

Council News

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Hanover Area Council of Churches

OCTOBER 2022

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GLEANNING THROUGH THE HARVEST SEASON

Ruth 2:17-23



This month, the month of harvest, we would like to dedicate our front page to Ruth's Harvest. The timeless hours that is put on putting together all the food backpacks for our students at the Hanover School District, is a reflection of the work that Ruth in the Bible did for her family and others. Ruth, was a woman who was faithful in her work, who demonstrates humility in her circumstances, and who was obedient to the sure calling she has received in the Land of Israel and under the care of God whom she once determined to follow through any circumstance. We can and should learn from her example and from the many other lives who have been revealed in the Bible's pages as people of faith, people of honor, and people who were dedicated to the tasks they were called to – whether lofty and exalted or tedious and menial. God's eyes are never indifferent to those who are faithful. We find this truth time and time again in God's superior word. So let's turn to it once again and... May God speak to us through His word today and may His glorious name ever be praised.

THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR CORPORATE SUPPORTERS:



SAVE THE DATE!

Second Annual Hanover Clean Up Day

We are about to embark on another big adventure: **The Second Annual Hanover Clean Up Day on Saturday, October 15th** Your help last year was truly appreciated and we need it even more this year!

Sign up on Justserve.org for the Clean Up Day where you can sign up individually or in teams of 5-8 people.

We will share hot dogs and ice cream with the PAL lunch recipients and Shelter residents in Wirt Park after the Cleanup. One church group plans to hand out bookmarks at lunch, another has a short game to share, and one has a small activity on a scriptural theme. Handing out a scripture with the name, time and contact information of your churches would be appreciated. Many of our clients ask about a nearby place to attend church.



Hanover 46th Year



We are getting ready for our 46th Crop Hunger Walk on Sunday Oct.16th. Last year we had a great turnout and over 100 Hanoverians walked around the beautiful Codorus State Park for a great cause. This year won't be an exception. Please sign up individually or with your church group. This fundraising will help over 10 countries fighting hunger plus 25% of the money raised, we'll be distributed at HACC, to PAL and Ruth's Harvest which are our food ministries. Don't miss it! Sign up and get your packet at HACC.

3 or 1 mile Walk at Codorus State Park
Registration begins at 1 pm
St. Paul's (Dubs) Union Church Annex
Please Register Online at:

www.crophungerwalk.org/hanoverpa



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

We can't function without our volunteers. In August they put in over 1000 hours at PAL, MOW, Clothing Bank and the front desk. September 16th, we had a party in their honor. Dawn Vandevort spoke about her many years serving the people of Haiti. Then we made the long climb up stairs (or used the elevator) to tour the newly renovated Heavenly Clothing Bank and share some typical Latin American treats, many made by our staff and volunteers from Guatemala! It was just phenomenal meeting and greeting all the volunteers. Many had served for years and were able to tell us more about the history of feeding those in need in Hanover.



THE CANVAS OF AUTUMN

God is the best artist in the world, for only He can create such different themes. We see many artists that try to capture the seasons on their canvases by painting what they see around them, and they do a wonderful job. However, neither picture nor paint could ever replace the real thing splashed across the sky and spilled over the earth like the Master's display of His finest artwork. God's creativity is unmatched, for every day is different, just like every different leaf of the trees. This season let's thank God for His faithfulness and immense love for us. He is a God that truly cares about His creation. Many blessings, happy fall!



ROUND UP CHALLENGE

HACC is looking for Hanover area businesses to participate in a round-up program, where customers would round their total to the nearest dollar and the rounded amount is donated to HACC. HACC is funded by private donations, foundations, and local businesses, and is not eligible for state or federal funds due to their faith-based status. If your business is interested in participating in a round-up program, please contact the office.

HEAVENLY CLOTHING BANK UPDATE!

Our Hanover Clean Up Day is October 15th, the Heavenly Clothing Bank will be closed that day. In November, we will be open the first Saturday of each month 9 AM—12 PM, Wednesdays from 6-8 PM, and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 AM—12PM. On Tuesdays each household gets their first five items free. Most clothing items are only \$1. Those with special needs may make an appointment to shop on Thursday afternoons.



VOLUNTEER SPOLIGHT

Sandy Danner is one of our amazing volunteers at PAL. Sandy lives in Hanover and she's been married for 35 years with one son. A previous travel agent before retiring, Sandy has been volunteering at HACC for over 4 years. Her primary job is receiving but she is always willing to help wherever needed with a smile!

