

# THE PINE NEEDLE

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**Serving with Grace – February 2012**  
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## WHY VISIONING? AREN'T WE DOING ENOUGH?

As I write this, we are a week away from the Church Council's Visioning Retreat. My deep-down feeling is that this day will be just the beginning of a process of bringing the ministry of Pine Street UMC into sharper focus.

My best hope is that, by the time you read this, the staff and Council will have connected with the "heart" of our congregation! We will have attempted to prayerfully discern why God has placed us in ministry at 441 Pine Street in 2012 and asked God to guide us in our next faithful steps.

Visioning is not necessarily about planning to do more, but about discerning those ministries in which we will focus. Visioning often results in a congregation's deciding to do a few things with excellence rather than accomplishing many things that bear less fruit. Visioning saves a congregation from random busy-ness by creating a single focus which all may embrace. Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. This mission does not change. Vision is revised from time to time and answers the question of "how" we will make disciples of Jesus Christ.

When a church's vision is clear, all leaders, committees, staff, members, and other resources are accountable to that vision. I think of the movie "Drumline" with its memorable line: ONE BAND, ONE SOUND! A congregation with a clear vision is like that! One band of believers making a unified "sound." That "sound" will distinguish this congregation's ministry from that of the dozens of other congregations in our community. Resources will undergird the vision, rather than being scattered in too many directions. Vision can help a congregation move from doing *good* things to doing the *best* things!

Stay tuned, and remain in prayer for God to move in a powerful way through the leaders and members of Pine Street UMC!

Grace and peace—

Pastor Pam

**Witnessing to our faith and serving Christ from Pine Street for 186 years!**

## FEBRUARY WORSHIP AT PINE STREET

In celebration of Black History Month, we will lift up spiritual leaders of the Black church tradition and experience music from this part of our heritage.

- February 5: Communion in the pews  
"What's at Stake?"  
I Corinthians 9:16-23
- February 12: "Through It All:  
The Truth about Grief"  
Psalm 30
- February 19: Transfiguration Sunday  
Adam Miller preaching  
2 Corinthians 4:3-6; Mark 9:2-9
- February 22: Ash Wednesday at 7 PM  
Communion at the altar  
with the Imposition of Ashes
- February 26: Lent 1  
"Monkey Bars in the Desert"  
Genesis 9:8-17; Mark 1:9-15

## ECUMENICAL LUNCH

Join us from 12 to 1PM for the Wednesday Noon Ecumenical Lunch Program. You're always assured of a tasty \$6 lunch, warm, ecumenical fellowship and a thoughtful program designed to enrich your life mentally, physically, spiritually and socially. The parking is free in the Pine Street lot north of the church from 11 to 1:30 PM. No reservations are necessary.

February programs are:

- 1 **Mr. Charles Getchel**, a member of Pine Street United Methodist Church, "*An Old Fashioned Hymn Sing and a New Fashioned Hymn Ring*"
- 8 **Rev. Dr. Rob Manzinger**, Chair, United Churches Social Concerns and Pastor, First Baptist Church, Williamsport, "*Faith Matters*"
- 15 **Rev. J. Morris Smith, Th.D.**, Shepherd of the Streets, "*Serving the Poor*"
- 22 **Mr. Robert and Rev. Gwen Bernstine**, Presidential Hobbyists, "*Happy Birthday Mr. President (George Washington and Others)*"
- 29 To be announced.

This is a ministry that everyone in our congregations and community is welcome to participate in. Make plans to join us and you are welcome to bring a friend!

## COME DANCE AT PINE STREET

There is always a lot of music, a lot of dancing, and a lot of fellowship. The February S.A.M. Dance will be held February 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30PM and the Open Dance for couples and singles will be held February 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30PM. Come enjoy the dancing and the fellowship.



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## FAMILY PROMISE AT PINE STREET

Pine Street is scheduled to host Family Promise the week of February 5<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup>. Currently there are 8 individuals being helped by Family Promise. A couple with a 6 yr. old girl, 8, 13 and 20 yr. old boys and a father and son at this time. Once again Rhonda and I are asking you to volunteer to cover the different positions for the week. We need overnight hosts, van drivers, dinner hosts, breakfast hosts for Saturday and Sunday and set up and take down helpers. Please pray that all of the slots will be filled and that we will see some new volunteers helping that week.

