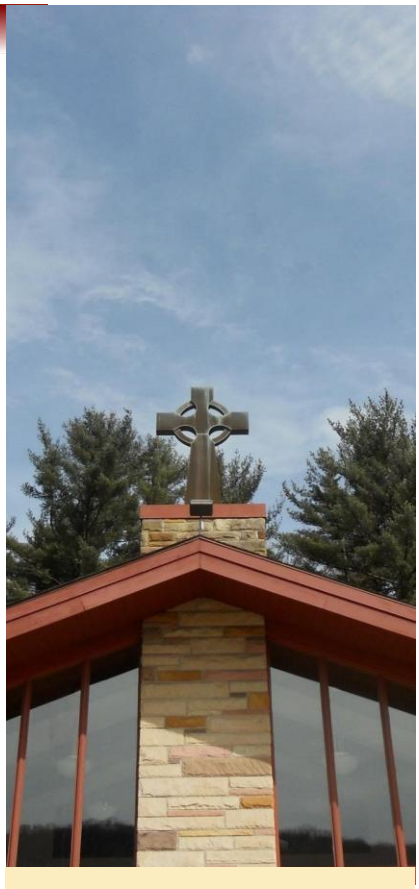
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THE GOOD NEWLONSBURG



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

What if our greatest challenge in following Jesus isn't rebellion, but distraction?

Jesus tells us in John 15 that He is the vine and we are the branches. He wants us to remain connected to Him so that our lives can bear fruit. More than anything, Jesus doesn't want us simply to be servants who complete religious responsibilities—**Jesus wants friendship with us.**

Friendship with Jesus is a conscious choice. In a world filled with noise and distractions, we can intentionally choose to deepen that friendship through prayer, Scripture, worship, and practicing Jesus' teachings. Like a garden, spiritual fruit grows when we tend to it faithfully rather than rushing.

During the month of Thanksgiving, try replacing one distraction each day with prayer or by memorizing a teaching or Scripture passage from Jesus. As we make space for Jesus, we will hear His voice more clearly and experience the joy He desires for us.

Jesus is waiting with arms wide open. He wants friendship with you.

For the glory of God and the betterment of humanity,

Pastor Curtis

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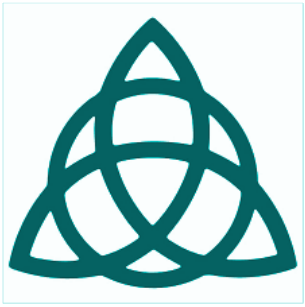
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FROM THE YOUTH DIRECTOR

Give Thanks

What are some things you are thankful for? Do you journal or write them down? I try to write a short list in the morning when I wake up of things I'm thankful for. The list ranges from things that are obvious to things I easily take for granted while living in the United States. For example, laundry machines are something so easy to take for granted; not many people have access to them, even in this country. Another example is being able to wash the dishes. I'm blessed that I am able to serve my wife and am physically fit to wash dishes by hand. I recognize that there may come a day when I will not be able to do that. Additionally, I'm blessed that I have an abundance of dishes to wash.

Psalm 136:3-4 says, "Give thanks to the Lord of lords, for His steadfast love endures forever; who alone does great wonders, for His steadfast love endures forever." It's easy to take things for granted. How often do we take God's love for granted? Or fail to recognize that every day is a gift? It's easy to get bogged down by life, but I encourage you this month to look for things you take for granted and give thanks for them. You'll be amazed by the many ways God's love is constantly shining down on you.



In fellowship,

Joshua Kenst

YOUTH EVENTS CALENDAR

Saturday, November 7 - **Amen for Action**

I am looking for a handful of youth between the ages of 12 and 18 to help with Amen for Action on Saturday, November 7th, from 8:15 a.m. to Noon @ Murrysville Christian Concern (5778 Kennedy Ave, Export, PA 15632). This event is in partnership with the Outreach Committee. We will meet there by 8:15 a.m. for a brief volunteer gathering. Please dress comfortably. You don't need to bring anything; all we need will be waiting for us. The Amen to Action food packing event is scheduled to finish by noon.

Saturday, November 14 - **Fall Work Day**

On Saturday, November 14th, from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., the Sr. and Jr. High Youth will help paint the office during the Fall Work Day. Please bring old clothes that you don't mind getting paint on.

Sunday, November 15 - **Franklin Regional Backpack To Go Program**

The collection for the Franklin Regional Backpack to Go program is scheduled to start on Sunday, November 15th. Please see the bulletin for collection information.

