



**SUMMER**  
ice cream  
sunshine  
FLIP FLOPS  
lemonade  
BARE FEET  
vacation  
**MEMORIES**

**SWIMMING**



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#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**June 5** is **World Environment Day**—a day meant to raise environmental awareness across the globe.

**June 11** is this month's **Full Moon**. Find out why it's called the Strawberry Moon!

**June 14** is **Flag Day** (U.S.). Be sure to raise the flag

**June 15** is **Father's Day** this year

**June 19** is **Juneteenth** (also known as **Freedom Day** or **Emancipation Day**). On this day in 1865, Union General Gordon Granger read the Emancipation Proclamation aloud in Galveston, Texas,

**June 20** is the **summer solstice**, which heralds the start of summer in the Northern Hemisphere. It's the day with the most hours of daylight.

**June 24** brings **Midsummer Day**, also St. John the Baptist's Feast Day. Traditionally, this was the midpoint of the growing season. It is celebrated in many cultures on the night of **June 23**, as Midsummer Eve!

**June 26** marks **Islamic New Year**, which begins with the first sighting of the crescent Moon after the new Moon in the month of Muharram. This event signals the start of the Islamic lunar calendar year.

**June 28** is the anniversary of the 1969 Stonewall Riots—a watershed moment for LGBT rights in the United States.

## From the Pastor's Desk



WHATEVER YOU ASK  
FOR IN PRAYER,  
BELIEVE

| Mark 11:24 |

As I sit down to write this letter for the newsletter, I can gaze outside my window and see God's creation changing all around us. The light of day is staying with us longer into the evening. The grass is turning lush and dark green. Flowers and garden beds are beginning to break through the dirt and bring forth a yield of beauty. The wind has turned warmer and jackets are being switched out for t-shirts and shorts. There is change around us everywhere we look. Isn't that what Easter and the resurrection is all about?

I love this time of year. There is a feeling of new beginnings and growth. This letter might be a bit different than others I have written but my heart is telling me that I need to share what lays upon it. The season of change has certainly arrived in my household. While we were dating, my husband would often dream about our future and what our family would look like. We both quickly realized that we wanted a child, and wanted to pursue adoption. So, after we bought our house and got married, we began the adoption process. It has been a very long two years for us, but God has answered our prayers and we have finally been matched with a child.

In the two years since we began the process, our vision of adoption has shifted and changed. We realized that God was calling us to open our hearts and home to a child that might have some needs and might not otherwise have a chance in the system. This is where we met Adam, the child we wish to foster and adopt. Adam is 9 years old and is filled with so much joy and curiosity about the world around him. Adam sees the world a bit differently as he is autistic and currently non-verbal. He does well in communicating via sign language, gestures, and an electronic device. He loves people, especially giving hugs, and is generally just a pretty happy go lucky kid.

I share this with you as you are our FAITH family, and will soon be Adam's FAITH family. We look forward to bringing Adam to church and teaching him about Jesus and God's love. We look forward to him meeting the congregation and making new friends. We are so grateful for the love and support you have all offered to us while in this process.

God is pretty amazing and always answers our prayers, even in ways that we don't expect. God has been a strength for us through this process and we are so thankful and grateful. In this season of Easter, we are called to open our hearts and eyes to everything around us. New growth and resurrection are everywhere we look.

How is God moving in your life?

Blessings,

Pastor June Wann



### My Walk in Faith

As my walk in Christian Education comes to an end, I think of all the memories I have collected from our youth. Actually, my journey with the youth started in the sixties when I started teaching Sunday School.

One of the reasons I enjoyed this journey so much was I was always learning something new. There is so much information, technology, challenges, and opportunities that are available to our youth; and the understand of how each one is able to achieve with the gifts they have been given.

As we recently reviewed the ten commandments, one that I shared with the class of major change was Remember the Sabbath and Keep it Holy. Remember the days when malls were not open, sports were not scheduled...the day was meant for family, Starting with worshipping together.

