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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



A six-week **Sunday school** class on **Brethren History and Beliefs** has started in the room across from the library. Please join us for the next several **Sundays** at 9 a.m.!

The Library Committee invites you to our **Open House** after the worship service **this morning**. We will have some light refreshments for you and **used books for sale**. All donations from the book sale will go back into purchasing new books for our Library!



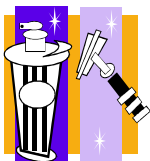
A list of our church families and their Deacons is posted in the bulletin board in the Narthex. Please feel free to contact your Deacon should a need arise.

The congregation is invited to an Open House Celebration for Lorraine Ziegler's 90th Birthday on Sunday, June 3 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Orchid Terrace Room at Peter Becker. Please stop in to see the Birthday Girl if you can!



Indian Creek's **Annual Church Picnic** will be held on **Sunday, June 3rd in the pavilion starting at 4:30 p.m.** Nurture will provide hot dogs, condiments and drinks, and everyone is asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share. There will be games for all ages. We hope you can join us!

The **Witness Commission Service Project for June** is to collect new **personal care items for Men** beginning next Sunday, May 27th through June 17th (Father's Day)! The items will be placed into small



packages to give to dads who come to the Hatfield COB Food Pantry during the month of June. Please donate items such as shaving cream, razors, soap, aftershave, deodorant, nail clippers, combs, or any items that you feel would be appreciated by a man. There is a collection basket in the Narthex.

Thanks to all the guys who helped out at the Mother/Daughter Banquet. You really did a great job!

~ Pat Bub (on behalf of Women's Fellowship)

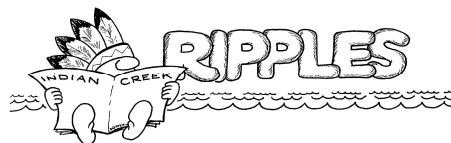
Camp Swatara invites you to their **Senior Adult Day on Wednesday, June 6th** to hear Serenade, a String Quartet from Lancaster. They will perform a program of classical music concluding with some well known hymns. The event begins in the East Lodge with registration at 9:30 a.m. and includes a noon dinner in the West Dining Hall. There are several enjoyable afternoon options before the program ends at 2:30 p.m. Total fee for the day is \$12.00 per person, payable at the door. Deadline is May 31, or when capacity is reached. **Call 717-933-8510 to register yourself** (or your group). See the poster in the Narthex for more details.

Don't forget about summer camp at Camp Swatara! Members of the church family can take advantage of the **Good as Gold certificates** which cover half the cost of a week of camp. Contact the church office if you need one.



VBS Registration Cards for kids age 4 through grade 6 are on the table in the Narthex! All children need to be registered by June 17th. Vacation Bible School starts on Sunday, June 24 and runs through Thursday,

June 28. This year **SonRise National Park** is where kids will learn the most important survival skill of all: they can always depend on Jesus and His promises of true peace, true riches, true power, true love and true hope! We hope you will be part of this very special week at Indian Creek!



Articles for the June issue of Ripples are due in the church office by next Tuesday, May 29th. Thank you!

Help is still needed on Sunday mornings from 9:00—9:45 in the Nursery to watch a few children whose parents attend the Adult SS Parenting Class across the hall. Please contact Pam Bedell if you can help in any way.

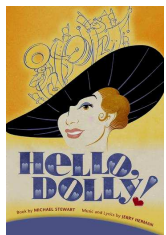
Nursery help is also needed during the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service for some Sundays in May, June, November or December—Please contact Alicia Leonhardt if you can fill a Sunday or two this year. Teenagers on up may serve! **The worship service can be seen live in the Nursery for your benefit.**



Indian Creek Softball this week: All games start at 6:15 p.m. (unless a game is cancelled due to rain). Come out and cheer on the Indian Creek Softball Team!

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location/Field</u>
Tues, May 22	Zion Mennonite	Faith Bible Flwshp
Thrs, May 24	Faith Bible Flwshp	Faith Bible Flwshp

Register now to join in the fun at the **Keystone Opportunity Center Golf Outing—July 9 at Talamore Country Club.** Details and registration information are available at www.keystoneopportunity.org or you may pick up a flier in the Narthex. The outing includes lunch, on-course refreshments and dinner. Cost is \$150 per golfer.



The Women's Fellowship is sponsoring a trip to Longwood Gardens to see the show "Hello, Dolly!" on **Friday, July 27th** at 8:00 p.m. This is **open to everyone** who would enjoy spending time in the gardens followed by a live show! There are only 30 tickets available with great seats at \$25 each. **Even though you don't have to have your money in now, please at least sign your name and number of people who will be going, so when the cutoff list date comes, and we open it to the public on June 3rd, you will be assured of a ticket.**

The Women's Fellowship has been asked to participate in a **craft project for Women's Camp.** We are asked to crochet or knit a 6" square and bring it to camp. The squares will be joined into afghans for donations. If you are not going to camp, you can do this and give it to someone who will be going to camp. The date is August 19-21.



The church office will be closed on Monday, May 28th for Memorial Day.

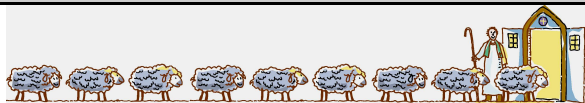
THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Today: Library Open House/Used Book Sale 11:20 a.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Memorial Day – office closed	May 28
Last Day of Wee Folk Nursery School	Jun 1
Graduation Recognition Sunday	Jun 3
Deacon's Meeting in Library	Jun 3
Church Picnic	Jun 3
Summer Office Hours Begin (Tues-Friday)	Jun 4
Father's Day	Jun 17
VBS Week	Jun 24-28
Independence Day – office closed	Jul 4
Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO	Jul 7-11
Longwood Gardens/Hello Dolly Family Event	Jul 27
Sr. High Pocono's Weekend	Aug 4
Women's Fellowship at Camp Swatara	Aug 19-21
Labor Day	Sep 3
Women of Faith Conference in Philadelphia	Sep 7-8
PRISM in the Pavilion (Music & Worship)	Sep 16
Red Cross Blood Drive in Fellowship Hall	Sep 25

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE and OFFERING



Attendance:

Sunday School: 63 Worship: 106

Offering for Operating: 5/13/12

[2012 Weekly Operating Amount Needed: \$4,762.00]

Amount Collected for Operating: \$3,976.50

Playground Fund Collection:

Last Sunday: \$145.00 Total to date: \$27,127.82

Note: Please consider supporting our *Community Outreach Fund* as you are able. This fund grows only through gifts designated "Community Outreach" on offering envelopes.