

Feb/Mar/Apr 2026

Saxonburg Memorial Church Winter-Spring Newsletter



As we gather this Lenten and Easter season to celebrate the most magnificent truth of our faith: Christ is risen, and death has been defeated! I would like to make some connections between Easter and the Lamb of God.

We of course recognize the lamb of God from the Passover lamb in Exodus whose blood was shed and used to mark the doorposts of the Israelites so the last plague against Pharaoh known as the “angel of death” would pass over that home.

Recently I preached from John 1:29-42 on the Lamb of God. This passage takes place some fifteen hundred years after the Passover in Exodus. Jesus shows up, and John the Baptist is out in the wilderness baptizing people in the Jordan river. John stops and points Jesus out by saying, “Look it is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.”

Three years later Jesus and his disciples sit down at the Passover meal. All the normal elements were on the table except for one conspicuous element which was missing. Where is the slain lamb? Well, the slain lamb wasn't on the table because he was sitting at the table. In just a few hours Jesus would give up his body on the cross, becoming the slain lamb for the forgiveness of our sins. Just as the blood on the doorposts saved the firstborn sons of Israel, the blood shed on the cross by the Lamb of God saves us.

When we accept Jesus as our Lord and Savior, God's judgment passes over us because of the slain lamb who gave His life in our place.

In His Grip,

Pastor Doug

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
SUNDAY, FEB. 22
ONE SERVICE AT 10 AM
Lunch Provided Following Meeting

LENT & EASTER HIGHLIGHTS

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner
Tuesday, Feb 17 from 4-7 pm

SMPC Ash Wednesday Service
(Little Church)

Wednesday, Feb 18 at 7 pm

Palm Sunday Services

March 29 at 8 am & 10 am

Palm Sunday Brunch + Easter Egg Hunt
March 29 at 11:30 am (youth house)

SMPC Maundy Thursday service
(Little Church)

Thursday, April 2 at 7 pm

Good Friday Men's Breakfast at SMPC
(Fellowship Hall)

Friday, April 3 at 6 am

Good Friday Women's Breakfast
at Cabot Methodist

Friday, April 3 at 9 am

Easter Sunday Services

April 5 at 8 am & 10 am

Lent Study with Pastor Doug

SMPC Lenten Study

Sunday evenings at 5 pm / March 1, 8, 15, and 22

Join Pastor Doug on four Sundays in Lent for a potluck dinner and Bible study, "People of the Passion: A Lenten Weekly Study" by Cathy Randall

The following description is from the book cover:

It is a simple theological truth: We become more like Jesus when we draw close to him. People of the Passion unpacks this tenet in a powerful examination of some of the main characters of Jesus' final days: Mary, Mother of Jesus; Mary Magdalene; Pilate; Nicodemus; Peter; and Judas. Throughout each chapter, Dr. Randall explores our perceptions and our knowledge of these individuals, pointing out how each played significant roles in exposing themes of faithfulness, gratitude, conflict, power, and betrayal.

People of the Passion calls us to embrace the "grace and opportunity of Lent," for when we pause to examine our hearts and spirits within our collective narrative of fallen humanity, we are reminded that "we are an Easter people." And in this, we celebrate Christ's resurrection, understanding that everything about our redemption hinges upon the most significant event in human history: Easter morning.

Hope to see you there!

Pastor Doug

Elders & Deacons – Nominating Committee & Officer Elections

The Nominating Committee continues to meet and prayerfully discern God's call for the correct people to fill the leadership positions of Elder and Deacon still available. This is an important committee because these are folks we charge with the spiritual leadership of our church. So please join with the committee in praying and asking for guidance to the correct people to lead us as a congregation.

Here is how our Book of Order defines a Ruling Elder –

"As there were in Old Testament times elders for the government of the people, so the New Testament church provided persons with particular gifts to share in discernment of God's Spirit and governance of God's people. Accordingly, congregations should elect persons of wisdom and maturity of faith, having demonstrated skills in leadership and being compassionate in spirit. Ruling elders are so named not because they "lord it over" the congregation (Matt. 20:25), but because they are chosen by the congregation to discern and measure its fidelity to the Word of God, and to strengthen and nurture its faith and life. Ruling elders, together with ministers of word and sacrament, exercise leadership, government, spiritual discernment, and discipline and have responsibilities for the life of a congregation as well as the whole church, including ecumenical relationships."