Thank you Faith Family for allowing me to take this Walk.

Joanne Gantz-Jalowiecki





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♦ Worship Service at 10:00 AM

♦ Adult Forum classes are held in the Gathering Place AT 9:00 AM

Communion—The first Tuesday of each month,  
join us for a light lunch at noon  
followed by communion at 1:00.

*We hope to encourage our members who are uncomfortable driving at night, to use this time for fellowship that was enjoyed at our Wednesday night Hotdogs and Hymns. All are welcome!*

*Bring a friend.*

Altar Communion—The first Sunday of each month  
celebrate Communion around the Altar. Please join us!





# **WORSHIP TEAMS FOR JUNE**

June 1

June 8

June 15

June 22

June 29

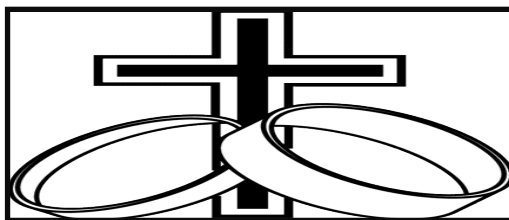
<b>ALTAR GUILD</b>	Linda Johnston And Charlene Frack	Pat Masonheimer And Gloria Senchak	Cathy Haller and Barb Yurasits	Shel and Judy Ehret	Charlene Frack and Gloria Senchak
<b>ASSIST- ING MINISTER</b>	Gail Herzog	Gail Herzog	Zach Keenan	Karen Blayle	Kindall Wann
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# JUNE 2025 CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
<b>1</b> Worship Service 10:00 AM AA 7:00 PM	6:00 PM Brownies  7:00 PM Pioneer Band (BH) 2	<b>3</b> <u>Light lunch and pew communion noon, 1:00 pm</u> 10:30 AM Prayer Group 6:45 PM Boy	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 6:00 PM Cub Scouts (PH)	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> Worship Service 10:00 AM <u>Confirmation Pentecost</u> Fellowship hour after service AA 7:00 PM	<b>9</b> 6:00 PM Brownies  7:00 PM Pioneer Band (BH)	<b>10</b> 10:30 AM Prayer Group 6:45 PM Boy Scouts <u>7:00 pm Executive council</u>	<b>11</b> 6:00 PM Eagle Scouts	<b>12</b> 6:00 PM Cub Scouts	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b> <u>Father's Day</u> Worship Service 10:00 AM 7:00 PM AA	<b>16</b> 6:00 PM Brownies  7:00 PM Pioneer Band (BH)	<b>17</b> 10:30 AM Prayer Group 6:45 PM Boy Scouts <u>7:00 pm Church Council</u>	<b>18</b> 6:00 PM Eagle Scouts 6:00 PM <u>6:00 PM Hot dogs and Hymns</u>	<b>19</b> 6:00 PM Cub Scouts 6	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b> Worship Service 10:00 AM  <u>Honoring the Graduates</u>  AA 7:00 PM	<b>123</b> 6:00 PM Brownies  7:00 PM Pioneer Band (BH)	<b>24</b> 10:30 AM Prayer Group  6:45 PM Boy Scouts	<b>18</b> 6:00 PM Eagle Scouts 6:00 PM  <u>6:00 PM</u> Hot dogs and Hymns	<b>26</b> 6:00 PM Cub Scouts	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b> Worship Service 10:00 AM <u>Church Picnic Post service</u>  7:00 PM AA (PH)	<b>30</b> 6:00 PM Brownies  7:00 PM Pioneer Band (BH)		6			

