# District Highlights

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## **Examine Yourself.**

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Please send **all**<u>Highlights</u> information to the District Office by the **10th**.

Paul writes this inspired word calling on each of us to "Examine yourselves to see whether you are in the faith; test yourselves. Do you not realize that Christ Jesus is in you — unless, of course, you fail the test?"

2 Corinthians 13:5NIV

How about it? Will you honestly examine yourself? Most people sure want to examine everyone else and pass judgement, but will you look at your own life and ask if Jesus Christ dwells within?

While you examine yourself, also examine your congregation. What do you do to share Jesus Christ with those around you? I am not asking if you have services for yourself on Sundays or meals where everyone knows everyone or the visiting is only for members. I challenge you to ask; "What does this (my) congregation do in the name of Jesus for someone besides the few who attend?"

While we examine ourselves, Let us ask, "What does this District of the COB do for Jesus?" We have hundreds of thousands of dollars in the bank, money markets and investments; so on some rainy day we might do something. But what do we actually do in the name of Jesus Christ? When was the last time we actually had a presence in a community, and shared the love of Jesus Christ with others?

God Blesses and continues to Bless those who reach out, volunteer, and serve others. At your board meeting do you talk excitedly about the ministries with which you are involved, or do you commiserate about spending any money for anything? Examine Yourself! Is Jesus Christ present at those meetings?

Where is the ministry? Can you or will you try to share Jesus Christ? Will you call your congregation and your District to step up and begin a life of service for Jesus Christ? Now is the time for all of us to share the love of Jesus Christ. The time may be short but we have the opportunity to share in His loving ministry. Prayerfully choose and discover Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. Then; Go and Serve in the name of Jesus Christ.

Together with Jesus we can do ministry!

Peter Kaltenbaugh, 2018 District Moderator

## District Office/Local Church News

#### **LEADERSHIP**

#### Licensed

Chris Fuska— Shade Creek/Ridge

#### **HOSPITALIZED**

- Please pray for **Pastor Amelia Derr** who is recovering after back surgery.
- Please pray for District Treasurer Carole
   Horner as she is recovering from a fall
   and surgery.

#### **SYMPATHY**

To the family of **Pastor Jack Byers**, former pastor at the Moxham COB. Jack passed away in July.

To **Pastor John Eash** as his wife Wilma passed away on July 13th.

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

#### **Sipesville Congregation**

- Charles Heidorn
- Chance Heidorn

#### **Uniontown Congregation**

Natalie Grote

#### **2018 DISTRICT DIRECTORY**

The 2018 District Directory is now available.

Digital and published copies have been mailed and emailed. Please let me know if there are changes or additions. Corrections and additions are posted below and in future Highlights.

If you would like a PDF or a paper copy, please contact the District Office at 814-479-2181 or email Tina Lehman at tlehman@brethren.org.

#### **NEED YOUR HELP**

If your congregation will produce a new directory in **2018**, please drop off or send a copy to the District Office, 115 Spring Road, Hollsopple, 15935.

It is very helpful to the District Office staff to have <u>updated</u> information from all the churches we serve.

Thank you!

# October 2018 Highlights Deadline

**September 10, 2018** 

Please send <u>all</u> Highlights information to the District Office for this next issue.



# Local Church/District News

# From the Pastor & Parish Ministry Team:

#### <u>Pastoral Care and Crisis</u> Intervention II – PCCII

**Saturday, September 8, 2018**Moxham Church of the Brethren Johnstown, PA

**Monday, September 10, 2018** Ligonier First Church of the Brethren Ligonier, PA

This course is being offered twice to accommodate anyone who may be working or otherwise unable to attend.

The course is designed to aid the pastor, chaplain, laity, and the congregation in offering spiritual care within the congregation when crises occur that are now affecting the family or a smaller group within the congregation. It will begin where PCCII left off and will build upon it.

The course will also examine the role(s) that the pastor as well as the congregation may assume in reaching out to small groups and how the trauma of one affects many within their immediate "circles".

