

EASTON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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PEACHBLOSSOM PRESS NEWSLETTER

Mission Statement

"Sharing the love and blessing of God with all."



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In the musical, *Carousel*, they sing, "June is busting out all over. All over the meadows and the hills." Isn't it true? Birds seem to be singing more joyfully, baby squirrels are having a gay time chasing after each other, and school children are sitting on the edge of their seats waiting for that last day of school and summer vacation.

June is also the first month of the summer season. June in the Northern Hemisphere is similar to the month of December in the Southern Hemisphere. June is also known as a great month to get married. The longest day of the year occurs on either June 21 or 22, and June 21 is "Go Skateboarding Day." "Woo Hoo!!" Oh, and Camp Mardela's summer season begins June 16. Let's encourage our kids and grandkids to spend a week at camp.

Sunday, June 5, is also a very special day on the Christian calendar...it is the day of Pentecost...the birthday of the church. Pentecost is always celebrated on the fiftieth day (the seventh Sunday) after Easter. It commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus while they were in Jerusalem celebrating the Feast of Weeks. Through this baptism of the Holy Spirit, the Apostles became more knowing, and had a greater understanding of the mysteries of the Gospel, and were more qualified to preach the Gospel to the people of all nations and languages.

I suggest that you open your Bible this coming week and read Acts 2. Blessings on everyone as we enter this month of June!

Wanda Baynard

Christian Ed., chair

If anyone wishes to submit an article for the church newsletter, please let Lee Ann know. Deadline for newsletter articles are the 15th of the month. Thank



Easton Church of the Brethren Mugs for sale

Any one wishing to purchase an Easton Church of the Brethren mug, please see Lee Ann. We are asking for a \$5 donation please. You will also get a few goodies in your mug.



Leadership Team Meeting

The next Leadership Team meeting will be held on Monday, June 6 at 1:00 p.m.

The minutes from the May Leadership Team meeting are:

- \$245 was collected for CWS kits.
- Money was received from the sale of the Dutchmans Lane property.
- More discussion concerning funds that need to be consolidated.
- Gene Walbridge presented in detail roof estimates.
- 26 Surveys were handed in.
- Leadership Team voted to summer hours for June, July and August . Worship will begin at 10:00 a.m. There will be no Sunday school.
- Ministry team gave reports.
- \$800 was raised at the yard sale at Camp Mardela on April 30.
- A request was made for use of our building. The Leadership Team will get together to discuss this further.



A special Congregational Business Meeting will be held on June 12, during the worship service. Service begins at 10:00 a.m.



- 1 Ann Reed
- 2 Nancy Quidas, Holly Mattox
- 6 Dulcy Walbridge, Cami Lyons
- 7 Gene Walbridge, Monica Oberkofler
- 10 Benjamin Gunn, Sean Jacobs
- 12 Beth Mattox, Katie Grubbs
- 13 Anna Harvey, Leroy Miller, Beckett Ward
- 15 Mark Sanger, Timmy Lohr
- 16 Craig Foxx
- 17 Sara Booth
- 19 Debbie Russ, Elise Pittrizzi
- 20 Derek Keller, Robert Clark, Jr., Mark Lednum
- 22 Sally Lohr
- 24 Sue Russ, Savannah Miles, Debbie Urry
- 25 Jeff Lohr
- 26 Noah Lohr
- 28 Larry Fike
- 29 Julie Reynolds, J.C. Russ, Naomi Willey
- 30 Sierra Correa



- 2 Josh & Morgan Kilmon
- 3 Eric & Patricia Harvey
- 5 Dennis & Sally Lohr
- 6 Casey & Sara Booth
- 8 Jeff & Lisa Lohr
- 9 John & Linda Evans
- 12 Jamie & Christa Crannell
- 13 Jim & Loretta Lohr
- Phil & Joy Marshall
- 14 Todd & Darlena Roesti-Butler
- 15 Eric & Jody Gunn
- 23 Randy & Amy Bachand
- 25 Ed & Liz Wildasin