*I hope  
your day  
is full of  
fun and  
celebration!*

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### ANNIVERARIES

HESS, RICHARD & WENDY KNUTSEN-HESS 06/06

WHITTAKER, HAROLD & DEBORAH 06/06

MC FARLAND, IRVIN & CHARLOTTE 06/09

SCHOLTIS, DENNIS & DONNA 06/10

HALLER, JR, ERNEST & CATHERINE 06/12

HAFFNER, MEL & ROSEMARIE 06/13

ARMSTRONG, SR, PHILLIPS 06/18

EHRET, SHELDON & JUDY 06/19



### BIRTHDAYS

YOO, COLLEEN 06/03

HAFFNER, MEL 06/06

SMYKOWSKI, THOMAS 06/06

HALLER, STEPHANIE 06/07

MC FARLAND, CHARLOTTE 06/10

MC FARLAND, MATTHEW 06/10

GRIM, CARIS 06/23

KEENAN, ZACHARY 06/27

YANOSHIK JR, GEORGE 06/27

SCHOLTIS, DONNA 06/28

EHRET, JUDY 06/30

## **FAITH FACTS AND FYI TIDBITS**

### **Special Music this SUMMER at Faith!**

Now is your chance to glorify God in song! Calling all vocalists and instrumentalists who would like to share their talents in church during a Sunday summer worship service. Summer worship (when the Bell Choir and Senior Choir does not provide music) occurs June 15-August 31.

This is your invitation to share your talents!!

Anyone interested, please contact Jennifer Kishbaugh, Director of Music at 610-451-8660 or [jenniferkishbaugh@gmail.com](mailto:jenniferkishbaugh@gmail.com) to reserve your date.

### **SOCIAL MINISTRY DATES TO REMEMBER**

**June 18** Hot dogs and Hymns begins

**August 3rd** Hunger Initiative community Meal

**August 9th** Back to School Event for Whitehall-Coplay School District

**September 6** Breakfast for first responders and their families

**We are continuing to collect school supplies throughout June and July**

**June 11, 2025 at 10:00 AM is the next social ministry committee meeting**

### **FAITH FYI'S**

**June 8 Confirmation Sunday** Greetings in Gathering Place post service

**Friday, June 13th Faith Iron Pigs Night** (See Bob Billig for tickets)

**June 15<sup>th</sup>** Father's Day

**June 22** Honoring of the Graduates

**June 29** Church Picnic post service

### **ROBERT L. GEORGE SCHOLARSHIP**

ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES AND RETURNING COLLEGE STUDENTS.

IT'S TIME TO APPLY FOR THE ROBERT L. GEORGE SCHOLARSHIP.

IF YOU HAVE APPLIED IN THE PAST BUT DID NOT RECEIVE THE SCHOLARSHIP,  
YOU MAY APPLY AGAIN.

ALL APPLICATIONS CAN BE PICKED UP IN THE NARTHEX OR  
THE CHURCH OFFICE, MONDAY-THURSDAY 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

**The deadline for submitting the completed application to the office is June 30, 2025**

Do you have a graduate? Know of a graduate? Are a graduate?

It's time to honor and celebrate their accomplishments!

Graduates will be honored June 22, 2025

ALL GRADUATES: PRESCHOOL, NURSERY SCHOOL, ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE, POST GRADUATE —

**PLEASE HAVE INFORMATION TO CLAUDETTE IN THE OFFICE M-TH 9—3,**

**PUT IN MAILBOX, EMAIL: [claudette@faithon145.org](mailto:claudette@faithon145.org) Submission Deadline: JUNE 26 TO BE INCLUDED IN CONSTANT CONTACT**

We are called to be the Church. Let us Serve as we are able!

Dear friends of the Food Pantry,  
It is becoming more difficult to find the food that we need for our patrons through Second Harvest, our food supplier. We would be grateful for help with the following foods or money to purchase the foods that we need:

Cereal  
Juice (non-refrigerated if possible due to limited refrigeration)  
Coffee  
Pastas (penne, rigatoni, soup noodles, etc.)  
Soups  
Canned fruits  
Canned vegetables

We are extremely grateful for your support to help those experiencing difficult times.  
Judy and Shel Ehret

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We are continuing our Social Ministry outreach to Whitehall–Coplay School District  
Collections of School Supplies is ongoing throughout the Summer preparing for  
Our School Supply Event August 9th from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

**Our  
Church  
Mission**

#### MISSION STATEMENT (Read in Unison)

Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church is an open and caring community of Christ's disciples, ministering through worship, education, fellowship, stewardship, and evangelism.