The first half of the course will be spent learning the spiritual and psychological dynamics surrounding trauma within the family as well as proven methodologies of effective intervention. The second half of the course will be spent in small group practicums mastering these techniques.

A hot lunch will be provided.

Deadline for Registration: **Monday, August 27, 2018** 

Please send check or money order made payable to SVMC in the amount of \$10.00 to:

Dale Leverknight c/o Montgomery Church of the Brethren 5227 Purchase Line Road Commodore, PA 15729-8331





Roxbury COB will be hosting their **Summer Yard Sales** at the Roxbury Church Grove on the Somerset Pike.

August 4, 2018

Contact Claire Montoya at 814-536-0515 for more information.

# **Events at the Penn Run Christian Outreach Center**

(located directly across the street from the Penn Run Church of the Brethren)

# Annual Home & Craft Show Saturday, November 10, 2018

Saturday, November 10, 2018 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

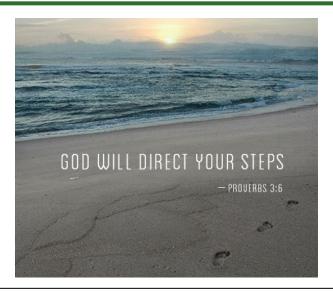
Many vendors and home party consultants will be there as well as a silent auction, a pie auction and lots of good food!

> \*Quilt Retreats - 8 am to 8 pm October 12, 2018 and October 13, 2018

\*Call Pastor Jeff at the church office at 724-463-0420 for more information.

#### **Scrapbook and Card Making Retreat**

October 20, 2018 - 8 am to 8 pm Celebrating Christmas in October! Call Julie at 724-840-2704 for more information.



# **Local Church/District News**

# District Women's Ministries:

#### Calendar of Events 2018:

August 11 Summer Tea @

Beachdale

October 4 Home Day

Mark your calendars, more information to follow!

#### The U in JesUs

Before U were thought of or time had begun, God had stuck U in the name of His Son.

And each time U pray, you'll see it's true, You can't spell out JesUs and not include U.

You're a pretty big part of His wonderful name, For U, he was born; that's why He came.

And His great love for U is the reason that he died, It even takes U to spell crUcified.

Isn't it thrilling and splendidly grand, He rose from the dead with U in His plan.

The stones split away, the gold trUmpet blew, and this word ressUrection is spelled with a U.

When Jesus left the earth at His upward ascension, He felt there was one thing He just had to mention.

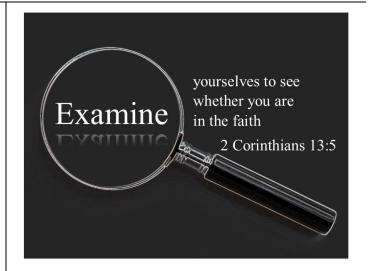
"Go into the world and tell them it's true, That I love them all-Just like I love U.

So many great people are spelled with a U, Don't they have the right to know JesUs too?

It all depends now on what U will do, He'd like them to know, but it all starts with U.

Will U pass it on? JesUs Loves U!!!

- Author Unknown



## 2018 District Conference October 20, 2018 Camp Harmony

Mark your calendars, more information will be coming to your churches soon!

Please note: District Conference registration form, Child Care form, CWS kits information are included in this issue of the District Highlights.

Your congregation will receive these forms via mail in **August**—please be sure to fill everything out completely and return it to the District Office in a timely manner. Thanks!!



District Conference Booklets will be ready to distribute to your churches by the week of August 13th.

Once your church receives their booklets—please be sure that they are given to

your delegates and non-delegates so that everyone can review the information **BEFORE** District Conference.

This will give everyone ample chance to review, pray about, and get any questions ready for the day of District Conference.

We are working hard to bring you the most complete and updated information, thank you from the District Staff and Program & Arrangements Committee.

