

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 11 – JANUARY 18

Sunday, January 11	8:30 A.M.	Early Celebration of Worship
	9:30 A.M.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School for All Ages
	11:00 A.M.	Celebration of Worship
	12:00 P.M.	Fellowship Time
Monday, January 12	5:00 P.M.	WaYouth Choir Rehearsal
	Senior High Wayouth	
	Noon	Trustees
	7:00 P.M.	MEDS
	7:30 P.M.	Outreach Meeting
Wednesday, January 14	4:00 P.M.	WOW
	5:30 P.M.	Primary Choir
	6:00 P.M.	Fellowship Dinner
	Middler WaYouth	
	6:45 P.M.	Study with Rev. Haas
Thursday, January 15	7:30 P.M.	Session Meeting
	7:15 P.M.	Chancel Choir
	8:30 A.M.	Early Celebration of Worship
Sunday, January 18	9:15 A.M.	Annual Meeting – Fellowship Hall
	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School for All Ages
	11:00 A.M.	Celebration of Worship
	12:00 P.M.	Fellowship Time
	WaYouth Choir Rehearsal	
	3:30 P.M.	Middler/Senior High Ski Trip

ROSES ON BAPTISMAL FONT

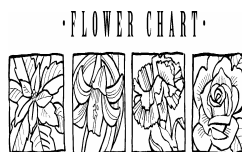
The roses on the Baptismal Font this morning celebrate the births of Jenna Christine Szklenski, on January 6th, daughter of Aric and Chrisitne and brother of Caleb (red rose), and Nina Amelie van Helden born December 10th, daughter of Bethany and Pierre and granddaughter of Pam and Rick Weaver (pink rose).

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by Bobbi Jo Fye and Joey, in loving memory of Richard Shenk, Grammy Great, and Uncle Jim, and in honor of our Wayside Family.

FLOWER CHART FOR 2009

A new flower chart has been placed on the bulletin board in the lobby for sanctuary flowers in the year 2009. Please stop by and sign up for the coming year. Flowers can be placed in memory or honor of loved ones.



WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

It is with gratitude to God and great joy that we welcome Roman and Colleen Bojewski and their daughters Brianna and Chelsea as the newest members of our church family. It is a great blessing to receive these sisters and brother in Christ into our fellowship. Please extend a warm Wayside welcome to them.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

VISIT TO A MOSQUE

Middlers and Senior Highs are invited to accompany Keith to a worship service at an Erie Mosque on Friday, January 16. The service is at 1:15. We will meet at the church at 12:30 and return between 2:30 and 3:00. Let Keith know if you can attend.

WOW KIDS CLUB – will learn about the Episcopalian Church in preparation for their visit to St. Stephens next week.

MIDDLER WAYOUTH Parents are invited this week for games and discussion of the mission trip to Washington DC.

SENIOR HIGH WAYOUTH tonight will cook dinner, start plans for the mission trip to Washington DC, and play a game.

ADULT EDUCATION

Issues of Faith today Dr. Jim Drane, professor emeritus of Edinboro University will offer a lecture entitled: “Understanding and Managing Today’s Religious Fanaticism.” Jim Dunn will begin a two part series next week on “Economics, God, and Systemic Evil,” following the Annual Meeting of the congregation.

Family, Faith and Fellowship: Today, the Filbecks will offer a discussion of Boundaries, book focusing on how to take control of your life.

Adult Bible Study: Don Worthington explores the lectionary readings for each Sunday.

WOW for ADULTS continues the series entitled “Living the Questions.” It is an excellent series with contemporary theologians who discuss openly the most difficult questions of our time.

MEDS, tomorrow night at 7:00 in the parlor, will continue their discussion of Living Buddha, Living Christ, by Thich Nhat Hanh, led by Rev. Tom McLaren.

