
KOCHENDERFER KORNER

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MOTHERS

Whether present with us or not, mothers are a gift we can remember and be thankful for. Proverbs 23:25 says "May your father and mother rejoice; may she who gave you birth be joyful!"

In some way, honor a mother on Mother's Day. It's the opportunity to show love, grace and honor for all that she has done, present or not. This month on Mother's Day, we recognize mothers and for the blessings they've provided in the church and families. What can you do for a mother on Mother's Day?

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE CHURCH?

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Wishing a happy birthday to these brothers and sisters-in-Christ this month: Hayleigh K, Harvey (Harv) Holzman, Joyce Bradley, Mac Crum, Jen Neuman, Mary Swisher, Glenn Heisey, Gail Breidenstine, John Roberts, Adrian Haines, Christina Freed, Anaya R, Shirley Hower, Molly Miller, Alice Miller and Damon Wenrich! Happy anniversary to Donald & Barbara Wolfe and Dean & Jen Ulrich!

SUMMER CAMP

It's not too soon to think about Christian summer camps! Camp Conquest and Gretna Glen both have opened registration for their

2023 summer camps, at various ages and attendance (day camp, overnight camp, weekend camp). We will provide a \$100/person scholarship from memorial gifts of past Kochenderfer Church saints. For more information or to receive one, contact the church office.

MISSION TRIP

We are planning a mission trip to Kentucky from July 21 - 28 to help rebuild after the tornado that went through there two years ago. All are welcome whether you have a special skill or just a desire to serve. This mission trip will have a lasting impact on our mission team and the community we will be serving. To sign up, contact 2ramarm2@gmail.com

WHAT'S COMING UP?

Interested in helping?
Contact Kelly at
kmease2012@gmail.com.

TROOP 439 BBQ EVENT

Every year, Troop 439 hosts their Chicken BBQ Fundraiser. This will be on Saturday, May 13 from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM. What's in this meal? Tickets are \$10 and includes 1/2 of a chicken BBQ, baked potato, applesauce, roll and bottled water. You can find them at the triangle across from the Home Depot in Lebanon, PA.

JONESTOWN BLOCK PARTY

Jonestown hosts their annual block party at this time of year and we'll be part of it! This will be from 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM and we'll provide information about our church and have a game set up.

SENIOR ADULT DAY

Spring Fling is at Gretna Glen at 9:30 AM for seniors, where they'll have snacks, a hot lunch, activities and fun with friends! The cost is \$25 a person. To register, contact camp@gretnaglen.org.



PARADE

There will be a Memorial Day Parade on Monday, May 29 at 9:30 AM in Lebanon. We'll be handing out info. To join, visit the Welcome Center.

FEATURED ARTICLES

MESSAGE FROM REVOLVE

"If a child lives with criticism,
he learns to condemn.
If a child lives with hostility,
he learns to fight.
If a child lives with ridicule,
he learns to be shy.
If a child lives with shame, he
learns to feel guilty.
If a child lives with tolerance,
he learns to be patient.
If a child lives with
encouragement, he learns
confidence.
If a child lives with praise, he
learns to appreciate.
If a child lives with fairness,
he learns justice.
If a child lives with security,
he learns to have faith.
If a child lives with approval,
he learns to like himself.
If a child lives with
acceptance and friendship,
he learns to find love in the
world." -Dorothy Law Nolte

The Revolve Youth Group would like to thank our church family for supporting us with love and kindness in our projects and fundraisers. The poem says it all: with the praise, approval, and acceptance, you ALL have shown to us (Youth), will build our character and mold us for the future. Thank you for caring.

In Faith,
KUMC Revolve Youth Group

LEARNING TO PRAY

Learning To Pray, a class Pastor Jeff initiated in response to further discipleship and spiritual growth in the congregation, has taken off. The classes meet every other week on Wednesdays & Thursdays, with the next ones on May 10, 10:00 AM and 8:00 PM and May 11, 7:00 PM. We hope to see you in class and grow to your fullest potential!

GROWING IN DISCIPLESHIP

LIVING INSIDE- OUT!

Led by Courtney & Jen, Living Inside-Out is for children ages 2 - grade 3. We sing praises to God as our opening, have a large group "hands-on" Bible lesson, then break into age-appropriate groups for more activities. The time together includes a fun way to learn about God's love, care, and plan for each of us, 9:00 AM every Sunday.

CLUB 456

Kids grades 4 - 6 gather for fun activities, opportunities to help others, build friendships and learn more about how God involves Himself in their lives! The group meets during the 9:00 AM Contemporary Service.

REVOLVE

Revolve is our church's youth ministry for grades 7 - 12. Led by our Director of Youth Ministries, this group engages in Sunday School and fun-filled events to keep them intrigued and learn more of Christ! Sunday School meets in their own Youth Lounge, Room 201 at 10:30 AM.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOLS

We offer discipleship to further enforce teachings on a Sunday to help you grow in God. **Worship Breakdown** is a class that meets on Sunday mornings in the CLC at 10:30 AM and is led by Andy Mease & Bonnie Mease. We breakdown the music that was sung as well as the message and scripture that was delivered. **God's Morning Uplift**, led by Alice Miller, during the 10:30 AM Traditional Service.

FELLOWSHIP EVENTS

HOUSE OF PRAYER

The House of Prayer is a time for believers to come together for aligning our hearts with God prayerfully, as well as remember Christ with communion and worship. The House of Prayer is every Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM.

BIBLE STUDIES

Join Pastor Jeff as he leads Bible Study, every Tuesday at 10:30 AM. If you have questions, you can contact Pastor Jeff at pastorjeff@kochenderfer.org. Adults, you can also join the Adult Bible Study that happens Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM.

