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June/July 2024

Council News

Hanover Area Council of Churches

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From the Executive Director Mirna Wildasin

As we leave the month of May behind remembering and celebrating the brave men and women who have given the highest sacrifice for our freedom, we cannot forget to celebration on June 19th - Juneteenth. It is known as Freedom Day and it commemorates the end of slavery in the United States. A combination of the words "June" and "nineteenth," "Juneteenth" is the name given June 19, 1865 when Union General Gordon Granger arrived in Galveston, Texas, to inform the more than 250,000 still enslaved Africans there that they were free. Here at HACC, we pay tribute to these historic moments in American History. Without the heroic commitments and actions, we would not be able to enjoy the many freedoms we have today.

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Be sure to mark your calendars for the 2024 Hanover Snack Town Street Fair on Saturday, July 13 from 8am - 4pm. Make a plan to stop by our booth! Not only will we have information about our five ministry programs, but we will also have some activities for people of all ages. Come say hello and bring a friend, too!





A BIG THANK YOU to Rilynn Rill who organized a collection drive for toothbrushes and toothpaste at St. Joseph's School. She visited recently to donate to our Changing Lives Shelter clients. THANK YOU, Rilynn and classmates!

We rely on your generous donations and volunteering. THANK YOU!



Barbara Gil, Coordinator

1983

PAL Provide-a-Lunch started seving

2021

First PAID PAL coordinator

137

Average number of lunches served daily

28+

Number of churches and other organizations who serve on a rotating basis throughout the year - some groups have more than one PAL team!

Our PAL Teams not only assist in preparing the day's meal, but also keep our donation pantry organized PLUS clean up the kitchen daily!

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

The Provide-a-Lunch (PAL) program began in 1983 in the Hanover area and is still going strong. Not unlike our Meals-on-Wheels program, PAL has two paid staff members and a multitude of volunteers cooking and preparing a hot, nutritious lunch daily to a growing number of clients. The service is offered every day of the year, including holidays.

PAL is served from 11:30am-12:30pm, and is open to anyone who desires a hot meal. You can stay and eat in our lunchroom, or take-out containers are also available.

Our primary PAL Coordinator, Barbara Gil is responsible for making monthly menus with the PAL Teams, plus order ingredients in advance but she also allows for donations and uses our Food Bank grants as much as possible. She has been the PAL coordinator since January 2023.





Barb Gil, PAL Coordinator

Sharon Shreve, Weekend/Breakfast

Core PAL volunteers - they are here every week to help by pulling food for the daily meals, sorting and stocking donations, packing and serving meals and they pick up donations too. We are so

thankful for these

fantastic volunteers!

Our weekend and Tues/Thurs Breakfast PAL Coordinator is Sharon Shreve. She also assists in the Changing Lives Shelter, and filled in while Barb was on a vacation in February. Sharon joined HACC in late December 2023.











Volunteers from Spirit Lutheran Trust visited us recently. They come every year to help sort out and clean pantries and kitchen. Leader: Tracy Schuman.





Volunteers from Sunshine Child Development Center made a visit to PAL in April. They brought snacks for everyone and helped with packing and providing meals. Leader: Rita Becker.









Did you know?

We also serve breakfast on Tuesday and Thursday mornings 7am-9am.

We rely on donations! We keep a pantry of canned goods, which are rotated regularly.

Area groceries and restaurants also donate to PAL. We often need drivers to assist in delivering these donations. Contact us if you can help!



"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in."

MATTHEW 25:35

OTHER MINISTRIES





MEALS-ON-WHEELS

Meals-on-Wheels needs DRIVERS and RUNNERS
Monday through Friday to deliver hot meals to
our elderly clients. Deliveries are between
10:30am-11:30am. Even one or two days is a
BIG help! We also need substitute drivers!
Contact us for more information.



RUTH'S HARVEST

Ruth's Harvest transitions to a PLANING phase during the summer months. They will need help on Tuesday and Thursday mornings to sort and pack food donations, and Fridays to deliver meals to schools in the Hanover Area in late August. Contact us if you are interested in helping this ministry!



CHANGING LIVES SHELTER

The Changing Lives Shelter is looking for volunteers and groups to provide evening programs, such as game nights, crafts, worship and more! Let's shed some light of positivity into the lives of those in need.



CLOTHING BANK

The Clothing Bank can use volunteers for clothing preparation (wash/sort/hang), organizing displays, assisting with sales on Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am-12pm, and loading/delivery of overflow donations to Community Aid. PLUS two Saturdays each month!

eave a legacy!

