



June 2020

Hayshire United Church of Christ

What Does Going Yellow Mean For Hayshire?

Now that Gov. Wolf has deemed York County to move into the “Yellow Stage”, Council, along with Worship Committee have evaluated what this would mean for us to worship together physically, once again. We also seriously considered all of the expectations that Penn Central Conference has issued. To summarize these expectations:

1. In service worship would be limited to 25 people total in the sanctuary, all wearing masks, social distancing, and using every other pew.
2. Bibles and hymnals would be removed from the pews.
3. No Choir singing, and it is not recommended we return our choir until a vaccine is available.
4. Laine may continue to provide music, and a soloist would be acceptable. The congregation should not be singing.
5. No passing of the offering plate; one plate could be provided at the rear of the sanctuary.
6. No Children’s Time with Pastor Brenda, and the Nursery would not be available.
7. Bulletins would just be placed in the pew for you, and you would be expected to take it with you.
8. Communion could not be available as usual, and we would need to be creative to adjust to a new means of Communing.
9. Only one door would be designated as an Entrance, and the other door an Exit.
10. Pastor Brenda would need to dismiss one pew at a time, and no congregating or socializing would be permitted, either before or after the service.

Considering all of these restrictions, your Council and Worship Committee have decided to continue our Zoom Worship experience thru June 28. We are hopeful that York County and all of Pennsylvania will be in the “Green Phase” by then, and allow us to return to a more normal Worship experience.

We want to express our special appreciation to Ethan Knaub for his great skill in managing our Zoom Worship experience, and to Laine for her ongoing music talent, and mask-making skill which has raised a considerable amount of money for Hayshire.

A special “Thank You” to Pastor Brenda for her adaptability in continuing our Worship Service in this new way. And keeping us all connected during this difficult time.

For now thru the end of June, we encourage everyone to continue buying grocery cards for yourselves or others, and continue our donations to the Northeastern Food Bank. Dawn will continue to be in the office on a limited basis as needed, so a phone call for an appointment is recommended if you want grocery cards, or have any other need for office contact.

Pastor Brenda continues to be available either by leaving a message on the office phone, or on her cell phone, her cell phone is quickest.

So, until we can all be together again, keep safe, and healthy. Please contact any Council Member if you have questions or concerns about our decision, or plans for the future.

Scott Shue
JoAnn Stoner



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- 1 • Sarah Dowell
- 1 • Ryan Kohr
- 6 • Cooper Nguyen
- 7 • Michelle Cunningham
- 10 • Barbara Kottmyer
- 12 • Cathy Hildebrand
- 14 • Mary Hoffman
- 14 • Drew Snyder
- 15 • John Strausbaugh
- 17 • Wade Hetrick
- 18 • Angelia Baughman
- 19 • AunaLeiha Land
- 19 • Sandra Newman
- 20 • Beth Nixdorf
- 23 • Joy Simmons
- 24 • Christine Daniels
- 26 • Eugene Dellinger
- 26 • Marci Roth
- 26 • Larry Slenker
- 26 • Rebecca Weist
- 27 • Kenneth Darone
- 27 • Matthew Sipe



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- 8 • Michael & Shonna Rupert
- 8 • Bob & Kim Shultz
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- 13 • Nick & Christine Daniels
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- 16 • Bob & Kay Rigel
- 19 • Nick & Ashley Donnelly
- 29 • Jeff & Sue Herman
- 29 • Freed & Barb Kottmyer

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As I am sure we are all doing a little more on-line shopping these days, don't forget to use Smile.Amazon when you making your next purchase.

All you need to do is go to **smile.amazon.com** to get started.

On the first screen, underneath the search feature click the **supporting** tab. It will ask you to choose who you would like to support. Type in **Hayshire United Church of Christ**—then click select.

It's as easy as that. Then .5% of your eligible purchase will be given to Hayshire.

Another great way to give without dipping into your pockets.

Pastoral Reflections . . .

Happy June everyone! Summer is finally here, and the weather is starting to even reflect that. Many of us are planting gardens again, and we are including veggies in with our flowers this year. Here at the church, we are starting a community garden, as you read in last month's Haylo. This would help our congregants as well as our neighbors who are food insecure or looking for some fresh produce.

So.....what are you planting this year?

How is your garden growing?

Gardens are a great way for us to re-learn patience. Yes, there's that "P" word that we all cringe at when we hear it mentioned. Patience is one of the fruits of the spirit that we all wish we had, and one that we recognize we need to work on. Gardening helps.

Whether you plant your garden from seed or whether you start it off with seedling plants you pick up at one of the local greenhouses, it takes time to see them grow.

Gardening is also an act of love. We carefully place our seeds or baby plants in the prepared ground, we faithfully water them regularly and check on their progress, and maybe we even talk to our plants – praise them for how well they are growing. And we even dream about what we will make with our harvest once it comes.