And our Book of Order says deacons are to be, "persons of spiritual character." They should be persons of deep faith and high moral standards (see 1 Timothy 3:8–13), committed to a life of prayer, study and other spiritual disciplines.

Once the New Officers are nominated and approved by the Session and congregation they will be ordained and/or installed on Sunday, March 2nd at both services.

Please join us in praying for this process.

LIVING WATERS Youth Group

Living Waters is the place for youth in grades 6-12 to meet on Friday nights. We gather at 6 pm in the Youth House. Kids are invited to come hang out, receive the Word of God, grow in faith, and enjoy time with friends. Whether they can come every week or just when they can, there is always a place for everyone! Rob and the youth group look forward to growing together and building strong friendships centered on Jesus. Invite a teen you know and connect them with Rob!

The Lord is blessing this ministry! There are around 15-20 kids coming regularly. We'll always take a few extra hands to help manage all that energy! Please prayerfully consider how you might help, and talk to Rob. Email him at youth@saxonburg.org to start a conversation.

DEACONS

Below are some of the events and outreach programs that our church is involved in, both within our church family and the community as well.

Father/Daughter Dance, Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner, Good Friday Men's Breakfast, Mother's Day Tea, Messy Church, School Backpack Program, Easter, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Food Boxes, Summer Food Boxes, Back to School Shoe Ministry, Mingle on Main food truck, Music Concert Series, Cantata, Nursing Home Hymn Sing, VBS, Fall Festival, Apple Butter Making, Veteran's Dinner, Light Up Night and Parade, Gingerbread House Night, Cheer Bags, Sewing Ministry, Meal Ministry, Youth Group, Bell Ringers, Women's Ministry, Prayer Chain and Card Ministry, Helping Hands, Cookie Sales, Kitchen Ministry, First Responder's Dinner.

As you can see, we are an active church and these events can't be done by just a few....it takes a village, better known as our church family!

We would like to challenge you to become involved in helping or attending at least one *new* event this year! Imagine the impact it would have on our church and community! There are all types of ways - big and small - to help out. And remember, many hands lighten the load.

We thank all those that help in so many ways and we look forward to welcoming new helpers this coming year!

DEACONS' EVENTS

The deacons thank everyone for their continued support.

*Shrove
Tuesday*



Pancake Dinner
Feb 17
4-7 pm

**Speckled Hen candy
fundraiser**
March 2-7

As you buy your
Easter candy, please
be sure to mention
Saxonburg Memorial
when you place your
order!



Easter flower orders
due March 18. Help
adorn our chancel in
beauty this Easter
with lilies, tulips,
and hyacinths.

SECURING NEW RESOURCES: THE ANGEL TEAR GRANT FUELS THE BACKPACK MISSION

Judy Farney, chairperson of Backpack Committee was approached by a board member of the Angel Tear Grant Committee in October 2025. The board member had learned about the mission we were doing with the Knoch Backpack Children and Families. She felt our mission was exactly what the Angel Tear Grant wants to support in the community. She shared the information with Judy who brought it to the Deacons and Leadership at SMPC.

Following careful deliberation and collaboration, the deacons and staff thoroughly reviewed the Angel Tear Grant opportunity and chose to pursue this vital source of support. After many hours dedicated to assembling detailed calculation and documentation, the Backpack Program received wonderful news in early December 2025: a \$6,000 grant was awarded for use in 2026. This grant is intended not to replace the ongoing generosity of the congregation and community, but to supplement and expand the program's reach, allowing for even greater impact on the lives of children and families in need.

We invite everyone to continue supporting the Backpack Program with food donations and monetary gifts, just as you always have, since your involvement remains the foundation of our mission. The Angel Tear Grant will enable us to provide even more: fresh fruits and vegetables, increased amounts of meats to boost the protein in children's meals, and thoughtful extras such as winter coats, new shoes for school, backpacks, school supplies and Christmas presents for every child in need. Through this outpouring of resources, we are blessed to serve our neighbors more fully, answering the call to care for those who need it most and embracing the spirit of Jesus Christ's compassion that defines our mission in our community.

In Christ Service, Judy Farney and Deacons



Christmas food and gifts for the School Backpack Program provided by Saxonburg Memorial Church.

CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY

GOD'S PROVISION, OUR STEWARDSHIP

In the fall of 2025, I was approached by Bob & Kim Young and Pastor Doug about writing a grant for the Children's Ministry Program. They shared the requirements and procedures for applying for an "Angel Tear Ministry" grant from Concordia Lutheran Ministries. I spent much time reflecting on the purpose of my program, how we steward resources, the mission of the church, and Jesus' call to the "least of these." I wanted to make sure that the funds, if we were to receive them, were used in good conscience with the intended purpose [to "uplift projects that address vital needs in communities – especially those related to children and the elderly assistance, healthcare access to necessities, Christian education, and spiritual formation (source: The Mission & Ministry Committee of the CLM Foundation Board)]."

I am so pleased to announce that they have chosen to award the Children's Ministry Program with \$9,000, which is nearly double what is used for the entire year in this ministry. These monies are meant to "prime the pump" in hopes that programs will be sustainable on their own in the future. Thanks to the generosity and ongoing support of the congregation we have been able to do and will continue to do amazing things. God provided (through YOU) almost exactly to the dollar the amount used in 2025! With humility, intentionality, and eagerness, I have proceeded to plan the following ministry programs that will benefit from the grant monies: Intergenerational Ministry (Messy Church), Vacation Bible School, Sunday School, and Community Outreach (Father Daughter Dance, Gingerbread House Night). These programs are familiar to us, but we will be able to supply better, more well-rounded meals during Messy Church. We will be able to purchase more curriculum for Sunday school and VBS. Advertising will increase and families will receive more resources. Attendees of VBS will receive free T-shirts. I am working with Knoch school district and Isaiah 117 to provide some basic needs to local children. Perhaps we will even be able to reopen preschool, provide after school care, or go on a summer family mission trip.

At the core of who we are and what we do is love for God and one another. My prayer for the use of the grant monies is that it may be stewarded to reach the most people, do the most amount of good, and be like the Proverbs 31 vineyard that is purchased and produces more fruit for the future. Please humbly join me in this prayer as we seek to discern the Holy Spirit's guidance.

Here is a portion of what I wrote in the grant:

Why do we do what we do and how do we do it [at SMPC in the Children's Ministry Program]? This was the question that was posed to me in an application for a grant from Angel Tear Ministries. I responded, "*As scripture states in Matthew 5, we as Christians are exhorted to "let our light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." "To SHINE the Light of Jesus Christ" (as our church mission statement proclaims) will therefore BRING GLORY to God. As God-breathed creatures, that is our whole purpose in existence—to glorify God, and that is why we labor to no end.*

The second part of our church mission statement is "to DISCOVER, EXPERIENCE, and SHARE His Love with our Community and World." As members of Christ's body, we view others in the compassionate eyes of Jesus our Shepherd. He fed the hungry, healed the broken, and demonstrated Agape love to all around Him. We are compelled to go and do likewise into the local and global community because of that example.

How do we "SHINE the Light of Jesus Christ and DISCOVER, EXPERIENCE, and SHARE His Love with our Community and World"? We do this practically by offering hospitality (providing food/friendship), reaching out to families during events, VBS, intergenerational ministry opportunities (Messy Church), and sharing the message of God's love for all people. We attempt to meet people where they are and strengthen faith and family values."

Yours in Christ—Carrie, Director of Children & Family Ministries

kidsandfamily@saxonburg.org

CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Sunday school continues weekly at 10:30 am with an Easter party on April 5th during the Sunday school hour. If you are interested in teaching Sunday school or helping in the nursery, PLEASE SEE CARRIE or email her at kidsandfamily@saxonburg.org.

Other events:

Father/Daughter Dance: February 13th, 7-10pm.

HELPERS ARE NEEDED for:

- * Decorating on February 11 & 12th at 10 am,
- * Filling cookie trays & registering guests on February 13th during the dance (6-10)
- * Clean-up on the 14th from 10-noon.

Messy Church: Second Tuesdays, 5:30-7:30 pm

- * February 10th (God's Love & Kindness); Taco Bar and chicken nuggets
- * March 10th (Amazing Grace Easter); Pasta Night and PB & J
- * April 14th ("Hero Central"); Hero Sandwiches or Potluck

Easter Egg Hunt: March 29th @ 11:30 (youth house)

VBS – save the date!! June 29th – July 3rd in the evening. Volunteer teachers, guides, and registrars are needed. VBS Celebration / Fireworks Night July 3rd; campfire, hot dogs, s'mores, fireworks.



