

THE HIGHLIGHTS

Western PA District Church of the Brethren

March 2025

FROM THE DISTRICT MODERATOR

If Only All the Hands that Reach Could Touch

At District Conference I shared my thoughts for our District and I want to again challenge our churches to reach out and touch. I know that all churches have ministries and send money to our District and to Elgin for the ministries that take place within our denomination. I know that churches have other ministries too.

My challenge is for each and every one of us to provide a ministry within our District that isn't overseen by any committee or person. Each of us has a responsibility as a Christian to reach out to the lost, hungry, lonely and unchurched. This comes from Matthew 25:35-40.

We don't need a committee or someone to oversee individual plans to reach out and touch someone in your neighbor, church member, or a family member who has not been in touch with a church. All too often we fail to remember that as Christians we have a responsibility to show Christ to those who need a touch from Him.

By accident my husband and I have started meeting with a group of people. Originally, we met on occasions a local restaurant that closed. These people needed support and friendship. We now meet in the local pizza shop twice a week. We just have lunch together and have prayer for anyone in the group or someone may bring a prayer request.



Some are without work, some work and are off at that time of the day, some are retired but it doesn't matter, the important part is that we are there for each other.

Most of the group was unchurched but two have now started to attend church with us. All too often it is so easy to keep our Christianity hidden or limit what we do for others. Jesus never stopped sharing himself with those who needed him.

Therefore, as a Christian, it is important for us to be the hands and feet of Christ to those who need Jesus.

Be courageous and pray for God to direction and give you guidance in a ministry that can bring joy and love, which can lead to salvation for someone. Be that helping hand to those around you or someone you may only see occasionally.

2025 District Moderator Amelia Derr

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FROM THE DISTRICT OFFICE

The Highlights deadline for the
April 2025 issue is

March 10, 2025

Please send your information
to tlehman@brethren.org.

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DISTRICT OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday**

8:30 am - 3:00 pm

**Closed every other Friday

Financial Clerk is in

Tuesday & Thursday

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

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115 Spring Road

Hollsopple, PA 15935

814-479-2181

Website: www.westernpacob.org

2025 DISTRICT DIRECTORY

The 2025 District Directory was sent out in January. Please be sure to send me any updates and/or corrections as soon as possible so I can list them in the Highlights.

If you would like a paper copy of the 2025 District Directory, please contact me at tlehman@brethren.org or 814-479-2181.

Thank you!
Tina

TO ALL MINISTERS

Reminder to be sure to update your clearances if you haven't done it already. Once you receive your updated info, please send a copy to the District Office, thanks.
Western PA District COB,
115 Spring Road
Hollsopple, PA 15935



REQUEST FOR DIRECTORIES

It is very helpful to the District Office staff to have updated information from all the churches we serve. If your congregation will be making a new directory for **2025** please send one to the District Office, 115 Spring Road, Hollsopple, 15935
Thank you!

HELP WANTED

The District Leadership Team is in need of an individual to serve on the Outreach and Service Team .

The District Leadership Team meets 4 times a year—in person and/or via Zoom. The Outreach and Service Team helps to direct congregations in sharing the love of God and the Gospel of Jesus Christ. It is wide open for new and renewed ideas that nurture and nourish the congregations we have here in Western PA.

Tired of complaining that nothing ever happens that brings congregations together or builds the kingdom? Is the Holy Spirit pushing you to help?

Then call the District Office at 814-479-2181 , talk to one of the District Ministers, volunteer and become part of the change

ACROSS THE DISTRICT

NEW MEMBERS

Arbutus — Ross and Marie Camut, Dan Stutzman

Monroeville—Charles Daw, Jeremy and Shala Ward

WITH SYMPATHY

To **Pastor Guy Myers** and his family as his mother passed away on January 28th.