Our Prayer List

Please pray especially for the following individuals and their families: for those who have contracted COVID-19, for health care workers, and for government and civic leaders who are seeking the best way forward, for our District Executive, Gene Hagenberger, for all those who have been affected economically, for Camp Mardela and administrator Jennifer Summy, Uvalde Texas, Diane Shores, Todd Butler, Stacey Geisel, Lyla Taghipour, Ruth Gunn, Sierra Correa/Josh Poore and baby Reed, Liam Emmert, Eric Gunn, Amelia Mitchell, Kevin Mitchell, Charlie Willis, Holly Jones, Adele Pogue, Priscilla Truitt, Crystal Windsor, Steven Webb, Brenda (a friend to Terri Tarr), Maggie Hegedus, Caitlyn Bussey, Theresa, (co-worker of Terri Tarr), Doris Schwaninger, John Evans, Wyatt Ewing, Jim & Loretta Lohr, Kathy Spurry, Lillian Sefcik, Richard Scott, Billy Harding, Annabel Young, Larry Fike, Alan Segar, Bruce Butler, GraceWay CoB, Nancy Scheffler, Roger Plagge, John Nalley, Bobby Hopkins, Dee Candel, Lois Schall, Natalee Jones, continuous prayers for our church family in Nigeria, continued prayers for Comfort Amos, Emerson Fike, Katelyn Howard. Pray for leaders & people that are working towards peace. ***Please phone or email the church office to add or remove persons on our prayer list.***



Love Your Neighbors!! With COVID cases on the rise again, masks are required in church again. Thank you for your cooperation!

Pray for God's guidance and healing.



Celebrating the church's birthday Pentecost Sunday, June 5, 2022

On Pentecost, we remember when the Holy Spirit descended on Jesus' disciples. As they gathered in Jerusalem 10 days after Jesus' ascension, they saw tongues of fire, heard rushing wind and began speaking in many languages. Because the disciples could then share the good news with all the pilgrims assembled for the Pentecost festival, the occasion marks the birthday of the Christian church. That day alone, about 3,000 people devoted their lives to Christ.



Like the Holy Spirit, Pentecost is important and relevant today. As theologian Henri Nouwen writes, "Without Pentecost the Christ-event — the life, death and resurrection of Jesus — remains imprisoned in history as something to remember, think about and reflect on. The Spirit of Jesus comes to dwell within us, so that we can become living Christs here and now."

Pentecost Sunday

The Pentecost Offering of the Church of the Brethren highlights our passion for calling and equipping fearless disciples and leaders, renewing and planting churches, and transforming communities.

Pentecost offering will be Sunday, June 5, 2022

Special dates in June

- Pentecost, June 5, 2022
- Trinity Sunday, June 12, 2022
- Flag Day, June 14, 2022
- Father's Day, June 19, 2022
- First day of summer, June 21, 2022

Offering and Attendance for May

	Attendance	29	33	31	31	29
	5/1/2022	5/8/2022	5/15/2022	5/22/2022	5/29/2022	Totals
Distributions						0.00
<i>General (06)</i>						
Envelopes	1,915.00	980.00	2,395.00	730.00	1,895.00	7,915.00
Loose Change/Cash	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	2.00
Total Before Prepaid Tithes	1,915.00	980.00	2,397.00	730.00	1,895.00	7,917.00
Prepaid Tithes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dale	1,915.00	980.00	2,397.00	730.00	1,895.00	7,917.00
<i>Other Income (06)</i>						
Building Use						
Recital - Vicky Weaver	250.00					250.00
Harrison St. Rent	1,500.00					1,500.00
						0.00
Totals	1,750.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,750.00
<i>Special Offerings (07)</i>						
Hospitality						0.00
In Kind						
In & Out						
Messenger Subscriptions	14.50					14.50
						0.00
Totals	1,764.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,764.50
Totals	5,429.50	980.00	2,397.00	730.00	1,895.00	11,431.50



Camp Mardela News—from Jen Summy, Camp Administrator

There are several copies of Camp Mardela's newsletter "The Lane" in the narthex.