Fri, Feb 13 from 7-10 pm

\$10/person, \$25/family of 3+

Register online at www.saxonburg.org

WOMEN'S MINISTRY + OTHER STUDIES

Tuesday Women's Bible Study meets Tuesdays at 7 pm in the Bride's Room. Bring a Bible, pen, and notepad, and be ready to study the Word! We meet Tuesdays EXCEPT on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. We welcome you to Messy Church on those Tuesdays!

Women Dine Out:

Meets the last Monday of the month at 6 pm at the Fieldhouse restaurant on Rt. 356.

Sewing Group:

Meets Mondays from 1-4 pm, weather permitting. Please call the church office if you are interested in learning more about the Sewing Group.

FAMILY BIBLE STUDY - Third Sundays at 5 pm - Next dates 2/15, 4/19

We meet at a family home for Bible Study and fellowship! Study first, then dinner and hang out after. Perfect for families with all sorts of schedules. *In March we'll plan to attend the study led by Pastor Doug.* We'd love for you to join us! Talk with Dan or Melissa Byerly.

MISSIONS

Upcoming mission opportunity: St Luke Cabot has again offered us the opportunity to team up with them for a mission trip to Black Mt. N.C. the week of Mar 22-28. If interested contact Jane Cooper. Cost of the trip is paid through the Mission special trip fund. Please pray about this and see how God leads you. He always chooses the perfect team.

PRAISES AND PRAYER REQUESTS from two of the missions we support.:

Praises: The Kirui's in Kenya: Elaine is loving her new job, loving the middle school students, has amazing coworkers and a supportive husband.

Requests: Prayers for the 8th graders in their final semester. Need to hire a high school principal next year. For spiritual protection around all their staff as they seek to obey the call of Christ.

Praises: Cru Military, 2025 saw over 28,000 1st time decisions for Christ. They are now in 36 countries around the world. They see the Lord opening more doors globally. Praises for the fruitfulness of our partnerships with SMPC.

Requests: For the global ministry Ukrainian staff stationed in Budapest, Hungary. The need for more missionaries, field staff and laborers.

Backpack Program: we will be collecting Easter Items (large food items for families) starting on March 16th. List will be updated on the table. Starting on April 12th we will collect the small food items for weekly backpacks till early May. Please watch the bulletin for updates on the size of items we are collecting. Thank you for your generosity to this program.

Outreach: If you know of a shut-in or would like a visit from our committee, please contact Karen Murphy at 412-855-9657.

YOUR MISSION MONEY AT WORK

THESE ARE THE ORGANIZATIONS THAT MISSIONS CURRENTLY SUPPORT

Christian Support

Mars Home for Youth
Lighthouse
Brothers Brother
Pine Valley Camp
Seneca Hills Camp
Camp Lambec
Samaritan Counseling
Alpha Omega Center
VOICE
Life Choices
Christian Leadership Network
Isaiah 117 House

Internal Support

Youth Group, Camp Support, Veterans Dinner, Women's Ministry, Children and Family Ministry, Christmas Cantata, 1st Responders Dinner, Mission Trips

International Support

Gordon Foundation
Send Me (Guatemala)
Cru Military
Samaritans Purse
Fuller Center Disaster Rebuilders
World Gospel Mission
(Kenya,Beem)
NICS/Oasis (Elaine Kirui. Nairobi)

Civic Support

Meals on Wheels
Robins Home
Austin's Place
Wreaths Across America
Salvation Army (Saxonburg
Service Unit)
Saxonburg Vol Fire Co &
Ambulance

FIRST RESPONDERS APPRECIATION DINNER

WED. APRIL 29 @ 6 PM

RSVP by April 17.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Our music groups meet to rehearse music, enjoy fellowship, and spend time in prayer and the Word. We seek to grow our faith as much as our musical skill!

EASTER CHOIR - Extra Singers Welcome!

REHEARSE: Thursdays at 7:00 PM, Mar 5 – 26, + WEDNESDAY, Apr 1

SING: Palm Sunday, March 29 + Easter Sunday, April 5

We meet in the choir room on Thursdays at 7:00 PM, with the exception of moving to Wednesday during Holy Week. New singers are welcome!