VIRTUAL SERVICES

Arbutus COB Sunday Services are streamed at 9:00 am <https://arbutuscob.org/>

Freedom Church (Indiana COB) services are on Facebook (Freedom Church Facebook page) and on YouTube (@FreedomChurch-cd9xj)

Geiger COB Sunday Services are on Facebook at 10:30 am <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1709517105945633>

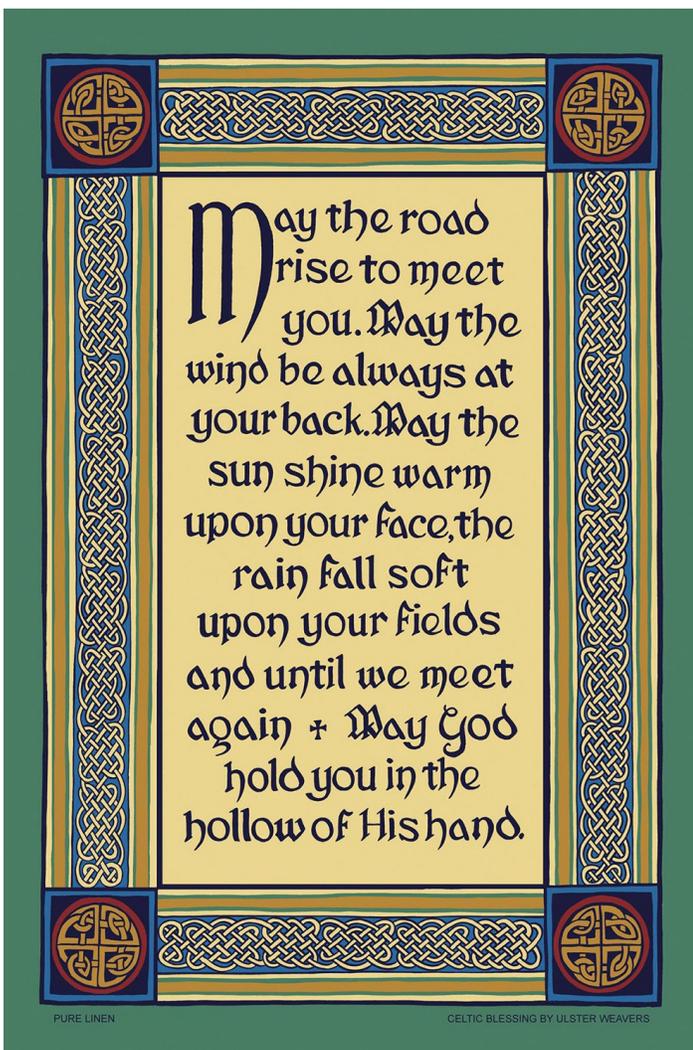
Hostetler COB Sunday Services are on Facebook at 10:30 am <https://www.facebook.com/HostetlerCOBMeyersdalePa>

Meyersdale COB Sunday Services are on Facebook at 10:30 am https://www.facebook.com/people/Meyersdale-Church-Of-The-Brethren/100064412810727/?eav=AfZ_hZTDR0BT2145UoR6btO6zS69_LKf8aq-ZM8IDloOJ_v6FfXuzfhRjN8YR1Nqs9g&ref=py_c&paipv=0

Rummel COB You can listen to podcasts of services on their church website at <https://rummelchurch.com/sermons/>

Salisbury COB Sunday Services are on Facebook at 10:30 am <https://www.facebook.com/Salisbury-Church-of-the-Brethren-211422968870314>

Walnut Grove COB Sunday Services are on Facebook at 10:00 am <https://www.facebook.com/Walnutgrovecob>





**American
Red Cross**

Community of Giving

Blood Drive

APRIL 11, 2025

12PM – 5PM

Monroeville Church of the Brethren
481 Center Rd. Monroeville, PA. 15146

Helping save lives one donation at a time!

Thank you!

For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org

Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

SERVING IN THE DISTRICT AND BEYOND

DISTRICT DISASTER MINISTERIES

**B-D-M
NEEDS
Your Help!** The ministry is great, still alive and well and with your help, we will be able to make it even greater. With all the severe weather events we have had, the need becomes greater each passing day.

