



Warning! I am reading Karl Barth again, no, still, probably always. Often he is on target for our times, even though he wrote nearly one hundred years ago. Where I am now reading in his massive works he speaks about the church. I have mentioned this before but it is worth repeating. “The communion of saints,” that is Christ’s elect, the church, “needs defense, protection, and preservation because it is in danger. It was always in danger. As long as time endures, it will always be in danger.” It is easy to see why the very early church was in danger. It was a tiny outpost of dissidents in a very large and dangerous world which hated it. All the political power of the world hated it; the religions of the world despised it. It stood for everything that they did not. It still does. The true church of Jesus Christ is always in danger. It is in danger from what Paul calls the powers and principalities of the spiritual realms who if they can will obliterate it and all traces of it.

My claim, which includes and extends Barth’s is that the church is in danger in three ways. First it is in danger where there is physical persecution, where persons who confess Christ as Lord and live accordingly are beaten, jailed, and martyred. Second, and often more effectively, danger lurks where there is indifference to the church. And third, the danger we begin to face in our time, is that people project their fantasies onto the world.

The church is in danger when it is dangerous to be a church member and more dangerous to be a confessing Christian. The world does not want to hear the true gospel message for this message dismantles all power structures but those which occur naturally in living out the Christian faith. The church is ordered under the Lordship of Christ. If Christ is Lord and there is no other then all political, social, and religious power is dismantled or subsumed under the Lordship of Christ. The world if it can, will simply not allow this to happen. There are times when through violence the church is suppressed. The church, amazingly, often grows under such persecution. The powers and principalities are not dumb. Something different is needed.

Enter a new tactic. Barth in his prophetic perception sees this. It is as if he is looking ahead fifty to one hundred years. He is again worth quoting. “(The forces on the community move from direct physical and violent persecution to a time of “trial”.) ... it (the church) comes under pressure ... in a more innocuous form. It is not perhaps required to surrender to error or unbelief, or to suspend its activity, or to disband, or to deny its confession, etc., but only to practice greater reserve.” In other words, to cease its public witness, or reduce its now ineffective witness to that which can be accepted by all and everyone, “to make a few concessions ... to accept certain adjustments.” Finally, and here lies the most effective so far of all the tactics used to subdue the church, “The world does not allow itself to take seriously the disturbance caused by the community (of Christ). It quietly accepts it. It uses the most terrible weapon of intolerance – toleration. It meets it with sheer indifference.” The world allows the church to go on its own merry way because the church no longer matters and the church no longer matters because it has now ceased to be a witness to Jesus Christ.

This is our world today. We, as a culture no longer believe much of anything that the church proposes as truth, for there is no truth so we can be ignored. We, again as a culture, certainly do not believe ourselves to be under the sway of “powers and principalities in the spiritual realms,” or for most people that there are spiritual realms – except of course for ghosts and goblins and Bigfoot and UFOs and Tarot cards and astrology and ten thousand other inanities. But that Satan and his minions exist and control world events to their liking, not likely. But Satan and his demonic hosts having convinced us that they no longer exist have moved us into this world of indifference and beyond. They have moved us into the world of fantasy. That is, reality is what I make it to be. That is the place, beyond Barth, at least in His fourth volume of Church Dogmatics, book two, that I see us living into in the early 21st century. What is true is what I believe to be true and that is troubling. It destroys any concept of revealed truth, bedrock truth given to us by the God who created us.

The only way I see back is through sitting together and reading Scripture as God’s revealed word to us, revealing God’s word in the flesh, Jesus Christ, the Way, the Truth, and the Life, the only way to God the Father. That Truth will change the world, again!

by Pastor Pete



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Thank you to everyone who participated in our February worship services.

