

## ***What's Happening at Otterbein!***

**Celebration Winds** had a loss this past week. Their trombone player, **Tedd Terry**, passed away unexpectedly. His wife plays the flute for Celebration Winds. Please keep them in your prayers and Celebration Winds as well.

### **Salvation Army Needs Your Help**

The Salvation Army continues to need your help with hygiene products.

They also would like your empty plastic **quart and half gallon** milk jugs! These containers will be used to divide out laundry detergent that has been donated in extremely large containers. Please wash out your milk jugs, replace the cap, and deposit them in a mission bin. Thank you!

### **Women's Bible Study**

*Ladies of the Church* -- This is your invitation to join the Women's Bible Study Group for a new series on Wednesday's starting at 7:00 PM in Room 8. We will be discussing six different women found in Scripture and what we can learn from each of them to enrich our faith walk. Whether you can make only a few sessions, or all of them, please feel free to join us!

October 30 Justine Monken – Hannah

### **Barnabas Group**

The Barnabas Group has a new person for the month of **October** that would appreciate your prayers and notes. The name and note cards can be found in the narthex or multipurpose room. Please stop by and write a note to share God's love, encouragement, or comfort. If you are not a note writer, there are cards with notes already printed in them. You need only sign your name.

### **Thank you!**

Dear Otterbein Family –

From the bottom of my heart, thank you! I seriously can't thank all of you enough for your kindness, love, and support during this devastating time. Our community is truly blessed to have such caring people in their lives! – Love always, Ashlynn Weiss

### **Circle of Prayer**

Each week our Susquehanna Annual Conference requests prayer for churches within the Annual Conference, partner churches in Sierra Leone and conference camps. During the **week of October 27 – November 2, please pray for** First Millersburg UMC – Millersburg, Shehawken UMC – Starrucca, Askam UMC – Hanover Township, Valley UMC – Muncy Valley, Clearville UMC – Clearville, Bryansville UMC – Delta, Snow Shoe UMC – Snow Shoe, West Fairview UMC – Enola, Niles Valley UMC – Wellsboro, Clifford UMC – Clifford.

### **Financial Information**

If you have any questions or concerns pertaining to giving **OR** church financial information, please contact Leslie Conway (treasurer). She can be reached at [treasurer@ottumc.org](mailto:treasurer@ottumc.org) or (717) 512-6759.

## Pot Pie made lovingly by the United Methodist Women

Fall is here and with that we think of .... Homemade pot pie.

**We need help to do the following:** make the dough, run the dough through the pasta machines, cut dough into pieces and stack it on trays, peel potatoes, cut potatoes into chunks, measure ingredients, cook the pot pie, handle the heavy pots, and fill the quart containers for sale. If this sounds like something you are able and willing to do, please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board located outside the office. You do not have to be a chef to help. We need your **help November 7 & 8 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00**. Pot Pie and baked goods will be **sold on Friday, November 8, starting at 1:00 PM** in the multipurpose room. If you would like to make baked goods to donate and be sold, please sign up on the bulletin board outside the office.

## United Methodist Women's Thanksgiving Breakfast – November 23 at 9 AM

Ladies of Otterbein, please join us for our annual Thanksgiving Breakfast in the multipurpose room. Every year we love to gather and take a moment before the busyness of the season to worship and fellowship as women with our sisters from churches all around the community. A delicious home-cooked breakfast will be served followed by a speaker. If you are interested in joining us this year the sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board by the church office.

If you can make an egg casserole or pastry, please contact Hattie Ogle at (717) 258-3438

## Men – Free Breakfast!!!!!!

Traditionally, the men of the church serve the ladies at their annual Thanksgiving breakfast on November 23<sup>rd</sup>. In addition to serving breakfast, they also separately share breakfast together. It's a great time for fellowship and food!!!! If you are willing to help service, please contact Russell Ogle at (717) 258-3438 or email [ogle@pa.net](mailto:ogle@pa.net)

## Children & Youth Hand Chime Choir

A children and youth hand chime choir is being formed for the December 21<sup>st</sup> Christmas Pageant. All children / youth in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade or above are invited to join. Rehearsals will be Sunday mornings during the Children's Church (9:30 -9:45 am), starting November 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you have any questions, please contact Tammy Ham via call or text at (717) 243-1872.

## Otterbein Christmas Pageant

All children and youth are invited to participate in our Christmas pageant on December 21<sup>st</sup> at 2:00 PM in the sanctuary. Please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board next to the library for more information as well as a place to sign up to participate. If you have any questions, please reach out to Janna Brandt ([families@ottumc.org](mailto:families@ottumc.org)).

## This Week at Otterbein

Event	Date	Time	Location
Carlisle Brass Band Concert	October 27	3:00 PM	Sanctuary
Confirmation Class #3	October 27	6:30 PM	Library
Otterbein Bells	October 28	6:30 PM	Choir Room
Music Worship Meeting	October 28	7:30 PM	Library
Bible Study	October 29	9:00 AM	Library
Men's Life Group	October 30	6:00 PM	Library
Women's Bible Study	October 30	7:00 PM	Room 8
Choir	October 30	6:30 – 8 PM	Choir Room

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month – New Person for Barnabas Group to write notes to

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month – Canned Fruit Sunday