

# THRU THE HANDS OF GOD . ONE HAND HELPING ANOTHER (North Parish's Mission Statemer



#### NEWS FROM MARION C. PRICE TRUST FUND

**Change of date for September Senior Adventures-** Please note the date change for our September adventure, it is now scheduled for Thursday, September 24, 2015 to Friedensburg Country Inn.

**Scam Alert** – With so many online stores available, it's sometimes very difficult to know the difference between a legitimate e-commerce site and a fake one set up to steal money or a person's identity. Operating out of China, scammers set up generic online stores that sell name brand items or mimic the websites of big name brand companies. On these sites, scammers sell fake or counterfeit products at significantly reduced prices designed to attract buyers looking for big deals on name brand merchandise.

The over-reaching goal of these scammers is to gain access to the credit card numbers of their victims and then use the numbers to fraudulently make purchases or make a buck with the information on the black market. In some cases, the criminals even go so far as to send fake or counterfeit products to victims. As the merchandise ships from international locations, victims often remain unaware of any wrong-doing against them until weeks have passed. Although many brand companies discover these sites and shut them down, it's usually too late.

**Shingles Vaccine -** Shingles is a painful skin rash that develops on one side of the face or body. Shingles vaccine reduces the risk of developing shingles and the long-term pain that can follow. Your risk of shingles and long-term pain from the disease increases as you age. It is recommended for people age 60 years and older. Even if you have had shingles, you can still receive the shingles vaccine to help prevent future occurrences of the disease. There is no specific time that you must wait after having shingles before receiving the vaccine. Protection from the shingles vaccine lasts about 5 years.

Shingles is caused by the same virus that causes chickenpox. After the person recovers from the chickenpox, the virus stays in the body in a dormant (inactive) state. The virus can reactivate years later, causing shingles.

Shingles usually starts as a painful rash on one side of the face or body. The rash forms blisters that typically scab over in 7-10 days and clears up within 2-4 weeks. Before the rash develops, there is often pain, itching or tingling in the area where the rash will develop. This may happen anywhere from 1-5 days before the rash appears. You may also experience fever, headache, chills and an upset stomach. If your healthcare provider thinks you are a candidate for the shingles vaccine they will help you determine if your insurance will cover the cost and locations offering the vaccine.

Mom's Meals independent at home program provides fresh-made, nutritious and great tasting home delivered meals. Cost is approx. \$6.49 per meal. Fully-prepared, nutritionally balanced meals provide up to 700 calories with protein, vegetables, grains and snacks are delivered in fresh-lock packages and climate controlled containers that stay ready to eat in the refrigerator for 14 days.



# SEPTEMBER MEMORIALS



WINE & WAFERS: In loving memory of Betty Noble by Steve, Bonnie, Jaime and Ben Hynoski.

In loving memory of Earl Hess and Lester Jones by Carol Jones.

In loving memory of Roland and Helen Price by

Mary Price-Makely and Roland Price.

BULLETINS: In loving memory of Alice and Albert Padfield by Barbara and Dean Padfield.

SANCTUARY In loving memory of Irene and Stephen J. Rasimowicz Sr. and

CANDLES: Stephen Rasimowicz, Jr., by Janis and Barry Idell.

In loving memory of Rosemary and Edward Ulceski by the Ulceski family.

## **NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

All articles for the October Newsletter should be submitted to our Parish Secretary, Shannon no later than <u>September 9<sup>th</sup></u>. Volunteers are needed on <u>Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup></u> at 1:30 p.m. at Holy Apostles, St. Clair to help fold the newsletter.

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#### Please call the church office if:

- your address or phone number changes
- if a loved one has been admitted to the hospital
- if you have a prayer concern
- if there is any way we can assist you

Church Office Phone: 570-429-7107

Church Office Address: North Parish, P.O. Box 487, Frackville, PA 17931

Church Office Email Address: nparish@ptd.net

Church Office Hours: Wednesdays & Thursdays: 1:30-5:15 p.m.

Fridays: 1:30-4:30 p.m.

Website: www.northparish.com

Clergy – The Reverend James C. Smith

Senior Warden – Barry Idell – (570) 385-7978; cell – (732) 690-5862

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<u>Please note:</u> No items shall be removed from Christ Church worship areas and the undercroft without the permission of the Vestry.



## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Alice, Matthew, Deb Andrews, Pat Brophy, Virginia M. Bushyager, Suzanne Glick Connor, Ellie Dando, Spencer Dougherty, Louanne Drumheiser, Mary Engelbrecht, Kay Fertig, Matthew Foerster, Sherese Gavenport, David Gerlott, Mary Faith Goodman, Mary Catherine Glick, Howard Hauk, John Hauk, Pat Hefner, Anna Hesse, Florence Hollick, Harley Hynoski, Jess Hynoski, Joanne, Daniel Jenkins Sr., Jackie Jones-Allison, Kay, Tamme Kehres, Paulette Kelley, Kristin Lecher, June, Steven & Russell Lesher, Mabel, Walter Machos, Donna McGinley, William Moore, Thelma Morgan, Shirley Moyer, Amanda Mozdy, Jason Noble, Anthony Novitksy, Stacey Orth, Suzette Pogash, Ruby Powanda, Theresa Price, Rafael Ramos, Linda Regal, Kevin Rhein, Theresa Robbins, Mckenzie Rose, Gerry Salata, Marg Scheuren, Connie Schrader, Kyle & Karl Schu, Martha Semar, Kevin & Judee Serrentino, Brittany Shoffler, Charlotte Smith, Lois Smith, Jim Spieles Jr., Mary Umlauf, Don Watters, Charles J. Wylam, and Marie Yeager

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS SERVING HERE AND ABROAD.

