearts and gave us such comfort and hope.

Mark & Shelly Hack

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The ROCK Youth Ministry

The LORD is my Rock - Psalm 18:2

First, I would like to say thank you to everyone for their support and food donations. It is greatly appreciated. The good news is the Youth Group has seen alot of growth over the past year. We currently have 38 youth that attend throughout the year. We are regularly getting 15–20 youth attending on Sundays and 12–15 that attend on Wednesdays. Due to this, we are in need of your support more than ever wehn requesting donations, due to our size. We have a table in the back of the Welcome Center that we put our requests on weekly. If you can help, please take a notecard and return the item requested the following week, if possible. Thank you!

June and July Rock Youth schedule

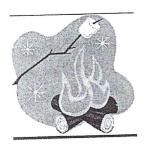
June 2023

July 2023

Sunday, June 4	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Sunday, July 2	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Wednesday, June 7	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Wednesday, July 5	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Sunday, June 11	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Sunday, July 9	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Wednesday, June 14	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Wednesday, July 12	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Wednesday, June 21	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Sunday, July 16	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Sunday, June 25	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Wednesday, July 19	5:30 - 8:00 PM
Wednesday, June 28	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Sunday, July 23	5:30 - 8:00 PM
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A big thanks for Cheyanne Grimm, Tyler Duke, Madison Petrosky, Kylie McGee, and Sandy Ekas for helping with the Lock-In. It was a great success!





It's Campfire time again!

Summer is almost here and it's a great time for some relaxing fellowship!

Join us on June 24th at 7:15pm (following Worship) in the upper parking lot area.

We will provide hot dogs and buns and smore's ingredients. Please feel free to bring a food item to share!

Bring a lawn chair and roasting sticks if you have some.



Please sign up in the Welcome Center so we can plan accordingly. Any questions please contact Paula Scott, fellowship@cabotumc.com or 724-472-7004.



Cabot UMC Food Bank June Collection

Cabot UMC has a wonderful Food Bank, run by a group of dedicated, kind, and welcoming volunteers. The volunteers take inventory, assess the needs, order, sort, and distribute the food each month to community members. If you live in the area and are in need of assistance, please contact us.

For more information about the Cabot Food Bank, please call the church office.

Food distribution is on the third Wednesday of every month.

We have 2 time slots: 10:00 am – noon and 4:00 – 6:00 pm.

June

Paper Supplies

July

Pasta & Salad Dressing

August

School Supplies

Septemb

Cake Mix

October

Canned Pumpkin, Sweet Potatoes,

Cranberry Sauce

November

Baking Supplies

December

Canned Fruit & Cereal





"Now therefore, our God, we thank thee, and praise thy glorious name. 1 Chronicles 29:13

Our church has been blessed many times over with the desire to hear and do according to the Word of God, and following up with being ever so generous with the money that has been donated toward the disaffiliation and in all of the volunteer work that keeps the church going and growing. Therefore, we are reminded to thank our Heavenly Father for providing us with the means to do any and all of this. Amen.

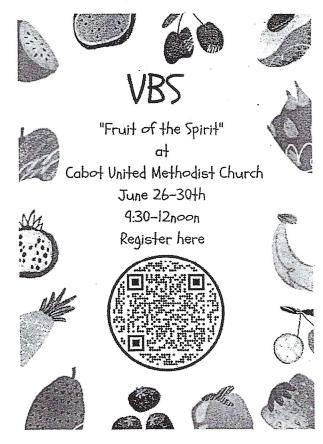
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Children's Ministry



Calling VBS Volunteers

The dates for Vacation Bible School are June 26th through 30th, 9am–12pm, and we'd love to have you join us. VBS needs many hands to make it work. Please consider this awesome opportunity to serve the children of our community. If you are interested in helping through planning or volunteering please contact Miss Kelly at children@cabotumc.com or 724–524–1809





It can be hard for little ones to sit through the serious adult talk of a sermon, so we provide a fun alternative. On Sundays, kids leave the regular worship service after the Children's Message and come back in time for the Benediction. They'll sing songs, play games, do some art projects and listen to a Bible Story! Kids' Own Worship (KOW) happens during the regular Sunday worship services. Kids from Pre-K to 5th Grade can leave the