It still takes time and patience for us to see the benefits, the fruits – or veggies – of our labors. Farmers have known this for years. Life is a cycle of hurry up and do, then wait for nature to take its course. We seem to forget about that.

Relationships are a lot like gardening. It takes time and attention to make them grow and flourish. They take tons of patience – with each other and with ourselves. And we all need and flourish from extra attention, affirmation, and loving support.

One of the benefits of the COVID-19 quarantine has been a time of slowing down and allowing our focus to shift from work and other activities to people, home, health, and wholeness.

In our slowing down, we have been able to do some of the things we have been wanting to do, some of the things we struggle to find time to fit in

between running to work, sports, kids' activities, the gym, vacations, and church. This time has also been one of reaching out and reconnecting with folks we haven't heard from in a while. We are able to spend time doing things with one another that we don't always make time for – long walks, playing games, etc. It has been a time of memory-making with our families. How we choose to spend the time together will shape what we see when we look back upon this period in our lives. Will we have good memories of fun times together, or will we only think of fear, frustration, etc.

Gardening and building relationships have a lot in common. Both need a lot of attention, nurture, care, and even some "just letting them be" in order for things to flourish. And right now, with time, love, and patience, we are seeing the fruits of renewal and growth all around us.

With the loosening of our pandemic restrictions, may we never let go of, or take for granted, the fruits we have created for ourselves and others. May we continue to nurture them so they may bring us joy for weeks, months, and years to come.

Blessings and peace,

Pastor Brenda



COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- We are looking into the requirements to be able to hold service at church again.
- Contact Sally if you are interested in helping with a garden.

Special Congratulations to our 2020 Graduates

Isaac Eck will graduate from Liberty University. He has been accepted into the Marines' Officer Training School. Isaac is the grandson of JoAnn & Bob Stoner.



Riland Lee Hoke, will graduate from Central York High School. Riland is the grandparent of Kermit & Beverly Hoke and son of Janet Hoke and Michael McCardle.

Megan Jones will graduate from Nazareth Area High School. She will be attending Kutztown University majoring in Early Childhood Education. Megan is the niece of Charlie & Kori Eisenhart.

Chelsea McNeal will graduate from State University of New York (SUNY) - Morrisville with a Bachelor of Science degree in equine studies specialty in breeding. She is pursuing her Vet Tech license on-line and will continue to work with various breeds of animals. Chelsea is Pastor Brenda's niece.



How Does Your Garden Grow

The community garden needs your help. We are going to start simple for our first garden. Here are a few vegetables we need along with several companion plants to help them grow.

Cucumber —chamomile, coriander, dill, nasturtium, oregano, radishes, sunflowers

Tomatoes —basil (sweet), borage, chives, nasturtium, oregano, sage

Squash/Zucchini —chamomile, coriander, dill, nasturtium, oregano, radishes, sunflowers

Sally Dietz currently has 3 tomatoes, 2 sweet peppers, 2 zucchini, 1 sweet basil, 1 chamomile, 2 oregano, and a flat of marigolds to get us started. Marigolds help keep out unwanted visitors and the "free buffet" closed until it is time to harvest.

We need these plants as soon as possible to get them in the ground. If you have any questions, please reach out to Sally.



Healthy Steps in Motion

The York County Area Agency on Aging is offering A Fall Reduction program this summer to all 60+ years of age. This free program will run from July 14-August 6. Class will be held on Tuesday and Thursday from 10-11AM in our fellowship hall.

This program will offer exercise basics, safety, setting goals and strength training tips. Each participant will complete exercises to build strength, stability and balance and take a functional assessment plus so much more.

If you would like to attend this program, please contact the church office to register. There will be a limited class size so don't wait to register.

Grocery Cards

Just a reminder that even though the church is not operating at full compacity we are still selling grocery cards for those that wish to purchase them. Please give the office a call to order and to schedule time for you to pick up order cards. Have your check or cash ready and we will meet you at the door with your order.

Church Office Hours

The church office is opened on an as needed basis at this time. We will notify you once when we are planning to resume regular hours. If you need to reach Dawn, please call and leave her a message or email her. If you have an emergency or wish to speak to Pastor Brenda, please call her cell #717-521-6469.



We invite you to a Zoom meeting so that you can experience the first ever Virtual Messy Church from Hayshire UCC. This abbreviated version of our traditional Messy Church event, will include crafts, storytelling, singing, food and more. As part of this event we will be providing a supply kit that can be picked up at the church on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday, June 16th-18th, 6-6:30pm. Join us for the FUN.