## **Denominational News**

go to <a href="www.brethren.org">www.brethren.org</a> for the most complete and up to date news from the Church of the Brethren

# **Global Mission Updates**

#### **Global Mission Prayer Guide**

#### **United States/Mexico**

Pray for the families affected by the government's unjust policy of separating children from parents at the Mexico-United States border. Pray for the nearly 2,000 children who have been removed from their parents over the past six weeks, who are dealing with the trauma of separation and living in government centers or with foster families. Pray for an end to the administration's practice of separating families.

#### Yemen

Pray for an end to the violence and suffering in Yemen, which is in its fourth year of civil war--what many consider the world's worst humanitarian crisis. Some 8 million people are on the brink of famine and more than 1 million have been infected in a cholera epidemic considered the worst in history. The aid group Save the Children estimates that in just one year in 2017, more than 50,000 children died of starvation, malnutrition, or disease. The situation has worsened in recent days, as fighting has centered around the city of Hodeida. This large port city serves as the only remaining major entry point for humanitarian aid, after a blockade closed other access points. Two-thirds of Yemen's population depends on the supplies coming through this port. Additionally, thousands of the city's people are at risk from intensified fighting.

#### **Spain**

Give thanks for Carol Yeazell's visit with Iglesia de los Hermanos — Una Luz En Las Naciones, the Church of the Brethren in Spain. Along with visits to congregations, Carol led ethics training for approximately 25 pastors and leaders preparing to be pastors.



Carol Yeazell leading ethics training for Church of the Brethren leaders in Gijon, Spain. Photo courtesy of Santos Terrero.

#### **AVAILABLE SPEAKERS LIST – August/September 2018**

#### **ORDAINED**

ABRAHAM, FARREL - 4315 Seton Dr, Pittsburgh, 15227-1245 - 412-979-0067 BEACHLEY, RONALD D. – PO Box 723, Davidsville, 152928-0723 – 814-479-4802 BERKEBILE, WES J. – 4285 State Route 208, New Wilmington, 16142 – 724-901-7058 DEFFENBAUGH, BARRON K. - 207 Churchill St, Johnstown, 15904 - 814 266-9758 DERMER, JOANN - 3062 Hyndman Rd, Hyndman, 15545 - 814 842-6489 DERR, AMELIA – 1202 Roberts Street, Nanty Glo, 15943-1325 – 814-749-0262 DERR, HORACE - 1202 Roberts Street, Nanty Glo, 15943-1325 - 814-749-0262 EASH, JOHN E. - 131 Friendship Ln, Hollsopple, 15935-6732 - 814 629-0206 HOUGHTON, JAMES E. - 124 Lindberg Ave, Johnstown, 15905-3019 -814 255-2431 HOUGHTON, SALLY M. - 124 Lindberg Ave, Johnstown, 15905-3019 -814 255-2431 KABLER, ERIC P. - 126 Clermont St, Johnstown 15904-2132 - 814 266-2734 KENSINGER, JAMES M. - 329 Spackman St, Seward, 15954-3117 - 814 446-1088 MANGES, JOHN W. - 137 Catskill Ln, Johnstown, 15904-7523 814-539-3332 MARSHALL, HOMER H. - 369 W Church Ave, Masontown, 15461-1651 -724 583-7073 MARSHALL, PATRICIA M. - 369 W Church Ave, Masontown, 15461-1651 -724 583-7073 MOSORJAK, GARY N. - 1337 Roxbury Avenue, Johnstown, 15905-1224 - 814-619-4238 RUMMEL, DALE E. - 6171 Greenville Pike, Grampian, 15666-1959 732-809-9013 (seasonal) RUPERT, JACK - 409 State St, Johnstown, 15905-2642 - 814 322-7786 New Day – 814 535-8202 SHAFFER, ABBY R. - (office) 115 Spring Rd, Hollsopple, 15935-7412 - 814 479-2181 SMITH, A. HARRISON -506 Sciandro Dr, Greensburg, 15601-724837-4491 STEIN, ROBERT R. - PO Box 375, Chalk Hill, 15421-0375 - 724 438-2226 SWICK, MICHAEL R. - 4127 Greenville Rd, Meyersdale 15552-8518 -814 634-8158 WALKER, JUDY M. -425 Morningside Ave, Jeannette 15644 - 724 522-5260 **WALKER, LARRY E. - 425 Morningside Ave, Jeannette 15644 - 724 522-5260** WESTLAKE, ELVA JEAN -436 Pony Farm Rd, Kittanning, 16201-4639-724 548-4901 WILLOUGHBY, CAROLYN S.-207 Churchill St, Johnstown, 15904-814 266-9758