If there is a particular evening or night that suits you best to help, please call Nancy (323-5588) or Rhonda (419-8319) and sign up in advance. May the Lord bless you and keep you. Nancy and Rhonda

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNING MEETING

Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in the narthex  
Help children "Dare to GO DEEP with God!" and be a "Dive Guide" in this year's exciting VBS, "*Operation Overboard!*" We invite all who would like to be a part of this year's VBS to please plan on attending this important planning meeting. For more information, contact Pam Stebbins or Patti Burger through the church office.

Vacation Bible School is scheduled to be held Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup> - Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, in the evenings from 6:15 - 8:30 PM.

## PINE STREET BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will meet on Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, at 9:30AM, in the Church Library. The book being discussed is "Cutting for Stone" by Abraham Verghese.

We are happy to welcome new members.

### PINE NEEDLE DEADLINE

Please have any material for the March newsletter in the church office by 9:00AM, Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>. This date is a little early and your help is appreciated. Thank you.

### UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

The United Methodist Women will meet on Wednesday, February 15th at 1:30 PM in Wesley Hall. The program "Diverse Community - Seeking Justice for All" led by Pastor Dorothy Alexander. Devotions will be conducted by Margaret Schell. and our hostesses are Mary Dodge and Mary Spring.

For your calendar:

Friday, March 2nd at 1:30 PM World Day of Prayer to be held at Church of the Savior, Lutheran.

Our March 21st meeting will be held at the South Williamsport United Methodist Church.

Our thanks to the ladies who donated toward the luncheon provided for the Lycoming College Freshman Retreat and also the lunch served at Sojourner Truth.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Worship Committee is asking for volunteers to serve as greeters in the Narthex on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 22, during the hours that the Sanctuary is open for prayer and communion .

We would like two people to be present for each of the two-hour segments from 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM. A sign-up sheet is available in the Narthex or contact Marilyn Kern, 323-7814.

### BLOODMOBILE

**Thursday February 23, 2012  
12:00 to 6:00 PM**

The Bloodmobile will be on Thurs. Feb. 23, 2012, from 12 Noon to 6:00 PM. People are needed to make sandwiches in the morning, to register people donating blood and also to walk people to the table after giving blood and serve them drink and food. Please call Diane Belzer at 435-4278 or email [gingerbelzer@gmail.com](mailto:gingerbelzer@gmail.com). Please mark you calendar and remember your donation will save three lives.



### 2012 CHURCH DIRECTORY



You can stop by the church office to pick-up your 2012 Church Directory. By picking it up, you help save the postage of our mailing it to you.

### ALTAR GUILD

Any questions about altar flowers may be directed to Juanita Shaw at 327-9500 for February and to Glenda Breon at 326-9519 for March.

### ATTENTION: COLLEGE STUDENTS

Scholarship help is available from funds given to the church. A gift is designated for music students. If you are going to study music in college, you may be eligible for tuition assistance or help with lesson fees. If you are going to attend one of our United Methodist colleges, you may be eligible for tuition assistance from the R. Andrew Lady Scholarship Fund. The Scholarship Committee will receive the applications due June 5 and determine the recipients. You may get an application from the church office.

### BULLETIN/RADIO SIGN-UPS

New sign-up sheets for 2012 are in the hallway. You may sponsor bulletin or radio in memory of or in honor of a loved one. The cost is \$25.00

### "LOVE BLANKETS FOR HOSPICE"

Wrap a patient at end of life by donating a handmade blanket. Every patient who comes into the Gatehouse receives a handmade blanket and now our supplies are extremely low. We rely on blanket donations from the community.

Blankets should be approximately 48' x 72'. They should be quilted, knit or crocheted and only made from soft new materials. The blankets can be dropped off at Susquehanna Home Care and Hospice, Divine Providence Hospital, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, M-F from 8-5pm. Monetary donations towards a blanket can also be made to Susquehanna Home Care and Hospice. For more information please call 320-7690 or 1-800-848-2213. Thank you and God Bless!  
Carmen Rosypal, Volunteer Liaison

# PERSONALS IN THE CHURCH

Our prayers and concerns for those having recent hospital experiences: Christine Mason, Amanda Miller

## SYMPATHY

Our sympathy to family and friends in the recent death of **June J. Fahnestock** who died Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>.

