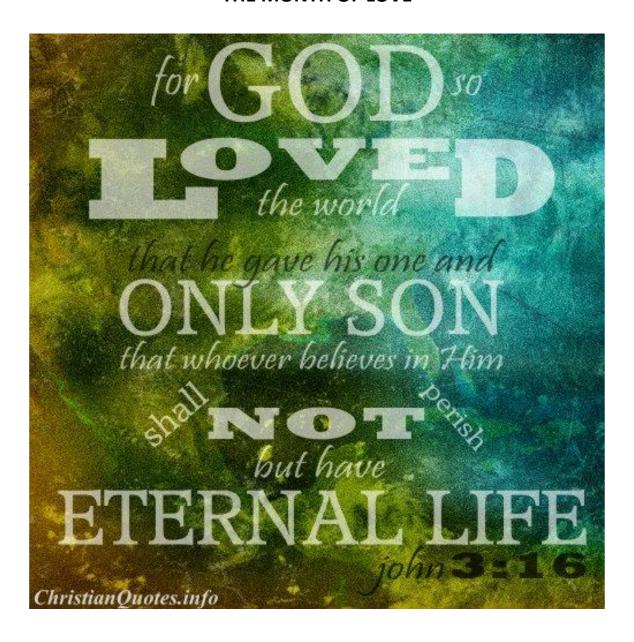
HATFIELD MEETINGHOUSE

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FEBRUARY 2022 NEWSLETTER THE MONTH OF LOVE



Join us Sundays for Worship Morning Worship – 10:00am.

OUR CHURCH IN ACTION

FOOD CUPBOARD NEWS . . .

Our MAHN grant money that had to be spent by the end of December 2021 has been spent. We are now left with only our USDA grant money through SHARE, or about \$900.00 per month through June 2022. Since a typical fresh produce order is over \$300.00 you can see we will be a tad short of grant money - we have 4 openings per month - so we will need to tap into our reserves. We do have the needed reserve funds.

Secondly, in order to have a SHARE delivery to the church, we need a minimum order of 30 cases. However, 30 cases of fresh produce would be well over what is needed for one opening and would not last for other openings. Therefore, we need to pick up the produce order for each opening – adding to volunteer time.

We may be receiving fresh produce from Garden of Health located in Lansdale. If this does happen, it may cover at least one opening (there may be several opportunities per month) possibly saving a SHARE order. That would require another pick up of 30 cases from the Garden of Health whenever that produce is available - more volunteer time.

What are the volunteer needs for food cupboard, outside of an opening (stocking shelves and serving families)? In a month's time we have: 8 pick-ups at Giant, 4 pick-ups at Manna, 4 deliveries from Philabundance, 4 deliveries from MAHN, 1 pick-up at Mitzvah, 1 delivery from USDA, 2+ pick-ups at Alderfer Eggs, and now 4 pick-ups at Derstine's (SHARE orders) or Garden of Health. Remember a "pick up" requires driving to the location, loading, returning, unloading, and placing away. A delivery means unloading the vehicle, checking the order, and placing away. To those who already volunteer much of their time, we give you many thanks! Are there others available to serve?

FYI: This February is a unique month as we are open two days in a row – Monday evening, February 28th and then again on Tuesday, March 1st!

Thank you, Pastor Clay

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February 2022 Newsletter

- Please dress your child appropriately for the weather. We will still be taking the children outside for short periods of time.
- We are still following the CDC recommendations for Covid. If you want clarification on quarantine/length of time required to be out of day care, please ask. They are always updating the guidelines. All staff and children over the age of two are required to wear a mask inside the building.
- All the parents should have received an email from ProCare regarding Parent Engagement. We are switching from Kid Reports to Parent Engagement.
 Please follow the directions from the email so that you can continue to receive daily activities report on your child. This will begin Monday January 31, 2022.
- We will have a Valentine's celebration on Monday February 14th. Attached are lists of the children in your child's class. Valentine's are not mandatory. If you would like to bring in Valentine's Day cards, please bring them in by Friday February 11th. We will be doing special activities and have a special treat for snack.

Themes

1's and 2's: Week 1: Teeth Week 2: Valentine's Day

Week 3: Feelings Week 4: Fairy Tales

3's and 4's: Clothes

Kindergarten Enrichment: (children going into kindergarten in the fall)
Focus on Letters and sight words for the month of February:

Letters: f, w, m, I, o

Sight Words: me, I, like, see

Attention Panda Parents: Kindergarten Registration for North Penn begins

February/March. Visit www.npenn.org/registration for details. You can find more information on North Penn's website.

FOCUS ON FOLKS!



STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION February 2022

Sunday Ministry Team

Don & Annette Hanks

Greeters

Don Hanks, Rob Hanks, Dan Sibley

Worship Leaders

06 - Robin McMahon

13 – Carl Holbert

20 - Connie Holbert

27 – Pastor Clay Moyer

Accompanist

Annamarie Dieterle

Message

06 – Pastor Lynne Allebach

13 – Pastor Clay Moyer

20 - Pastor Lynne Allebach

27 - Rev. Brandon Hanks

Steward Counter

Connie Holbert – Treasurer

Laymen Playmen, Inc. proudly presents "Guys and Dolls", February 11-13 & 18-20, 2022. Call 215-368-9484 for tickets. Additional information is on the bulletin board. www.laymenplaymen.org

COMING IN MARCH . . .

Hello to the Ladies of the ANE District! SAVE the DATE for the Women's Spring Fellowship to be held on Saturday, March 19, 2022. Our event this year will be held at the Ephrata Church of the Brethren. Everyone has a story to share and enjoys listening to a story. The Bible is a story for us to read continually and to learn from. We will gather at Springt Fellowship to hear different stories and to learn from each other. Additional information will be forthcoming regarding our time, cost and registration.

-The ANE District Women's Cabinet.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

03 - Rodney Allebach

04 - Paul Jones

13 - Connie Holbert

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

21 – Andrew & Kelly Hanks



The season of LENT begins March 6th with Ash Wednesday. The **Community Lenten Services will begin Wednesday, March 9th.** As soon as the locations are available, they will be published. You are invited to attend. We will not be hosting this year. All services start at 7:30pm, every Wednesday.

FAITHFUL COMMUNITY



What's Happening FEBRUARY 2022

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Tuesday, February 1st
Food Cupboard

Noon – 1:30pm. **Brownies - #7147** 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

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Thursday, February 3rd
Brownies - #7894
6:00pm - 7:30pm.

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Sunday, February 6th Morning Worship

Pastor Lynne Allebach 10:00am.

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Tuesday, February 8th
Brownies - #7147
6:00pm - 7:30pm.

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Sunday, February 13th Morning Worship

Pastor Clay Moyer 10:00am.

Sunday, February 20th **Morning Worship**Pastor Lynne Allebach

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10:00am.

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Monday, February 14th
Worshipful Work
7:00pm.

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Tuesday, February 15th Food Cupboard

> Noon – 1:30pm. **Brownies - #7147** 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

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Thursday, February 17th
Brownies - #7894
6:00pm - 7:30pm.

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Saturday, February 19th Food Cupboard

10:00am - 11:00am.

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Tuesday, February 22nd Brownies - #7147

6:00pm - 7:30pm.

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Sunday, February 27th Morning Worship

Guest Speaker: Rev. Brandon Hanks 10:00am.

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Monday, February 28th Food Cupboard

6:30pm - 7:30pm.

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