We need you to help with this ever increasing work load.

We have a core of dedicated volunteers who give of their time and participate on just about every trip that is scheduled. For this we are very, very thankful. We are looking to have a full crew of volunteers each trip, which would be 14 people. Think about being a volunteer, where else can you go for an all-expenses paid trip where you work hard, but eat well, have great fellowship, and have tons of fun! Contact your church coordinator to volunteer and, if your church does not have one, please contact me at hjewald@atlanticbb.net or (814) 539-8530, (C) 814-691-5718

2025 Schedule

April 6—12, 2025

June 1—7, 2025

August 3—9, 2025

October 5—11, 2025

December 7—13, 2025

There are no New Windsor day trips scheduled, the program may be discontinued. Maximum of 7 Volunteers on each trip except if noted OPEN, then 15 Volunteers would be needed. Locations of all week long trips to be announced as info is available.

EL HOGAR DE NIÑOS ENMANUEL SHOE PROJECT



THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

It takes many people working together to make this drive possible. Sincere thanks to the congregations and individuals across the district who collect and donate shoes to the drive; the Westmont COB that generously allows us to store the shoes in their building until pick up; the volunteers who inspect, band, and bag the shoes; the packers who tag, carry and toss heavy bags of shoes onto the truck; and the district office staff for accepting donations on our behalf and storing them until they can be processed, along with handling the profit checks.

To this date, we have been able to donate a total of more than **\$8,000** to the work of the Home, and have already begun collecting shoes for the next shipment. For details on becoming part of the shoe project, contact the Shoe Committee:

Marie Camut – 814-266-3010

April Mackell – 814-536-1589

Karen Nagyvathy - 814-244-6977

FOOD PANTRIES

Walnut Grove Food Pantry

<https://www.facebook.com/Walnutgrovecob/>

Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank

<https://www.pittsburghfoodbank.org/>

Please consider donating food to these or any other groups in our area.

ARBUTUS PET FOOD PANTRY

If you have any pet items and/or pet food that you would like to donate, you can drop them off at the church, 1201 Erickson Drive, Johnstown 15904. The first double doors of the church are open 24-hours a day. Monetary donations can be sent to the church designating the pet food pantry in the memo line. Any questions feel free to call: 814-410-3151

SERVING IN THE DISTRICT AND BEYOND

TWO FROM DISTRICT SERVE WITH CDS AT LA WILDFIRES

One may be wondering what is CDS? It is an acronym for Children's Disaster Services, a Church of the Brethren organization that serves children and families after disasters, at the request of the American Red Cross or FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency). CDS is a part of Brethren Disaster Ministries (BDM) which focuses on rebuilding homes, caring for children, and providing international relief by engaging volunteers, supporters, and partners to serve communities recovering from disaster. CDS volunteers receive specialized training to create safe spaces for children to play in shelters and resource centers. Volunteers give children individualized attention and encourage them to express themselves and hopefully assist with the healing process.



Friends using water colors and markers at the Pasadena Resource Center. Photo by Kathie Shaffer.

We were aware of CDS through our work with children's programming at the Somerset Church of the Brethren and were very interested in participating in the training to serve with this group in the future. We participated in CDS training in 2021 and were both approved as volunteers after receiving the necessary clearances and references. We previously volunteered with CDS at two Pittsburgh area disasters - an apartment fire and a gas explosion. Kathie was deployed to Tampa with CDS in October 2024 following Hurricane Milton. The LA Wildfire deployment was the second two-week deployment for Kathie and the first for Sherry. Our team of seven was the second one deployed to LA. Two additional teams were later deployed as well.