Tuesday, November 24 - **Thanksgiving Party at Brushes and Beans**

On Tuesday, November 24th, the Jr. High Youth will gather at Brushes and Beans from 3:00-5:00 p.m. to celebrate Thanksgiving. Please check your email, texts, and bulletins for information from Joshua on how to register.

Saturday, December 12 - Cookie Walk

The NPC Youth Cookie Walk Fundraiser is scheduled for Saturday, December 12th. In November, we will be calling families to bake cookies. Look for announcements in the bulletin. Please let Joshua Kenst know if you are interested in baking for this event.

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES NEWSLETTER

WE REALLY NEED YOUR WONDERFUL CHILDREN! LITURGISTS AND ACOLYTES!

Allow your child to participate in the service in a special way! Most Sundays, we have a worship candle lighter (acolyte), and on the second Sunday of every month, we have a child worship reader (liturgist). Acolytes must be at least four years old, able to hold the candle lighter, and able to reach the candles. Parents may accompany them in this job! Liturgists must be able to read well and be willing to practice their part several times at home prior to Sunday and also practice before the service from the microphone. Sign up using this link!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0445A9A622AAF9C52-65313962-npcmid

WONDERS AND WISDOM ON 11/14/26 AT 9:00 AM-10:30 AM | Age 3 - 5th grade | Room 102

Join us for another fun time where we look at where science and scripture meet! This time, we will look at the story of Jonah and the whale! Led by Joan Batson and Pastor Lori! Parents can stay or drop off! Sign up by November 7th.

https://onrealm.org/NewlonsburgPres/PublicRegistrations/Event?linkString=NWY4MjI1ZWUtYWVjNS00OGM3LTg1ZjAtYjRkYzAxNWU3NDVk

ADVENT BEGINS NOVEMBER 29TH, BUT WE GET IN THE SPIRIT EARLY!

Get into the Advent Spirit! Advent is a time for preparation. We prepare our hearts and minds for the birth of the Savior who sacrificed His all for us!

GIFTS FOR THOSE IN NEED! EAST END COOPERATIVE MINISTRY COLLECTION STARTS NOV. 15TH - ENDS DEC. 6TH

EECM was founded in 1970 as a collective response to changes in the community, born when the leaders of 18 local churches recognized that the troubles of the community were too great for any one of them to address alone. Nearly 50 years later, EECM has grown and developed to serve a wide population, which includes providing gifts for the Children and Youth Program Participants. This year, we are going to be collecting **unwrapped** gifts and gift cards for the East End Cooperative Ministry. On the tree in the narthex, you will find tags. You are invited to take a tag and return an **unwrapped** gift under the narthex tree by **December 6th** to go to a child or youth in the programs of East End Cooperative Ministry.

Important: Any gift cards that you donate, please drop off in the church office.

FAMILY ADVENT DEVOTIONALS AVAILABLE NOVEMBER 22ND

Pastor Lori has created a 3D Advent devotional for families! Make sure to pick up your family's manger from the Narthex or Fellowship Hall! Each manger has people and animals from the nativity that you can set up. Open the figure and do the family activity to help you prepare for Christmas!

DECORATE WITH US! HANGING OF THE GREENS HAPPENS NOV. 22ND, FOLLOWING THE 11:00 AM SERVICE!

All are welcome to stay after the late service to decorate our sanctuary, fellowship hall, and hallways for Advent and Christmas!

ADVENT ADVENTURE ON 12/06/27 AT 4:30-5:45

Before our church Christmas dinner, join us on our Advent Adventure! We will begin with a hot cocoa bar and family picture-taking; then, we will be going on a special name hunt you won't want to miss! Can you spot all the names of Jesus? This will be for all ages, so invite Grandma and Grandpa along as well!

IMPORTANT NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER DATES FOR FAMILIES!

NOVEMBER

Thursday, November 5 - 6pm-8pm NPC Kids Club Grades K-5

Sunday, November 8 - 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

Thursday, November 12 - 6pm-8pm NPC Kids Club Grades K-5

Saturday, November 14 - 9:30 am Wonders and Wisdom Science and Scripture Family Activity

Sunday, November 15 - Sunday School Singers sing at 11AM | 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

Sunday, November 15 through December 6 - Collecting Presents for EECM

Thursday, November 19 - 6pm-8pm NPC Kids Club Grades K-5

Sunday, November 22 - 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

Sunday, November 22 - Following Late Service - Christmas Decorating

Thursday, November 26 - NO NPC KIDS CLUB!!

