

## *Puckety Presbyterian Church*

1009 Puckety Church Road  
Lower Burrell, PA 15068

*(Return Service Requested)*

### **Last Day For:**

#### **Post Scripts Information:**

Third Wednesday of the month.

#### **Bulletin Information:**

The Tuesday before the Sunday the  
article is to be announced

#### **REMINDER:**

Worship: 10:00 a.m.

Youth Church 10:00 a.m.

Youth Group: 6:00 p.m.



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What an amazing week so far... VBS is still going on as I write this, so there will be much more of an update in August Post Scripts, but I wanted to take a minute and say a huge "thank you" to everyone (and I do mean, everyone!) who has helped in any way to make this week so successful. Kids are laughing, dancing, singing, eating, playing, learning, and it is wonderful!

Rebecca



## HELP NEEDED!

Would you like:

- To keep your mind fresh and sharp?
- To learn new things or utilize what you already know in a different way?
- To have the privilege of worshipping as you work?

**JOIN THE VIDEO TEAM!** We need at least 2 new persons to join the team so that no one needs to volunteer more than once a month. There are either 4 or 5 Sundays or other worship opportunities each month. We currently have 3 volunteers. **WE NEED YOU!** You can work from the comfort of your own home and computer during the week. Someone will lead you and be beside you while you learn the ins and outs. Talk to Mark Benish, Beth Dober or Matt Wehrle if you are interested in being a part of this important ministry. THANK YOU SETH FISHER FOR RECENTLY JOINING OUR TEAM!!!!



# WORSHIP ASSISTANTS In July

2 VBS Kids  
9 Mick Dober  
16 Beth Dober  
23 Vince Appleman  
30 Cliff McKay

## Your Session:

Debra Artman  
Sue Close  
Sophia Earhart  
Rebecca Fisher  
Jolene Kostelansky  
Kirk Orr  
Vicki Orr  
Mike Tatem  
Matt Wehrle  
Chuck West

## Corporate Officers:

**President:** Sophia Earhart  
**Vice-Pres.:** Matt Wehrle  
**Secretary:** Debra Artman  
**Treasurer:** Donna Bracken

## PRAYER REQUESTS!

IF YOU ARE NOT ON OUR PRAYER CHAIN, PLEASE CONSIDER SIGNING UP FOR IT. IT ONLY TAKES A MINUTE TO LIFT SOMEONE WHO MAY NEED YOUR PRAYERS! CALL OR EMAIL THE OFFICE. WE HAVE AN EMAIL PRAYER CHAIN AS WELL AS A PHONE CALL PRAYER CHAIN.

## Your Deacons:

Vi Adamsky  
Sandy Ankney  
Lori Antonacci  
Beth Dober  
Mick Dober  
Lauretta Lockwood  
Brenda McAllister  
John McAllister  
Cliff McKay, Jr  
Irene Nelson  
Maria Schafer  
Denise Wehrle

## CHURCH STAFF

**Pastor:**  
Kirk Orr

**Directors of Youth Ministries:**

Vicki Orr and Caryn Nelson

**Administrative Secretary:**

Kelly Kapelewski

**Treasurer:**

Donna Bracken

**Choir Director:**

Lorraine Menk

**Organist/Pianist:**

Sue Close

**Custodian:**

Dean Kunkle

**Housekeeper:**

Irene Nelson

**Assistant Treasurer:**

Sophia Earhart

**Financial Secretary:**

Judy West

## GREETERS SCHEDULE

2 Vicki Orr and Sophia Earhart  
9 Rebecca Fisher and Matt Wehrle  
16 Sue Close and Deb Artman  
23 Jolene Kostelansky and Chuck West  
30 Sophia Earhart and Vicki Orr

## POWER OF PRAYER

To the family of God here at Puckety: We want to remind you that there are people here at Puckety who are available to pray for you after the worship service and we invite you to take advantage of these opportunities for prayer. We are asking that all who desire prayer to come and be seated in the first or second pew, up by the communion table. This will help us be aware of your desire for prayer. "The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." (James 5:16b)

## Counters Schedule

2 Jolene Kostelansky and Sophia Earhart  
9 Chari Burtner and Matt Wehrle  
16 Janet Karan and Deb Artman  
23 Chuck and Judy West  
30 Jolene Kostelansky and Sophia Earhart

## Summertime Special Music

It's not too late: there are still spaces to sign up to do Special Music during our Sunday Morning Worship. Sign up on the bulletin board or contact Kelly or Lorraine Menk.

