

# This Week @ Mt. Nittany

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
<b>Sunday</b> <b>25</b>	8:30 am <b>Worship</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	9:45 am <b>Education</b>	<b>Various Rooms</b>
	11:00 am <b>Contemporary Worship Experience</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	6:00 pm <b>Bells</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
<b>Monday</b> <b>26</b>	6:00 pm Quilting	Choir Room
	7:00 pm SAM Mtg.	Copier Rm
	7:00 pm Trustees	Board Room
	7:30 pm Worship Committee	Pastor's office
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>27</b>	8:00 am Census Training	Choir Room
	1:00 pm Staff Meeting	Pastor's Office
	6:00 pm Leadership Team	Copier Room
	7:00 pm SPRC	Copier Room
	7:00 pm Trustees	Board Room
	7:00 pm Boy Scouts Trp#367	FLC
	7:00 pm Girl Scouts #1884	Room 204
	7:00 pm Bible Study	Off-site
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>28</b>	8:00 am Census Training	Choir Room
	6:30 pm Praise Band	Sanctuary
	7:00 pm Healing Arms Group	Youth Room
	7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
<b>Thursday</b> <b>29</b>	8:00 am Census Training	Choir Room
	10:00 am Bible Study	Board Room
	7:00 pm Clemons Meeting	Board Room
	8:30 pm Volleyball	FLC
<b>Friday</b> <b>30</b>	8:00 am Census Training	Choir Room
	6:00 pm Youth Hang Time	FLC
<b>Saturday</b> <b>5-1</b>	No Events Scheduled	



\*Names in Bold print indicate new additions this week

Allen Wolford	Gertrude Rodgers	Bob Shevchik
Betty Wolford	Betty Crouse	Ian Ingram
Nathan Fleagle	Sue Dykes	Betty Jeffers
Carol Booher	Partenheimer family	Elaine Wickersham
<b>JOAN LASSMAN and family</b>	<b>PAUL MARTIN Sr.</b>	<b>KIM CLOUSER &amp; Family</b>
<b>SHARON BARGO</b>		



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**Rev. Dr. Pamela Ford, State College District Superintendent**  
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# JOURNEY into new life

<u>WE GATHER</u>		
PRELUDE	"And Can It Be"	Parks (1984)
GREETING AND PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP		
OPENING PRAYER		
OPENING HYMN	"Open Our Eyes"	# 2086
<u>WE HEAR AND PROCLAIM</u>		
FOCUS SCRIPTURE	John 11:1-37(NIV)	# 944
MUSIC MEDITATION		
	8:30 a.m.	
	11:00 a.m.	"In The Calm" Sanctuary Choir
ASSEMBLY TIME	"Not there yet"	
PREPARATORY HYMN	"Jesus' Hands"	#273
MESSAGE	"Journey through Belief"	
<u>WE RESPOND</u>		
OUR OFFERINGS		
	The Collection	
	Offertory	"Cantabile" Beethoven (1770-1827)
	Doxology	"Easter People" # 304, v.1
OUR PRAYERS		
<u>WE GO TO SERVE</u>		
CLOSING HYMN	"Because He Lives"	#364
BENEDICTION		
BIDING HYMN	"Thine Be The Glory"	# 308, v.1
POSTLUDE	"Sun of My Soul"	Price (1969)

**MT. NITTANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
APRIL 25, 2010**



We are blessed by your presence here! Welcome to this time of worship.

Today we begin our discussion on living into the future. Those disciples who witnessed the crucifixion of Christ also bore witness to the resurrection and it forever changed their lives.

As we journeyed together through Lent, we discussed how we establish or repair relationships using the analogy of bridge building. Now, the bridge has been built and we must cross over it into the world that Christ has designed just for us. Our first step in that journey is a belief of what has been shared in scripture and by common experience is indeed true and able to guide and direct us through life.

**May God bless us as we worship together in His Holy Temple!**

Sermon Notes:

Handwritten lines for sermon notes.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Visitors...We are blessed by your presence with us today! We ask that you take a moment to complete a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate during our morning offering.**

**Difficulty hearing? To enhance your worship experience with us, we want you to know that we have audio enhancement equipment available, just ask our Sound System Attendants.**

**MISSION FOCUS:** for Humanity of Greater Centre County (HFHGCC) works in partnership with God and our communities to build simple, decent, affordable houses for qualified families in need of adequate shelter. Habitat for Humanity of Greater Centre County is a nonprofit, nondenominational housing ministry. Habitat welcomes all people regardless of race, religion, ethnicity or any other difference—to build simple, decent, affordable houses with those who lack adequate shelter.



**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** ...Thursday mornings @ 10 a.m. in the Board Room. Our new study Pricilla Shirer's *Discerning the Voice of God* runs thru May 27th. We welcome you to join with us as we get into God's word each week. Talk with Andrea Grazzini if you have any questions.

**LADIES SPRING BANQUET** - Saturday, May 8, Dinner at 6pm followed at 7 pm with a program. Tickets are \$7 (children under 12 eat free) See Dawn Woodruff or Andrea Grazzini.



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP A PARISHONER MOVE** from State College to Johnstown area. If you can assist, please contact Jerry Park for details.

**PRAYER ROOM** Please know that our prayer room is open after each service for you to pray or to have someone pray with you for your needs.

**MEMBERSHIP 101** Classes begin today in the FLC. (9:45 am) Please see Pastor Howard for more information

**FOOD BANK DONATIONS:** Your help with these items is greatly appreciated: Church contact: *Roger Wurst*  
\*Grocery store Gift Cards - any denomination is appreciated.  
\*Canned tuna or chicken; \*Canned chile or pasta;  
\*Pasta and pasta sauces; \*Canned corn and carrots;  
\*Canned broth; \*Laundry & dish detergent; \*Ketchup;  
\*Muffin or Quickbread mixes.

Your donations can be placed in the Food Bins next to the Family Life Center (Sanctuary side)

**LOCAL FOOD DRIVE:** Saturday May 8th Letter Carriers will be collecting your non-perishable donations placed in a bag beside your mailbox. Delivery will be made to your local food bank.

**Young Adult Cookout May 9th @ 1:00pm** If you consider yourself a young adult, be it single or married, with kids, without kids or expecting, you're invited to a cookout at Shane & Mel's house to get to know some other young adults within our church family! Talk to Shane for more details.

**Father's Day Banquet** for all men age newborn to 100+ Steak dinner - June 17 6:30pm-8:30pm Tickets \$7  
Contact persons Andrea Grazzini or Dawn Woodruff

**Peanut Butter Eggs Money:** If you have not done so, please turn in your egg money to Wendy Franklin as soon as possible so a report can be submitted. Thank you all for your help during this project.

Dear Friends at Mt Nittany Church,  
*Thank You!* Thank you so much for your prayers and caring during this difficult time of my husband (Earl) passing. Your support means a lot to me and my family. Also thanks for the Easter basket. *Fondly, Kay Partenheimer and family*

Dear Friends, Thank you so much for the Easter basket you gave me. I appreciated it very much. I miss seeing all of you. I am doing well. *Love Bea Simco*

**GOSPEL BLUEGRASS Concert**—Friday, May 14th from 7-9 pm in the FLC. Cost of \$5 admission benefits the Food Bank and Youth Service Bureau. Contact Ron Strapel for details.