



CCC REFLECTIONS


*Countryside Christian Community
200 Bellann Court, Annville, PA 17003*

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*"Always do your best.
What you plant now,
you will harvest later."*

Og Mandino



God blessed us with a lovely
and successful Fall Festival.

We wish to thank the many
who helped to make it a
success.

Making Apple Dumplings
Chicken Bar-B-Q
Food & Drink
Baked Goods
Mums & Fall Items
Gift Baskets
All Donations & Workers
Yard Sale Participants

Thank You! Thank You!

Thank You!

CCC Auxiliary

*A big thank you to everyone
who donated items for the
activity department yard sale
and to all the volunteers who
assisted with the set up,
sales and clean up. We could
not have done it without you!*



Mark your calendar for this upcoming event

*Countryside Christian Community
Holiday Bazaar*

*Saturday
November 19th*



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John's Jottings

by John Landis, Chaplain

The Holy Spirit

Jesus was trying to help his disciples to understand him in those closing hours of his life. John writes about Jesus' teaching during the last Passover in the Gospel of John (Chapters 13 through 17). He states in John 13:31 - 14:6, "Now is the Son of Man glorified and God is glorified in him." If God is glorified in him, God will glorify the Son in himself, and will glorify him at once. My children, I will be with you only a little longer. You will look for me, and as I told the Jews, so I tell you now; where I am going, you cannot come.

"A new command I give you: Love one another, as I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

Simon Peter asked him, "Lord, where are you going?"

Jesus replied, "Where I am going you cannot follow now, but you will follow later."

Peter asked, "Lord, why can't I follow you now? I will lay down my life for you."

Then Jesus answered, "Will you really lay down your life for me? I tell you the truth, before the rooster crows, you will disown me three times!"

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going."

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"

Jesus answered, "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

This is the beginning of what is called Jesus' Olivet Discourse. It covers four and one-half chapters. It is Jesus' last teaching before he is taken prisoner, tortured and nailed on the cross as a sacrifice for the sin(s) of all people for as long as time shall last. His chosen disciples who Jesus called, brothers, children and friends did not understand the purpose of Jesus coming into the world. They were concerned that Jesus would not fulfill his mission according to their understanding. To lose the presence of Jesus, as they had experienced him for the last three years, was incomprehensible. So Jesus takes time to teach more clearly his purpose in coming and how he would accomplish it. He'll teach them about the Way, the Truth and the Life as a real time experience in our lives.

O, the compassion and patience of Jesus in bringing his beloved disciples and us into his Father's house of provisions that are unending forever.

Do you really trust our Father and Jesus?



Please join us every Monday in the Multi-Purpose Room at 10:15am. John Landis will be leading a study on "Character Sketches" from the pages of scripture.

Korner

Karen Yingst, Dietary

Last month I related our challenges with the weather and trying to have our picnics outdoors but the September picnic was even more of a challenge. It was scheduled for September 8th, and there was not one nice weather day predicted for the week so we agreed that the picnic would have to be held indoors. The day of the picnic arrived and so did the rains of tropical storm Lee. Employees who lived north of the Swatara Creek could not get to work and those who lived south of the Quittie Creek had to find alternate routes. (One person from south Annville found a way via Quentin). Luckily, we had enough dietary staff available and were able to hold and enjoy our last picnic of the year. The theme was “camping” and these bars were one of the desserts.



S'mores Cookie Bars

- 2 cups all purpose flour
- 2 cups finely crushed graham cracker crumbs
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 2 sticks (1/2 lb.) butter, softened
- 1½ cups light brown sugar, packed
- 2 large eggs, beaten
- 2 cups (7 oz. jar) marshmallow crème
- 2 cups milk chocolate chips

Preheat oven to 350°. Line a 9 x 13 inch pan with foil, leaving a 2 inch overhang to make removal easier. Spray foil with cooking spray.

In large bowl combine flour, graham crumbs and baking powder. Beat (with mixer) butter and sugar until light (about 2 minutes). Beat in eggs until well combined. Reduce mixer speed and slowly beat flour mixture into butter mixture. Divide dough in half and press half into prepared pan. Spread with marshmallow crème and sprinkle chocolate chips on top. Break up remaining dough and scatter over top or drop small bits by a spoon. Flatten slightly. Marshmallow and chocolate does not need to be completely covered.

