

June 17, 2018

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME! If you are a visitor or new to Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church—we're glad you're here. Please sign the attendance sheet in the pew. Worship at our church is a joyful, prayerful, music-filled, traditional experience. We worship to glorify God and build up the community of believers to live in this world as followers of Jesus Christ. The **8:30 am** service meets in Sanner Chapel, immediately inside the front entrance of the church. During the summer, the 10:45 service is in our air conditioned Asbury Center. Kidz Praise, a special worship service for ages 3 through 3rd grade, takes place during our 10:45 Sunday service.

For more info: www.mlumc.org or 412-531-7131.



Faith for Today 9:30-10:30 am Sundays Asbury Center

Today: Denise Reichard, *Love America*



Denise Reichard's program features a collection of poetry, lyrics, short stories and memorable quotes that celebrate our American heritage. Presented in the style of interpretive reading, the program reflects and honors the patriotism of days gone by.

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Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church

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Faith for Today 2018
Summer Speaker Series
9:30 am Sundays

June 24 Brian Matous



Operation Safety Net
Brian Matous is a supervisor at Pittsburgh Mercy's Operation Safety Net, an innovative, award winning medical and social service

outreach program for persons who are experiencing homelessness in Allegheny County. Serving in the tradition of the Sisters of Mercy, Operation Safety Net reaches out and offers services that help people and empower them to improve their quality of life.

July 1 Penny Arcade

Family Friendly Children's Improv

July 8 Joel Thierstein

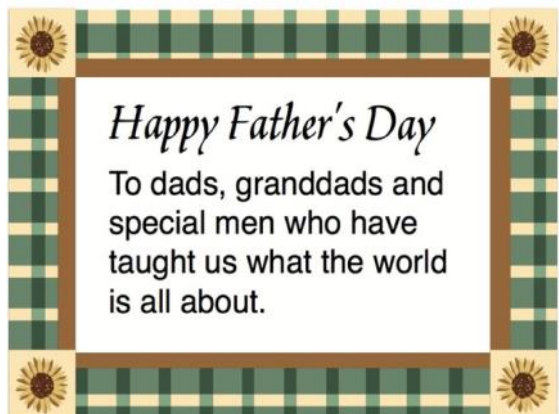
Trends in Higher Education

July 15 Make a Joyful Noise

Hymn Sing

Do You Have A Favorite Hymn?

If so, you have the opportunity to request the singing of your favorite hymn during our July 15 Faith for Today program. On that date, we will hear many favorite hymns sung and performed by members of the congregation. Please submit your request to the church office by Monday, June 11. We will take your request and hopefully match it with an instrumentalist or vocalist. To date, we have Amazing Grace played by a jazz pianist, Majesty accompanied by a trumpet, a violinist playing a hymn solo as well as Gretchen Franz and Kathy Whittaker playing a piano four-hand hymn arrangement. Plan to attend this Faith for Today program to be inspired by the great hymns of the church



Calling All Peacemakers!

Children ages 4 years through fifth grade are invited to attend Vacation Bible School this summer on July 30-August 3, where we will be learning about becoming agents for God's peace. Register by filling out a form available at the church, or online at MLUMC.org.

Adult and teen volunteers are vital to the success of VBS! Please contact Kim Rhoton to sign up – krhoton@mlumc.org.



Church Email List

Sign up to receive church communications by email. You can receive announcements and special emailings such as advisories of deaths in the congregation and closures due to inclement weather. You can also opt in to receive a PDF of our quarterly newsletter, *The Window*. Just drop the form below into the collection basket or contact the office: 412-531-7131 or churchsecretary@mlumc.org.

Opt In or Out of Electronic Mailings:

Name _____ Email Address _____

I would like to receive by email (check all that apply)

- The Window* as a PDF once a quarter
- Special emailings (deaths, closures, major church events)
- Announcements
- I would NO LONGER like to receive the mailed paper version of *The Window*



Community Barbecue

Saturday, June 23 4 to 7 pm Asbury Center

It's time to celebrate summer with our neighbors, community and church members at MLUMC's community barbecue. The menu includes fried chicken, pulled pork, fish sandwiches, French fries, pasta salad and summer dessert delights.

Come for the fellowship and good food.

**FREE & FREE WILL OFFERING DONATIONS GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED
ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT MLUMC'S FOOD PANTRY**

Food Pantry Donation Program for June

Please
donate
children's
snack items
(non-perishables)



**Drop-off box near
entrance to Food Pantry**

Food Pantry Help Wanted

Do you have a little spare time to support the Food Pantry once every three months? The Pantry needs volunteer shoppers to help keep the shelves stocked for the families. Contact Liz DiPietro for more information: 412-279-4592.

The Food Pantry "Donation of the Month" is a great way to help keep the pantry supplied. Each month, the pantry asks that people donate an item that is easy to deliver while attending church services or activities. These items can be placed on the shelves right inside the food pantry entry door or in a drop-off box near the entry. This month we're asking for donations of non-perishable children's snack items for the families.