- **Summer Camp:** We have a VERY exciting program this summer for campers ages 4+. We are offering traditional resident camps along with some specialty camps, including and Adult Service Camp (June 16-18)Horses & Outdoor Adventures (June 19-24), Creative Arts (June 26-July 1), The Wild (July 24-29), and Day Camp (Aug 1-5). Register today at www.campmardela.org/camp-programs

- **Family Camp:** September 2-4. Spend a week-end at Camp Mardela and enjoy camp activities for all ages.

- **Camp Supper:** September 17, 5:00-7:00 p.m. Ham, turkey, stuffing, green beans, sweet potatoes, cole slaw, rolls, drinks, dessert. \$10 minimum donation.

- **Scrip Fundraiser:** We are still running our Scrip fundraising program! Order gift cards through Scrip and Camp Mardela gets a percentage of the sales. Register and order cards at www.shopwithscrip.com. Contact campmardela@gmail.com for the registration code or any other questions.

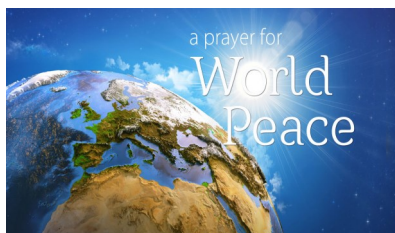
- There are flyers on the bulletin board in the narthex for the above mention events.



**Monday-Saturday
3:00—4:00 P.M.**

**TRINITY CATHEDRAL
EASTON, MD**

**For more information, please
contact Bruce Butler.**



CHURCH SUMMER HOURS

Beginning Sunday, June 5
through Sunday, August
28, church
worship hours
will be at
10:00 a.m.

There will be
no Sunday school held during
the summer.



Monthly Vespers services will begin again this summer, indoor or outdoor at the church. Come join in for an hour of music, scriptures and prayer lead by Ellen Wile. The first Vespers will be held June 8 at 7 pm.



Fairview Church of the Brethren will be having their Senior Citizens dinner on June 4. The meal will start at 5:00 p.m.

This year, the meal will be a sit down meal. Please let Lee Ann know if you are planning to attend or call Fairview church at 410-364-5113. This is for meal planning only. Thank you!



Volunteer Opportunities

Interested in Serving as Worship Leader

We're always looking for new people to share their gifts! It doesn't take a lot of time--just a bit of preparation and a willingness to serve. If you would like to join this team of volunteers or want more information, please contact the church office or Marlena Groves (Nurture Chair).

NSC Food Pantry

Let's not forget that food prices keep going up! When we pay attention to our local, national and international food needs, we are reminded that people suffer from food insecurity all around. If we do not share of our bounty, others go hungry. Let us give, so others may live. Any non-perishable food items with good "best if used by" dates are accepted. **Consider bringing in your non-perishable items when church re-opens.**



Talbot Interfaith Shelter

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The 2022 volunteer list is available for sign-up. Please take the time and look to see where you can spare a few hours of your time every month. Any questions, please contact Norma Trax. **Our next date is June 19, 2022.** Two volunteers will be needed for (three) two hour shifts (8:00-11:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. and 2:00-5:00 p.m.) Volunteers are needed to make dinner each month as well. Please sign-up in the narthex or call the office.

Neighborhood Service Center

Please contact Marilyn Neal, if you are interested in volunteering at the center. Their phone number is 410-822-5015.

Congratulations to Christopher Fox and Katie Terry, who were married at the church on May 21, 2022. Best wishes for a beautiful life together.