When asked why she volunteers at HACC, Sandy stated she loves to give back to the local community.. Sandy is of one the kindest people we have here. HACC thanks you so much for your great service and loyalty to this mission. God bless you!



THE TIME HAS COME!

JJ'S TOY SHOP

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING DONATIONS

Our annual collection for the toyshop in memory of JJ has begun!

We are accepting children and teen items (infant to age 18)

New & gently used items—Toys (clean, all pieces intact)

Gift cards for teens are appreciated

(5 Below, Walmart, Target)

If you have a donation, or need suggestions, please call the Council office at 717-633-6353 or email us.



JJ'S TOY SHOP

December 2nd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 2022

8 am—12 pm

SIGN UP AT HACC FRONT DESK



Donations may be dropped off
Monday - Saturday 8:30 am to 12:30 pm
at 136 Carlisle Street and donations specifically
for the Changing Lives Shelter can be dropped
off at 138 Carlisle St., Hanover
Call us to schedule a drop-off



PROVIDE-A-LUNCH
NUTRITIOUS FOOD

Lunch everyday
11:30 am—12:30 pm



CHANGING LIVES SHELTER
TRANSFORMING LIVES

Closed between 11AM-1PM



CLOTHING BANK
CLOTHING, TOYS AND MUCH MORE

Tuesdays & Thursdays 9-12
1st Saturday of the month 9-12
Wednesday 6-8 pm



RUTH'S HARVEST
FEEDING THE CHILDREN IN HANOVER



MEALS-ON-WHEELS
SERVING THE ELDERLY

We are in need for volunteers for these ministries

ANY FURTHER INFO, CONTACT US:
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PHONE: 717-633-6353 FAX: 717-633-6219
www.hanoverareacouncilofchurches.org
www.facebook.com/1BodyOneSpirit

OUR NEEDS

PROVIDE-A-LUNCH

Single serve fruit cups,
Cans of mixed vegetables,
Sugar, Egg Noodles, Scalloped Potatoes,
Plastic Cutlery sets with knives,
spoons, napkins, pepper

CHANGING LIVES SHELTER

Disposable Gloves M/L,
Comet, Bathroom Cleaner, Chlorox
wipes, Disinfectant Spray

MEALS-ON-WHEELS

Alt Coloring Books, Pencils, Word
Search Books

RUTH'S HARVEST

Single serve fruit cup, Single serve
entrée, Single serve cereal

HEAVENLY CLOTHING STORE

Gently used clothes,
Men's & Women's Sweat Pants,
Men's and Women's Sweat shirts

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

THE HANOVER AREA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

Part-Time Changing Lives Shelter Workers for all shifts (morning, afternoon, evening and overnight hours). The shelter worker will be responsible to complete referrals and intake procedures for persons in need of shelter. This includes completing drug/alcohol testing of shelter residents and will be required to monitor activities to assure that the residents are complying with expectations and responsibilities. 24-32 hours a week depending on shift.

To apply, please email or mail your resume to cls-casemgr@hanoverareacouncilofchurches.org or 136 Carlisle Street, Hanover, PA 17331. You may also reach out to Karen Williams, Shelter Coordinator at (717) 633-6353 ext. 31 or 443-789-8859.

OCTOBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<i>"In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" Acts 20:35</i>						Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM NA Meeting 7pm
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Smart Recovery 7:30pm—9pm	Ministries Board Meeting 2 PM	Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm Clothing Bank 6 PM—8 PM	Changing Lives Shelter Meeting 1 PM Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM		NA Meeting 7pm
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Grandparents' Day Smart Recovery 7:30pm—9pm		Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm Clothing Bank 6 PM—8 PM	Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM		Hanover Clean Up Day NA Meeting 7pm
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Hanover Crop Walk Smart Recovery 7:30pm—9pm		Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm Clothing Bank 6 PM—8 PM	Finance Committee Meeting 9 AM Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM		NA Meeting 7pm
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Smart Recovery 7:30pm—9pm		Executive Committee Meeting 2 PM Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm Clothing Bank 6 PM—8 PM	Community Needs Meeting 2 PM Clothing Bank 9 AM— 12 PM		NA Meeting 7pm
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Smart Recovery 7:30pm—9pm	October HACC Meetings HACC meetings have resumed in person. All Committees will be notified through email by the HACC Administrative Office with updates. If you find that you have not received a reminder email; please contact us at 717-633-6353					

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Grace UCC
100 4th St. Hanover, PA
717-632-1146

Oct. 23rd, 2022—Coffee & Fellowship
In the parking lot—10 am to 10:45 am
Followed by SET FREE Blue Grass Gospel
@ 11 am in the sanctuary.