# Will you help?

“Blessed are the merciful,  
for they will obtain mercy.”



The Synod of the Trinity has authorized a matching grant up to \$4,000 for Redstone Presbytery. This will be for humanitarian relief in South Sudan, where our Christian brothers and sisters are praying for deliverance from hunger, disease, violence, and injustice. This is a great Mission “Project” that even a very small group in your church could do in support of God’s children in Africa.

## Every Dollar You Collect Matters

We pray for your participation so that we can match what the Synod is offering. An active witness from our saints here in Redstone Presbytery congregations illustrates one way that the Kingdom of God is built.

Please mail your offerings to:

Redstone Presbytery, 1004 Mt. Pleasant Road, Greensburg, PA 15601 by World Communion Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, and indicate that it is for the South Sudan Abundance grant in the memo line.

## Star-Spangled Banner







## Bible Readings

The Bible readings are from  
"Book of Common Worship"

### For the week of:

#### July 2:

Genesis 22:1-14  
Psalm 13  
Romans 6:12-23  
Matthew 10:40-42

#### July 9:

Genesis 24:34-38  
Psalm 45:10-17  
Romans 7:15-25a  
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

#### July 16:

Genesis 25:19-34  
Psalm 119:105-112  
Romans 8:1-11  
Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

#### July 23:

Genesis 28:10-19a  
Psalm 139:1-12, 23-24  
Romans 8:12-25  
Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

#### July 30:

Genesis 29:15-28  
Psalm 105:1-11, 45b  
Romans 8:26-39  
Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52



## Blessings On Your Birthday!!!

- 1 Kody Orkis
- 2 Jackson Aungst  
David Phillips
- 3 Samantha Artman  
Larry Karak
- 4 Bob Bargerstock
- 6 Brandy Orr
- 7 Beth Dober  
Matt Clever
- 8 David Peters
- 9 Daniel Phillips  
Dorothy Hurlbut  
Georgianne Bargerstock  
Julie Ziencik
- 10 Gary McAfoose  
Ruth Foley  
Lauren Benish  
Margaret Shuey
- 11 Lance Appleman  
Cathy Yohe  
Ralph Baker  
Ellen Fisher
- 12 Sophia Nicastro
- 13 Matthew Burtner
- 14 Morgan Miller
- 15 Abby Fisher  
Garrett Baker
- 17 Marilyn Bush
- 19 Dalton Smith
- 20 Delaney Gordon
- 21 McKenzie Gordon  
Tynia Girard
- 24 Jim Johnston
- 25 Emilie Greiner
- 28 Kevin Blandford  
Talor Kapelewski  
Gianna Smith
- 31 Clayton Jones  
Ken Bush  
Traci Karan

(If your name does not appear above, or if the information is incorrect, please contact the office so that the records may be updated.)

***Ladies Luncheon:** Join us for Ladies Luncheon on July 30th after Worship at Villa Ballanca. Please meet in the hallway to go down together.*

Please stay after worship on Sunday, July 2 for a special fellowship time with all our VBS kids, parents and volunteers! There will be drinks and snacks!

## Ministry Teams

Puckety has several teams established to help accomplish our ministries. Each team is usually lead by an Elder, and is made up of various people from the congregation. Below is a list of our teams, and who is currently leading that team. By clicking on a team name, you can learn more about the ministries this team oversees.

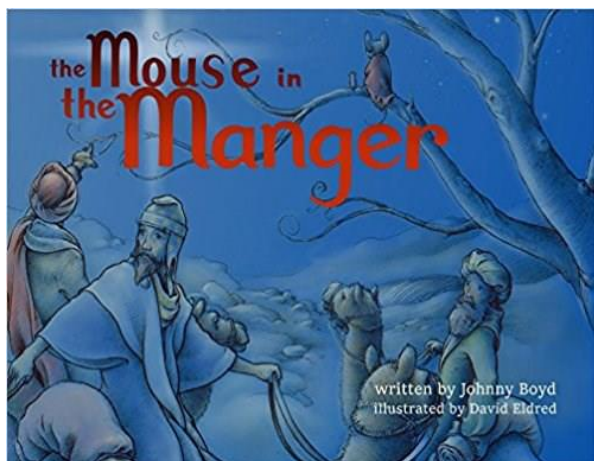
**Discipleship Team** - Rebecca Fisher - The Discipleship Team oversees the Christian Education Ministry Area at Puckety. These areas include Youth Church, Small Groups, and Vacation Bible School (VBS).

