

REDEEMER E-BLAST

SEPTEMBER 28, 2018



Parish Wide Picnic

This Sunday the 30th at Round Top Park in Athens. At the conclusion of Sunday school we will meet at pavilion #5 for worship, games, and a potluck picnic. Please bring: your own table service, your drinks and a dish to pass. Hot dogs will be provided while supplies last! Our only worship service on Sunday will be at Round Top



KEEPING OUR BUILDING SAFE

It is becoming increasingly (and frighteningly) common to find our building unlocked. If you have a key and you access the building, please check the affected door and make sure it is locked. If you cannot lock it, please call pastor Melinda at (703) 927-6159. Latest examples include: Sunday, September 16th between 12:15 and 4:00pm outside doors and doors to the atrium propped open. Sometime between noon, Thursday, September 20th and Friday morning at 8:00, main doors unlocked. Sometime between noon on Friday and 4:30 pm on Saturday, September 22nd front doors unlocked. PLEASE let's look after one another, and keep our building secure (and locked!)



Using our easement through 105 Park

Avenue Driveway: If you are loading/unloading for a special event, such as St. Mary's Rummage sale. PLEASE use care when entering and exiting our neighbors' driveway. It is a source of irritation for them to have us park on their grass (or even overhang it). They also prefer us to NOT turn around in the parking area near their carriage house. There should be enough room in our easement to do a K-turn. Your cooperation helps us maintain good relationships with our neighbor.



Join us for a mission opportunity to impact hunger.

A food packaging event.

Coordinated by “Rise Against Hunger”

On Saturday, September 29th from 12:30pm-3:00pm at

Sayre Christian Church

475 South Keystone Ave. Sayre, PA 18840

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

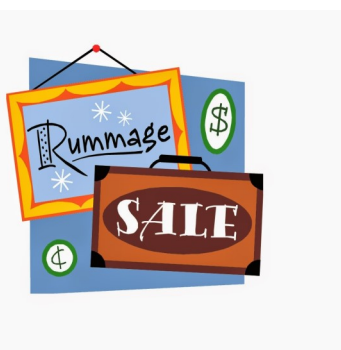
Call (570) 888-2683



St. Mary's Guild will meet on Tuesday, October 2nd at 7 p.m. The main agenda will be finalizing plans for The Fall Fair with co-chairs Rose Carpenter and Amy Murrelle. At this same meeting, we will also be enjoying a Trivia night, the questions to be centered around our Church of the Redeemer. This promises to be great fun for all!

Fall Faire Crafting

On Wednesday October 4th @ 9:30am we will be meeting in the conference room to put our creativity to work once again. If you would like to contribute your time and talent please join us.



St. Mary's Guild Rummage Sale October 5 from 9am-4pm and 6 from 8am-noon. Set up will be on Thurs. from 9am.-2pm. We need men and women to help set up please. There will be a clip board passed at the Parish picnic with a sign-up sheet for those that wish to help.



CHOIR REHEARSALS resume Sunday October 7th at 10:15 a.m. Please note the change in time and day. Anyone interested in leading the congregation in the hymns and service music are invited to gather before the service to review the music. See Marcella Chaykosky if you are willing to provide an instrumental offering or sing as part of a duet, trio or quartet.



October 7th Blessing of the Animals will occur as part of the Church of the Redeemer worship service at 11:00. At 1:30 PM at St. John, our combined Youth Groups will assist at a Blessing of the Animals near the playground. Additionally, as part of "God's work, Our hands" we will be collecting supplies for local animal shelters. Needed items include bleach, old towels & blankets, non-clumping kitty litter, Pedigree dry and canned dog/puppy food, Purina dry cat/kitten food, Friskees pate canned cat/kitten food, laundry/dish detergent.