News from the Hill . . .

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August Updates 2021

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Updates on Activities

<u>Covid Restrictions for Worship</u>: Moving forward, because of the mandate from Dr. Bindelglass, we will be requiring everyone to wear masks in worship again and coffee hour will be put on hold.

August Hymn Sing: We need more hymns for fill out our August hymn sing.

<u>Outdoor Worship</u>: On August 29th we will be having another outdoor worship service, weather permitting, on the front lawn of the church. Please plan to attend and remember your chair, it is BYOC (Bring Your Own Chair). Invite your friends and family!

<u>Just a reminder</u>: Rev. Amanda will be away on September 5th and the service will be a YouTube worship service. A link with the bulletin will be emailed out in advance of the worship service. Communion for September will be moved to the second Sunday of the month.

Donation Opportunities:

1. The office is need of a new finance computer and so we are looking for donations to cover the costs.

Cost: \$550.00

2. Although we are attempting to save our deep freeze freezer in the kitchen, we are also looking at a replacement freezer in case it unsalvageable. So we may be asking for funds to replace the much used freezer.

Please specify in the memo line or in a note to the office which donation it is intended for.

<u>Upcoming Events:</u> Please stayed tuned as we reassess and make any new decisions regarding the annual Church Family Picnic on September 18th. You can still sign up to attend.

Bridgeport Rescue Mission Food Kitchen Tuesday, August 17

> Outdoor Worship Sunday, August 29

Church Family Picnic Saturday September 18, 2:00PM

Updates from the Community:

The senior center will be having several educational opportunities coming up in September. This will be offered in person with a Zoom option at the senior center. Please remember to check out their newsletter for more details about dates and times.

- Medicare Scams and More coming up in this coming Medicare Enrollment period
- Informational about Covid and the newest varients as well as information on the vaccine before Labor Day

August 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 10:00 AM Worship on YouTube Rev. Aman- da on vacation	2	3 10:00 AM Coffee and Theology Zoom	4 10:00 AM Dea- con's Meeting Bishop Room	5	6	7
8 10 AM Worship 11:00AM Coffee Hour	9	10 10:00 AM Coffee and Theology Zoom	11	12	13	14
15 10 AM Worship 11:00AM Coffee Hour	16	17 10:00 AM Coffee and Theology Zoom Food Kitchen 4 PM	18	19 12 noon Out- reach Zoom	20 Backpacks Due	21
22 10 AM Worship 11:00AM Coffee Hour	23	24 10:00 AM Coffee and Theology Zoom	25	26	27	28
29 10 AM <u>Outdoor</u> Worship 11:00AM Coffee Hour	30	2				

Join us for our Annual Church Picnic



Saturday, September 18 at 2 PM



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