Bake until golden brown, 30 to 35 minutes. Cool completely. Remove from pan and peel off foil. Cut into 24 squares.



Welcome

New Residents

Betty WintersNursing. Room 48
Earl Forney Nursing. Room 22
Mildred Zimmerman Nursing. Room 45

We Remember

Ethel Dundore

Ethel was 80 years old
and lived at CCC
for one month.



Family and friends have our sincere condolences.

Betty Winters



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Employee's Birthdays

- 1 - Jennifer Grube
- 5 - William Eisenhour
- 13 - Lillie Herr
- 15 - Karen Sellers
- 18 - Frances Gibson
- 25 - Melinda Hitz

Resident's Birthdays

- 1 - Russell Smith
- 7 - Julia Shuey
- 20 - Harold Nissley



Birthdays

What's Keeping Us Busy?

Compiled by Susanna Varner, Activities

October Highlights

- 1 - Reminisce with us about the many inventions over the past 100 years during a **Life Time of Inventions** at **10:15am** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**.
- 1 - **Hard Times** will be singing country music for us at **2:00pm** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**.
- 2 - Service by the members of **Providence Mennonite Church** at **7:00pm** in the **Chapel**.
- 7 - Country Gospel music by **Echoes of Grace** at **10:00am** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**.
- 8 - **Die Schwadore Schale** (Swatara Sounds) will be singing a variety of songs for us in Pennsylvania Dutch at **2:00pm** in the **Chapel**.
- 9 - Gospel music will be sung by **Sonny and Audrey** at **2:00pm** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**.
- 10 - **Harmony of Praise** from Harmony Christian Fellowship will be singing for us at **6:30pm** in the **Chapel**.
- 14 - Vera Lynn Barry will be doing a **Spinning Wheel Demonstration** at **2:00pm** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**. She will be showing us the various fibers and articles of clothing that she has made.
- 15 - Colebrook United Christian Church is hosting the **Birthday Party** this month. Come and celebrate the October birthdays at **2:00pm** in the **Main Dining Room**.
- 20 - **Jay Smarr** will be playing his acoustic guitar for us at **10:15am** in the **Multi-Purpose Room**.
- 21 - **Joy Choir**, which consists of members from local churches, will be singing sacred music for us at **2:00pm** in the **Chapel**.
- 21 - Trivia Questions will be asked every hour between **8:30am** and **4:00pm** for **All Day Trivia**. You may only give one correct answer.
- 23 - **Reverend Williams** and the folks from Faith Fellowship Church will be providing a program of **Singing** for us at **2:00pm** in the **Chapel**.
- 25 - **Cottagers Meeting** will be held at **1:30pm** in the **Chapel**. Cottage residents, give your ideas, suggestions and comments to Michelle Whitman prior to the meeting.
- 28 - **Jonestown Bible Church** will be here for a sing-a-long and devotional at **10:00am** in the **Chapel**.
- 31 - Today is National Caramel Apple Day! Celebrate with us at our **Caramel Apple Party** at **2:00pm** in the **Main Dining Room**.

October Motor Tours

- 6 - Countryside Drive; 10:00am
Personal Care and Cottage
- 7 - Lunch at Top of the 80's Restaurant,
West Hazelton; 11:00am
Personal Care and Cottage
- 13 - Countryside Drive; 10:00am
Nursing
- 26 - Lunch at Funck's Family Restaurant
in Palmyra; 11:45am, Nursing

Please sign up for these trips at the business office.



Wednesday Evening Services, 7:00pm

- 5 - Prayer Meeting with Colebrook UCC; 7:00pm
- 12 - Prayer Meeting with Newmanstown UCC; 7:00pm
- 19 - Prayer Meeting with Manada UCC; 7:00pm
- 26 - Prayer Meeting with Annville UCC; 7:00pm

These services will be held in the Chapel.

