

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 21, 2024

## Worship With Us

We are grateful for your presence today. We believe our purpose is to love God and share Jesus Christ. We strive to be a congregation in which all feel welcomed and find opportunities to engage and grow. Wherever you are in your journey with God, we want you to know you are welcome here.

### *Sanctuary Flowers*

The altar flowers you see before you can be given to the glory of God in honor or memory of someone you love! A sponsorship costs \$50 and includes a personalized message here in the announcements. After the flowers have been displayed on our altar, they will be hand-delivered by one of our Deacons to church members who are no longer able to



## Happening Today

### Congregational Meeting - Sunday, April 21, 2024

A Congregational Meeting will be held today, Sunday, April 21 at the conclusion of the 10:45 a.m. worship service for the purpose of electing Emma Sirico and Linda Argunes to the Deacons' Class of 2026.

**Please be aware:** The row of handicap parking spaces closest to the back entrance are reserved for those with limited mobility when they visit the church. Please make sure that your parking placard is visible!



The parking spots numbered 10 through 19 across from The Caring Ministry ARE NOT CHURCH PROPERTY. Please instead park in the lower parking lot or on street.

We appreciate your attention and concern for our members, visitors, and neighbors. Thank you.

## SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS

	This Week (4/21)	Next Week (4/28)
LETTERS OF CONCERN	Darla Willis	Karen Pugh
FLOWER DELIVERY	Karen Pugh	Kathleen Lockhart

*Letters of Concern* are available for the congregation to sign. They are located on the table between the Gathering Place and the glass doors.

## Events, Classes, Meetings, & Activities

# LUNCH BUNCH

Today: April 21  
*Olive Garden*



### FPC Youth Group Ministry

**Today:** Destination Unknown - BBQ Flyers

**Next Week:** Neighborhood BBQ 10a.m. - 1p.m.



### KNITTERS BE MAD!



The Mad Hatters knitting group will meet in the Church Parlor on Monday, April 22 from 1 - 3:30 p.m.

Members and friends of members are welcome to join us. Contact Sandy Sykes at 717-805-6508 (cell).

## Adult Christian Education

*Sundays at 9:40 a.m. ~ Through May 12*

*In John Calvin Chapel, Livestreamed & Recorded*

**The Crisis in Gaza: A Christian Perspective on Israel, Palestine, the Bible, and Christ's Call to Peacemaking**

Join us, between worship services, for this six-week

## Fellowship Events



This year we will be offering two types of tickets:

\$22/person (good until June 30, 2024) **OR**

\$29/person (good until January 1, 2025)

Please contact the church office by **Monday, April 22**, to reserve your tickets. We will only be able to place one order if we want to secure these discounted prices. If you have any questions, please call (717) 843-8041.

## NEIGHBORHOOD OUTDOOR BBQ Sunday, April 28th

11:00 AM

Free Food - Games - Worship Music



## REV IT UP!

Please join us at WellSpan Park on **Sunday, June 9, 2024 at 2 p.m.** as we fellowship together at a York Revolution baseball game.



The Revs will be playing the Hagerstown Flying Boxcars. Our own Dan Brownell will be inspiring the Revs with tunes on the keyboard and our choir will be singing the National Anthem to start the game!

\* Tickets for this Fellowship Event cost \$12 and should be purchased through the church office to ensure being seated with other First Presbyterian members and guests.

# How Can I Help?

*Support us during York County's largest day of giving!*

**9 p.m. on Thursday, May 2 to 9 p.m. on Friday, May 3**



Please use the link below to donate to the Caring Ministry!

<https://www.givelocalyork.org/organizations/caring-ministry-of-first-presbyterian-church-of-york>

## Thank You!

**We are grateful for ALL of the Reverse Lenten Calendar donations.**



We received almost 800 pounds!

- 353.9 pounds of toiletries and household items
- 439.3 pounds of food

## SPONSOR THE TRUCK

Caring Ministry gets pantry items from the Central Penn Food Bank (CPFEB) each month. We are looking for families to sponsor the truck. Sponsorships can range from \$25-\$500.

**Our Sponsors for April:**

**Tom and Barb Chronister AND Kathy (Falatovich) Black and Friends from York Suburban** - *In honor of Georgia Valero's Birthday*

**Blessings from an Anonymous Donor** - *In honor of Chuck and Maureen Letocha*



Every month the Caring Ministry receives between 2000 and 3000 pounds of food from the Central Penn Food Bank (CPFEB). The cost of this truck load of staples has been steadily rising, just as food costs have been increasing for all of us. Our average cost for the truck now ranges from \$750 to \$1000 per month.

For more information about this important ministry or to sponsor the truck, please call the church office (717.843.8041) or contact Elizabeth Lauer (Elizabeth@fpcyork.org)