Our experience in Los Angeles was rewarding, educational, inspirational, fun and challenging. We were initially assigned to the largest shelter in Pasadena which was near the Eaton fire. Then we were assigned to a shelter in Westwood which was close to the Pacific Palisades fire. We also spent two days in the Pasadena FEMA Resource Center where many local, state, and federal agencies were there to assist victims of the fire. At the shelters or resource center we spent time with children encouraging creative play while the adult family members visited agencies, attended to family matters, or just took a break. Our hearts were filled by the smiles and hugs we received. At the end of each day, one young friend would ask, "Are you coming back tomorrow?"

Each day presented new challenges. Sometimes we had large spaces for the play area, sometimes not so large spaces that were shared with sheltered residents. The children received much needed and deserved one-on-one attention and love. Our team of volunteers was creative using boxes to make kitchen sets, roads and race tracks, and beds for dolls. Our Kit of Comfort (a suitcase of carefully selected toys for open-ended play) allowed us to offer a wide variety of activities.

We were blessed to have a wonderful, caring and loving team that included volunteers from California, South Carolina, Minnesota, and Missouri. We were Mennonite, United Methodist, Presbyterian and Church of the Brethren. We were also blessed to have volunteers with special gifts, including one volunteer who was fluent in Spanish.

We would recommend becoming a volunteer with CDS if you have a love and gift for being with children. To learn more: www.brethren.org/cds We are willing to serve children and families with CDS as needed.

Sherry Berkey and Kathie Shaffer



Kathie Shaffer and Sherry Berkey building magnetic blocks in the dark with a friend at the Westwood Shelter. Photo by Colleen Reed



Colleen Reed playing Peek-a-Boo with a friend at the Westwood Shelter. Photo by Kathie Shaffer.

AVAILABLE SPEAKERS

ORDAINED

ABRAHAM, FARREL – 4315 Seton Drive, Pittsburgh, 15227-1245 / 412-979-0067 / sharingpearls@comcast.net

BEACHLEY, LINDA—PO Box 723, Davidsville, 15928-0723 / 814-479-4802 / lrbeac@atlanticbb.net

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COUGHENOUR, KAITLYN— 785 Red Dog Road, Salisbury, 15558 / 814-521-4649 / shellywithattitude@gmail.com

DERR, AMELIA – 1202 Roberts Street, Nanty Glo, 15943-1325 / 814-749-0262 / iamameliaderr@yahoo.com

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LONGWELL, ERIC— 240 Plumcreek Road, Shelocta, 15774-3144 / 724-599-8690 / kb3ttx@gmail.com

MOSORJAK, GARY – 1337 Roxbury Avenue, Johnstown, 15905-1224 / 814-659-5853 / wendel05@aol.com

STEIN, ROBERT - PO Box 375, Chalk Hill, 15421-0375 / 724-438-2226 / crid@verizon.net

SWICK, MICHAEL - 4127 Greenville Road, Meyersdale 15552-8518 / 814-634-8158 / preachmike101@comcast.net

WHITED, JAMES—881 Treasure Lake, DuBois 15801 / 814-592-5714 / jrwhitedsr@gmail.com

LICENSED

SHAULIS, TRAVIS—608 Second Street, Meyersdale, 15552 / 814-442-8626 / tanbadaner@gmail.com

CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES



Below are **Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center's** current continuing education events that are open to everyone. For more information and to register, please do one of the following:

- Click on the title of each event and follow links to register. (Can only register for one event at a time).
 - Visit www.ETOWN.EDU/SVMC and follow links for "Continuing Education"
 - Email KARENHODGES@SVMCCOB.ORG, OR Call SVMC at 717-361-1450
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Supporting Congregational Members Following Divorce

Tuesday, June 3, 2025 • 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM • Zoom Only

Leader: Julie Guistwite

Fee: \$35.00 for .3 CEUs or \$25.00 for no CEUs

Divorce is a life-altering loss experience that a rising number of congregational members confront. The encounter profoundly affects their biopsychosocial-spiritual well-being and often leads to disenfranchised grief. This interactive workshop examines three types of spiritual struggles that often occur in connection with three spiritual coping methods that can facilitate healthy adjustment. Attendees will gain skills in applying the methods to supporting congregational members navigating loss and grief using a case study.