Arthritis Exercise Class Schedule

Multi-Purpose Room

12:45pm



Thursday, October 6th

Thursday, October 13th

Thursday, October 20th

Thursday, October 27th

Occupancy Availability

Cottage

2 bedroom
w/basement & garage

If interested, call 867-4636
for more information.



Activities Wish List

Gospel Music CDs

Electric Fry Pan
(in good condition)

If you have any of the above
items that you would like to
donate, please contact:

Susanna Varner
867-4636



Principle of the Month

*The opportunity to serve
others in a Christ-like way
should be considered
as service to God.*

1 Corinthians 10:31; Colossians 3:17, 23;

Romans 12:1, 14:7-8;

and Ephesians 6:7



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Facts About October



Columbus landed in America, October 12, 1492

White House cornerstone was laid, October 13, 1792

First transcontinental telegram sent, October 24, 1861

Nevada became the 36th state, October 31, 1864

The United States flag was formally raised over Alaska, October 18, 1867

Chicago fire began, and burned for about 30 hours, October 8, 1871

Thomas Edison began first successful demonstration of his electric light, October 19, 1879

Statue of Liberty dedicated, October 28, 1886

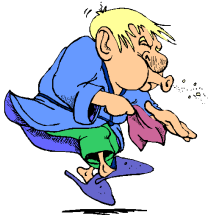
Free rural delivery of mail began in the United States, October 1, 1896

First "Model T" Ford put on the market, October 1, 1908

Blackest day in stock market history, October 29, 1929

President Harry S. Truman made the first presidential telecast address from the White House, October 5, 1947

Comedian Steve Allen died from a heart attack in the home of his son on October 31, 2000



Flu Shot Reminder

Flu shots will be given
in mid-October

Nursing Residents require a signed permission slip either from their Power of Attorney (POA) or the residents themselves.

Personal Care & Cottagers - Flu shots will be given by the personal care nurse.

Staff Members - Watch for the sign up sheet at the time clocks. Your flu shot will be given after the residents have received theirs.

Medicare D

Medicare D (Medicare's RX insurance) has changed the open enrollment period from
November 15th - December 31st

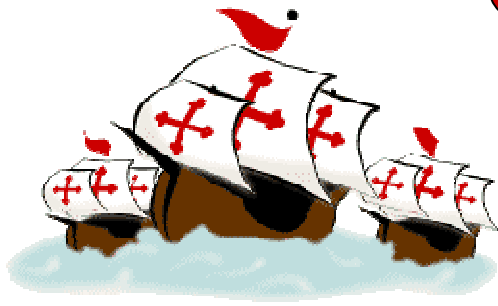
to

October 15th - December 7th

Because insurance companies often change their rates during open enrollment, Power of Attorneys and Social Services may "possibly" need to switch plans for Medical Assistance (MA) residents. Non-MA nursing home residents can switch plans outside of open enrollment. Persons not in a nursing home will **only** have this period to switch plans if they desire to do so. For help in finding the best RX plan, Call Medicare at:

1-800- Medicare

Have your medication bottles handy when you call.



Columbus Discovers America

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SANTAMARIA
SCURVY
SHIPS
SPAIN
VOYAGE

ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

October 2011



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
KEY: CH - Chapel ATR - Activity Therapy Room CL - Country Lounge PAV - Pavilion	MPRW- Multi-Purpose Room West GP - The Gathering Place MDR - Main Dining Room	DAILY: 8:30 Devotions 9:30 Exercise MDR	Word Search Hand Out Every Wednesday		<i>Celebrate National Inventions Month</i>	10:15 A Life Time of Inventions MPRW 2:00 Hard Times MPRW 4:00 Scripture Reading GP 7:00 Lawrence Welk GP
2 9:00 Sunday School CH Leon Dailey 7:00 Providence Mennonite Church CH	3 10:15 Bible Study MPRW 1:45 Singspiration CL 4:00 Balloon Volleyball GP	4 10:15 Pumpkin Bingo MPRW 2:00 Bocce MPRW 4:00 Song Time GP 	5 10:15 Music Hour GP 2:00 Wheel of Fortune MPRW 4:00 Parachute GP 7:00 Colebrook UCC - CH	6 10:00 Countryside Drive PC & Cottage 10:15 We Remember GP 12:45 Arthritis Class MPRW 2:00 Coffee Cart - Nursing 2:30 Coffee Cart - PC 4:00 Read & Reminisce GP	7 10:00 Echoes of Grace MPRW 11:00 Out to Lunch PC & Cottagers 2:00 Hillbilly Golf MPRW 4:00 Kick Ball GP	8 10:15 Table Top Games MPRW 2:00 Die Schwadore Schale CH 4:00 Scripture Reading GP 7:00 Lawrence Welk GP
9 9:00 Sunday School CH Ken Sellers 2:00 Singing by Sonny and Audrey MPRW 	COLUMBUS DAY 10 10:15 Bible Study MPRW 1:00 Helping Hands ATR 1:45 Singspiration CL 4:00 Table Ball GP 6:30 Harmony of Praise CH	FULL MOON 11 10:15 Bingo MPRW 2:00 Shake Loose a Memory MPRW 4:00 Rhythm Band GP	12 10:15 Music Hour GP 2:00 Bowling MPRW 4:00 Parachute GP 7:00 Newmanstown UCC CH	13 10:15 Trivia Time MPRW 10:00 Countryside Drive Nursing 12:45 Arthritis Class MPRW 2:00 Coffee Cart - Nursing 2:30 Coffee Cart - PC 4:00 Amusing Morsels GP	14 10:00 Poetry Hour MPRW 10:15 Morning Manicures GP 2:00 Spinning Wheel Demonstration MPRW 4:00 Kick Ball GP	15 10:15 Country Folk Gathering MPRW 2:00 Birthday Party MDR 4:00 Scripture Reading GP 7:00 Lawrence Welk GP
16 9:00 Sunday School CH Greg Keller 2:00 Gospel Music Video GP	17 10:15 Bible Study MPRW 11:30 Out to Lunch PC & Cottage 1:45 Singspiration CL 4:00 Balloon Volleyball GP	18 10:15 Apple Bingo MPRW 2:00 Grab Bag Game MPRW 4:00 Song Time GP	19 10:15 Music Hour GP 2:00 Bocce MPRW 4:00 Parachute GP 7:00 Manada UCC - CH 	20 10:15 Guitar Music by Jay Smarr MPRW 12:45 Arthritis Class MPRW 2:00 Coffee Cart - Nursing 2:30 Coffee Cart - PC 4:00 Read & Reminisce GP	ALL DAY TRIVIA 21 10:00 Story Telling with John Landis MPRW 2:00 Joy Choir CH 4:00 Kick Ball GP 7:00 Union Deposit Singers Halls	22 10:15 Jeopardy MPRW 2:00 Hillbilly Golf MPRW 4:00 Scripture Reading GP 7:00 Lawrence Welk GP
23 9:00 Sunday School CH Charles Brown 2:00 Hymn Sing with Faith Fellowship Church CH	24 10:15 Bible Study MPRW 1:00 Helping Hands ATR 1:45 Singspiration CL 4:00 Table Ball GP	25 10:15 Bingo MPRW 1:30 Cottagers Meeting CH 2:00 Noodle Volleyball MPRW 4:00 Song Time GP	26 10:15 Music Hour GP 11:45 Out to Lunch Nursing 2:00 Bible Trivia MPRW 4:00 Parachute GP 7:00 Annville UCC- CH	27 10:15 Table Top Games MPRW 10:15 Refreshing Moments GP 12:45 Arthritis Class MPRW 2:00 Coffee Cart - Nursing 2:30 Coffee Cart - PC 4:00 Read & Reminisce GP	28 10:00 Jonestown Bible Church CH 2:00 Make Pencil Holders MPRW 4:00 Kick Ball GP 	NATIONAL CAT DAY 29 10:15 All About Cats MPRW 2:00 Chicken Soup for the Cat Lovers Soul MPRW 4:00 Scripture Reading GP 7:00 Lawrence Welk GP
30 9:00 Sunday School CH Larry Shuey 7:00 North Annville Bible Church CH	NATIONAL CARMEL APPLE DAY 31 10:15 Bible Study MPRW 2:00 Caramel Apple Party MDR 4:00 Balloon Volleyball GP					