#### **LICENSED**

HILER, GARY W. - 228 Baltzer Bridge Rd, Friedens, 15541-6320 - 814 267-6722 HORNER, TAMMY - 124 Whysong Lane, Johnstown, 15906 – 814-244-0958 PARFITT, STEPHEN – 12 Mohawk Drive, Greensburg, 15601 – 724-832-3457 YOST, ERIC W. – 1009 First Street, Windber, PA 15963 – 814-241-7753

#### **LAY SPEAKER**

RAMER, DONNA L. -102 Franklin Dr, Greensburg, 15601-1305-724 836-0594



Since it is becoming increasingly more difficult to secure a crew of eleven volunteers via telephone, with the help of the District, I will be using email to communicate with churches and individuals to line up the necessary people to make the program work. This system, I hope, will streamline the process and eliminate missed calls and phone messages that sometime go unanswered. Missed calls and unanswered messages requires another time consuming telephone call, sometimes with the same results! After the receipt of an email, and after checking the printed schedule would you *PLEASE* consider giving a day or a week out of your busy schedules toward this very rewarding, worthwhile ministry. PLEASE contact your church coordinator to volunteer. If your church does not have one PLEASE contact Herb Ewald at <a href="mailto:hjewald@atlanticbb.net">hjewald@atlanticbb.net</a> or (814) 539-8530.

### **THANK YOU!**

Dec. 18, 2018

New Windsor Day Trips Aug. 09, 2018 Aug. 28, 2018 Oct. 04, 2018 Nov. 08, 2018	Week Trips September 02-08, 2018 October 14-20, 2018 (w/Virlina) December 02-08, 2018
Nov. 27, 2018	



# **SVMC Continuing Education Event**

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center's continuing education events are designed for ordained Church of the Brethren ministers, but non-Brethren clergy and interested laypersons are also welcome to attend. For more information, and to register for any of the events listed below, please click on the title link, or go to:

https://www.etown.edu/programs/svmc/continuing-education.aspx . Print registration form and mail to SVMC.

#### **Current 2018 offering:**

#### The Body of Christ in Corinth and America

Date: October 15, 2018, 9 AM - 4 PM

(Please note: Title was originally "Gospel of Peace"; Date was originally November 12)

Location: Juniata College

Presenter: Dr. Daniel Ulrich, Wieand Professor of New Testament Studies, Bethany Theological Seminary In response to news about divisions within the house-churches in Corinth, Paul's effort to repair the beloved body of Christ included writing an instructive letter. The thesis of that letter is an appeal for unity and reconciliation (1 Cor. 1:10). As Christians who may also need reconciliation, let's gather to study 1 Corinthians with Paul's overall purpose and message in mind. We will not ignore some passages that figure in our divisive debates today, but we will interpret them contextually, showing how the message of the cross and the Spirit's gift of love can still work to heal Christ's body.

Registration: \$60 (includes light breakfast, lunch, and 0.6 CEUs). Please register by October 1, 2018.