BREAKFAST & LUNCH OPPORTUNITIES

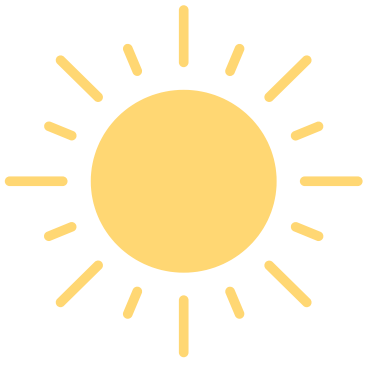
Once a month, various fellowship groups meet for a meal offsite. **Retiree's Breakfast** meet at Country Fare Restaurant in Myerstown at 9:00 AM on the first Thursday of the month; May 4. **Sisters In Faith Breakfast** meets also at Heisey's Diner on the second Saturday of the month; May 13, 9:30 AM. **Men's Breakfast** meets at Heisey's Diner, 7:30 AM on the third Saturday of the month; May 20. The **Retiree's Luncheon** meets at 12:30 PM at a different location each month on the third Tuesday of the month.

PRAYER SHAWL

On the second and third Thursday of the month, this group meets at 9:30 AM in CLC 101 and open to anyone. We crochet and knit, cross stitch, paint and more!

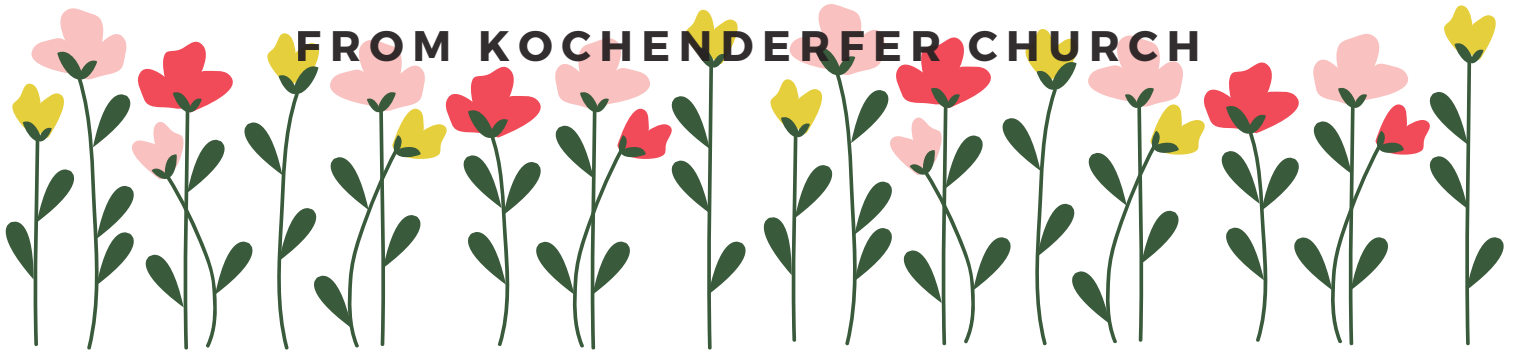
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Fellowship Team Meeting 6:00pm - 7:30pm @ Sanctuary Overflow Club Scout Den Meeting 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC	2 Tuesday Morning Bible Study 10:30am - 11:30am @ CLC 101 Scouts Stab Pickup 5:00pm - 6:00pm @ Welcome Center (Lobby) Praise Team Rehearsal 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC	3 Lead Team Meeting 6:00pm - 7:00pm @ CLC 101 Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ CLC Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ Pavilion Boy Scout Troop 439 Committee Meeting 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Room 202 Prayer Meeting (Communion) 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Sanctuary	4 Retiree's Breakfast 9:00am - 10:30am @ Offsite	5	6 Sisters In Faith Breakfast 8:30am - 9:30am @ Offsite Troop 439 Kauffman's Chicken BOOD 10:00am - 1:00pm @ Offsite
7 Communion Contemporary Worship - Children's Sunday School Club 4:56 9:00am - 10:30am @ CLC Traditional Worship - Adult Sunday School - Revolve 10:30am @ Sanctuary	8 Club Scout Den Leader's Meeting 6:00pm - 7:00pm @ CLC 101 Club Scout Den Meeting 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC	9 Tuesday Morning Bible Study 10:30am - 11:30am @ CLC 101 Praise Team Rehearsal 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC	10 Learning To Pray Class 10:00am - 11:00am @ CLC 101 Lead Team Meeting 6:00pm - 7:00pm @ CLC 101 Club Scout Committee Meeting 6:30pm - 8:00pm @ Room 202 Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ CLC Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ Pavilion Prayer Meeting (Communion) 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Sanctuary Learning To Pray Class 8:00pm - 9:00pm @ CLC 101	11 Prayer Share Ministry 9:30am - 11:30am @ CLC 101 Learning To Pray Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC 101	12	13
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28 Pentecost Sunday Communion Contemporary Worship - Children's Sunday School Club 4:56 9:00am - 10:30am @ CLC Traditional Worship - Adult Sunday School - Revolve 10:30am @ Sanctuary	29 Memorial Day Office Closed Lebanon Memorial Day Parade 9:30am - 12:00pm @ Offsite	30 Tuesday Morning Bible Study 10:30am - 11:30am @ CLC 101 Praise Team Rehearsal 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ CLC	31 Pre-K Counts Graduation 4:15pm - 5:00pm @ CLC Lead Team Meeting 6:00pm - 7:00pm @ CLC 101 Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ CLC Boy Scout Troop 439 Meeting 7:00pm - 8:30pm @ Pavilion Prayer Meeting (Communion) 7:00pm - 8:00pm @ Sanctuary			



Happy Mother's Day

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