Sunday, November 29 - First Sunday in Advent! 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 3 - 6pm-8pm NPC Kids Club Grades K-5: Christmas Party, Last one for 2026

Sunday, December 6 - 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

Sunday, December 6 - 4:30 pm Advent Adventure followed by Churchwide Advent Dinner

Thursday, December 10 - Winter Break - NO KIDS CLUB UNTIL JAN 7

Sunday, December 13 - Cantata at both services - 8:30 & 11:00 Services | 9:45 Sunday School

Sunday, December 20 - Sunday School Singers and Sunday School Choir sing at 11AM | Sunday School Birthday Party for Jesus during Sunday School! | 8:30 & 11:00 Services

Sunday, December 20 - AFTERNOON/EVENING Family Caroling and Christmas Party

Thursday, December 24 – 5:00 PM Children's Christmas Eve Service

Sunday, December 27 - 8:30 & 11:00 Services (No SS)

CARE OF MEMBERS MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP EVENTS

WOMEN'S FALL BREAKFAST



Come enjoy a morning of food, fellowship, and spiritual refreshment at our Women's Fall Breakfast on Saturday, November 7th from 9:30 am-11:30 am. Ages 13+ welcome. Bring a friend or two! You can sign up on the church sign-up boards or through Realm.

Thanks in advance to our Women's Fall Breakfast Chairs (Lauren Babich and Kimberly Burch) and Team Members: Buck Babich, Hal Burch, Mary Ann & Tom Austin, Natalie & Craig Bolinger, Lynn Comstock, Diane & Jim Delbridge, Caroline & Greg Franko, Di & John Hapach, Sylvia Henriquez, Cindy Hopper, Gale Lieber, Sue & Dean Matanin, Andrew & Jordan McBurney, Megan & Matthew Nicely, Susan & Robert Purdue, Heidi & Jim Scriven, Nicole & Kevin Tomer.

ADVENT DINNER



Celebrate the start of Advent with food, fellowship, and carol singing at this year's Advent Dinner on Sunday, 12/6/26 at 6:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. Family and friends are welcome. The main course will be catered, and Team members will be asked to bring sides and desserts, so please be sure to sign up!

Thanks in advance to our Advent Dinner Chairs (Lyn & Denny Bank, Beth Ehrlich, Mark & Linda Gossar-Loesch and Diane & Frank Sciullo) and Team Members: Brian & Michaelia Austin, Sharon Bachar, Mark & Maggie Beckner, Natalie Bollinger, Nancy Cunningham, Matthew Fako, Christine Haas, Matthew & Kelley Hand, Tiffani Holmes, Andy & Bev Jarabek, Jeff & Danielle Osterman, Kyle & Jessica Peek, Jennifer Price, Billy & Erica Rethage, Michael Rhoades, Scott & Heather Rusiewicz, Bradley & Kirsten Steward, John Kaye & Kim Anderson, Debbie Andrachek, Don & Darlene Blansett, Brian Boyd, Lori Brickner, Dreama Delmar, Bob Dippolito & Shauna Frantz, Rhonda Johnston, Todd & Lindsay Lippman, Michael & Connie Lowe, Michelle McAllister, Jon & Kate Moerdyk, David & Lynne O'Connor, Joe & Jessica Phillips, Walter & Joelle Pitts, Doug Jones & Mary Ann Roberts, John & Leanne Selava, Dennis & Hope Schilling, and Diane Sellers.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING



Our annual Christmas Caroling event has become a beloved NPC tradition that reminds us of the reason for the season as we share the joy of Christmas with friends unable to get out during the holidays and those who need some extra joy. We'll meet up at Fellowship Hall on **Sunday, December 20th** at 3:00 p.m. and divide into groups to deliver cookies, sing carols, then meet up at the home of the Babich family for pizza and other goodies. Friends and family are welcome! Please sign up on the sign-up sheets or through Realm.

PS: We need cookie bakers and packers! Can you share 3 dozen cookies to delight those we sing to? We'll use leftovers from the cookie walk, but we always need more. Cookies can be dropped off in the church kitchen on Friday, Dec. 18th or Saturday morning, Dec. 19th, before 9:00 a.m. Please meet up at the church on Saturday, Dec. 19th at 9:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall to help pack cookies (it takes less than 2 hours).