# HONORING OUR GRADUATES! BRAVO! CONGRATULATIONS! TIME TO CELEBRATE!



**AURORA KISHBAUGH**  
DAUGHTER OF  
OUR OWN Music Director JENNIFER AND husband MATT  
SISTER TO  
DAYNE AND GAVIN

Aurora Kishbaugh will be graduating June 6 from Fleetwood Area High School. While at Fleetwood, Aurora was a member of the National Honor Society and Rho Kappa. She was involved in Symphonic Band (Librarian, Principal Flutist), Wind Ensemble, Marching Band (Drum Major), Jazz Band, Chorus, Choraliers, Women's Chorus, Musicals, and Orchestra (Concertmaster/Principal Violinist). She participated in Senior County Band, Jazz Band, Orchestra, and Chorus. Also, Aurora was a member of the District Chorus. She was also a member of Student Council (President), Women's Empowerment Club (President), Sustainable Students (Vice-President), Class Officer (Historian), Drama Club (Secretary), Blood Drive Coordinator, Envirothon, and Science Olympiad. She will be attending West Chester University in the fall to major in Music Therapy with a concentration in voice.

**BRADY KING**  
SON OF BEVIN AND BRIAN KING  
GRANDSON OF OUR JOANNE GANTZ-JALOWIECKI



Brady King, son of Bevin and Brian King and grandson of Joanne Gantz-Jalowiecki.

Brady graduated from Emmaus High School where he was a member of the National Honor Society and the varsity swim team. He also trained year-round with the Parkland Aquatic Club. During the Summer he works as a lifeguard.

In Fall, he will be attending Marist University in New York to study cybersecurity and continue his swimming career in their Division 1 team. Brady shared, "I am excited for the journey ahead and incredibly thankful for the support of my family and community throughout high school"

Go Red Foxes!



Ava Keenan is a 2025 graduate of Northampton Area High School. She is the daughter of Zachary and Tina Keenan. While at Northampton Ava was a member of the National Honor Society, the Science National Honor Society, Biology Club, Volunteer Club, PE club, Kindness Krew, and she was a 4 year member of the swim team. Ava received the Exchange Club Student of the Month Award, and she will graduate in the top 5% of her class.

Ava has chosen to attend the University of Delaware this fall. She was accepted into the Honors College, and she will be majoring in Chemical Engineering. She received a merit scholarship from the university.

Ava aspires to work as a chemical engineer for a skincare or make up company in the future. She will continue for her third summer working as a lifeguard at the Northampton Pool.

**Ava Keenan**  
daughter of  
**Zachary and Tina Keenan**  
And sister of Owen



**Emilia Rose Miller,**  
daughter of  
**Jeremey and Erika**  
sister to Greyson  
Granddaughter of our Margy  
Muthard

**Emilia Rose Miller, age 4, has graduated Pre-K from Long swamp Learning Center in Mertztown, PA. Born on August 18, 2020, she is the daughter of Jeremey and Erika and sister to Greyson. She loves painting her nails and anything related to make-up. Emilia cannot wait to spend her summer playing in the sand in Ocean City, MD and visiting Knoebels. In the Fall, Emilia will be**



THANK YOU SHIRYL DECKER FOR THESE FABULOUS SUMMER RECIPES

HAPPY GRILLING!