Caring for Congregational Members at the End-of-Life

Tuesday, October 7, 2025 • 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM • Zoom Only

Leader: Julie Guistwite

Fee: \$35.00 for .3 CEUs or \$25.00 for no CEUs

Nearing death is as much a part of life as living. Drawing on a trifold model of terminally-ill ministry, this interactive workshop explores strategies for empowering adult congregational members at the end-of-life. Consideration of best practices in managing core ethical dilemmas persons navigate during this final lifespan stage will interweave across the discussion. A small group role-play activity provides the opportunity to apply the methods to assisting dying persons from the home to healthcare setting.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Events Sponsored by The Young Center (CEUs from SVMC):

The following events are sponsored by the Young Center at Elizabethtown College, NOT SVMC.

To register for these two events,

please go to <https://www.ETOWN.EDU/CENTERS/young-center/events.aspx> or call 717-361-1470.

Important: SVMC is only providing CEUs which may be obtained by contacting Karen Hodges at KarenHodges@SVMCcob.org or 717-361-1450

Durnbaugh Events:

March 20 & 21, 2025 – Leader, John Roth

1. Durnbaugh Lecture: Thursday, March 20, 2025 • 7:00 PM • Susquehanna Room, Elizabethtown College
Topic: “The Bible as a Source of Renewal (and Conflict) in Anabaptism and Pietism” (.175 CEUs, \$10 payable to SVMC)
2. Durnbaugh Seminar: Friday, March 21, 2025 • 9:30 AM – 12:00 Noon • Susquehanna Room, Elizabethtown College. Topic: Introducing (and Reading!) the Anabaptist Community Bible: An Interactive Seminar (.25 CEUs, \$10 payable to SVMC) If requesting CEUs for both Thursday and Friday events, the cost will be a total of \$10 (not \$20).

Early Anabaptism in Global Perspective -- Past, Present, and Future at 500 Years

July 22-24, 2025

This conference marking the 500th anniversary of the birth of the Anabaptist movement will revisit early Anabaptism and give special attention to the global context in which it emerged and spread. Speakers will also consider how Anabaptist history has been received by churches and academics in more recent times and in varying contexts around the world.

With more than three dozen plenary sessions, papers, seminars, and roundtables by presenters from ten countries, the conference will examine such varied themes as migration, diplomacy, the arts, colonialism, peacemaking, and theological identity. Explorations of the connections between Anabaptism and Baptist, Hutterite, Liberation Theology, Quaker, Mennonite, and Radical Pietist traditions are also on the program. Roundtable sessions and seminars include a discussion of approaches to teaching early Anabaptism and a workshop on reading early Anabaptist sources in community. Optional pre- and post-conference field trips will visit area libraries and archives and the 1719 Museum.

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center (SVMC) Hires New Director



Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center has hired Audrey Hollenberg-Duffey as the new Director. She will begin her time in that position on May 1st. Prior to May she will be working with the retiring Executive Director, Donna M. Rhodes, so as to provide a good transition for SVMC.

Audrey has served two years as Coordinator of English-Language Ministry Training Programs for the Brethren Academy of Ministerial Leadership. She has previously taught for SVMC's ACTS program.

In 2023 she completed a Doctor of Ministry degree through Wesley Theological Seminary which focused on congregational leadership and adaptive change. In 2014 she completed a Master of Divinity at Bethany Theological Seminary, with Distinction in Biblical Studies and Ministry Studies. She has spent 10 years in pastoral ministry in the Mid-Atlantic District and has served as a member of the Board of Trustees of Bethany Theological Seminary and on the Mid-Atlantic District Church Outreach, Renewal, and Evangelism Committee.