Nov. 5th 2022—Car Show
In the parking lot from 10 am to 1 pm.
There will be bins for donations of unwrapped
toys for children and one for socks for the
homeless. Call church for more details.

Dec. 4th, 2022—The Glorious Sounds of Christ-
mas @ 3pm in the sanctuary, featuring Troy D.
Winemiller and other special guests. Love of-
fering to benefit Children and Youth Services

St. Joseph Holiday Bazaar will be held on
 Saturday, November 12 from 8am until 2pm
 in the Church Social Hall. Breakfast and
 lunch will be served. There will be over 50
 vendors, along with baked goods, raffles,
 and a Grannie's Attic. All profits benefit the
 St. Joseph Parish.

The Brethren Home Community Stamp Group
 collects cancelled stamps from envelopes and
 sells them to dealers and wholesale stamp
 houses. The proceeds are used for projects
 which benefit the Residents. Donations can be
 mailed or dropped off at the campus.

FREE GROCERY KITS
Fruit, Potatoes & Pantry Items
EVERY SATURDAY 10-11 am
St. Paul's Lutheran Church
127 York Street

UPMC Hanover Employee and Community **Blood Drive**

Thursday, November 10th • 8:00 am - 7:00 pm
Held at: St. Mark Lutheran Church
129 Charles Street, Hanover 17331 - In the Community Room

Everyone will receive a
 certificate for a FREE Pint of
 Ice Cream from Bruster's!



Your Community Blood Bank

3 ways to schedule your donation appointment:

- go to 717GiveBlood.org & click on **DONATE NOW**
- call 1-800-771-0059
- scan the QR code



A form of ID is REQUIRED to donate

- We strongly suggest you schedule an appointment to donate blood. Appointments help us improve your donation experience.
- Walk-ins are welcome; however, donors with appointments will be taken first and this may result in a significant wait time.
- Current CDC recommendations make masking for our donors & staff optional. CPBB will provide masks to anyone who wishes to wear one.



Holiday Bazaar

NOVEMBER 12 | 8 am to 2 pm
St. Paul's Church (Bway) | 1214 Broadway, Hanover PA

We will have our Beef Noodle and Chicken Soup
 with Noodles. - \$6.00 a qt.

Order your soup ahead by calling our church
 office at 717-637-0511. Leave your name,
 phone, what kind and how many.

Many vendors, food and so much more!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Looking for a better future?

Rotary Club of York-North has partnered with the York County Literacy Council to present:

MATH IS A SUPERPOWER

A FREE 8-Week Math Class

What: Basic Math Review (Fractions, Decimals, Multiplication, Division, etc.)

When: Mondays and Thursdays

Time: 5:15 – 7:00 p.m.

Where: York County Literacy Council
1416 6th Avenue York, PA

September 26, 2022 – November 17, 2022

Graduates will qualify to enroll in the Manufacturing Pathway Training Program, provided by the Manufacturers' Association as well as have an opportunity to interview with manufacturing companies with excellent chance for job placement.

Contact:

tholmes@yorkliteracy.org OR (717) 408-6358



All Saints Episcopal Church

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

890 McCosh St. ,Hanover

Friday, December 2nd 9am-2pm

Saturday, December 3rd 9 am—noon

Crafts and more

Food available

Bring your family and friends!

Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church will be holding its annual Founders Day "FALL FEST"

Saturday, October 15, 2022, from 11 AM to 4 PM
at 1398 Moulstown Rd. North,
Hanover, PA 17331.

The Community is WELCOME!

There will be Food; Crafts;
Games; Baked Goods and more!

Special Music will be provided by:
Canaan's Land Bluegrass

Vendors are needed!!

For more information please call:
Corinna Smith (717) 578-7043
Please leave your name, message, and phone
number or the Church Office (717) 632-2688



ST. MARK FALL BAZAAR

St. Mark Church is holding a FALL BAZAAR on November 5th in the Fellowship Hall from 8am to 2pm. Special features include hot dogs, barbeque, special recipe Chicken Corn Soup and homemade Pumpkin Pie. OF course, cookies, pies, breads, etc. come from our parishioners. (If you want to take the soup home, please bring your own contains.) There will also be craft tables and Granny's Attic/Treasures. Orders for craft tables will be taken by Martha Lippy at 717-637-8891. The cost is \$10.00 per 8' table. You can enter St. Mark, 129 Charles Street, from the parking lot or Willow Street.