Our sympathy to Dale and Mary Bower in the recent death of his sister, Sara E. Bower.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our Jubilee members who have birthdays in February: (if you do not want your March Jubilee birthday listed in the next Pine Needle, please call the church office.)

Carolyn Rosser	Feb. 6 <sup>th</sup>	87 years of age
John Girton	Feb. 8 <sup>th</sup>	89 years of age
Juanita Shaw	Feb. 10 <sup>th</sup>	92 years of age
Nancy Sauer	Feb. 16 <sup>th</sup>	88 years of age

Congratulations to John and Charlotte Person who celebrate their 65<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary on Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>.

Congratulations to Andrew and Amanda Sickler on the birth of their daughter Kennedy Grace Sickler on January 10<sup>th</sup>. Grandmother is Carol Lady and great-grandmother is Nancy Lady.

## THANK YOU

Thank-you to those who helped with the Pine Needle mailing on December 21<sup>st</sup>: Mary and George Spring, Pat Scaife, Judy Bower, Sara Swank, Nora Mitchell, Nancy Sauer, Barb Flock, Juanita Shaw and Frank Little.

Thank you to those who helped assemble the 2012 Church Directory on January 19<sup>th</sup>: Mitzi and Jim Burget, Al and Karen Cook, Pam and Frank Little, Nora Mitchell, Barb Flock, Eleanor Snyder, Betsy Madsen, Juanita Shaw, Larry and Judy Fryda, Karen Kulp, and Bev Karney.

Thank you Ms. Lady, the Scholarship Committee, and the Church for the second installment of this year's music scholarship. The money is always appreciated and very helpful to defray the extensive costs of Oberlin, but the support is more important. Thank you for the continued support and I hope to sing again the next time it is possible! Brian Mextorf

Thank you was received from Red Bird Mission for your recent gift.

To the Pine St. Church family: The poinsettia brought to me from the church at Christmas is especially beautiful and will be enjoyed by me for weeks to come. It represents to me the true Christmas spirit of my special church family.

With my sincere appreciation, Carolyn Rosser  
To Pastor Pam, Helen & all Staff, Operation Christmas Child has had another successful year!! Thanks to your help; the use of the church building. With everyone's time and effort, we collected 2,575 shoe boxes for Lycoming County and for Central PA 21,180 shoe boxes. Thanks to all of you for your support this year.  
Betty Lou Wheeland

I would especially like to thank Nancy Lady and the Scholarship Committee along with my entire church family for helping me through a very tough year, personally and educationally. Your financial support and more importantly prayers are tremendously appreciated. Thank you again.  
Cordially, Nicholas Grimes

Dear Pine Street, Thanks for my college care package. It was a great surprise in the mail. I had received it during finals week at school. It helped break some of the tension from studying all the time. Thanks to all of you who contributed, packed and shipped the package.  
Richard Caschera

You have done so many special things. Just wanted to say, Thanks for the wonderful food you sent after Christmas! Residents of 505 Center St.

Thank you was received for your financial donation to Hope Made Real.

A grateful thank you was received from United Methodist Home for Children for your recent financial gift.

Thank you to the wonderful people of Pine Street UMC for the generous donation of scarves, mittens, and hats for the needy children of our community.  
Marge Thompson, Executive Director  
West End Christian Community Center

Thank you was received from Neighborhood Center of the United Methodist Church for your financial support of their mission and ministry.

Africa University gratefully acknowledges your generous gift to this great mission project of The United Methodist Church.

# Youth News

## February Activities

Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 – 1:00 Making Chili  
February 5<sup>th</sup> – No Meeting – Souper Bowl Sunday  
February 12<sup>th</sup> – Regular Meeting  
February 19<sup>th</sup> – Regular Meeting  
February 26<sup>th</sup> – Regular Meeting

## CLEAR PURPOSE

Nothing matters more than a teen knowing God's purpose for his life, because it simplifies his decisions and removes confusion.