Our February Lectors: Walt Lange, Karen Goetschius, Jodi Dupill, and Doug Ross

Our February Greeters: Ken & Dolly George, Doug & Deb Ross, Tim & Laurie Martin, and Bob & Darlene Thompson



For our prayers:

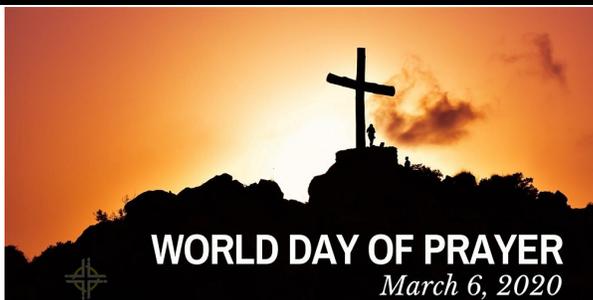
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Jennifer Hazlett, Betty Henry, Don Henry, Donald Hill, Ruth Hill, Marjorie Kaiser, Jim Kitch, Joann Kole, Tom LaCelle, Joel Ladik and wife Katie, Allison Lengauer Jordan, Don & Pat Lengauer, Luke, Heather Lynn, Irma McDivitt, Conrad McQuaide, June & Roy Moorhead, Steve Morcheid, Sam Musmanno, Harry & Diane Notto, Thad Overly, Pam Poremski, Pamela Powewll, Gail Powers, Laurie Powers, Winifred Powers, Rafael Rincon, Jesse Riston, Mary Ellen Ross, Ron Rubright, Ruth Ryman, Debbie & Larry Seighman, Emma Shirey, Valerie Shondelmeyer, Boyd "Buddy" Shupe, Dorothy Sottoriva, Mary Jane Staite, Dinah Staymates, Mildred Striner, Arlene Switzer, Bev & Mario Tagliati, Amy Teele, Tera, Bob & Darlene Thompson, Linda Wengert, Neale & June Wiester, Terry Wiester, Bruce Wise, Kate Wolford, those gripped by addictions and those who serve in the military. Remember to Pray for Our country, and Our world.

Please keep the family of Jayne Wiester in your prayers. Jayne passed away on January 30th, she was a member of Poke Run in the 1980's and 90's.

The Community of Poke Run Presbyterian Church is a community that knows and lives the POWER OF PRAYER. If you would like to be included on the Poke Run Prayer list, or just want to ask for prayer—contact the church office. If you want to be on the email Prayer Chain—also contact the office.

If you placed names on our "Prayer List," please contact the office to update us. Periodically names are removed from the list if the office has not been updated. Contact the office to update your prayer concern or to have a name added.



Women, men and children in more than 170 countries and regions will celebrate the "World Day of Prayer.(WDP)" on Friday, March 6th.

WDP has grown from small seeds into a global ecumenical movement, a tree that grows every year. "The trust that we have in God who gives the seeds the strength to grow and the tree to bear fruit."

From wdp-usa.org



The season of **Lent** is a time of prayer, fasting and self-examination in preparation for the celebration of the resurrection of the Lord at Easter.

It is a period of 40 days — like the flood of Genesis, Moses' sojourn at Mount Sinai, Elijah's journey to Mount Horeb, Jonah's call to Ninevah to repent and Jesus' time of testing in the wilderness.

The first Sunday of Lent will be celebrated on March 1st.

Information provided above is from the website of:



Agency of Presbyterian Church (USA) 100 Witherspoon Louisville, KY 40202

From the Poke Run Presbyterian Church Session Minutes January 14, 2020

The stated meeting of the Session met in the Sunday school rooms. A quorum was present and, Rev. Peter Goetschius, Moderator opened the meeting with prayer and devotions. Hebrews 2:5-9.

Session Members present: Rev. Peter Goetschius -Moderator, Connie Cauvel - Clerk, Nicole Goodiski - Assistant Clerk, Nikki McQuaide, Bob Wilson, Brett Stevenson, Laurie Martin, Nicole Goodiski, Walt Lange **Excused:** Valerie Hansen, Tom Kimble, Terry Wiester

Welcome new Session member Walt Lange!