Bacon Cheeseburger Kabobs  
Prep: 20 min. plus soaking  
Grill: 18 min. Serves 4  
8 (10 in.) wooden skewers  
1 pound 80% lean ground beef  
1/4 teas. Kosher Salt  
1/4 teas. Ground Black Pepper  
8 slices Bacon, halved crosswise  
1/2 medium Red Onion, cut into 1" pieces  
Non Stick Cooking Spray  
4 slices Cheddar Cheese, quartered  
8 cherry Tomatoes halved  
16 slices Hamburger style dill pickle chips  
1/4 small Head of lettuce, cut into 1 inch pieces

1. Prepare Outdoor Grill for direct grilling over low heat; soak skewers in water for 30 minutes.
2. In large bowl, gently mix beef, salt & pepper, form into 16 (1 1/4 in.) meat balls. Wrap each meat ball with 1 piece bacon; alternately thread onion & meat balls onto center of skewers. Spray skewers with cooking spray; place on hot grill rack, cover & cook 18 mins., turning frequently. During the last 2 mins. of cooking top meat balls with cheese. Cover & cook 2 mins. or until internal temperature of meat balls reaches 160° & bacon is crisp & cheese is melted.
3. Alternately thread tomatoes, pickles & lettuce at ends of skewers. Pickles serve kabobs with ketchup & mustard or any of your favorite dips for dipping.



HotDog, Potatoe, + Corn kabobs  
Prep - 10 min. 5  
Grill 15-20 min. Serves 4  
1pkg Hotdogs 6 cobs of corn  
4 med. Potatoes 2 peppers  
1 med. Onion 1 bottle of Chili  
Cooking Spray Sauce

1) prepare for Outdoor Grill for  
direct grill low heat, soak  
wooden skewers for 30 min.

2) Cut hot dogs, Corn Cob about 2"  
1 1/2 pieces of potatoe (micro wave for  
6 min) 1/2 pieces of pepper + onion  
Thread your skewers with hot dog  
potatoe, onion, corn, + pepper alter-

ately  
(over)

brush with a chili sauce rotating  
every few minutes til done.

## **Biblical Significance of June**

June holds deep biblical significance, symbolizing growth, love, and community connections. The month encourages exploration of personal faith and relationships, aligning with the themes found within scripture.

## **Key Events and Celebrations**

June features several biblical events and celebrations, including Pentecost. This event, celebrated 50 days after Easter, marks the Holy Spirit's descent upon the apostles, empowering them for ministry. Additionally, many Christian weddings occur in June, reflecting the biblical themes of love and unity. Celebrating marriages in this month mirrors Christ's love for the Church, underscoring the importance of commitment and family.

## **Symbolism Associated with June**

June symbolizes renewal and growth, echoing the natural world's awakening during summer. The month reflects God's ongoing creation, as plants bloom and life thrives. This connection invites you to reflect on your spiritual growth and the cultivation of relationships. Additionally, June encourages gathering with family and friends, fostering community bonds and support in faith journeys.

## **Spiritual Lessons from June**

June embodies spiritual lessons that resonate with themes of growth, renewal, and reflection. It offers a unique opportunity to deepen your connection with biblical teachings and strengthen your faith.

## **Themes of Growth and Renewal**

Growth and renewal are central to June's spiritual significance. Nature flourishes during this month, mirroring the spiritual journey you take. Just as plants thrive, you're encouraged to nurture your faith. Consider engaging in practices that promote spiritual growth, such as:

### **Daily Devotionals:**

Set aside time each morning to read scripture or daily meditation of some sort. This helps cultivate deeper insights and understanding.

**Community Involvement:** Join a local group even on line if preferred.. Participation fosters relationships that spiritual journey.

**Prayer and Meditation:** Reflect on personal growth through prayer, asking for wisdom and guidance on your path.

## **Reflection and Preparation**

- June serves as a time for reflection and preparation for the second half of the year. You can assess your spiritual progress and identify areas for growth. Here's how to make the most of this reflective time:
- **Journaling:** Write down your thoughts and experiences. This activity provides insight into your spiritual journey and helps track your growth.
- **Set Goals:** Establish spiritual goals for the upcoming months. These could include reading specific books of the Bible, participating in service projects, or deepening relationships with your community.
- **Family Gatherings:** Gather with family or friends to discuss spiritual topics or share personal experiences. This cultivates a supportive environment and encourages collective growth.
- As you reflect on your spiritual life in June, you're preparing to embrace the future with renewed faith and commitment.