Did you know that Hanover Area Council of Churches has an Endowment Fund at the York County Community Foundation? This Fund will help ensure HACC can continue its mission in the future. You can create your own legacy by contributing directly to the Fund or by including a future gift to the HACC Endowment in your will, life insurance or retirement account. More information on our website.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER AT HACC

- fill out Volunteer form on our website
- complete FREE volunteer clearances
- submit form and clearances
- volunteer coordinator or ministry coordinator will contact you to set up volunteering

Questions?

Contact our Admin. Assistant at adminhacc@hanoverareacouncilofchurches.org or call 717-633-6353 ext. 20

We need YOU at HACC!

REACH OUT AT ADMINHACC@HANOVERAREACOUNCILOFCHURCHES.ORG OR 717-633-6353 EXT 20



Hanover Area Council of Churches

special needs for June & July





- ·Cans of mixed vegetables, corn, green beans, peas, carrots
- ·Bags of potatoes and scalloped potatoes
- ·Oils: vegetable, olive, spray oil and Butter
- ·Dry goods: Sugar and salt
- ·Milk
- ·Snacks
- ·Tea bags or iced tea bags
- ·Grocery and/or shopping bags



- ·Single serve fruit cups
- ·Single serve cereals
- ·Single serve granola bars



- ·Handkerchiefs
- ·NO-rinse bathing wipes
- ·Bath gloves
- ·NO-slip socks
- Journal books
- ·Puzzles NO mini pieces, 300-500 pieces at most



- ·Hygiene and toiletry products (shampoo, conditioner, soap, body wash)
- ·Clorox wipes
- ·Kitchen trash bags
- ·Ziploc bags (sandwich and gallon sizes)



- Newsprint for wrapping delicate household goods
- ·Children and teen clothing (all sizes) ·Men's jeans waist sizes 30-34
- ·Shoes/sneakers (all sizes)
- ·Grocery, shopping, and/or reusable bags
- ·White garbage bags 13 gallon size



PAL Teams & Menu

Lunch is served daily 11:30am-12:30pm

menu is subject to change

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat



June



IPCA Casa del Alfarero Baked Chicken, Rice & Peas, Pasta Salad, Fruit

St. Joseph's Church Egg Salad Sandwiches Bean Salad Fruit

Harrity Team Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Olive Garden Soup, Chips, Fruit

Emmanuel UCC **Abbottstown** Hamburger BBQ, Baked Beans, Mac and Cheese. Fruit

Trinity UCC Shepherd's Pie, Red Beets, Biscuits, Fruit

St. Matthew Lutheran Chick Fil A Nuggets, Veggies, Biscuits, Fruit

St. Paul's **Broadway** Ham, Green Beans and Potatoes, Veggies, Fruit

St. David's Lutheran Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Fruit

St. Vincent Pork BBO.

Potatoes, Rolls, Fruit

Hanover COB Ham Alfredo Noodles, Garlic Bread, Veggies, Fruit

PAL Team Chicken Fajita, Refried Beans, Rice, Fruit

St. **Batholomew** Meatloaf, Potatoes, Veggies, Fruit

Black Rock COB **Ground Pork** BBQ, Veggies, Fruit

Grace Church Chick Fil A, Veggies, Biscuits, Fruit

Grace UCC Pork Patties. Veggies, Potatoes, Fruit

Stone Church

Baked Chicken, Green Beans. Stuffing, Fruit

St. Mark

Lutheran

Chili,

Cornbread,

Veggies, Fruit

of Hanover Hamburger Patties in Gravy,

New Hope

First Church Dominion Life of Gettysburg Chicken and Stuffing Veggies, Fruit Casserole, Veggies, Fruit

St. Joseph Beef Stir Fry, Rice, Veggies, Soup, Fruit

Fruit

St. Jacob's Broccoli Shrimp Alfredo Pasta, Garlic Bread, Veggies, Fruit

St. Paul's York St. Pork Taco Rice Casserole, Veggies,

UCC Baked Chicken, Potatoes, Pasta Salad Fruit

St. David

The Church Harvest

Ministries Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Tatertots, Veggies, Fruit

of Jesus **Christ LDS** Ham, Green

Chapel Sloppy Joe's, Mac and Beans and Cheese, Coleslaw. Potatoes, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit

St. Matthew

Lutheran Ham, Yams, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit

St. John's Abbottstown Baked Ziti. Garlic Bread,

Green Beans,

Fruit

Salad, Fruit

Church Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Pasta Salad, Fruit

Grace



June 2024



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Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm		Building Committee 7am PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm	Flag Day	Clothing Bank 9am-4pm NA Meeting 7pm
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Father's Day Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm		PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm	Finance Committee 9am Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm		NA Meeting 7pm
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm		PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm		NA Meeting 7pm