2020 Officers:

MSC: Connie Cauvel- Clerk of Session

MSC: Assistant Clerk of Session: Nicole Goodiski

Approve: Amy Wilkinson to continue as Church Treasurer

Shyrl Stange to continue as Financial Administrator

MSC: To approve the Session Minutes of December 10, 2019, Deacon Minutes of December 2, 2019, and Trustee minutes of November 19, 2019

Christian Ed & Youth: Laurie Martin- Children's Sunday School began using the new Epic Bible: The Story that Changed the World- Birthday Card Outreach ongoing. 2020 Dates for Christian Ed include January 19 - Mike Hurley (Pine Springs Summer Camp Director) Minute for Mission April 10 - TGIF, July 19-23 - VBS July 26 - VBS closing at 11:00 AM Worship and December 4 - Santa's Breakfast set up, December 5 - Santa's Breakfast

Congregational Life: Connie Cauvel - A sub committee met January 7, and scheduled the 2020 Communion and offering participants for 2020

Nominating: Need by April - Pastor Pete will meet with Committee after Easter.

Trustee Representative: Walt Lange-Fire Alarm will be finished when they are able to resolve the leak. Bidding process is being discussed

Ad Hoc Committees:

Fishing Team - Tom Kimble-50-yard signs were distributed advertising our Christmas Eve Services. Working on Website - meet with web- designer end of month

Soup for the Soul Amy Wilkinson made Labels for soup - 53 people attended in January
30 received meals. Laurie Martin asked for quart jars received 9 boxes of jars!

New Business:

MSC: To approve the 2020 Communion & Offering Schedule including serving Communion at Early Service. (Book of Order) A copy of Communion procedure was prepared for each Session & Deacon member

MSC: To approve the 2020 Church Calendar-Calendar dates were approved with the understanding "if the way be clear" until all dates are submitted.

MSC: To appoint Connie Cauvel as Representative to Presbytery meetings (Unless another Session member wishes to attend) All Session members are encouraged to attend at least one meeting a year.

MSC: To have a "Service of Wellness" Saturday February 15 at 7:30 pm.

Session meetings are open to all members of the church. Complete Session Minutes are available in the office for Church member review.

The next Session meeting will be held at 7pm on March 10, 2020.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS
FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR CHURCH

New Members Class—

Pastor Pete is putting together a class for anyone interested in joining the Poke Run congregation. If you would like to join or want more information, see Pastor Pete or contact the Church Office. 724-327-5563





Communion is shared during the Early 8:30am Worship service every Sunday. In addition, communion will be celebrated during the following Worship services in 2020.

April 5th—Palm Sunday	August 2nd 11am
April 9th—Maundy Thursday	September 13th
April 12th—Easter	October 4th—World Communion Sunday
May 31st— Pentecost	November 29th—First Sunday of Advent
June 14th 11am	December 24th—Christmas Eve
July 12th 11am	



The Poke Run Deacons continue their valuable ministry into 2020. If you know of someone who would benefit by service from the Deacons, a visit, a card, assistance, prayer; please contact the Deacons or the Poke Run Office.



Deacon Ministry

From the Deacon Minutes of January 6, 2020

Present: Pastor Pete, Ruth O'Connor, Nancy Dombroske, Sandy Ballas, Nancy Kimble, Diane Scott, Shyrl Stange and Tammy Kelley Absent: Shelly Chappell-Vaia and Meghan Goodiski

December meeting minutes and Treasurer's Report were approved.

Old Business: Cindy Brooks will remain as Treasurer. 10 Food Baskets and 12 College boxes were distributed in December.

New Business: Set calendar for 2020 and Deacon representatives on Poke Run Committees.

2020 Deacon Officers;

Moderator: Ruth O'Connor, Vice Moderator: Diane Scott, Secretary: Sandy Ballas, Treasurer: Cindy Brooks

Subcommittees were set:

Flowers—Diane Scott

Food Baskets—Ruth O'Connor (Tammy Kelley will continue)

Palm Sunday Luncheon—Ruth O'Connor, Diane Scott and Nancy Dombroske

College Boxes—Nancy Kimble

Strawberry Fest—Nancy Dombroske, Meghan Goodiski and Laurie Powers

Deacon Rep on Budget & Finance—Shyrl Stange

Deacon Rep on Nominating - Nancy Kimble

Foodbank Tree & Giving—Ruth O'Connor

Christmas Eve Service—Ruth O'Connor

Card Sender—Nancy Dombroske and Diane Scott



The Poke Run Deacons are collecting names for Easter Food Baskets – contact the Poke Run Office or see a Deacon – please provide the name and phone number of who will be picking up the basket. Names will be taken until Sunday, March 29th Basket pick-up is Thursday April 2nd, 7:15pm.