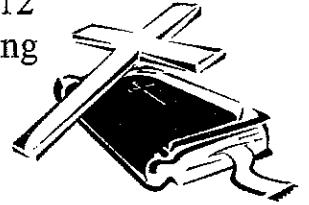
Without a clear purpose, there is no foundation on which to base decisions, allocate time, or use resources. One will keep changing directions, jobs, and relationships—hoping each change will settle the confusion or fill the emptiness in his heart.

So helping a teen uncover his purpose by helping him evaluate his talents, his strengths, and his passion. Additionally, providing new experiences will broaden his horizons.

When purpose sparks a fire in a teen's heart, it will illuminate his desire to prepare for and focus on that purpose.

Adapted from Parenting Today's Teens by Mark Gregston

Beginning February 12<sup>th</sup>  
youth will be studying  
**1 Timothy**  
Sunday Evenings  
at Youth Group



## Youth Sunday March 4<sup>th</sup>

The youth will lead worship at both services.  
With special messages from our Seniors!

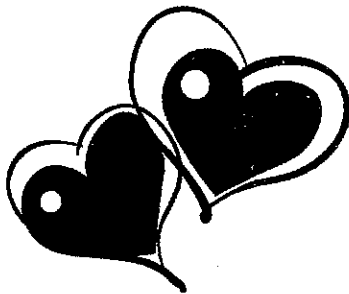
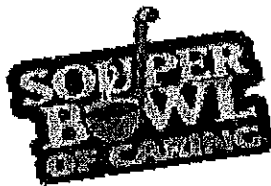
Our focus for this worship service will be

## Spiritual Gifts

## CHILI MAKING DAY!

February 4<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 – 1:00

All youth plan on coming to help make and get ready for the "Souper" Bowl of Caring!



*The Lord is  
compassionate and gracious,  
abounding in love.*

PSALM 103:8

## On Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup>

140 million Americans will tune in to the Super Bowl football game. There will be parties with abundant food, friendship and fellowship. At the same time, there will be people worrying about staying warm, finding shelter and a warm meal. Please join young people around the country as they demonstrate God's love by loving their neighbors through the **Souper Bowl of Caring**. It's a simple, yet significant act of caring for others.

**As their part the youth will be serving homemade Chili or Chicken Soup in Fellowship Hall.**

*(All the ingredients were donated to the youth.)*

**If you would go out to lunch you would spend \$6.00 - \$10.00 per person – Come and donate that money to the Souper Bowl of Caring and have a bowl of chili or soup provided by the Youth!**

Take out is available.

100% of the donations go to Sojourner Truth

**Serving Times: Beginning at 10:45 a.m.  
and again at 11:50 a.m.**

Those who need help may not know that you cared, but God will. And our youth are developing hearts for giving that can last a lifetime.

**Please support their efforts.**

# Children's Ministry at Pine Street

Helping you train your children in the way they should go – Proverbs 22:6

## Safe Sanctuaries Training

In order to remain compliant with our Safe Sanctuaries Policy, all people who work with children and youth should have training yearly. This year we will offer a conference sponsored training here at Pine Street Church. This will be held **Saturday, February 25 from 9:30 am – 2:30 pm**. The cost will be \$7.00 per person and includes a meal. If the cost is prohibitive to your attending, please request a scholarship. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Desk or in the church office. If you have any questions, please contact Pam Stebbins through the church office.

**Registration Due by: February 20**

## CHURCH CAMP 2012

Camp provides opportunities for authentic relationships with Jesus, experience in community, and in the beauty of God's creation! Many adults fondly remember their summer Church camp experience.

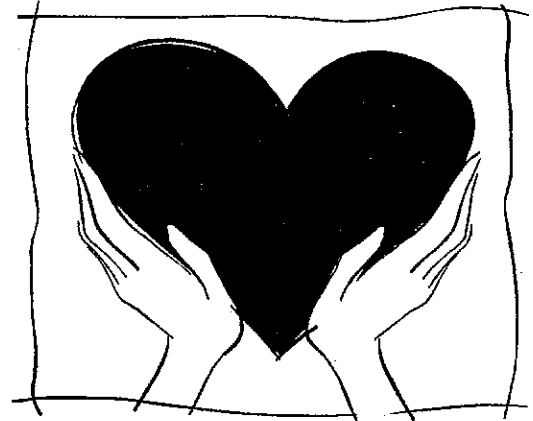
Provide that memory for your children!