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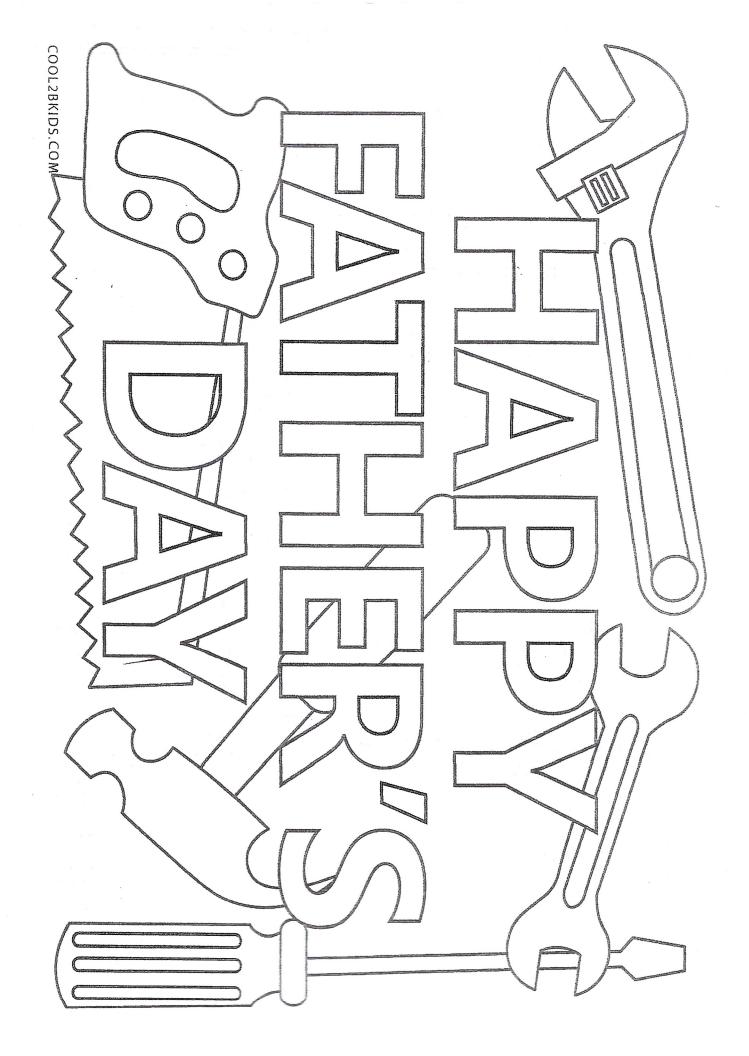
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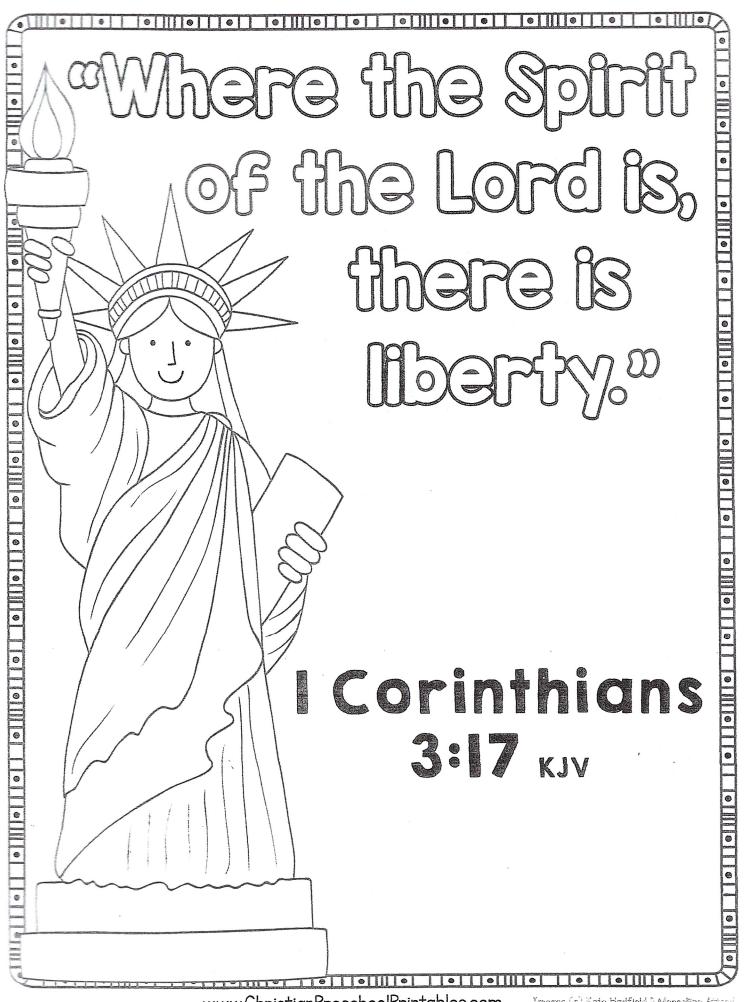
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Prayer squares are a smaller, more portable version of a prayer shawl. They can be kept in your pocket, purse, or backpack. They can be a reminder to stop and pray for someone or some situation. If you or a family member is in need of a prayer square, there is a basket of them on the table in the Welcome Center. Feel free to take as many as you need.

