

Pastoral Search Committee & Our Church**Bill & Betty Godfrey – 328 Chestnut Street, Danville, PA 17821****Marge Schooley – 507 Meadow Lane, Danville, PA 17821****Wallace Pabst, Jr. – 1050 Bloom Rd., Danville, PA 17821****Reynold Crane – 2914 Daffoe Terrace, The Villages, FL 32163****Bill Jeffreys - Emmanuel Rm #302, 11 Schoolhouse Rd, Danville, PA****Rosemary Notz – 23 Trillium Lane, Danville, PA 17821****Gloria Romberger – 61 Grotto Drive, Danville, PA 17821****Janet Betz – 281 Ironstone Dr., Beswick Rm #109, Northumberland, PA 17857****Lara Hess – 1002 Bloom Rd., Danville PA 17821****Ann Henry - 526 Grand Street, Danville, PA 17821****Doug & Connie Housenick – 12 Bernard Lane, Danville, PA 17821****Christina Schooley - 700 Horizon Ave., Northumberland PA, 17857****Louise Hawkins - 9 Holly Court, Danville, PA 17821****Eloise Bennett - P.O. Box 237, Riverside, PA 17868****Stacey Vernon and Charlotte & Savannah - 586 Walnut Street, Danville, PA 17821****Friends and Family of church members to be kept in prayer:**

Cynthia Rivers	Evelyn Lawvere	Larry Ray	Ruth Ann Gutenkundst
John Fortin	Eileen Macfadyen	Jack Pease	Malone Family
Julia Kutcher	Craig Hort	Nicholas Wivell	Paul Wortley
Susan Albertson	Kevin Lee	Lois Rupar	Diana Hagenbuch
Fred Gutenkundst	Vickory Sawyer	Disaster Victims	Randy Romberger
RJ	Stephanie Graves	Leona Pursel	Carol Cotner
Bob Buehner	Robert Martin	Matt Howton	Gary & Betty Hackenberg
Baby Daniel	Andrea Hughey	Brian Barden	Daniels Family
Peggy Evans	Nancy Pease	Cindy Weaver	Marcia Wagner
Jaxon Vincent	Ludwig Family	Megan Holloway	Charles Schuller
Lauren Davis	H. Carl Holmes	Colleen & Brynn	Stephen Wallace
Mariko Ito	Judy Gori	Tammy Shaffer	Helen Patton & Family
Beth Davis	Kathleen Deegan	Heath Coffield	

Remembering our homebound friends: Carl & Emily Fryling - *Maria Joseph Manor, Rm #112, 1707 Montour Blvd., Danville, PA 17821***Congratulations to:** New grandparents, Maribeth and Robert Vernon, and parents Stacey Vernon and Tim Glaser on the birth of Charlotte Collins and Savannah Grace, 1/3/19. Maribeth and Robert's address is *16 Heather Court, Danville, PA 17821*. Stacey and Tim's address is *586 Walnut Street, Danville, PA 17821*.**PLEASE NOTE**

Snow Policy: There will always be worship at Grove Church. Church School will be canceled by a joint decision of the Director of Christian Education and the pastor. An announcement will be made over the radio and TV, if possible. When Danville Schools are closed due to bad weather, Grove's Church Office will also be closed, and all activities scheduled for that day will be canceled. If school is closed but roads appear passable for an evening activity, it is up to the leader of the activity to decide to hold it and inform group members. If school opens after a delay, the office will be open and activities will be held as scheduled.

Grove Presbyterian Church News

www.GrovePres.org

January 27, 2019

Welcome guests! Please complete a Pew Card and place it in the offering plate. If you are new in the area or are looking for a new place of worship and fellowship, we extend a warm welcome. We have a special gift for first-time guests: please take a mug found on the sanctuary windowsills - enjoy a cup of tea or coffee on us and come back soon!

Fully accessible restrooms are located in the foyer of the courtyard entrance. Use the door to the Fellowship Hall (to the right of the pulpit), then exit left to the restrooms. Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.



Flowers today are given by Fred and Mary Jo Jones to the Glory of God and in honor of Amanda Leicht for her devoted and magnificent leadership.

Children's bulletins are located at the rear of the sanctuary and worship bags are on the giraffe coat rack at the front of the sanctuary. But for the times when an alternative is needed, professional childcare is available during Sunday School for children birth to 3 years and during worship for children birth through Kindergarten.



Coffee and tea will be available in the Fellowship Hall after worship so feel free to grab a cup before heading back into the sanctuary for the annual meeting.

TODAY

Annual Meeting: Session hereby issues a call for the Annual Meeting of the Congregation and Corporation of the Grove Presbyterian Church today, **Sunday, Jan. 27**, for the purpose of hearing and acting upon the Annual Report, as well as any other pertinent business. The meeting will take place in the sanctuary at **11:15 a.m.** (following the worship service). Copies of the 2018 Annual Report are available in the back of the Sanctuary and in the Fellowship Hall.

2019 Grove Directory: A copy of the 2019 In-House Directory is being circulated for proof reading. Please take a moment to check your entry for accuracy and note any changes that you would like to have made.



Registration Due Today - Kindermusik: The second semester of Kindermusik starts **Wednesday, Feb. 6th**. Completed registration forms and the materials fee are due in the church office today (**1/27**). Registration forms can be found on the tables in the back of the sanctuary.

Community Hymn Sing: All are invited to gather in the Fellowship Hall at **6:30 p.m. today (1/27)**, for a Community Hymn Sing led by Suzanne Walzer. Suzanne will lead hymn sings at Grove on the last Sunday of each month, so come make a joyful noise!