**See Pam Stebbins for more information.**

Camping brochures are available in the church office or at the camping website [www.cpcumcamps.org](http://www.cpcumcamps.org).

Early registration discounts end **April 1**.

Assistance with the cost is available.



## VBS 2012

**June 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>th</sup>**

## OPERATION OVERBOARD

### Dare to Go Deep with God!

Dive in and discover God's underwater universe! Kids journey miles below the water's surface into God's Word to find what true faith is all about.

If anyone would like to be part of the "Dive" team; come to the planning meeting February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 or contact Patti Burger or Pam Stebbins.



### Children's Choir

For children 3 yrs – 1<sup>st</sup> grade  
Meets before Sunday School class in the Children's Choir (Pre-K) room.

### Junior Choir

For children 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – 6<sup>th</sup> grade  
Meets at 5:30 pm  
Sunday Evenings in the Music Room.

## Children's Chapel

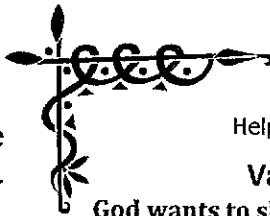
Children's Chapel for children age 3 to 1st grade!

### February Chapel Leaders

First Service – Chris Nevill

After the Children's Sermon they will meet in the Children's Choir/Pre K room.

Second Service – **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**



## Family Devotional Corner

Helping your family practice faith habits together

### Valentine's Day Love Letter from God

God wants to share with you from His word about His love for you.  
Share them with others you meet this month.

How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called the children of God. *1 John 3:1*

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, abounding in love. *Psalms 103:8*

And I pray that you being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ. *Ephesians 3:17-19*

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. *Romans 5:8*

Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends. *John 15:13*

For God so loved "the world" that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. *John 3:16*

**Rookie Youth Group**  
All children in 1<sup>st</sup> grade through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome on Sunday evenings from 6:30 – 7:30 pm right after Junior Choir practice.  
We'd love to see you there!  
-Billie Jo Hardy

### FRIDAY NIGHTERS

Feb. 17 is your opportunity to have fun with music. Charles Getchell has developed a fun program for us to try our hands at playing bells with gospel songs and spirituals. Each person will be given a bell to play on cue and see if we can make music together! This requires no musical ability or special talent – just fun! Join us for supper and fellowship at 6:00 PM and see how music can bring joy.

### FEBRUARY SPECIAL OFFERING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

This offering gives us the opportunity to express our Christian faith in a commitment to aid the ministries of our denominational colleges. The goal established by conference is \$1.00 per member. This means that Pine Street's goal is about \$630. We all know how expensive college education is today, and this is one way we can help young people from our own churches.

### WE'RE SO PROUD of our college scholars

Pine Street Church has just sent scholarship award checks to seven of our young people for our Music Scholarship and the Andrew Lady Scholarship. Their grade point averages are outstanding. Our rule is that they must submit their grade reports to receive the second semester check. We commend Adam Bielski, Nick Grimes, Rachael Grimes, Torey Harding, Andrew Mextorf, Brian Mextorf, and Drew Tompkins for their academic success.

### JOHN BOWER BASKETBALL LEAGUE NEWS

The Pine Street seniors for the second year in a row won the championship of the Alta/Max Border Memorial Tip-Off Tournament in the John Bower Sunday School Basketball League. The seniors won all four of their games.

Members of the team are Sam Person, Marcus Thompson, Zach Diermer, Tyler Amos, Ryan Logue, Logan Grieco and Levi Lovell. Coach is John Beauge. Person and Thompson are church members and rest either attend youth fellowship or belong to other churches.

