



## What's Happening in Our Churches...

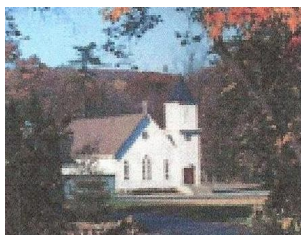


July 28 - Picnic Supper & Old Fashioned Hymn Sing - Jerusalem Western Salisbury, 3441 Devonshire Rd., Allentown - 6PM - supper will be in the air-conditioned chapel and will include bbq, cold salads, chips - we will then adjourn to the air conditioned 1819 sanctuary where a countdown of the Top 15 Hymns will begin - the event will be followed by an ice-cream reception - donations appreciated



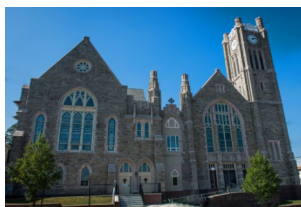
July 29 - Penny Party - Christ's Church at Lowhill, 4695 Lowhill Church Rd., New Tripoli - doors open at 5:30PM - party starts at 7PM - \$1/box of numbers - bring your own pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters - refreshments available

July 30 - Ham & String Bean Dinner - Christ Church, 109 S. Chestnut St., Bath - 4 to 7PM—\$10/person - \$6/ages 6 to 12 - takeouts available



August 2, 9, 23 - Funky Faithful & Fit - St. John's UCC (Fullerton), 575 Grape St., Whitehall - 6:30 to 7:30PM - dance classes, have fun & get in shape - classes are adaptable to all abilities - come for one, two or all 5 classes - all ages, abilities, everyone welcome - no charge but donations are welcome & appreciated - register in advance by calling church Office 610-264-8421 or email Michelle Funk [stjohnsucc.youth@rcn.com](mailto:stjohnsucc.youth@rcn.com)

August 5 - Movie Night - Christ's Church at Lowhill, 4695 Lowhill Church Rd., New Tripoli - 8:30PM movie begins - held outside weather permitting or inside if it rains - popcorn provided - refreshments available for purchase (hot dogs, drinks, etc.) -no admission fee to enter - all ages welcome



August 6 - Annual Church Picnic - Jerusalem UCC (Trachsville) in the church grove, 545 Church Dr., Palmerton - food & entertainment - "The Hawks" will perform at 3PM, 5PM, 8PM - at 6:30PM will be our famous cakewalk - free kids games at 2PM and kiddie cakewalk

August 6 - Basket Social - St Peter's (Lynnville), 5129 Schochary Rd., New Tripoli - Noon to 2PM - featuring Vince's Cheesesteak Food Truck - \$20 includes 25 tickets, coupon for Vince's classic cheesesteak & a bottle of water - craft vendors, games, baked goods



August 9 - Free Community Meal - St. John's UCC, 891 Columbia Ave., Palmerton - 5 to 6:30PM - hot dogs on the grill, macaroni salad, pickle cabbage, chips, strawberry punch bowl cake

August 13 - 5th Annual Golf Tournament - Zion UCC, 225 Iron St., Lehighton is sponsoring golf tournament to be held at White Birch Golf Course, Barnsville - shotgun start at 9AM - green fees, cart, fun, prizes & food - all for just \$60/golfer - \$240/per foursome - contact Bob Schaeffer at 610-554-6011 to sign up or to sponsor a tee and/or green - proceeds benefit numerous community ministries.