Blanket Offering: Make a gift today to help provide Church World Service with blankets for those in need. Each blanket costs only \$10, but these blankets can be a vital resource for someone needing a little support, warmth and encouragement, whether living in poverty or having suffered a natural disaster. Please pray and join us in this opportunity to share God's love at home and abroad. Checks can be made out to Grove and designated for Blanket Sunday. If you would like to make a cash donation, please use the pew envelopes.

COMING ATTRACTIONS ☞

Equipping the Saints: The 2019 Presbytery Leadership Conference will take place **Saturday, Feb. 23** at Montoursville Presbyterian. All members of our presbytery are welcome to attend. Registration forms can be found in the back of the sanctuary.

STB Kit Training: You may have noticed the red Stop-the-Bleed (STB) kit hanging in Fellowship Hall near the AED (automated defibrillator). This kit was donated to Grove by Geisinger. Many deaths from bleeding are preventable if someone knows what to do. Doug Kupas will lead a 30 minute training course during coffee hour on **Sunday, Feb. 10**. This important skill can be used in our church, your home, or our community.

PLEASE NOTE ☞

Session Reminder: The Committees of Session, Board of Deacons, and Session Elders will meet **Monday, Feb. 4th**, starting at 6:00 p.m.

2019 Offering Envelopes: If you use and/or requested offering envelopes, you will find your 2019 envelopes on the back table of the sanctuary. Thank you.

2019 Per Capita: The per capita apportionment for 2019 is **\$35.55** per member.

2018 Contribution Statements: Please notify the office if you need a 2018 Contribution Statement for tax purposes or for your personal record keeping. Lisa will be mailing the statements for those who request one in January. Thank you!

Congregational Needs: If/when a member of the congregation has a non-emergent need for support, visitation, a meal, etc. please contact the church office at office@grovepres.org or (570) 275-0692 during the week. Weekend contacts are Kathy Zakarian, Deacon at (570) 447-1158 or Amanda Leicht, Clerk of Session at (570) 441-4494. For emergencies or scheduled hospitalizations contact the church office during office hours or the church leaders directly.

Presbyterian Women: Will not meet in February. On **March 7**, we'll begin our new book, *God's Promise: I Am With You*. Lesson one is *God With Us Wherever We Are*. Books are available for \$11. Please e-mail Diane at dianekitts@gmail.com if you're interested. This would be a good time to join us. We learn, laugh, and love each other!

YOU ARE NEEDED ☞

Food Bank: Next Sunday will be our Food Bank Ingathering. Each month we ask members to bring a donation of food to help stock the area Food Bank. We specifically need **Canned Vegetables** at this time.



Mitten Collection: The Mission Committee is collecting new and gently used hats, gloves, mittens, and scarves for infants and children to donate to Pennsylvania WIC (Women, Infants, Children). You can buy them, donate those your family has (gently) used, or knit/crochet your own! Please bring these items to Fellowship Hall and put them on our Christmas Tree next to the Mission Table now through the end of January.

Used Cell Phone Collection: The Women's Center Inc. of Columbia-Montour Counties is holding a cellphone collection drive in January. Phones and chargers, even if broken, can be placed in the collection box found in the Fellowship Hall.

New Location! 2019 Opportunities to Minister and Flower Chart: The Opportunities to Minister Chart and the Flower Chart have been moved to the bulletin board located beside the Fellowship Hall door to the sanctuary. The checked boxes below show which upcoming dates are covered. Can you help fill in the openings?

OTM / Flowers	Feb 3	Feb 10	Feb 17	Feb 24	Mar 3
Worship Leader	✓		✓	✓	
Acolyte (2 nd - 12 th Grade)	✓				✓
Fellowship Hour		✓	✓		
2019 Flower Chart	✓				

AROUND OUR COMMUNITY ☞

Today - Active Shooter Training: Will be held at **10:45 a.m. today (1/27)** in the Fellowship Hall of Trinity Lutheran Church, Market Street, Danville. Officer Garron Fenstermaker will present. This difficult topic is recommended for older youth and adults. The community is invited to attend.

Calendar of Church Events

- Sun. Jan 27:**
 - 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Church School
 - 9:15 AM Adult Bell Rehearsal
 - 9:45 AM Adult Choir Rehearsal
 - 10:15 AM Worship, Rev. Steve Cureton - *Adult Bells, New Member Welcome*
 - 11:15 AM Annual Meeting - *Sanctuary*
 - 6:30 PM Community Hymn Sing - *FH*
- Tues. Jan 29:**
 - 9:00 AM Spiritual Growth - *GR*
 - 6:00 PM Adult Bells
- Wed. Jan 30:**
 - 5:30 PM Girl Scout Juniors
 - 6:00 PM Family Meal Time
 - 6:30 PM Cherub, Youth, Jr., and Adult Choir Rehearsals
 - 6:30 PM Fellowship & Bible Study
- Thurs. Jan 31:**
 - 7:00 PM BSA Troop 39 - *FH*
- Fri. Feb 1:**
 - 2:30 PM - 6:30 PM Viola/Violin Lessons - *GR*
- Sun. Feb 3:**
 - 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Church School
 - 9:45 AM Adult Choir Rehearsal
 - 10:15 AM Worship, Rev. Sally Dries
 - 11:40 AM Worship & Music Committee



Attendance January 20 (10:15 AM): 35