ALL baskets must be sponsored by a member of the congregation.

as submitted by Sandy Ballas, Secretary



The Poke Run Handbell and Chancel choirs and Poke Run

Praise Team are working on their Easter music. Consider joining them for this celebration! Choirs meet on Wednesday evenings. See Sean for details.





FROM THE POKE RUN TRUSTEES

Please use your best judgement for coming out to church events. And remember, there is no "winter maintenance" in the Poke Run cemetery. Please use extreme caution when driving through the cemetery.



And the Trustees would like to remind you to use the Elevator! Poke Run is a completely accessible building thanks to our elevator—and it runs better when it is used OFTEN!

Make your church the safest place in town.

The Trustees are putting together a committee to improve the safety and security of Poke Run Church. This will include safety plans for people in the building, safety response information to help First Responders who might be called to Poke Run, general building safety measures, and more. They need your help! Maybe you have just the expertise to assist? Maybe you offer the care and concern that will help us all?

Please call the office if you can help. Thank you in advance!

STEP ONE WILL BE: numbering the Poke Run points of egress—you will see numbers on the doors—these will help any Emergency Responders who might be called to Poke Run.



POKE RUN HAS A NEW LOGO



Designed by *Reflex Brands*, who is working on the new Poke Run website, the Poke Run Session voted to adopt the new logo at left. Watch for it as we begin to incorporate it into "everything Poke Run!"

It was inspired by the cross hanging in the front of our sanctuary.

We'd like to share some history about this cross in next month's *Ranger*.

If you have information or photos that include the cross, please share them with the office. The new website is coming along and will be revealed soon! The goal remains to create a viable website that will provide key communications for Poke Run members and welcoming communications to the Poke Run community.



Reread Matthew 25:31-46 Notice the righteous and unrighteous responses to Jesus in verses 37-39 and 44. We know that neither of them were aware of the times they had helped or ignored those in need. Christian responses are through the work and guidance of the Holy Spirit. People with the Spirit, know Christ. Those without the Spirit, don't know Christ. Pray for the Holy Spirit to be in you.

The next "Soup for the Soul" will be Wednesday, March 11th.

(Broccoli Cheese Soup) Bring a friend!

- **NEEDED** If you are able to donate a dessert this month, please contact the office.
- doors open at 11:30am, soup is served at noon. Come and bring a friend,
- Help extend a Christian welcome and presence to those God brings to Poke Run!





From the Poke Run Office

Office Hours at the Church 9:30am–2:30pm most days.
Never hesitate to contact Pastor Pete at 724-454-2278.
Next Ranger Deadline: March 24th



▶ A 2020 Phone Directory IS AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH NARTHEX (Blue Cover)
- contact the office if you need help getting one.



The 2020 Flower Calendar is available in the Narthex- Are you interested in providing or dedicating Sanctuary flowers for our Sunday Worship? You can provide your own, or order two altar arrangements at a total cost of \$44.00. Call the office if you have any questions. 724-327-5563

IF YOU HAVE A FRIEND OR FAMILY WHO WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE “RANGER”-JUST CONTACT THE OFFICE.

From the Poke Run Treasurer

From the Budget & Finance Committee

We want to thank everyone for their continued financial support to Poke Run. It is a blessing how you have supported the Church, its program and missions. 2019 giving was strong and The Current Fund finished in a positive condition vs. the Budget. First Fruits (the old Per Capita) giving met our 2019 pledge to Presbytery. With the help and guidance of RBC, The Poke Run Endowment Fund with our investment portfolio performed well in 2019. Furthermore, The Budget and Finance Committee has representatives from the Deacons, Session and Trustees to support the overall projects of the Church. In particular, we work with the Deacons, Christian Education and Mission & Stewardship Committees to fund their needs and budgets. In addition, some major infrastructure projects like the kitchen, chimney, and roof projects were completed in 2019 and paid for. In summary, the giving was strong, we watched our expenses, and our outreach programs continue to grow.