HELP US CELEBRATE NPC'S 150TH BIRTHDAY IN 2027!

Do you enjoy planning parties and envisioning memorable events?

NPC will celebrate its 150th birthday in 2027, and we're seeking volunteers to lead the planning of one or more events throughout the year. The festivities will culminate in a church-wide celebration in September 2027.

Put your event-planning skills to work in service to NPC! To get involved, please contact Lindsay Lippman, chair of the Care of Members Ministry. Email: comworkspace@newlonsburgchurch.org.

FUTURE EVENTS

Save the date for this future event, so you don't miss out on the fun.

New Year's Brunch Potluck: Sunday, January 3, 2027, in Fellowship Hall, between worship services

THE ADVENT CANTATA WHERE SEASONAL SINGERS AND THE CHOIR UNITE

Rehearsals for Cantata '26 begin Thursdays, November 12th & 19th, and continue after Thanksgiving on December 3rd & 10th. The Cantata will be presented on Sunday, December 13th, with a Saturday dress rehearsal on December 12th at 10:00 a.m. You are invited and welcome to join other singers for this joyous event. Bring someone along with you. All are welcome! Bring your son or daughter, your mother or father, a neighbor or friend. (No pets, please, because they don't "sing" in tune.) Limited copies of the music are already available, but if more are needed, they need to be ordered ASAP. Talk to Bettie soon, and she will happily order more music for YOU.

WHAT IS STEPHEN MINISTRY?

Stephen Ministry is grounded in Jesus' command to love one another. Through one-to-one caring relationships, those who are hurting receive the love and care they need to support them.

- Is life more than you can handle alone right now?
- Is your health, your attitude, or your relationship suffering?
- Are you adjusting to a new job, change in marital status, a serious illness, the death of a loved one, or a recent move?
- Would you like to have someone in your life who really cares?

Everyone goes through difficult times. Having someone to care, to listen, to share God's love with you can help you get through the confusion, stress, or loneliness you may be experiencing.

What is a Stephen Minister? A Stephen Minister is…

- A child of God who walks beside a hurting person;
- A caring Christian friend who really listens;
- A lay person who has received 50 hours of training in how to provide distinctively Christian care.

A Stephen Minister is not…

- A counselor or therapist;
- A problem-solver;
- A casual visitor.

If anyone needs a Stephen minister, please contact Pastor Curtis. All Stephen Ministry communications are confidential.

HELP FIGHT HUNGER IN OUR COMMUNITY VIA BACKPACK TO GO PROGRAM

Students in our Franklin Regional community who are food insecure, at the parents' request, can receive discreet backpacks filled with food twice a month to support them on weekends when they have no access to the school's breakfast and/or lunch program.

Currently, there are 47 families enrolled in the program at the K-8th grade level (1 child is gluten-free, 1 is diabetic, and 2 have peanut allergies). Starting November 15th and throughout Advent 2026, we will be collecting the items noted below to help ensure this important need is met. A box will be located outside of the church office for your donations. Our Youth group will help sort the items and will deliver our donation to the FR Intermediate School, where groups of volunteers will pack the backpacks and distribute them as needed.



Support for the 17 high school students in the program is provided via $50 gift cards from Shop & Save instead of a backpack. If you would like to donate a gift card, please drop it off at the office with our secretary.

This initiative is a great way for our congregation to aid in reducing poverty in our community. If you have any questions, please contact Marsha Bayne or Joshua. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Food Items requested:

The school requests single-serve, non-breakable, and non-perishable food items that are light enough for a kindergartener to carry home and make themselves.

- Canned tuna
- Granola bars
- Single-serve cereal
- Instant Oatmeal
- Slim Jims
- Ritz Crackers
- Sandwich crackers
- Microwave Popcorn
- Fruit cups
- Applesauce
- 16 oz Peanut Butter
- 20 oz squeeze jelly
- Ramen noodles
- Knorr pasta sides
- Easy Mac and cheese (cups or packets)

NPC'S LEGACY ENDOWMENT FUND

If you've been thinking about remembering our church in your will – or making a special gift now to further Christ's ministry – we have good news: a gift to the Legacy Endowment Fund of Newlonsburg Presbyterian Church can provide for the needs of our church in perpetuity.