SKI WEEKEND FOR MIDLERS AND SENIOR HIGHS

When: Sunday and Monday, January 18-19

Where: Overnight at Mission Meadows Camp and Ski Trip at the Peak

How Much: Overnight at camp, dinner and breakfast \$42 (Lunch on Monday is not included, bring \$10);

Skiing Costs: Beginners Package for first time skier or snowboarder: \$48.00

Lift Ticket for the day is \$34.00; Ski Rentals are \$21.00; Snowboard rental is \$26.00

Applications are at the Information Table or by request through the church office.

Scholarships are available. **There is limited space at the camp for the overnight.**

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN’S CALENDAR

LADIES: The Presbyterian Women’s Calendar of events is on the Information Table in the Lobby. Please take a moment to look over the events for the year and sign-up to volunteer to help with an event. If you have any questions please call Karen Haas at 833-2053.



CONGREGATION AND CORPORATION ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meetings of the Congregation and Corporation of Wayside Presbyterian Church will be held next Sunday, January 18 at 9:15 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. A pancake and sausage breakfast will be served. The purpose of the meetings will be to receive annual reports, approve the terms of call of the pastors, and conduct any other business as may properly be presented. Copies of the Annual Report are available in the Lobby.

WISE NIGHT OWLS

In January the Wise Night Owls will be attending a BayHawks Basketball game on Saturday, January 24 at 7:00 p.m. at the Civic Center. Please sign up at the Information Table in the Lobby to reserve your tickets.

GREETERS

Greeters are needed for the winter and spring months. If you would be willing to welcome visitors and members before services please sign up at the Information Table or call June Dover at 833-6472.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

DEACON'S SOUP SUNDAY

Once again, the Deacons will be making soup for the Emmaus Soup Kitchen, Sunday, January 18. Please bring items to Sunday School. Those attending only worship may bring ingredients to the kitchen following the early service.

RECYCLE PHONE BOOKS, HELP SECOND HARVEST

Again this year old phone books can be recycled, eliminating the need for unnecessary space at the landfill, and Second Harvest Food Bank will receive financial support. Until January 31, 2009 you can take your unneeded phone books to a variety of locations, including the Fairview and Millcreek Township Buildings, or bring them to the church.

COATS FOR KIDS

We will be collecting "Coats for Kids" once again this year. Please place new or gently used coats and jackets that you would like to donate on the coat rack in the lobby near Fellowship Hall.

WEST MILLCREEK FOOD PANTRY

Canned and dry goods are accepted every Sunday for the West Millcreek Food Pantry. The basket for your donations is located in the lobby next to the coffee table. This week the Pantry suggests baked beans and bar soap. All non-perishable food items are always welcome.

BACK TO PEARLINGTON

The Outreach Committee is looking into the possibility of a work trip to Pearlington, Mississippi in late February or early March. This would be for the ongoing Katrina relief effort. If you have interest in such an opportunity, please indicate that on the sign-up sheet in the Lobby.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 11, 2009

WELCOME

Welcome to Wayside Presbyterian Church. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and rejoice in the privilege God has given us to serve in this community as part of the Body of Jesus Christ. We thank our Lord for those who worship with us from time to time as visitors and invite any who are without a church home to come and join us in serving Christ as members of this church family.

FOR OUR CHILDREN

Child care is available during the entire worship hour for infants and preschool children. Children may remain for the entire service or take advantage of child care (kindergarten and younger). Children's worship activity bags are available for children remaining in the worship service. Please return them following worship.

SERVICE NOTES

A hearing enhancement system is available for those who have need. An usher will be happy to provide you with a receiver this morning. Large print bulletins are also available.