Exciting things are planned for 2020. Thank you for your past generosity, and continue to keep Poke Run in your prayers, thoughts and giving. Happy New Year to All.



The “FIRST FRUITS” offering is Poke Run’s commitment to the larger church. The 2020 suggested contribution remains \$42.50 per member.

The Poke Run “Giving Policy” has been updated. Contact the office if you would like a hard copy.



Legacy Giving: Did you know you can help take care of your church after you die? Remember to give to Poke Run Presbyterian Church in your estate planning.

You can find Poke Run Presbyterian Church on Facebook! - featuring the “Daily Verse”
Find us on Instagram @poke_run_church



And on Twitter! @PokeRun1



Poke Run’s email address: pokerun@graced.comcastbiz.net
Poke Run web site is www.pokerunchurch.com

CHURCH OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: 724-327-5563
PASTOR PETE’S PHONE NUMBER : 724-454-2278

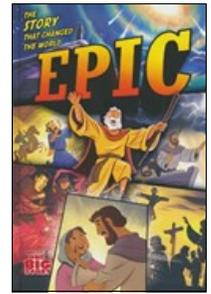




Sunday School at Poke Run Church

Classes meet each Sunday at 10am.

FOR THE KIDS Children's Class! – music and FUN! -Come check out the new "EPIC Bible" full of stories that impress and amaze!



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

The class meeting in the West Wayside room (on the left at the end of the hall) is using the David C. Cook series titled "Covenant in God"

The class meeting in the Session room (on the right at the end of the hall) is using the study "Anxious for Nothing" by Max Lucado

FREE—in the Narthex: copies of the two publications, *The Upper Room* - daily devotional, and *Today's Christian Living* - magazine

Join in the fellowship area for refreshment between the early service and Sunday School.



THE UPPER ROOM
DAILY DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

PINE SPRINGS SUMMER CAMP

Although it is past the due date for Poke Run Campership applications, it is not too late to register for Pine Springs Summer Camp. If anyone would like more information about Pine Springs Camp, contact Laurie Martin (martink297@gmail.com).

See "Happenings" Page for more Pine Springs Opportunities!



COMING SOON!

WHO: Children and Youth 3 years of age through Senior High

WHAT: Thank God It's Friday Cross Walk- A one day event to encounter life with Jesus

WHEN: Good Friday, April 10 from 8:30AM – 1:00PM

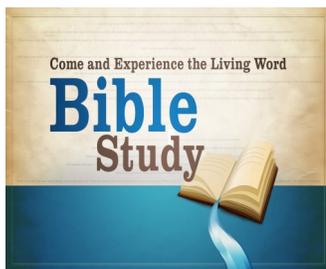
WHY?: What does it mean to "Take Up Your Cross and Follow Jesus"?

Then Jesus said to his disciples, "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will find it." Luke 9:24-25

The day is free to all... Breakfast and lunch are provided

A prayer breakfast will be held at 7:45 AM in Fellowship Hall for all that would attend (Attendees Breakfast at 8:30)

Registration is not required, but if you are planning to attend, please contacts the church office at 724-327-5563 to help us to prepare.



Sunday evening Bible Study 7pm

Tuesday Women's Bible Study All are welcome, the group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 10am in the upstairs "Fellowship Area."

Tuesday Evening Bible Study—7pm, on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month—location varies, check the bulletin or call the office.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN NEWS



Women of the Church ...will be meeting on Thursday, March 19th, at 7pm LOCATION TBD. The hostesses are Nikki and Cindy McQuaide and the leader will be Amy Wilkinson. If this is a group you might be interested in getting involved with, come out and join in. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!.



The **Welcome Home** women's shelter of Greensburg is in desperate need of the following:

Windex	Bleach	Lysol	Disinfectant Wipes
Tissues	Brooms	Mops	All-Purpose Cleaners
Sponges	Toilet Paper	Baby Wipes	Paper Towels
Bedding	Blankets	Towels	Laundry Detergent
Washcloths			

A bin has been placed in the Narthex- please donate if you can.