## **Theological Insights Related to June**

June symbolizes growth, reflecting deep biblical truths. This month aligns with several scriptural themes that nurture faith and spiritual well-being.

## **Themes of Growth and Renewal**

**Natural Growth:** As summer begins, nature displays vibrant life. You see flowers blooming and crops flourishing. This serves as a reminder of God's active role in creation and your spiritual growth.

**Personal Renewal:** June invites personal reflection. It encourages you to evaluate your faith journey, similar to how seasons change. Think about areas of growth in your relationship with God.

## **Community and Connection**

**Fellowship:** June emphasizes gathering with family and friends. Attend church events or host group activities. Sharing experiences strengthens community bonds.

**Supportive Relationships:** Engage with your spiritual community. Participate in prayer groups or Bible studies. These connections foster encouragement and accountability in faith.

## **Conclusion**

As you embrace the month of June remember its powerful themes of growth and community. This is a time for you to reflect on your faith and nurture your connections with others. Whether through personal devotionals or joyful gatherings with loved ones you can deepen your spiritual journey.

Let the beauty of nature in June inspire you to renew your commitment to your beliefs. Engage actively with your community and take steps that resonate with the biblical significance of this month. By doing so you'll not only enhance your own spiritual well-being but also contribute to a stronger bond with those around you.

### **What practical steps can I take to foster community during June?**

To foster community in June, consider hosting gatherings with family and friends, participating in group worship, or engaging in volunteer activities within your community to support spiritual journeys collectively.

### **How does June promote themes of renewal in faith?**

June promotes renewal by mirroring the natural growth seen in summer. It encourages believers to embrace changes in their spiritual lives, reflect on their commitments, and seek personal and communal growth in faith.

Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod

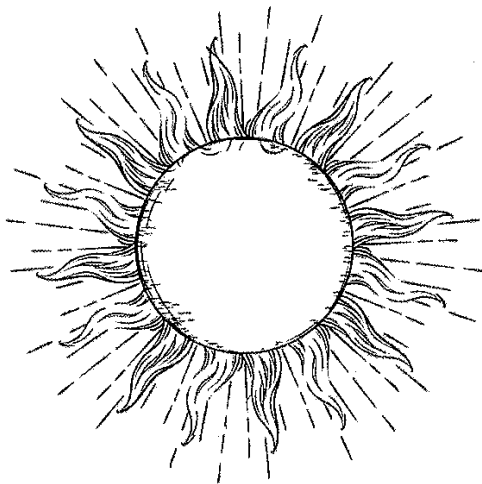
35th Annual Convention

June 14, 2025

St. John's Lutheran Church, Nazareth, PA

Registration - 9 AM    Voting Member Orientation - 9:30 AM

*Renew Yourself with Gods Word:*



Isaiah 40:31 but those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength,  
they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary,  
they shall walk and not faint. (NRSV)



# AMERICAN

## *Family Services*

American Family Services is a ministry of the Family Thrift Shoppes.  
American Family Services' mission is to assist churches in  
strengthening families and marriages.

### Day Care Center



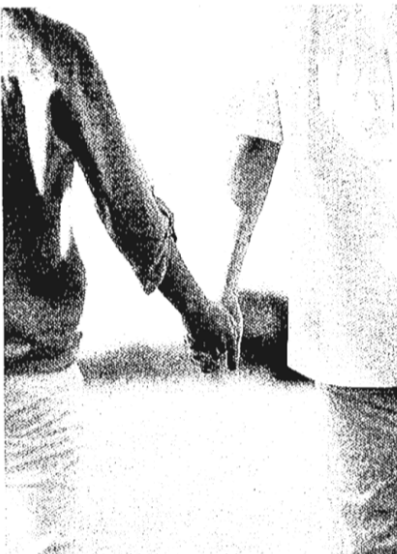
Our ministry provides a beautiful Day Care facility in Whitehall Pennsylvania. Our center offers affordable tuition rates to children ages 3-5 years old..