LOCAL CHURCH DIRECTORY

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

890 McCosh Street, Hanover, PA 17331 717-637-5772

ANNUNCIATION BVM

26 N. Third Street, McSherrystown, PA 17344 717-637-1191

BLACK ROCK CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

3864 Glenville Rd, Glenville, PA 17329 www.blackrockchurch.org

BETHEL UCC

2112 Yingling Drive Spring Grove, PA. 17362 717-632-4260

BETHEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

1125 Frederick Pike, Littlestown, PA. 1734 717.359.4675
www.bethelag.com

CHRIST CHURCH OF LITTLESTOWN

131 Christ Church Rd Littlestown, PA 17340 717-359-9203
christchurchoflittlestown@gmail.com

CHRIST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

32 Baltimore St. | P.O. BOX 155 Township of Codorus PA. 17311
717-229-2561 www.christucccodorus.org

EMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST (ABBOTSTOWN)

1 Center Square Abbottstown, PA 17331 717-259-9614
www.emmanueluccabbottstown.org

EMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

124 Broadway, Hanover, PA 17331 717-632-8281
www.emmanuelucc.org

FAITH COMMUNITY OF THE BRETHREN HOME

Chapel located in the Nicarry Meeting House
2990 Carlisle Pike, New Oxford, Pa. 17350 717-624-5253

FAITH COMMUNITY OF THE LUTHERAN RETIREMENT VILLAGE

Chapel at UTZ TERRACE
2100 UTZ Terrace, Hanover, Pa. 17331 717-637-0633

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

200 FREDERICK STREET, HANOVER, PA. 17331 717-637-1574
www.firstumchanover.org

GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

100 Fourth St., Hanover, Pa. 17331 717-632-1146
www.graceucchanover.org

GRACE CHURCH

55 Albright Dr., Hanover, PA 17331 (717)637-3100
www.mygracechurch.org

HANOVER CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

601 Wilson Avenue, Hanover, Pa. 17331 717-632-2267
www.HanoverCOB.org

HANOVER FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

600 Fairview Ave, Hanover, Pa 17331 www.hanoverbeacon.org

HOMEWOOD AT PLUM CREEK (CHAPEL)

425 Westminster, Hanover, PA. 17331 717-637-4166
www.homewoodplumcreek.com

MT. CARMEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

1398 Moulstown Rd. N. , Hanover, PA 17331 717-632-2688

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S UNITED CHURCH (ELCA)

1204 Grand Valley Rd. Hanover, PA 17331

ST. DAVID'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

1032 Musselman Rd., Hanover PA 17331

ST. DAVID'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

142 Hobart Rd., Hanover, PA 17331

ST. JACOB'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

3444 Sticks Rd., Glen Rock, PA 17327 717-235-7313
stjacobs@comcast.net stjacobsmlutheran.org

ST. JACOB'S (STONE)CHURCH UCC

5152 Stone Church Rd., Glenville, Pa 17329
717-212-9122, www.stonechurchucc.org

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

100 East Water Street, Abbottstown, PA 17301 717-259-0796

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC

5055 GRANDVIEW RD. HANOVER, PA. 17331 717-637-5236

ST. MARK EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

129 Charles Street Hanover, PA 17331 www.stmarkhanover.org

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH

30 W. CHESTNUT ST., HANOVER, PA. 17331 717-637-7101

ST. PAUL'S DUBS UCC

1958 Dubs Church Rd., Hanover, PA 17331

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

1240 Broadway Hanover, PA 17331

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

127 York St., Hanover, PA 17331 717-637-5941
www.stpaulsyorkst.org

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

220 THIRD ST. HANOVER, PA 17331
717-637-4625 WWW.SVPARISH.ORG

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

HANOVER WARD 1170 Kohler Road, New Oxford PA
717-452-2135 (Missionaries) www.ComeUntoChrist.org

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH IN JEFFERSON

6 York Street, Codorus, PA 17311 717-229-2619
www.trinityjefferson.church, FB: Trinity Jefferson

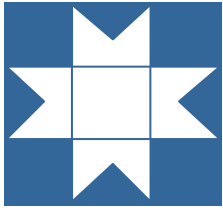
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116 York Street, Hanover, PA 17331 717-637-2233
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127 Hickory Lane, Hanover, PA 17331
717-797-3868 or 717-451-6349

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