PRAYER LIST POLICY: To request a person to be placed on the prayer list, please call the church office (570-429-7107) with the person's full name; also the person who is making the request must leave their name and phone number. There will be no time limit to how long a person can stay on the prayer list, however, please call the office when your prayer request has been met so the list will stay updated. Thank you.

BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS: You may have noticed that during Sunday services our priest has designated a spot in the service for birthday and anniversary blessings. If you would like a birthday or anniversary blessing, please let our priest know

#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Sarah Andrewcavage
- 2 Mark Andrewcavage
- 5 Daniel Jenkins Ja' Shon Dennell Yelito
- 8 Amanda Foerster
- 10 Brittany Evans Scott Price
- 11 Chester Shanoskie

- 13 Barry Idell
- 14 Elizabeth Andrewcavage
- 15 Rev. James C. Smith
- 20 Kayla Ann Tiley
- 24 Donald Clamser, Jr.
- 27 Nancy Long
- 30 Edward Ulceski

If you would like your name added to the birthday list or if your birthday is listed incorrectly please call the church office at 570-429-7107.



# Food Drive

#### **FOOD BANK MINISTRY**

During the month of September we are collecting any and all canned foods! Please look and verify that any donated products have not expired. Thank you to everyone who donated products in August. If you are in need of food assistance, please call the church office at 570-429-7107 and we will direct you to a local food pantry.

#### **Vestry Highlights – July 19, 2015**

- The North Parish Annual Meeting will be after the 9:00 a.m. service at St. John's on October 18<sup>th</sup>. A luncheon will be held after the meeting.
- The 2-3 year committee met recently and it was agreed that the future needs of North Parish need to be prioritized. This will be discussed during the next committee meeting.
- Strawberry Festival profit was \$515.00.
- Peach Festival scheduled for August 18<sup>th</sup> at St. John's.
- Pioneer Day will be on August 15<sup>th</sup> in Ashland. Members from St. John's and Holy Apostles to sell halubki, haulski, coffee and donuts.
- Next meeting August 16, 2015 at St. John's.



#### NORTH PARISH'S ANNUAL MEETING October 18, 2015

The annual meeting for North Parish will be held at St. John's, Ashland on Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. The combined worship service will be at 9:00 a.m. followed by the meeting of all parishioners and a luncheon. All members of North Parish are asked to be in attendance.

#### JUNE FINANCIAL REPORT

#### **North Parish Receipts**

#### **North Parish Disbursements**

General Account		General Account	
June	15 \$ 4,633.72	June 15	\$ 8,182.83
Year to Date Gen. Receipts	\$ 26,436.07	Year to Date Exp.	\$ 59,351.16
Transfer in from M&I	\$ 8,000.00		
Transfer M&I Year to Date	\$ 36,440.00		
M&I Account		M&I Account	
June	15 \$ 1,436.38	June 15	\$ 8,000.00
Year to date	\$ 26,938.22	Year to date	\$ 36,440.00
Memorial Account		Memorial Account	
June	15 \$ 1.53	June 15	\$ -
Year to date	\$ 654.07	Year to date	\$ -
Balances		150	7
General Account	\$ 9,978.62		
M&I Account	\$ 54,778.34		
Memorial Fund	\$ 18,581.45		
(Temp. Restricted )			

#### **JULY FINANCIAL REPORT**

#### North Parish Receipts

#### **North Parish Disbursements**

	General Account	
\$ 3,851.00	July 15	\$ 8,272.15
\$ 30,287.07	Year to Date Exp.	\$ 67,623.31
\$ 0		
\$ 36,440.00		
	M&I Account	
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\$ 27,107.88	Year to date	\$ 36,440.00
	Memorial Account	
\$ 176.58	July 15	\$ -
\$ 830.65	Year to date	\$ -
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\$ 5,647.47		
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<u>THANK YOU</u> to everyone who supported or volunteered at Pioneer Day and the Peach Festival. Our profit from Pioneer Day was \$342.00 and the profit from the Peach Festival was \$710.00; a combined total of \$1052.00 which went towards our general operating expenses. Thank you again!!!!

# NORTH PARISH EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

#### **SEPTEMBER 2015**

September	Holy Eucharist	9:00 a.m.	St. John's	The Rev. James C. Smith
6	<b>Holy Eucharist</b>	11:00 a.m.	<b>Holy Apostles</b>	The Rev. James C. Smith

September	Holy Eucharist	9:00 a.m.	St. John's	The Rev. James C. Smith
13	Holy Eucharist	11:00 a.m.	<b>Holy Apostles</b>	The Rev. James C. Smith

September	Holy Eucharist	9:00 a.m.	St. John's	The Rev. James C. Smith
20	Morning Prayer	11:00 a.m.	Holy Apostles	Donald Clamser, Sr.

September Morning Frayer 9.00 a.m. St. John's Robert Hey	September	Morning Prayer	9:00 a.m.	St. John's	Robert Tiley	
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27 Holy Eucharist 11:00 a.m. Holy Apostles The Rev. James C. Smith

	Notes:	Color:
September 6	The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost	Green
September 13	The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost	Green
September 20	The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Baptism at St. John's	Green
September 27	The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost	Green