She receives joy from supporting the ministry of local congregations where the work of forming disciples and continuing the work of Jesus is most effective and meaningful. Her greatest passion is congregational ministry and equipping those who provide leadership in the local church through training and continued education.

Audrey and her family live in Oakton, VA (Mid-Atlantic District).

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center (SVMC) delivers training and continuing education for Church of the Brethren ministry and lay leadership. We offer classes in the ACTS and TRIM certificate programs, and organize continuing education events. SVMC works in close partnership with five Church of the Brethren districts: Atlantic Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, Middle Pennsylvania, Southern Pennsylvania, and Western Pennsylvania. We also work with Brethren Academy for Ministerial Leadership and Bethany Theological Seminary.



Annual Conference 2025

Greensboro, North Carolina

July 2-6, 2025

Koury Convention Center

Annual Conference registration opens at 12:00 Noon Central Time on Wednesday, March 5, 2025.

<https://www.brethren.org/ac2025/registration/>



2025 Schedule

Join FaithX during Summer 2025 to serve, grow in faith, make friends, and experience something new! FaithX experiences are short-term service trips that challenge us to be more aware of ourselves, our communities, and our world so that we may learn to participate in God's vision of justice for all people.

Participants will serve in a variety of ministry and non-profit settings, live and worship in community, make friendships, and explore a new place.

Registration for FaithX Summer 2025 opens on January 8, 2025 at 7:00pm (eastern time), and closes on April 1, 2025.



**God is Doing
a New Thing**
NEW & RENEW CONFERENCE 2025

May 14-16, 2025

Elgin, IL

Registration is now open at:

<https://www.brethren.org/dlf/newandrenew/>

Early bird pricing: \$129/person until April 20 for both on-site and virtual.

Regular pricing: \$179/person starts Monday, April 21 for both on-site and virtual.

CEU's will include both live sessions and recordings

New & Renew is a vibrant hybrid gathering focused on church planting and church renewal that is rooted in worship and prayer that equips, nurtures, and stimulates creative, practical ministry.



SUMMER CAMP 2025

PROVIDING ADVENTURE & FUN WITH AN ETERNAL PURPOSE!

DAY CAMPS **\$110**

GRADES K-8, 9AM -4:30PM

DAY CAMP #1: JUNE 16-20

DAY CAMP #2: JUNE 23-27

DAY CAMP #3: JULY 7-11

DAY CAMP #4: JULY 14-18

DAY CAMP #5: JULY 21-25

DAY CAMP #6: JULY 28-AUG. 1

KICK-OFF CAMPS **\$55**

GRADES K-6, 10AM -3PM

MEYERSDALE : DATES TBD

BENSHOFF HILL: DATES TBD

PENN RUN/INDIANA: DATES TBD

PORTAGE: DATES TBD

LOCATION #5: TBD



OVERNIGHT CAMPS **\$390**

JUNIOR: GRADES 2-5

JUNIOR #1: JUNE 8-12 **\$315**

JUNIOR WILDERNESS: JUNE 15-20

JUNIOR #2: JUNE 29-JULY 4

YOUTH: GRADE 7-12

YOUTH #1: JUNE 8-12 **\$315**

YOUTH #2: JUNE 29-JULY 4

YOUTH WILDERNESS: JULY 20-25

YOUTH ADVENTURE: JULY 20-25



JR HIGH: GRADES 5-8

\$315 JR. HI. #1: JUNE 8-12

JR. HI. WILDERNESS #1 JUNE 15-20

JR. HI. #2: JUNE 29-JULY 4

JR. HI. WILDERNESS #2: JULY 20-25



\$65
PRE-K CAMPS
AGES 3-5, 9AM -12PM
PRE-K #1: JUNE 2-6
PRE-K #2: JUNE 30-JULY 4



SIBLING DISCOUNTS

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE!

REGISTRATION OPENS FEBRUARY 1ST
WWW.CAMPHARMONY.ORG

REGISTRATION OPEN!