Also, if you or someone you know is in need of a Prayer Shawl, please take one from the gray cupboard in Room 14. There is a notebook in which to record the shawl taken and to whom it is going. There are also bags and tissue paper if you wish to use them.

If you would like one of the Prayer Shawl members to help you, please ask.

Contact Bonnie Yates if you have any questions! Thank you!



Contact Sarah Smith if you have questions regarding Secret Sisters 724-352-3827 langmedic26emsn.com



MEN"S BREAKFAST 3rd Saturday of the Month

> June 17h e 8:00AM July 15th e 8:00AM

Kelly's Family Restaurant 130 W. Main Street, Saxonburg Questions, contact Rich James @ 724-816-3974



Book Club will be held on
June 29th @ 6pm
and
July 27th @ 6pm

Questions: Contact Kate Lindsey
library@cabotumc.com







PASTORAL CARE - MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

If you need medical equipment, please call Elaine Hinderliter at 724–352–1936. Also, if you have borrowed medical equipment and no longer are using it, you may return it to the church and inform us so others will have use of it.

We also have an electric scooter to give to anyone who can use it.

The batteries are dead and will have to be replaced.

Operation Christmas Child

June/July



For June and July we are asking for quality toys and clothing!









Please remember to consider OCC when you come across sales and clearances. Things to look for: toys, small stuffed animals, cars, jump ropes, balls, some clothing items such as socks, shirts, sweatpants, hats and gloves. Watch for the good sales and stock up! For the full list go to the website — https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child.

Please mark items OCC and place in the wooden bin in the lobby. You can drop items off at any time (you don't need to wait for the appropriate month). Monetary donations can be made as well, which go towards shipping costs or purchasing additional items to fill the shoeboxes.

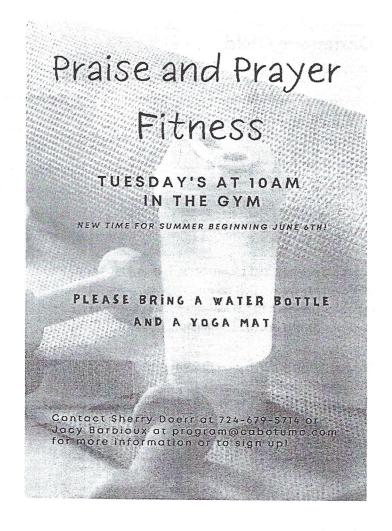
If you have any questions, concerns, or ideas for this ministry please contact me. I am always excited to try something new and share my excitement with all of you and those beautiful children in our world!

Thank you so much!
Paula Scott
fellowship@cabotumc.com



Operation Christmas Child M&M's fundraiser

We are raising money to cover the cost of shipping/training+greatest journey materials for Operation Christmas Child. Please take a tube of mini m&m's from the Welcome Center, eat the m&m's and then fill the tube with quarters and return them to the church. You may take as many tubes as you would like.





Motorcycle Ride

Join with other Christians on a ride out to Foxburg Inn.

Saturday, June 10.

Meet in the church parking lot at 9:00 am. Donations for the ride can be made toward our Rock Youth ministry here at Cabot Church.

Contact Rich James, 724-816-3974,



Pastor Jason McQueen is retiring on July 1, 2023, after over 34 years in ministry. He served as pastor of Cabot UMC from 2014–2019. If you were here during that time, would you please share how the Lord touched your life under the ministry of Pastor Jason? Maybe a memory – serious or funny. Maybe you have a story of the Jason McQueen family.

Please also pass this along to anyone you know who also sat under the ministry of Pastor Jason. His last Sunday in the pulpit is June 18th. Mail your responses by June 5th so they receive them before they move.

Rev. Jason McQueen
PO Box 12
Dayton, PA 16222
jasonmcqueen6legmail.com
bethmcqueen6legmail.com



Matrona



A Family Resource Center A Ministry of Cabot United Methodist Church 724-352-2074

Resources for families in South Eastern Butler County

Baby and Toddler Clothes, Maternity Clothes, Diapers, Baby Gear, Children's Books, Support Groups, Parenting Classes, Childbirth Classes

Resource Closet:
Open Weekly on Thursdays from 6-8pm
Or as needed, please call for details

Support Group for New Parents: Thursdays from 7–8pm Please call for details

Parenting and Childbirth Classes: Meeting Weekly as needed, call for details

Matrona is a ministry of Cabot United Methodist Church located at 707 Winfield Rd, Cabot, PA.

If you are struggling with any aspect of pregnancy or parenting, or if you would like to volunteer or donate, please call or email childrenecabotumc.com.