**Outreach Team** - Matt Wehrle - The Outreach Team oversees the mission outreach of Puckety Church. This includes all mission areas from local up to global.

**Fellowship & Care Team** - Vicki Orr - The Fellowship and Care Team works to provide exactly what their name states - fellowship opportunities and care of our membership.

**Upkeep Team** - Vince Appleman - The Upkeep Team is in responsible for maintaining the buildings and the grounds at Puckety.

**Worship Team** - Sue Close - The Worship Team, along with the pastor, oversees the worship at Puckety.







## The Mouse in the Manager

Bring the true spirit of Christmas into your home with a copy of *The Mouse in the Manger*. Your child is transported via gorgeous illustrations to that blessed day over 2000 years ago that changed the world forever. The smallest inhabitant of the stable touches your heart with his determination to join the adoring celebration and present the Baby Jesus with a gift. But what can you give when you are so little and have so little to give? The greatest gift of all, of course. *The Mouse in the Manger* will be available for **FREE download** on Amazon's Kindle for five days beginning Sunday, July 2nd. The Kindle App is free and compatible with any device so anyone can have access to this book.



Knead Community Café at 1011 Barnes Street in New Kensington offers a flexible, daily selection of freshly prepared sandwiches, soups and salads in a delightful café setting. It is a nonprofit venture that makes it possible for everyone to eat healthy and delicious foods regardless of their means while building community among neighbors. The hours are Tuesday through Friday 11AM – 2PM and Saturdays from 8AM - 2Pm. Please learn more about volunteer opportunities at [www.kneadcommunitycafe.org](http://www.kneadcommunitycafe.org) or like us at [Facebook.com/kneadcommunitycafé](https://www.facebook.com/kneadcommunitycafe).

# JULY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>25</b> 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship/Youth Church 2:00 PM VBS Decorating	<b>26</b> Meals on Wheels	<b>27</b> VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 8:00 PM N.A. meeting	<b>28</b> Meals on Wheels VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	<b>29</b> VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	<b>30</b> Meals on Wheels VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 1:00 PM Line Dancing	<b>1</b> 
<b>2</b> 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship/Youth Church 11:30 AM VBS Fellowship Hour	<b>3</b> Meals on Wheels 10:30 AM Card Ministry	<b>4</b> OFFICE CLOSED 8:00 PM N.A. meeting 	<b>5</b> Meals on Wheels 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Meals on Wheels 1:00 PM Line Dancing	<b>8</b> 9:00 AM Serene Shower
<b>9</b> 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship/Youth Church 11:00 AM Bates Baby Shower 6:00 PM Youth Group	<b>10</b> Meals on Wheels	<b>11</b> 6:30 PM Session Meeting??? 8:00 PM N.A. meeting	<b>12</b> Meals on Wheels 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Meals on Wheels 1:00 PM Line Dancing	<b>15</b> 12:00 PM Chronick Graduation Party
<b>16</b> 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship/Youth Church 12:00 PM Miller Baby Shower	<b>17</b> Meals on Wheels 6:30 PM Discipleship Team Meeting	<b>18</b> 6:15 PM Community Prayer Time 7:00 PM Sewing Guild 8:00 PM N.A. meeting	<b>19</b> Meals on Wheels 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	<b>20</b> 	<b>21</b> Meals on Wheels 1:00 PM Line Dancing	<b>22</b> 12:00 PM Hurlbut Graduation Party
<b>23</b> 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship/Youth Church 6:00 PM Youth Group	<b>24</b> Meals on Wheels	<b>25</b> 8:00 PM N.A. meeting	<b>26</b> Meals on Wheels 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Meals on Wheels 1:00 PM Line Dancing	<b>29</b>
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