



## PRAYER CALENDAR SEPTEMBER

1 Ashley Covelusky	Ryan Covelusky
2 Nicolas Covelusky	Jordyn Lay
3 Maxime Derencourt	Katy Derencourt
4 Kayden Derencourt	Mary Dewar
5 Stephen Dewey	Sara Dewey
6 Ethan Dewey	Tyler Dewey
7 Ildelicia Cotto	Paul DiCicco
8 Lois DiCicco	Karen Donley
9 Susan Dyson	Michael Mallon
10 Kristin Mallon	Keith Effinger
11 Karen Effinger	Sharon Emery
12 Pat Erb	Maryanne Faulkner
13 Elaine Flora	Dick Foster
14 Dee Foster	Walter Freer
15 Freda Fulton	Jeanne Gaertner
16 Cindy Gallagher	Sally Gibney
17 Evelyn Glenn	Jim Griffies
18 Laura Griffies	Brian Griffin
19 Rebeccah Griffin	Justin Griffin
20 Barbara Grossmiller	Sandy Guirate
21 Joseph Rawling	Ruth Haley
22 Martha Halter	Vincent Hamilton
23 Brittany Hamilton	Isabella Hamilton
24 Luciana Hamilton	Michael Hargreaves
25 Vanessa Hargreaves	Rosemary Hargreaves
26 Robert Hargreaves	Joe Hauptmann
27 Linda Hauptmann	Fred Hauser
28 Heddy Hauser	Frank Hawthorne
29 Mary Hawthorne	Amanda Hernandez
30 Carlos Hernandez	Shanna Hernandez

### THEY MOVED

Helen Toroian has moved her new address is:  
Brandywine Senior Living  
36101 Seaside Blvd. Apt. 135  
Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971  
Phone Number: 302-227-2378

Dottie O'Rourke  
Crestview Center  
262 Tollgate Road Rm #326  
Langhorne, PA 19047  
Phone Number: 267-757-4208

## RHAWNURST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# SEPTEMBER 2014

# THE VISITOR

### RALLY DAY

Rally Day is almost here and it will be a special day! It is a big day for our Children's Ministry as we commission our teachers and volunteer staff. We also will be taking our Annual All-Church Picture right after Worship, and new this year, stay after for an All-Church Picnic in the side yard, hosted by Children's Ministry. Bring a picnic lunch with you, and maybe something to share, drinks and dessert will be provided. By the way this is a great day to invite a friend or neighbor, maybe even someone who doesn't know Jesus yet!

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mary Hawthorne on the birth of her 8th great-granddaughter. Alexandera Grace was born on August 20th weighing in at 7lbs. 9 oz. We pray God's blessing on Alexandera and her family.

### PHILADELPHIA HOSPITALITY NETWORK

There is still time to sign-up to volunteer, to cook a meal, host a meal or do an overnight. Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex or see Joy Lorah.

### BAZAAR

You can start bringing in your clean, gently used and new items for the church bazaar. You can place your donations on the stage in Foster Hall. If you are unable to bring the donations to church and need the donations picked up, contact the church office 215-342-2112 and arrangements can be made. The Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 8th. If you would like to volunteer you can call the church office.

### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Starting September 3, 2014 the church office will be open Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 9:00 am-2:00 pm.

### SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

A great way to support our Children's Ministry would be to go shopping, while the prices are low! Here is a list of what is needed: Elmer's Glue, crayons, scotch tape, pencils, colored pencils, glue sticks, staplers, staple removers, sharpies—colored, sticky note pads, and index cards. You can place your donations in the Children's Ministry basket in the Narthex.

## PASTOR'S PAGE

Labor Day is upon us, and with it, the unofficial end of Summer. Children will go back to school, starting new classes with new teachers and new classmates. In our own home, my wife and I sent our oldest daughter off to college. In the life of our church, there are many who are facing big changes right now. Moving, changing jobs and living situations. As the saying goes, if one thing never changes, it's that things change.

In the midst of all the changes we face, God does not change. That is the message of the Psalms of Ascent, Psalms 120-134, some of which we have been learning from during my Summer sermon series. We think *our* lives get crazy; life was very uncertain in the time these Psalms were written. And yet they found that God remained the same. He was always faithful, always merciful, always loving, always the Rock, the Redeemer, the Fortress in whom they could trust. God is still like that. He was like that yesterday, is today and will be tomorrow. For us, and for everyone.

Whatever change, whether good or bad, small or big, you may be going through as Summer draws to a close, one thing that will never change is that God loves you, has saved you and will never leave you. If you have trusted in Jesus as your Lord, if you have turned to him and said "Yes" to his invitation to believe in him, then this is and always will be true. You are His, and He is yours. Today, and forever. And nothing can separate you from his love. Nothing! (Romans 8:35-39) That will never change.

*Pastor Keith*

## RHAWNURST TURNING POINT

Rhawnhurst Turning Point will reopen for Fall programming on September 16th for all 6-12th grade youth! Homework Help and Drop-In Times Tuesday-Thursday 2:30-9:00 pm; A new "FATE" role playing club that will meet on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays from 6-8 pm; Hoffman Art Classes begin the week of September 30th and include— Mime & Interpretive Dance which will meet on Tuesdays from Sept. 30-Nov. 18th from 6-8 pm and Germanic Art and Folk Lore which will meet on Wednesdays from Oct. 1st-Nov. 19th from 6-8 pm.

Weekend Program plans include: Service Saturday at Redemption Lutheran on Sept. 20th from 10-1 pm; Movie night Friday, October 3rd from 6-8 pm showing Lilo and Stitch; October 11th Service Day at Broad Street Ministries, time TBA; October 18th Star Wars Bible Study—Return of the Jedi, 12-4 pm; October 25th Helping with RTP's Night at the Museum Event, 4-8 pm.

RTP is also looking for individuals interested in volunteering (either with the youth or behind the scenes) helping on a Team (fundraising, publicity, finance), or even willing to do odd jobs around the center. If interested in more info about any of these, please contact Cheryl Lafferty at RhawnhurstTurningPoint@yahoo.com.

## KNOW OF AN ILLEGAL GUN?

If you know of a gun in the possession of someone who shouldn't have one, you can call Agent John Thompson of the State Attorney General's Gun Violence Task Force. Working closely with the Philadelphia Detectives for the past 7 years, the Task Force's work is to get illegal guns off the streets, whether obtained through straw purchasing, burglary or other means. Call the Task Force at 215-266-5099 and anonymously report what you know

## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 Shaun & Heather Johnson (Ann)
- 1 Fred & Heddy Hauser (Ann)
- 4 Harriet Lucas
- 4 Ildelicia Cotto
- 4 James & Helene Biehl (Ann)
- 7 Myra Rimasug
- 14 Carlos Hernandez
- 15 David Clarke
- 18 Thomas Boyd



If you know of a birthday or anniversary that is not on the list, please contact the Church office so that we can update our list.