Community Needs

2pm

9am-12pm

PAL Teams & Menu Lunch is served daily 11:30am-12:30pm

	menu is subject to change					
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Hanover Valley Presbyterian Chick Fil A Nuggets, Veggies, French Fries, Biscuits, Fruit	Hanover COB Creamy Beef and Macaroni, Veggies, Fruit	Ring Container Baked Chicken, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit	Trinity UCC Shepherd's Pie, Red Beets, Rolls, Fruit	Black Rock COB Hot Dogs, Pork Taco Sauce, Baked Beans, Fruit	All Saints Episcopal Block Party Beans, Mac and Cheese, Veggies, Fruit	IPCA Casa Del Alfarero Stewed Beef and Potatoes, Rice, Plantains, Fruit
St. Joseph's Church Chick Fil A Nuggets, Veggies, Biscuits, Fruit	First Church of Hanover Spaghetti Beef Alfredo Sauce, Veggies, Garlic Bread, Fruit	Dominion Life of Gettysburg BBQ Chicken, Roasted Potatoes, Veggies, Fruit	St. Batholomew Meatloaf, Potatoes, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit	St. Jacob's Chicken Biscuit Casserole, Veggies, Fruit	St. Paul's York St. Beef Stroganoff, Garlic Bread, Veggies, Fruit	St. David's Lutheran Tuna Salad/ Chicken Salad Sandwiches, Veggies, Fruit
St. Vincent de Paul Lasagna, Garlic Bread, Salad, Fruit	Harrity Team Pork Loin Roast, Black Beans and Tomatoes, Rolls, Fruit	Emmanuel UCC Abbottstown BBQ Hamburger, Baked Beans, Chips, Fruit	St. Joseph Grilled Cheese Sandwich, French Fries, Soup, Fruit	St. Matthew Lutheran Chick Fil A Nuggets, Yams, Veggies, Fruit	St. Paul's Broadway Ham, Green Beans and Potatoes, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit	Grace UCC Fish Sticks, Southwestern Mac and Cheese, Veggies, Fruit
Egg Sandwiches, Pasta Salad, Chips, Fruit	Hanover COB Chili, Cornbread, Veggies, Fruit	Dominion Life of Gettysburg BBQ Chicken, Stuffing, Potatoes, Veggies, Fruit	Harvest Chapel Pizza Burgers, Coleslaw, Fruit Salad	Black Rock COB Chick Fil A Nuggets, Veggies, Alfredo Noodles, Fruit	Grace Church Chicken Cacciatore, Veggies, Fruit	St. David UCC Baked Chicken, Potatoes, Veggies, Rolls, Fruit
St. Mark Lutheran Chili Mac, Cornbread, Veggies, Fruit	First Church of Hanover Beef Taco Bake, Veggies, Fruit	Emmanuel UCC Hanover Pulled Pork BBQ Sandwich, Tatertots,	Trinity UCC Shepherd's Pie, Red Beets, Rolls, Fruit		July	

Veggies, Fruit



July 2024



entertain and enlighten you on a variety of

interesting subjects - from health care, community

events and other topics of local and regional interest.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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		PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	Independence Day PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm		Clothing Bank 9am-4pm NA Meeting 7pm
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Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm		Building Committee 7am PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank 9am-12pm Changing Lives Shelter 1pm		STREET FAIR HANDYER, PENESYLVANIA 8am-4pm NA Meeting 7pm
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Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm		PAL Breakfast 7-9am Clothing Bank	Smart Recovery 7:30pm-9pm	10:00 AM - 11:00	AM First Mon	Council of Church day of every mon dio with Bill O'Bri uest speakers infor

9am-12pm



COMMUNITY EVENTS

All Saints Episcopal Church



890 McCosh St. Hanover PA June 1, 2024 8-2pm

717-637-5772





Welcome Seniors! Come and Join Us

When? **Thursdays**

1:00PM to 3:00PM

Where?

First Church of Hanover 200 Frederick St. Hanover, PA



Join Us for Our Annual

Strawberry Social



Saturday, June 8, 2024 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Come and join us for our Annual Strawberry Social and enjoy fresh strawberries over ice cream or short cake.

Our full menu includes chicken corn soup, beef noodle soup, beef B-B-Q sandwiches, hot dogs, coffee, and assorted soft drinks.

Don't forget to check out our Bake Sale Table with lots of other goodies!

Join us for an afternoon of fellowship & food!



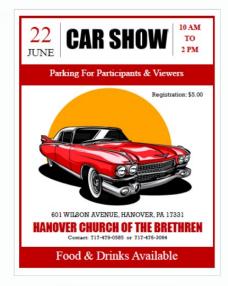




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Fruit, Potatoes & Pantry Items **EVERY SATURDAY** 10-11am





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Are you 65 or older? Join us for a series of weekly health and wellness workshops, every Tuesday 10:15am-2pm. Plus, enjoy a hot lunch* served after the program! *To receive your hot lunch, please register in advance at the Adult Desk or call 717-632-5183.



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