As early as the 1980s, several gifts were received for the long-term benefit of NPC. Since then, many others have not only given gifts for their annual support of the church but also helped maintain the church's ministry in the long term by giving to our Legacy Endowment. NPC's Legacy Endowment is made up of donations of gifts and bequests of "faithful stewards", both members and friends, to strengthen the ongoing work of the church. As we embrace our material blessings, we must accept the responsibility of God's gifts to us. These donors recognize the opportunity to give a lasting gift that continues giving long afterward; the investment returns magnify the impact of the original gift. Just as annual stewardship giving is the opportunity to return to God a portion of our annual income, contributions to the Legacy Endowment provide a means to share perpetual gifts that provide ongoing support of NPC's ministry.

Distributions from the Legacy Endowment Fund are used to support the mission of NPC and are budgeted annually by Session based upon the Fund's value. For example, a portion of the distribution was used for the recent roof replacement project, reducing the giving needed for this capital project. By policy, Legacy Endowment distributions are not used for annual Common Good expenses.

As Presbyterians, we celebrate our faith in many ways, including worship, mission, and sharing. Sharing our wealth, both spiritual and material, is one of the cornerstone principles of our Presbyterian heritage. Whenever you are doing long-range financial planning, please consider including NPC's Legacy Endowment in your estate plan – or a gift today. Questions? Please contact Pastor Curtis or a Stewardship & Finance Ministry member.

THE JOY OF GENEROSITY



Dear Friends in Christ,

When we gather in worship each week, we experience God's grace in action. We hear it in our music, see it in the smiles of our congregation, and feel it in the joys and concerns that we raise together in prayer. God has blessed our community in wonderful ways. These blessings encourage us to participate in the life-changing work of sharing what we have been given.

As we look ahead to the coming year, we invite you to reflect on a beautiful spiritual truth: the practice of **joyous giving**. True generosity is an act of joyful giving that flows from a grateful heart. As Corinthians 9:7 says, "Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." When we offer our resources back to God, resources become tools for God's work. Through sharing our time, talent, and treasure, we connect more deeply with our neighbors while strengthening our own faith. Please take time this week to pray about your financial commitment for the coming year. We ask that you reflect on God's abundant goodness and consider how you can help expand our mission.

How to Make Your Commitment:

- **Mail or In-Person**: You can return the commitment card (received in a separate mailing) by mail or to the church office.
- **Email**: You can email your commitment to giving@newlonsburgchurch.org.
- **Online**: You can make your commitment online at www.newlonsburgchurch.org/give
- **Scan QR Code**:

Please return your commitment card by **November 22nd** and join us in worship for Commitment Sunday. If you have any questions, please email giving@newlonsburgchurch.org or reach out to the Stewardship and Finance Ministry.

With gratitude and blessings,

Your Stewardship & Finance Committee, Newlonsburg Presbyterian Church

HUNGER OFFERING ON NOVEMBER 1ST TO HELP AREA FOOD PANTRY

Our November Hunger Offering will go to the "Feed the Flock Community Ministry" located at the New Salem Presbyterian Church in New Salem village, near Uniontown in Fayette County. As with so many other food banks all around our region, their food pantry is helping people in need of food in these challenging times. New Salem village is a small community very similar in size and history to Export, having been an active coal mining town.

Currently, approximately 60 families are served by the food pantry, which is a food distribution center for the Fayette County Community Action Agency. Regular food distributions occur on the 3rd Saturday of each month. Our Hunger Offering will help "Feed the Flock Community Ministry" purchase more food items each month for the families they assist, in order to supplement and make up for the decrease in food from the local food bank.

The church also provides an emergency food bank service, which is very similar to our NPC Murrysville Loaves and Fishes Emergency Food Pantry. Your generous contribution will help provide necessary assistance to hungry residents in this low-income community.

Our usual options are available to make your contribution: by check, online at our website, or by text.

Give by Check: Checks can be made out to "Newlonsburg Presbyterian Church" and mailed to 4600 Old William Penn Highway, Murrysville, PA 15668 or placed in the offering plate. Please include your envelope number and "hunger" on the memo line.

Give Online: https://onrealm.org/NewlonsburgPres/-/form/give/now or click the **Give** button on the website. You can select a specific fund or multiple funds when making your donation.

Give by Text: Text **NEWLONSBURG** to **73256**. You will receive a giving link and can then select a specific fund for your donation.

CROP HUNGER WALK REPORT – COMING SOON!