Matrona is growing and serving more families every week and we need helpers! If you'd like to be a part of blessing the families of our community, please contact Miss Kelly at children@cabotumc.com or 724–524–1809.

Women's Ministry



Join us July 13 to celebrate Christmas in July! 6:00PM

More details to follow.

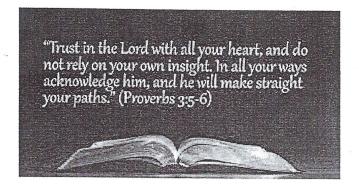
Contact Michelle Moser with any questions.



Lead a Group

You can lead a group in studying the Bible or reading a Christian Book! Even if you never have before, we can provide you with training and materials to lead a discussion that will help others (and you!) grow in their faith. You can lead using a book you choose, or select from the many excellent ones we have available. We are looking for new groups during Sunday school and other times during the week.

Contact Jacy Barbiaux (program@cabotumc.com)
or
Pastor Jonathan for more information





Christian Camping

Give your teenagers or children an amazing experience with Jesus in the outdoors this summer at camp! Our church is specifically partnering with Wesley Woods Best of Summer Sampler the week of July 30-Aug. 4, and scholarships are available from the church. Check out the table in the Welcome Center or contact the office for info about scholarships, Wesley Woods, Jumonville, and more.



We have a small group for men who would like to grow in their faith while being encouraged and challenged by one another. Wednesday nights at 7:00pm. 134 Grimm Road, Sarver (Don Marlowe's house). Contact Don, Roger Kennedy, or Pastor Jonathan with questions or to sign up.

Our

Giving Table



In the Welcome Center we have a table with cards printed with different types of materials you can donate toward our community ministries. Browse through and take a few in order to help provide items for our youth ministry, current needs for the Matrona Family Resource Center, or Food Bank donations. This table is regularly refreshed with new items, so feel free to pick up a couple of cards each week. When you return the items, please put them in the donation box in



June Birthdays

Shelly Hack	1st
Dixie Laidlaw	2nd
Breanna Kamerer	5th
Michael Riley	5th
Brooke Laidlaw	8th
Adalyn Purcell	8th
John Schmeider	8th
Diane Oesterling	10th
Patty Black	11th
Amy Curry	13th
Corey Comperatore	14th
Joy Gardner	14th
Corey Purcell	· 14th
Ella Riley	14th
Abby Zeigler	15th
Jim Duke	17th
Lucy Nagg	17th
Bella Oskin	18th
Shirley Nulph	21st
Jan Porter	22nd
Jennifer Schleich	23rd
Deana Pethtel	24th
Sam Stone	24th
Mae Brosenitsch	26th
Betty Sarver	26th
Jody Timko	27th
Josh Christley	29th
Becky Toomey	30th

June Anniversaries

Patrick & Casey Hogan	6th
Don & Karen Marlowe	13th
Chuck & Connie Kiley	19th
Cliff & Patty Black	27th
Dwight & Betty Sarver	27th
Ron & Joyce Callen	28th
Brady & Evelyn Amerson	30th

July Birthdays

Bud Doerr	3rd
Pat Jones	3rd
Pierson Marlowe	7th
Kevin Travis	7th
Emmerson Jones	10th
Darrel Hester	14th
Makenna Pethtel	15†h
Karen Marlowe	16th
Glenna Wetzel	17th
Megan Jones	20th
Gladys Wilbert	20th
William Hockenberry	21st
Zachariah Koller	22nd
Dan Swift	23rd
lan Lindsey	27th
Makayla Pethtel	29th
Kendall Orris	31st

July Anniversaries

Rick & Karen Kellley	10th
Jack & Karen O'Brien	10th
Jonathan & Katherine Fehl	20th
Corey & Helen Comperatore	22nd
Abby & Tucker Zeigler	24th
Larry & Sandy Laidlaw	25th
Aaron & Judy Timko	29†h





Did you know you can give your tithes and financial offerings electronically on our website? Click on the "Give" button on our home page, cabotumc.com, where you can create an account and securely give. Also, you can directly mail in your offering to the church at 707 Winfield Rd, Cabot, Pa 16023, just mark your offering as to where you want it designated on your envelope. We thank you for your generosity towards God's church

Giving Update

Contact the office with any questions or for more details about these financial updates.

Through April 30, 2023

\$124,809 Giving for General & Capital Budgeted to the end of April \$131,090



Special Penny Offering Results

May Penny Offering to The Mission Barn: Mobilizing resources (such as cleaning buckets and hygiene kits) to those in need due to natural and manmade disaster, in our region and beyond.



June Penny Offering to Operation Christmas Child

(6/17 & 6/18)- 3rd weekend

July Penny Offering to TBA

(7/19 & 7/20)- 3rd weekend

Thank you to all who contributed. You are making a difference