Thanks to those who helped today at the 11:00 a.m. service:

Ushers:	Johanna Anderson, Bill DeWitt, Tom Fye, Emma Haas, Jon Hoyt, Devin Johns, Ron Kolb, Lee McVey, Michael Monaco, Bill Pentz, Ian Ross, Matt Twinem
Worship Assistant:	Bobbi Jo Fye
Sound Board:	Jim Dunn
Acolytes:	Marissa Pardini, Brian Sundberg
Greeters:	Gene Sundberg Family
Information Table:	Matt McCullough
Childcare Helpers:	Jayne Start, Nursery; Melissa Grimm, Preschool
Fellowship Time:	Bill Pentz

Just a reminder to those scheduled to help next week at 11:00 a.m.:

Ushers:	Kevin Steehler, Rachel Bert, William Betz, Paul Carpenedo, Bobbi Jo Fye, Phil Garcia, Tyler Goodwin, Heather Kern, Maddie Westfall, Ron May, Evan Watkins, Gary Goodwin
Worship Assistant:	Jan Anderson
Sound Board:	Jerry Brown
Acolytes:	Henry Lewis, Eliza Porter
Greeters:	The Anderson Family
Information Table:	Becky Worthington
Childcare Helpers:	Karen Potocki, Nursery; Carrie Murabito, Preschool

PRAYERS FOR THIS MORNING AND THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

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*If you have a prayer concern that you wish to have included in this morning's "Prayers of the People," write it on one of the forms in the pew racks, then hand it to an usher. Names will remain on this prayer list for a month. If family and friends would like the name to be listed again, we ask that they resubmit them using the prayer request forms in the pew rack, a phone call or an e-mail *added 12/14/08; ****added 12/28/08; added 1/4/09; ** added 1/11/09*

Dealing with Illness/Injury/Treatment

Terry Irvin, Laurie Lasher Jenkins, Caroline Morton, Tom Harrington, Sharon Riley, Bobby Jares, Jack Tower, Jack McNabb, Hal Harrington, Becky Jackson, Max Wilson, Nathan Brinling, Jason Fullner, Cheryl Ritts

**Jan Morrow and Hope DePue, Greg and Kimberly Morrrows' mothers, experiencing medical concerns*

*****Tom Harrington, surgery*

*****Barb Carr, friend of Ron and Barb Trisket, blood clots*

Peggy Bules, gall bladder surgery on January 15

Suzanne Morrison, friend of Don and Mimi Lasher, diagnosed with cancer

*** Don Dennen, recovering at his home in Florida after treatment for his heart*

***Jack Downie, Jan Anderson's step-father, under hospice care*

Life at Wayside

We celebrate the birth on Tuesday, January 6 of Jenna Christine Szklenski; daughter of Aric and Christine, and sister of Caleb.

We celebrate the birth on December 10 of Nina Amelia vanHelden, daughter of Bethany and Pierre, and granddaughter of Pam and Rick Weaver.

Serving in the Military around the World

Ian Hamza, son of Jane and Kirk Hamza, serving in Qatar

Erik Hamza, son of Jane and Kirk Hamza, serving in Germany

Jason Bearce, grandson of Peggy Bules, has returned from Iraq

Colonel John Hess, Ft. Belvoir, Washington, D.C., son of Jane Hess

Ross Dubois, Mick Dubois's son, Iraq

Lt. Col Andrew Hamilton, son of Judy Hamilton, Huntsville, Alabama

Joel Pomeroy, son of Lee and Becky Pomeroy, serving in Baghdad, Iraq

Ensign Leigh K. Loesel, U.S. Navy, serving in Kingsville, Texas

Lance Cpl. Cory Robinson, grandson of Jim & Alice Allman, serving in Iraq

Paul Szklenski, Aric's brother, stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas

Sgt. Douglas Godfrey, Jr., grandson of Dick and Mildred Shenk, stationed in North Carolina

Brian Karnes, boyfriend of Paige Twinem, stationed in Iraq

Presbytery of Lake Erie

Rocky Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church, Franklin, and Rev. Marc deJeu

Rev. Gradye Parsons, General Assembly Stated Clerk

Prayers for the World-

The more than 4000 members of our armed forces who have lost their lives in Iraq, and their families. The hundreds of thousands of Iraqis whose lives have been devastated by the war. And the over 500 soldiers who have lost their lives in Afghanistan and their families.