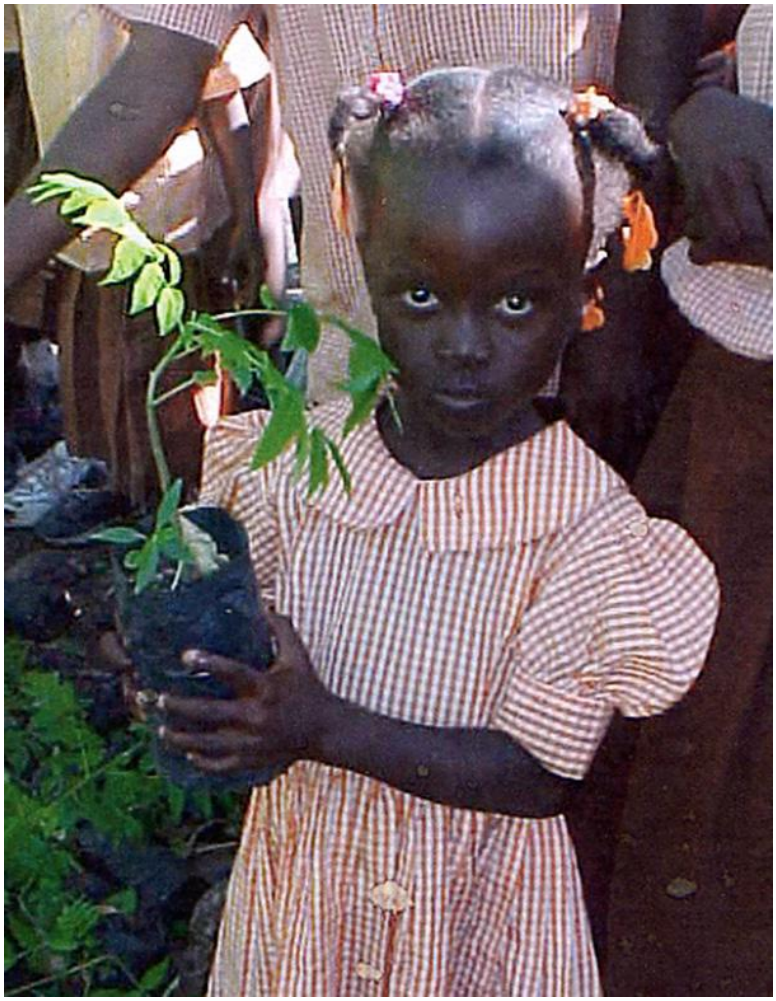
CROP HUNGER WALK
ENDING HUNGER ONE STEP AT A TIME

Since the Walk will be held on Sunday, October 11th, which is after the deadline for this November issue of the Good Newlonsburg, we won't have any results to share in this issue. Watch for details in October Sunday bulletins and a full story in the December issue of the Good Newlonsburg.

Walk coordinator, Roger Schneider, wishes to personally thank everyone who joined the NPC Walk team and all of those who made such generous contributions again this year. Many thanks to all!

Roger Schneider, Murrysville CROP Hunger Walk Coordinator and NPC Member

HAITI ALTERNATIVE GIFTS PROGRAM BEGINS NOVEMBER 29TH



Advent and the Christmas season are beginning soon, and our thoughts will turn to giving to our families, friends, and others. As in the past, we want to remember our mission partners at the New Testament Mission and schools in LaCroix, Haiti. The conditions in Haiti continue to be deplorable. YOU CAN HELP with these food distributions by participating in Haiti Gifts.

Beginning the first Sunday in Advent, November 29th, you can purchase a gift in the hallway near the office. After that, on December 6th, 13th, and 20th, Santa's elves will be in the narthex or outside Fellowship Hall where they can help you purchase your gift of food for Haiti. In turn, you will receive a card to send to someone announcing that you have purchased food in their name. Alternatively, during the week, there will be a table in the hallway near the office where you could purchase your gift.

We all have so much, and we need to show our gratefulness by sharing with others.

Roger Schneider, Newlonsburg Outreach

SALVATION ARMY BELLS WILL SOON BE RINGING!

THE SALVATION ARMY®

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This year we'll again be seeking NPC volunteers to spend a short 2-hour shift ringing a bell to encourage passers-by to drop a cash contribution into the traditional red kettle. A few hours spent at a kettle location can make a very big difference to a local family in need. As usual, we'll have volunteer locations around the community.