August 13 - Community Picnic - Trinity UCC (Great Swamp), 9150 Spinnerstown Rd. Spinnerstown - 3 to 9PM in the grove - rain or shine - free food 3 to 8PM - basket raffle - bingo 3 to 4PM - cake walk 5 to 6PM - live music featuring SWiM 4 to 5PM, Red Hill Band 6 to 8PM and 3 Shades of Blue (performed on America's Got Talent) from 8 to 9PM - bring lawn chairs



August 13 - Peach Festival - Longswamp Church, 200 Clay Rd., Mertztown - 4 to 7 PM - tickets sold in advance - \$12/adult - \$8/child—meal includes hot roast turkey sandwiches, PA Dutch potato filling, sides and many, many delicious peach desserts - call 484-637-6161 or email [festival@longswampucc.org](mailto:festival@longswampucc.org)

August 13 - Dining Tour of France - We Arrive in France! - Dryland UCC, 4415 Newburg Rd., Nazareth - serving from 4 to 6PM - menu includes Stuffed Mushrooms, French Onion Soup, Chicken Marengo, Rib-Eye Steak with Wine Sauce, Coquilles St. Jacques Parisienne (Sea Scallops), Baked Stuffed Tomatoes, Cauliflower Au Gratin, Nouilles Merilda (noodles), Cream Puffs, Crepes Suzette - take-outs available - \$15/adults; \$6/children 6 to 12 - for more information or to order tickets, please contact Rich at 484-894-9799 - all tickets must be purchased in advance - last day for ticket purchase will be August 7

August 13 - Summer Picnic - Morgenland Union Church, 3120 Weidasville Rd., Orefield - 4 to 9PM in the church grove - old-fashioned cakewalks, good food, kids activities, raffles & music by Country Rhythm Band - rain date August 14 from 1 to 6PM.

August 20 - Summer Evenings in the Grove - Featuring: God's House Band (playing rock, country, & gospel) - Jerusalem UCC (Trachsville) in the church grove, 545 Church Dr., Palmerton - 5 to 9PM - hot dogs & bbq, ice cream, drinks available for purchase - donations for music appreciated

August 20 - Peach Festival - St. John's UCC, 403 S. River St., Wapwallopen - 10AM to 4PM - Homemade peach ice cream, peach dumplings, peach shortcake sundaes, peach pie, corn on the cob, french fries, hot dogs & hamburgers - limited supply of peach dessert items - over 50 craft vendors - Jesse Fink & Friends will provide music - for additional info visit [www.stjohnspf.com](http://www.stjohnspf.com)

August 26-27 - Blues Nite Out - Union UCC, 5550 Route 873, Neffs - food & music each night - Bryant Brothers on August 26 at 7PM - Bev Conklin at 4PM & Sarah Ayers at 7PM on August 27 - for more information at [www.unionucc.org](http://www.unionucc.org)

September 10 - Backyard BBQ Bash - Union UCC, 5550 Route 873, Neffs - 3 to 9PM - featuring Scott Marshall & Marshall's Highway from 5:30 to 8:30PM - free music - pig roast & bbq chicken dinners available for purchase from Lorah's Pig Roasters

September 25 - Fall Festival - Salem UCC, Route 209 & Gibert Rd., Gilbert - Noon to 5PM - basket raffle, bake sale, kids activities, refreshments for sale - good old fashioned PA Dutch cooking - 8th annual car show - classic, custom, antique - registration for car show/\$10 - day of show check-in 11AM to 1PM - bring your lawn chairs & enjoy the music of "Lenny and the Loafers" - for more info re the car show or festival call church office on Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 9AM to 1PM at 610-681-4733 or contact Judy Smith at 610-681-6971

October 1 - Apple Festival in the Grove - Jerusalem UCC (Trachsville) in the church grove, 545 Church Dr., Palmerton - 9AM to 3PM - chinese auction, meat raffle, homemade food, wagons with apples, pumpkins, fall decorations & more

October 8 - Dinner and a Comic - Good Shepherd UCC, 3940 Mountain Rd., Slatington - dinner 6PM - show 7PM - seating limited to 120 - \$20/seat - reserve your seats no later than September 24 - enjoy a backed chicken dinner followed by Seth Knorr's clean & funny sense of humor - to reserve your seats, call 610-767-9680

October 15 & 16 - Apple Festival - organized by St. John's UCC, Wapwallopen - 10AM to 4PM - this will be held on the grounds of Heller's Orchards, Wapwallopen - craft vendors, food, entertainment