# You are cordially invited to attend

# A LADIES AFTERNOON TEA



# ON SATURDAY THE ELEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST TWO THOUSAND AND EIGHTEEN AT ONE O'CLCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL THREE O'CLOCK

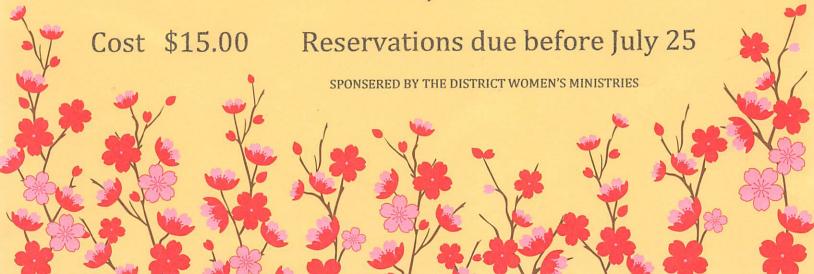
At the Beachdale Church of the Brethren

803 OWL HOLLOW ROAD BERLIN, PA 15530-6560 814-267-5780

Httire

Tea Hats and Pearls encouraged

But not required



District Women's Ministries "LA	ADIES AFTERNOON TEA"
Please send in BEFORE JULY	<b>25.</b>
Congregation	
No. of women attending	Please put names on the back.
COST: \$15.00 Amount	\$
Please write checks out to DIST MINISTRIES.	RICT WOMEN'S
Send to: ARBUTUS BLOUGH,	845 SPEIGLE ROAD,
HOLLSOPPLE, PA 15935-67	35 814-629-9279
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SERVICE PROJECT	
PLEASE BRING LOTION	LADIES:
TO BE GIVEN TO THE	THE
LADIES IN A WOMEN'S	CITY BOUTIQUE
SHELTER. WE'LL LET	WILL BE OPEN.
THEM KNOW THEY ARE	
LOVED AND ARE BEING	

PRAYED FOR.

We're havin' a

# HEAVENLY HARVEST HOEDOWN

# At Geiger CoB







FRI - OCT 19 - 7 PM

Formerly the Blackwood Legacy
FREE NON-DENOMINATIONAL CONCERT

# Mt. Joy Church of the Brethren

494 East Main Street - Mt. Pleasant, PA

Info: 724-547-3670

Come early for best seating!

New Legacy Project, formerly the **Blackwood** Legacy, blend the best of country gospel, traditional and edgy newer southern gospel, with today's popular worship music, while staying true to the Gospel Message. This Nashville–based group is known for their flawless harmonies, comedy, and homespun humor. Join us for a memorable time of live music, fellowship and fun! Admission is free and a love offering will be received. Listen for their new radio single "God of the Empty Grave" and visit them on Facebook or at

www.NewLegacyProject.com



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(814) 798-5885 FAX: (814) 798-2225

"Inviting all people to experience the wonder of creation, and find harmony with God, with nature, and with one another

#### **HARMONY FEST**

Harmony Fest is quickly approaching on September 22, and 23. Congregations - this is your opportunity to showcase your church and also help your ministry. Last year was a success and we hope to have another great festival this year. How can you help? Following are the ways that you can join in and contribute:

- --Have a booth call camp for ideas
- --Contribute a craft or theme basket to the silent auction
- --Volunteer to help in the many areas food, games, being at the gate or the entrance, and children's area.

Just let Camp know that you would like to take part in the festival. This is an chance that you don't want to miss. Help us share the love of Jesus to others.

#### **DISHTOWELS NEEDED**

Camps and retreats are in full swing and we are finding that Camp is in need of dishtowels again. A donation of dishtowels would be very welcomed so that we can keep distributing them to the various retreat centers. Thank you....