Current plans are for our first date to be Saturday, November 28th. Dates will then be available on the first three Fridays and Saturdays in December. Please contact Roger Schneider at 412-613-8470 any time of the day or early evening to volunteer. Your help will be most appreciated. As the Salvation Army motto states, you'll be "Doing the Most Good"!

Roger Schneider, Murrysville/Export Salvation Army Service Unit project coordinator and NPC member

ONLINE GIVING

Online donations are a great way to contribute to the Common Good Fund or any other funds (Haiti Kids, Hunger Offering, etc.) Donations can be set up for payment today, a date in the future, or set up recurring payments to one or multiple funds. Payments can be made with credit cards, debit cards, or by ACH transfers (direct bank transfers have the lowest processing fees). For more information, please contact giving@newlonsburgchurch.org. Online Giving Form: https://onrealm.org/NewlonsburgPres/give or click the GIVE button on the website.

BIRTHDAY GIFTS TO NPC ENDOWMENT

In Newlonsburg tradition, you can mark your birthday by donating $1 for each year to the Legacy Endowment —a way to celebrate Jesus in your life. Legacy Endowment contributions provide a means to share perpetual gifts that provide long-term support of NPC's ministry. Annual distributions from the Fund are allocated by Session to further NPC's mission. Happy Birthday! For more information, please contact giving@newlonsburgchurch.org. Online Giving Form: https://onrealm.org/NewlonsburgPres/give (select Legacy /Birthday Fund Accumulation)

Enjoy our Sunday YouTube service?

Be sure to **Like**, **Subscribe**, and **Turn on Notifications** so you never miss a worship service from Newlonsburg Presbyterian Church. Your engagement helps us share God's love and message with more people in our community and beyond. Thank you for being part of our online church family!

REALM CONNECT APP

Getting Started with Realm and the Realm Connect App

Realm is Newlonsburg's online portal to access a member directory, view and register for events, communicate with other members, give online and view giving records, schedule volunteer roles, share documents and messages for group activities, and receive news and announcements from NPC.

Realm Connect is accessible in both web and app versions. Once you establish a username and password, the login will work for either platform.

Each member is a user in the system and uses an individual email address for the login. You cannot have the same email for login purposes as another member.

Members with emails in the system will periodically receive Realm invitations via email. To request a Realm Connect Account:

https://onrealm.org/NewlonsburgPres/Account/Start

To Download the Realm Connect App

Realm Connect App

GET IT ON Google Play

Download on the App Store

Need more information?

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Information about access and features for Newlonsburg's Realm Connect App

Realm Connect Features

Directory

The searchable online directory contains all the information in the print directory plus you can call or message anyone with one click. Members can directly add and edit their email, phone numbers, addresses, and profile pictures.

Communications

Email, call, or text with one click from the directory. Have a discussion with a small group. The communications portal enables you to send photos and messages to one or a large group of members.

Events

You can view, register, and receive reminders for upcoming NPC events. You can also use mobile check in to sign into worship and other events.



Newsfeed

You can receive news, announcements, and notifications to always get the most up to date NPC information.

Volunteering

Learn about volunteer positions, get reminders about when you are scheduled to volunteer, and access your volunteer group's schedule.

Giving

Make a one-time gift to any NPC fund (common good fund, hunger offering, etc) or set up recurring donations. You can also view past gifts and print a copy of your current giving statement. For any questions about setting up online giving, please contact: giving@newlonsburgchurch.org.



Frequently asked Questions

Is my information secure?
Yes. Information is encrypted. For online gifts, Realm's payment processor complies with the highest level of security standards.

Do I have to download the app to participate in NPC events?
No. Realm is a tool to make staying connected and getting involved in activities/events easier. There will continue to be ways to access all aspects of NPC without Realm.

What if I forgot my password?
If you have a Realm account, but forgot your password, you can visit the main login page and request to reset the password:

How do I know when there is new information in the app?
You can turn on notifications to receive new updates from NPC and NPC members.

Can I give online without a Realm login?
Yes. You can make one-time gifts to any fund online without needing to log in. A login is only necessary for recurring gifts.

For additional questions, please contact:
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The Good Newlonsburg: November 2026

We are a Christ-centered community. In joyful response to Christ's love, we worship God, nurture disciples, accept all God's Children, and reach out in love and service to further the Kingdom of God.



The Good Newlonsburg:
A newsletter for the congregation and friends of NPC

Article Deadline for the December issue:
November 12th, 2026

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Ginny Rygg & Lindsey Berk, Financial Secretaries