IN THE LIGHT WORSHIP BAND

REHEARSE: Thursdays at 8:15 pm in the Sanctuary.

If you or someone you know play an instrumental or love to sing, get in touch with Dan. Come jam with us! We meet Thursdays at 8:15 PM in the sanctuary.

EASTER BRASS

REHEARSE as needed, depending on ensemble availability.

CALLING ALL BRASS PLAYERS! If you have experience with a brass instrument, speak with Dan. We love to add a few special musical arrangements with brass for Easter Sunday.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR — Palm Sunday Session

REHEARSE: Sunday Mornings, March 1 – 22 at 11:10 – 11:30 am

SING: Palm Sunday, March 29 at the 10:00 am service

Kids Pre-K through 6th grade are welcome! Bring your kids and their friends to sing with us!



MONTHLY HYMN SINGS at Local Senior Living Centers

First Thursdays of most months at 6:30 pm

Apr 9 at Concordia | **May 7** at Concordia

Join to encourage our neighbors living nearby in senior living centers. We share hymns, Scripture, and pray together. It is a special and encouraging time for both us and the residents. You do not need to be a “regular” on our music team to come – the more the merrier!

(We will not have a senior hymn sing in February or March, due to missed rehearsals during inclement weather and special Easter music rehearsals.)

CONCERT SERIES - Upcoming Concerts

BIG FAT JAZZ – Saturday, February 21 at 7:00 pm

DAN & MELISSA + VIOLINIST, JONATHAN MOSER
– Sunday, March 22 at 4:00 pm

WESTMINSTER COLLEGE CHOIRS
– Saturday, April 18 at 4:00 pm

Details online at www.saxonburg.org/concertseries

Blessings- Dan Byerly, Director of Music

music@saxonburg.org

SAXONBURG CONCERTS

Free to Attend



BIG FAT JAZZ Big Band

Sat, Feb 21 at 7 pm

at Saxonburg Memorial Church



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SONG OF FAITH THAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

“O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High”

Twenty three stanzas were in the original 15th century Latin text of this wonderful hymn. Don't panic! Most modern English versions include just five or six, which are faithfully translated and do great justice to the original text. Though its exact authorship is uncertain, the textual composition has often been attributed to Thomas à Kempis, who was a key figure in a significant movement in Church history called the Devotio Moderna. Centered in Northern Europe, specifically the Netherlands, the “modern devotion” movement was one of several which responded to the Western Schism (two popes simultaneously claimed authority – one in Rome and one in Avignon) by seeking to reform the church from within. The Devotio Moderna was particularly influential a century later, as its work strongly influenced men like Luther and Calvin to take up the mantle of returning the Church to Biblical purity. We know that 16th century effort as The Reformation. So, in a way, what we know and appreciate today as our Reformed/Protestant lineage all started here, with hymns like this one. Here is the text for six most commonly published English verses.

*O, love, how deep, how broad, how high! How passing thought and fantasy,
that God, the Son of God, should take our mortal form for mortals' sake!*

*For us baptized, for us he bore his holy fast, and hungered sore;
for us temptations sharp he knew, for us the tempter overthrew.*

*For us he prayed, for us he taught, for us his daily works he wrought,
By words, by signs, and actions, thus still seeking not himself, but us.*

*For us to wicked men betrayed, scourged, mocked, in crown of thorns arrayed;
for us he bore the cross's death, for us at length gave up his breath.*

*For us he rose from death again, for us he went on high to reign;
for us he sent his Spirit here to guide, to strengthen, and to cheer.*

*All honor, laud, and glory be, O Jesus, virgin-born, to Thee;
whom with the Father we adore, and Holy Ghost, forevermore.*

Translator Benjamin Webb, a 19th century priest in the Church of England, worked closely with his friend, John Mason Neale, who was himself a prolific hymn writer and publisher. Webb's faithful 1852 translation beautifully sets the fullness of the Gospel about as well as can be accomplished in a few brief stanzas. The first stanza covers Christ's birth; the second shows Christ's identification with human affairs; the third describes aspects of His daily ministry on earth; the fourth relates Jesus' ultimate sacrifice in the crucifixion; the fifth touches on His resurrection, ascension, and the gift of the Spirit; and the final stanza serves as a fine doxology (an expression of praise to God, often referencing the Trinity). The musical tune most often paired with the English text, titled DEO GRACIS (sometimes called AGINCOURT), is appropriately stately. It helps greatly to convey the grandeur and majesty of God, and the awed reverence with which we ought to approach consideration of these great mysteries and truths of our faith in the One True God.