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#### 2018 "52 GOD BLESS YOU TEAM"

As more and more families are blessed they contribute \$1.00 a week or \$52.00 to Camp so that the ministry can bless others. The original premise was that if all the families in the District contributed \$52, the debt could be eliminated. At the present the 2018 team totals 40 families and groups donating \$4,300

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#### **LOOKING AHEAD** -\* Poster included in Highlights for information

**Summer Camping Season** 

Fall Gospel Music Festival – August 31 – Sept. 1\*

Harmony Fest – September 22-23\*

Honduras Banquet – September 29

District Conference – October 20

District Auction – November 3

#### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are presently preparing for our Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) where we provide meals to children in the community who are on free and reduced lunches during school. In order for us to provide this service and a very worthwhile ministry, we are in need of volunteers to drive to nearby sites and deliver the food. One day a week for an hour is all that is needed. If you are interested and willing to help please contact Camp.

#### CAMP HARMONY FALL GOSPEL MUSIC FESTIVAL Aug. 31 - Sept. 3, 2018

FRIDAY

4:00 PM- Concessions Open

6:00 PM- Music Begins

SATURDAY

7:30 AM- Concessions Open 11:00 AM- Open Mic 12:00 PM- Music Begins

SUNDAY

7:30 AM- Concessions Open 10:00 AM- Worship Service 1:00 PM- Music Begins

MONDAY

7:30 AM- Concessions Open 11:00 AM- Music Begins 3:00 PM- Estimated End Time

Swimming and activities for children & families throughout the weekend for a minimal charge.

PO Box 158, 1414 Plank Road, Hooversville, PA 15936 | 814-798-5885 | harmony@campharmony.org



AUG. 31 - SEPT. 3, 2018

A weekend for the whole family to be blessed with great music, fun, and food! Stay for the whole weekend or come for just a day.

Hear great talent from Gospel performers like:

New Journey The Choraliers & Pearl ...AND MORE!

Good News The Hays Family

FREE ADMISSION
FREE PARKING
CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE
LODGING AVAILABLE

To book your stay or for more information: 814-798-5885 www.campharmony.org harmony@campharmony.org





September 22-23, 2018

**Kids Activities** 

FREE Admission! Vendors

Campfire & Movie Under the Stars

Food

& Music

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There's something for everyone!

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Thanks very much for keeping the reports coming in! The NEW Form B that comes from the Yearbook Office in Elgin and updates contact information about your congregation's board or leadership team chair, the treasurer, a deacon contact, and a number of other contact persons will be coming to congregations and contact persons soon. Please be sure to review the material provided on Form B and make updates as they are needed. Complete addresses and phone numbers are appreciated, as well as email addresses, if they are available.

In addition, the **Congregational Outreach Form** for 2017/2018 had been sent from the COB Stewardship Office and was due by <u>December 1, 2017.</u> If you have a question, you will need to contact the Stewardship Office at 800-323-8039, ext. 361. A downloadable version of the form, as well as a new fillable option is also available at <u>www.brethren.org/stewardship</u>. Feel free to use that option in order to switch to paperless reporting.

The forms listed below were received in the *District Office* as of June 20. *ALL of these informational forms are important to both the district and the denomination.* The updated forms are sent to Elgin and they provide a copy for the District Office. If you have a question about a form, please don't hesitate to contact Tina at 814 479-2181 or toll free 1-866-279-2181. Your prompt attention to this task will be appreciated. Thanks!

Church Code	Church Name	Form A	Form B	2017 Statistical Report	Additional Officers	Self-Allocation
37-010	Arbutus ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-015	Beachdale	•				•
37-020	Bear Run		•			•
37-030	Berkey		•			
37-050	Bethel	•	•	•		•
37-060	Brothersvalley			•	•	•
37-068	Canaan	•	•	•		•
37-070	Center					
37-080	Center Hill	•			•	•
37-090	Conemaugh	•	•			•
37-100	Connellsville ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-110	County Line ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-130	Elbethel					
37-140	Erie Community United					
37-150	Fairchance	•	•	•	•	•
37-160	Fair View				•	
37-170	Farmington Bethel		•			•
37-190	Geiger	•	•			•
37-195	Good Samaritan					•
37-200	Greensburg	•			•	•
37-210	Greenville	•		•		•
37-220	Hooversville	•	•	•		•
37-230	Hostetler ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-240	Hyndman			•		
37-250	Indiana ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-310	Ligonier First ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-320	Locust Grove ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-340	Maple Glen					•
37-350	Maple Grove					
37-360	Maple Spring	•		•		•
37-380	Meyersdale		•		•	•
37-390	Middlecreek					
37-400	Monroeville					•
37-410	Montgomery	•	•			•