*"Jesus cares for us all so much that He died
On the cross at Calvary.
And shed His blood for the sins of the world,
For the sins of you and me.
God forgives us our sins, if we humbly pray,
And are not afraid to ask.
He will wash us clean and give us new life,
And prepare us each for a task."*

From a poem titled "A Time to be Born and a Time to Die"
written by Irma McDivitt Yusko (PW member gone on to glory)



HAPPENING IN OUR PRESBYTERY

Regular Redstone Office hours are M-Th 9am-4pm

NOW through- March 29 "Christian Response to Addiction" Delmont Presbyterian SEE PAGE 9

Mar 15 Pine Springs JUMPS

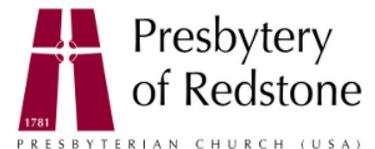
Mar 21- Rummage Sale, Grace Community Presby, Lower Burrell

Mar 24-RedstonePresbytery Meeting-Third Presbyterian, Johnstown

Mar 27-29 Pine Springs "Women in the Woods"

Mar29-Pine Springs Skates

Apr 4- Rummage Sale, Congruity Presby, New Alexandria



Through Lent-"Faith and Arts"- First Presbyterian in Greensburg- free 30-minute recitals and an art display at noon Fridays, beginning February 28 through April 3 in the church sanctuary, and mid-week 30 minute chapel service at 7:00 p.m., Wednesdays beginning March 4 through April 1. The Friday programs follow the hymn text of "Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life" and feature the artistry of Chris Visgitis of Wexford. Recitalists include: 2/28 - Ryan Lynch, Organ; 3/6 - Evan Bellas, Organ; 3/13 - Emily Busche and Bridget Deveney, Organ; 3/20 - Dr. Maureen Miller, Voice; 3/27 - Jacob Gruss, Organ; 4/3 - Dr. John Salveson, Organ. The Wednesday mid-week chapel services are based on the Beautitudes and will be a blend of Scripture readings provided by the Rev. Martin Ankrum, pastor/head of staff at First Presbyterian, and musical interpretations under the direction of Salveson. For more information contact the church at 724.832.0150.

SEVEN-WEEK STUDY ON
CHRISTIAN RESPONSES TO
ADDICTION

LEARN HOW GOD'S LIGHT CAN SHINE ON ADDICTION: HELP PEOPLE MOVE "INTO THE LIGHT"

**STARTS SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19
5 - 6:30 PM
CONTINUES THROUGH MARCH 29**

THIS COURSE IS FOR:

- **THOSE WHO LOVE AN ADDICT**
- **THOSE WHO WANT TO LEARN FACTS AND SCIENCE OF ADDICTION**
- **THOSE WHO WANT TO HELP THE COMMUNITY RESPOND TO ADDICTION**
- **THOSE WHO WANT TO SUPPORT THOSE AFFECTED**
- **YOU**

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Stories of Redstone

Christ at work in our midst

Ministry Partnership Recognized

Recognizing the needs of children who were under-performing in developing reading skills, Trinity United Presbyterian Church developed a new summer reading camp in 2006. Developing this critical skill during those crucial years is imperative for future success.



Initially, they sponsored and hosted the camp at the church facility, but in 2016, the summer ministry made an important choice. Why not have the program hosted at the East End United Community Center. Many of the children who had been participating were being brought from the Center for this summer educational experience. As a result, children in two classrooms were able to experience reading in a positive, fun and safe environment.

At the 2020 East End United Community Center M.L. King Breakfast, the Church was recognized with the M.L. King Service Award for their dedication to the children and the East End Community Center. Additionally, certificates of recognition were also received from public officials. While recognition is not the goal, the effective partnership with community groups and agencies represents a critically important way we live out our calling as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Communicate the Word... Carry on the Work... Change the World Together!