### Family Lending Libraries



The Family Lending Libraries are open to the public and contain Christian DVDs/ books of over 1,000 Christian family related titles. These are all available without charge. The libraries are located in Whitehall and Hellertown., Pennsylvania and Santa Barbara, California

### Loving Marriage Weekends



American Family Services conducts Loving Marriage Weekends .  
The weekends are designed to enrich and strengthen marriages.

They are available free of charge to couples:  
For more information please call 610-351-3069.

Ministry Office Address:  
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## BEAR CREEK CAMP

Greetings!

For over 50 summers youth and family campers have experienced the fun, friendship, and faith formation made possible by time at Bear Creek Camp. We look forward to continuing to build faith in new ways through the power of small group community experiences amongst our 3000 acres!

Research has shown that camp experiences create lasting change in 'horizontal faith' or the *relevance of faith* that campers perceive to their daily lives. This horizontal faith includes: increased self-confidence, more frequent devotional practices, more frequent faith conversations at home, and higher sense of value to belonging to a church community. **Camps and congregations working hand-in-hand to promote the importance of a lifelong faith journey is the key to our shared partnership!**

**Enclosed in this packet are tools for you to utilize in promoting summer camp:**

- Summer Camp Brochures to share with interested campers and families  
*If more brochures are needed, please contact us and we will mail you more!*
- Summer Camp Poster to hang at your church  
*Utilize the space on the bottom left of the poster to write-in contact information for the best person in your congregation (Pastor, Faith Formation Director, Bear Creek Ambassador, etc.) for your community to connect with for information specific to your church such as camperships, and more!*

**Summer Promo Video** – Perfect for Sunday school, youth group, sharing on social media, council meetings, announcement slides, or worship. Connect with campers and families with a highlight reel of the fun to be expected in time spent at camp.

Find this video for streaming or download at [bearcreekcamp.org/congregation-toolkit](http://bearcreekcamp.org/congregation-toolkit).

At Bear Creek Camp, every summer is an opportunity for new adventure and growth.  
Some things to note for Summer 2025:



- Online Registration is easy! – Please encourage your campers to **register online** at [bearcreekcamp.org/registration](http://bearcreekcamp.org/registration).
- If your congregation provides **funds for campers from your congregation** to help offset the cost of camp, we can help by setting up a unique registration code for your congregation. Contact us at [bccamp@bearcreekcamp.org](mailto:bccamp@bearcreekcamp.org) or call 570-472-3741 for more details.
- Families may have questions about camp that aren't fully answered by the brochure materials or our website, please encourage them to contact the camp office directly either by phone (570-472-3741) or email [bccamp@bearcreekcamp.org](mailto:bccamp@bearcreekcamp.org).

Thank you for your partnership in the important shared ministry that is Bear Creek Camp. We look forward to seeing you and your youth this summer!

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All fun.

Imagine it—you and your forever friends. Dreaming up adventures. Making the whole world sparkle with your own personal brand of magic.



## Special Invitation for Girls in Grades K-5

### Girl Scout Troops are forming in the Whitehall-Coplay School District!

Girl Scouts offers every girl and adult a chance to do something amazing. It's a place where girls have endless opportunities to explore, learn, and grow.

For more information, please contact: [klandry-johnston@gsep.org](mailto:klandry-johnston@gsep.org)

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**girl scouts**   
of eastern  
pennsylvania

Explore Girl Scouts at [www.gsep.org](http://www.gsep.org)

Ready to join a troop? We'll  
get you the Girl Scout  
with your name on it!