Join Zoom Meeting

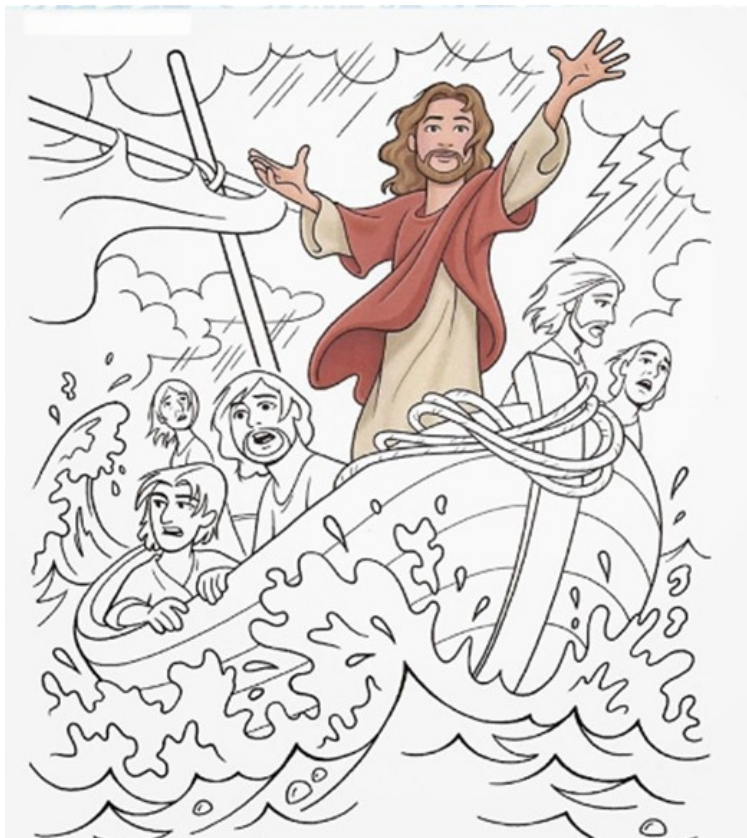
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2nd half of 2020 Schedule of Events

August 22	2nd Annual Car Show 11AM
August 29	Rain date—Car Show
August 29	PCC Annual Meeting
September 13	Outdoor Worship & BBQ 10:30AM
September 18	Messy Church 6-7:30PM
October 16	Messy Church 6-7:30PM
October 24	Annual Church Bazaar 9AM -3PM
October 31	Trunk 'r Treat 6PM
November 1	All Saint's Day
November 13	Messy Church 6-7:30PM
November 26	Thanksgiving Dinner 12Noon
December 5	Cookies with Santa 4PM
December 11	Messy Church 6-7:30PM
December 24	Christmas Eve Service (Music 7:30/Serv. 8PM)



Jesus Calms the Storm

Making a Difference

Over these last few weeks, the Hayshire Family has come together and has sent in over \$1,480 to the Northeastern Food Pantry. It is amazing to see the compassion our Hayshire Family has for others.

The Food Pantry has remained open to serve anyone in our area who is in need of help during these difficult times and your generosity is helping them do just that.

Keep the offerings coming as we continue supporting such a vital mission.

Thank you.



Feeding the Community



MONTHLY SCRIPTURE

June 7, 2020

Trinity Sunday

Genesis 1:1-2:4a

Psalms 8

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Matthew 28:16-20

June 14, 2020

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 18:1-15, (21:1-7) and Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19

Exodus 19:2-8a and Psalm 100

Romans 5:1-8

Matthew 9:35-10:8, (9-23)

June 21, 2020

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 21:8-21 and Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17

Jeremiah 20:7-13 and Psalm 69:7-10, (11-15), 16-18

Romans 6:1b-11

Matthew 10:24-39

June 28, 2020

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 22:1-14

Jeremiah 28:5-9 and Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

Romans 6:12-23

Matthew 10:40-42

Worship News

Come join us as we break bread together by celebrating communion.

July 5, Aug 2, Sept 6



Prayer provides a sense of hope and meaning - the certainty that we are part of a pattern that is purposeful and intelligent.

Larry Dossey, M.D.



UPCOMING EVENTS

June 19

Messy Church via ZOOM

6-7PM

Worship via Zoom and Conference Call

Worship will continue via Zoom (video) and conference through June 28th. More info to follow soon. Thank you for your patience.

Please continue to watch for email, mail and Haylo updates as plans unfold.

Council will notify everyone at least one week before we resume in-person worship.

Worship Time Change

A reminder that worship will start at 10AM beginning June 14!

Both Adult Bible Study and Youth Faith Time will resume in September when we go back to the 10:30AM time of worship.



"It's a pickle jar, Tom... Twist the lid, not scripture."



CALENDAR //June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Pastor Parish 5:30PM	3	4	5	6
7	8 Council Meeting 6PM	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19 Messy Church via ZOOM 6-7:30PM	20
21 Father's Day	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Open and Affirming Sunday	29	30				



WORSHIP SUPPORT //June

*Due to worship services being held via zoom and conference call, no volunteers are needed and altar flowers will not be ordered.

	June 7	June 14	June 21	June 28
Worship Leaders				
Greeters				
Nursery				
Bulletin Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor
Altar Flower Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor	* Be a Sponsor
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