Church Code	Church Name	Form A	Form B	2017 Statistical Report	Additional Officers	Self-Allocation
37-260	Morrellville					•
37-420	Mount Joy ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-430	Mount Pleasant					•
37-270	Moxham	•		•		•
37-440	Nanty Glo ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-450	Natrona Heights					•
37-460	Oakdale	•				
37-470	Penn Run	•				•
37-475	Pike Run					
37-480	Pleasant Hill		•			
37-500	Plumcreek ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-505	Purchase Line				•	•
37-508	Rayman					
37-510	Robinson ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-520	Rockton					
37-530	Rockwood		•			
37-280	Roxbury	•	•		•	•
37-540	Rummel ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-550	Salisbury				•	•
37-560	Scalp Level ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-570	Shade Creek/Ridge	•		•		•
37-580	Sipesville ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-590	Somerset ♥	•	•	•	•	•
37-620	Ten Mile					
37-630	Tire Hill	•	•		•	•
37-635	Union Chapel					•
37-640	Uniontown <b>♥</b>	•	•	•	•	•
37-290	Walnut Grove	ĺ				•
37-645	Way of Hope	ĺ	•		•	•
37-300	Westmont	•	•			
37-650	Windber	•			•	•
37-660	Wooddale	•				•

# 2018 District Events and Meetings

This calendar will be updated as we receive dates from your groups, please send your important dates to the District Office ASAP to insure they will be on the District Calendar. Thank you.

#### EVENTS ARE CODED AS...

- District Events open for anyone in the District to attend CAPS
- Meetings such as District Leadership Team, Camp Board, Home Trustees, and events beyond the District small print
- Youth and Children's Activities ITALICS & CAPS

#### SUGGESTIONS FOR USE...

- KEEP FOR REFERENCE WHEN SETTING LOCAL CHURCH DATES.
- Each month check this page in *District* HIGHLIGHTS for changes/additions.
- Keep *your* calendar updated.

#### **AUGUST 2018**

- 11 DWM Summer Tea, Beachdale COB (alternate day Aug. 18)
- 12 Stewardship Sunday
- 31 Camp Harmony Gospel Festival Begins

#### **SEPTEMBER 2018**

- Camp Harmony Gospel Festival Concludes
- 3 LABOR DAY
- 6 Brethren Home Auxiliary Key Ladies Luncheon
- District Women's Ministries meeting, 1 pm, District Office
- Core Leadership Team, 6 p.m., District Office
- 21 DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE
- 22 District Leadership Team, 9 a.m., TBA
- 22-23 Harmony Fest, Campy Harmony
- Honduras Mission Dinner, 5 pm, Camp Harmony

#### OCTOBER 2018

- 4 DWM Brethren Home Day
- 7 WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY
- 20 District Conference, 9 a.m., Camp Harmony

#### **NOVEMBER 2018**

- 3 THIRTEENTH ANNUAL DISTRICT AUCTION, 9 a.m., Camp Harmony
- 4 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS (Turn clocks *BACK* one hour)
- 8 Core Leadership Team, 6 p.m., District Office
- 12 District Women's Ministries meeting, 1 pm, District Office
- 17 District Leadership Team, 9 a.m., TBA
- 22 HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

#### **DECEMBER 2018**

- 2 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
- 8 CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY Camp Harmony more information to come
- 9 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
- 16 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
- 23 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT
- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25 MERRY CHIRSTMAS!!
- 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

Dates will be added or changed as needed. If your District group, team, or committee has additions or changes to this calendar, please contact the District Office as soon as possible. Your help is much appreciated!