ADVENTURE



FUN



**ETERNAL
PURPOSE!**

Register At:

www.Campharmony.org



BEFORE CAMP

REGISTRATION:

Registration opens on February 1st of each calendar year for that upcoming summer.

Registration link can be found at www.campharmony.org.

You will create a Camp brain log in, or log in as a returning user. (it is important to remember this information).

You will need to fill out all camper, parent, medical, and financial (if applying for scholarships) information.

A non refundable deposit is required to hold your spot at the time of registration. The last day to register for camps is the Tuesday prior to the week of camp

CABIN/ TEAMMATE REQUESTS

Campers can request to be placed in a color team/ or cabin with friends. Please have this done prior to your camp week, to ensure they are able to be placed together. * some cabin / teammate requests will not be able to be granted, this will be discussed with the camper and parents at check in*

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are available. Financial information is required at the time of registration.





Scrapbook Retreat

MARCH 28, 4 PM - MARCH 29, 9 PM

FAITH HALL & HARMONY LODGE, CAMP HARMONY - HOOVERVILLE, PA

Retreat includes:

- **Meals** -Friday night pasta party, Saturday brunch & supper, snacks
- **On-Site Shopping** -with your favorite stores & Stamping companies
- **Lots of Fun!** -door prizes, games, goody bags, make & takes

What to bring:

- Cropping supplies
- Small desk lamp
- Spill proof cup/bottle
- sweater or light jacket

PROCEEDS FROM THIS CROP ARE DONATED TO CAMP HARMONY FOR PROGRAM AND FACILITY NEEDS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THIS CROP!

Pricing Packages:

- #1 - \$105 Fri. + Sat. w/ lodging
- #2 - \$80 Fri. and Sat. commute
- #3 - \$40 Friday only
- #4 - \$65 Saturday only

General Information:

Registration Deadline is March 21 (must be paid in advance)

Registrations will not be accepted over the phone

No refunds for cancellations after March 21 or no-shows

\$30 fee for returned checks

Bring a small extension cord if you plan on using electric

Lodging will be at Harmony Lodge - please bring your own bedding (full and/or twin) and towels



Register online at www.campharmony.org/scrapbook

Name: _____ Package Choice: 1 2 3 4 (circle one)

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Seat/Room me with: _____ Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Send checks and registration to:

Dorothy Gindlesperger
 330 Miller Run Road
 Hooversville, PA 15936



Questions about the retreat?

Liz Holbrook
 814-701-1681

MrsLizHolbrook@gmail.com

Register online at www.campharmony.org/scrapbook



CAMP HARMONY | STILL WATERS '25

Grace
UNFOLDED
John 4:31-42

APRIL 4-5, 2025
FOR WOMEN HIGH SCHOOL & UP

A weekend where women of multiple generations can gather to hear testimonies, discover their power and impact, and learn how we can share our own.

2025 DISTRICT EVENTS AND MEETINGS

If your congregation, committee, or group would like to have information listed on the District Calendar, please send it in to the District Office by the 10th of each month. Thanks!

MARCH 2025

8 - SVMC Class

APRIL 2025

5 - SVMC Class

26 - SVMC Class

MAY 2025

8 - Core Leadership Team, 6:00 pm, Zoom

10 - SVMC Class

17 - District Leadership Team, 9:00 am, TBA

JUNE 2025

No meetings or events scheduled

JULY 2025

2—6 - ANNUAL CONFERENCE,
Greensboro NC

AUGUST 2025

9—SVMC

23—SVMC

SEPTEMBER 2025

11 - Core Leadership Team, 6:00 pm, Zoom

20 - District Leadership Team, 9:00 am, TBA

27—SVMC

OCTOBER 2025

11—SVMC

18 - District Conference, 9:00 am,
Somerset COB

25—SVMC

NOVEMBER 2025

6 - Core Leadership Team, 6:00 pm, Zoom

15 - District Leadership Team, 9:00 am, TBA

DECEMBER 2025

No meetings or events scheduled

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