Special Music for June

June 5	Amy Bachand
June 12	Ellen Wile
June 19	Ellen Wile
June 26	John Coleman

Serving the month of June

	6/5/2022	6/12/2022	6/19/2022	6/26/2022
Message	Pastor Jody	CBM	Father's Day	
Worship Leader	Jane Marshall	Sharon Miller	Kevin Wile	Lynn Butler
Head Usher/ Sound	Mat Baynard	Jane Marshall	Lee Ann Fox	Jane Marshall
Deacons on call	Ron & Elisa Miller	John & Norma Trax	Geoff & Lee Ann Fox	Mat & Wanda Baynard
Special Music	Amy Bachand	Ellen Wile	Ellen Wile	John Coleman
Flowers				

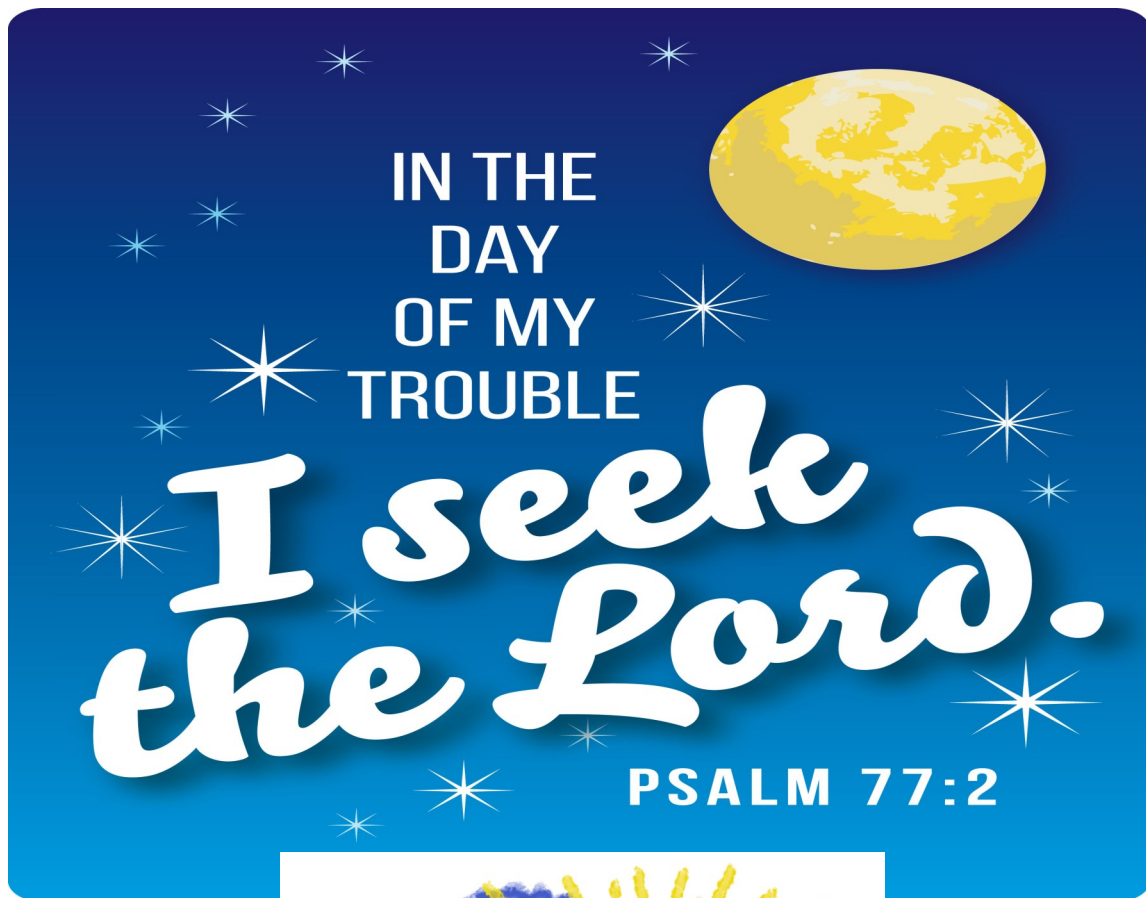
God's Promises

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 FINANCES
 FATHER
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 PEACE
 HEALING
 HAPPINESS
 GODS WORD
 PHYSICAL
 HOLINESS
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 COVERING
 BLESSINGS
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