PSC JUMPS

We would love for you to join us for this awesome event and bring a friend who needs to hear more about the ministry of PSC!

FLIGHT Trampoline Park
Bridgeville, PA
Sunday, March 15, 2020
6:00 PM-8:00 PM
\$12.00
(1/2 Price Admission Cost)

The Gift of Enough

PINE SPRINGS CAMP
Women in the Woods
March 27-29 2020

PSC SKATES

Sunday, March 29, 2020
Center Ice Arena- Delmont, PA
3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Free Admission/\$1.50 Skate Rental

Enjoy a FREE skating session compliments of Pine Springs Camp. These afternoons will be filled with skating, games, give-a-ways and PSC fun. Bring a friend and introduce them to what summer is like at PSC. Each returning camper and their friend will be entered to win a prize!



HAPPENING IN OUR COMMUNITY

March 9, 10 & 11 Kiski Area School District Kindergarten Registration SEE BELOW
 March 14—Kiski Area Track & Field *Shamrock Run*—Kunkle Park
 April 1-4—Kiski Area High School musical production “*Legally Blonde*”

Don't forget to turn your clocks ahead on Saturday night, March 7th!



Kindergarten
Registration
Information



KISKI AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
March 9, 10 & 11, 2020

Children must be 5 years of age before September 1 to enter kindergarten.

The following items must be presented at registration:

- Child's Immunization Record
- Child's Birth Certificate
- (2) Proofs of Parent/Guardian's Residency

LOCATION	KA South Primary 230 Mamont Drive Export 15632	KA North Primary 1048 School Road Leechburg 15656	KA East Primary 420 Franklin Avenue Vandeventer 15690
DATE	3/9/2020	3/10/2020	3/11/2020
TIME	9:00 am - 11:00 am 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	9:00 am - 11:00 am 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	9:00 am - 11:00 am 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Children are not required to be present at registration. The process takes approximately one hour. Registration Forms are available after February 1st at each elementary school or can be accessed on-line at www.kiskiaarea.com under 'Our District' - 'Registration' - 'Kdg Registration Packet of Forms.'

If you have any questions, please call 724-842-0453 or email michelle.roush@kiskiaarea.com

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 1-800-877-8339 TTY/ASCD
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POKE RUN HISTORY is rich and deep. A Poke Run congregation has been part of this community for 235 years!! Part of the new website will be dedicated to that rich history of being “salt & light” in this place.

We would love to share stories and definitely include photos you might have of the people, the grounds, the buildings, and other milestones. Hoping you can share! -We can scan old pictures in the office and provide you with an electronic copy as well.

Tom Fitzsimmons shared these photos. They are of a commemorative/advertising plate given out by E. L. George who was a shopkeeper in the Mamont area. They belong to Nancy Gill (related to Dolly George)



MARCH



2020



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 LENT† 8:30 & 11am Worship 10am SunSch 7pm Bible Study	2 7pm Deacons	3 10am Bible Study 7pm Budget & Finance 7pm Bible Study	4 7pm Mission & Stewardship Choirs 	5	6	7 DST  Time to Spring Ahead
8 LENT† 8:30 & 11am Worship 10am SunSch 7pm Bible Study	9	10 10am Bible Study 7pm Session  MEETING	11 <u>Noon "Soup for the Soul"</u> Choirs	12	13	14
15 LENT† 8:30 & 11am Worship 10am SunSch 7pm Bible Study	16	17 10am Bible Study 7pm Bible Study	18 Choirs	19 <u>Circle 2</u> 	20	21
22 LENT† 8:30 & 11am Worship 10am SunSch 7pm Bible Study	23	24 10am Bible Study REDSTONE Meeting  MEETING	25 Choirs	26 7pm Trustees	27 APRIL RANGER DEADLINE: March 23, 2020	28 
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Sunday Worship: 8:30am and 11am
Sunday School: 10am adults & kids
Sundays 7pm Bible Study
Tuesdays 10am Women's Bible Study



Want to save the church a stamp—AND see the “Ranger” IN COLOR!?!?!
Contact the Church office and get added to the “Ranger” email list—
it is that simple—