Supporting Scripture references are numerous, including: Eph. 3:18-19, Phil. 2:7, Matt. 3:13, Matt. 4:1-11, John 17:9, Rom 4:25, 1 Pet. 2:24, Rom. 8:34, John 16:7, 13. I'll leave you with the text from Romans 8:34: *“Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died – more than that, who was raised – who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.”* Praise be to God that He Himself pleads for us with a love that is deeper, broader, and higher than we can ever fathom!

Listen for yourself! Search online for the hymn title and you'll find some beautiful renderings.



**SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 28**
10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Bundle up and come on out for a fun winter festival in Saxonburg! Attractions will include ice carving, horse-drawn carriage rides, a mobile petting zoo, food trucks, vendors and more! SMPC will serve as a “warming station” throughout the event, and will have soup for sale from 11:00 to 1:00.



Yard Sale

Friday & Saturday May 15 & 16

8 am -2 pm



FORMAL MOTHER'S DAY TEA

“In the Garden”

Sat. May 9 at 12 noon

\$10 p/psn

Light lunch, entertainment, prizes.
Hats strongly encouraged. RSVP at
Saxonburg.org or 724-352-2888.

The fourth annual Mother's Day Tea will be held Saturday, May 9 at 12 noon. To ensure the best experience for all, we are reducing the number of available seats this year. To make sure everyone wanting to attend the tea has a seat, reservations for our church family will be available March 17. Reservations open to the public April 1. Reservations can be called into the office, put on the sign-up sheets in the back of the church or you can make your reservation on line. All tickets are still \$10 to be paid at the door. Because seats will be limited this year, PLEASE be careful not to double book your reservation. If you are included in a group reservation (i.e. small group, bible study, sewing group etc.) please do not make a separate reservation under your name. Any questions, please feel free to call Nancy Hanson. Thank you!

OTHER EVENTS IN CHURCH LIFE

NEW MEMBERS

We are so glad that Richard Arnold, Patricia Herman, Sally Faust, David Miller, John & Karol Galcik, Tim & Candice Hemphill, Robert McGarrah, Rob & Beth Olszewski all joined SMPC on 11/16/25. Please continue to welcome and encourage them as we grow in faith together!

BAPTISMS

Praise the Lord that these beautiful children have been baptized into God's covenant family!

Dean Leroy Hemphill on 11/9/25

Grayson Matthew Lefever on 12/7/25

Rhett Samuel Thrower on 1/11/26

MARRIAGES

Lily Hixon and Seth Stephens were married on New Year's Eve, 12/31/25.

RECENT PASSINGS

The below saints have gone to glory in the past few months. While we mourn the loss of their bodily presence with us, we rejoice that they are now in Glory with our Savior! May the Lord grant them eternal rest.

Earl Mowery on 11/22/25

Ruth Black on 11/26/25;

Doris Patterson on 12/15/25

FINANCE REPORT

The Church recorded a surplus from operations of \$67,000 for the year ended December 31, 2025 compared to a budgeted surplus of \$1,000. General Giving tithes & offerings were nearly \$37,000 greater than anticipated, while total operating expenses were approximately \$25,000 greater than budget. More information on these figures for 2025, as well as the 2026 Operating budget, will be provided at the February 22, 2026 Annual Congregational Meeting. Please try to attend.

Additionally, both the 2026 giving envelopes and the 2025 giving statements are available. Please contact the Office at either office@saxonburg.org or 724.352.2888 if you would like to receive either of those.

"For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but it is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God. By their approval of this service, they will glorify God because of your submission that comes from your confession of the gospel of Christ, and the generosity of your contribution for them and for all others, while they long for you and pray for you, because of the surpassing grace of God upon you. Thanks be to God for his inexpressible gift!" 2 Corinthians 9:12-15

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“To Shine the Light of Jesus Christ; to Discover, Experience, and Share His Love with our Community and World.”

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