### JANUARY ATTENDANCE (4 Sundays)

	1/1	1/8	1/15	1/22
8:30 AM	1 service	75	77	101
10:45 AM	<u>125</u>	<u>122</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>111</u>
	125	197	185	212
Sunday Sch.	none	80	67	82

### SERVING YOU IN FEBRUARY

#### Lay Readers

Feb. 5 Floyd Hartman 19 Jean Moyer  
12 Christine Kindon 26 Adam Miller

#### Greeters / Ushers

Feb. 5 Ken and Dawn Wittman  
Martin and Diane Belzer  
Wayne and Shari Poust  
12 Charles and Shirley Springman  
Mark Porter, Bill Burd  
Wayne and Shari Poust  
19 Charles and Shirley Springman  
Martin and Diane Belzer  
Dale and Mary Bower  
26 Jeff and Teri Snook  
Gene Weigle, Kathryn Penfield  
Chris Kindon, Michelle Hopkins

#### Acolytes

Feb. 5 Anna Nevill, Lauren Rude 19 Collin Porter  
12 Cedric Porter 26 Connor Rude

#### 8:30 Fellowship Time

Feb. 5 Brian and Jenna McWilliams  
12 Robin Ray, Marion Reeser  
19 Louis and Jean Robbins  
26 Freda and Bill Muthler, Lesli and Bob Riggle

#### 10:45 Fellowship Time

Feb. 5 Souper Bowl Sunday  
12 Pat Wittig, Carol Porter  
19 Leslie and Joanne Gruver  
26 Barb Flock, Tricia Bausinger

#### Crib Nursery/Child Care - Judy Bower

### JANUARY OFFERINGS (4 Sundays)

Pledges	\$ 13,750.00
Plate Offerings	408.00
Sunday School	139.00
Property Improvement	61.00
Human Relations	281.00
Initial Offering	164.00
Youth	150.00
Mission Offering	<u>160.00</u>
	\$ 15,113.00



# Pine Street United Methodist Church

# February 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>MARCH 2012</b></p> <p>1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31</p>	<p><b>Additional Sunday Schedule</b></p> <p>9:25AM Children's Choir 5:30PM Junior Choir 6:00PM Youth Group 6:30PM Rookie Youth Group</p> <p>Pine Street UMC hosts Family Promise February 5 - 12, 2012</p>					
<p><b>5</b> 8:30AM. Worship Service 9:15AM Praise &amp; Preparation 9:30AM Fellowship Time 9:40AM Sunday School 9:40AM Small Group: Why 10:45AM Worship Service/Broadcast 10:45AM Souper Bowl Serving Time 11:50AM Souper Bowl Serving Time 6:00PM Small Group: Why</p>	<p><b>6</b> 8:00AM Blast 2:00PM Small Group: Why 6:30PM BSF 7:00PM BB-Pine St. 7:00PM Foundation</p>	<p><b>7</b> 6:30AM Men's Fellowship-Denny's 8:00AM Blast 9:00AM 1st Place 4 Health Small Group 4:00PM Relay 4 Life 7:00PM Alanon</p>	<p><b>8</b> 8:00AM Blast 12:00PM Ecu. Lunch 5:00PM Staff Mtg. 6:15PM Cornerstone 7:00PM Grief Share Small Group 7:15PM Praise Team</p>	<p><b>9</b> 8:00AM Blast 6:00PM BB-Pine St. &amp; NorCenPenn Soccer 6:00PM Handbell 6:30PM VBS: Meeting 7:00PM Sanctuary Choir</p>	<p><b>10</b> 8:00AM Blast</p>	<p><b>11</b></p>
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# Anniversaries

Daily Scripture Readings corresponding to The Upper Room

# Birthdays

# February 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>MARCH 2012</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	<b>February Anniversaries</b> 1 John & Charlotte Person 14 Leonard & Ruth Hritzko 14 Dennis & Melody Miller 16 Cretina & Walter Boyer III 19 Larry & Judy Fryda 20 Mark & Rebecca Scharler					
<b>5</b> Carol Myers Debra Perry Morgan Smith  Mark 1:29-39	<b>6</b> Carolyn Rosser Lauren Rude  Matthew 10:29-31	<b>7</b> Mary McKibben Clarence Shaffer  Psalm 71:17-21	<b>8</b> Ruth Engle John Girton  Deuteronomy 13:1-4	<b>9</b> Ciara Beaghley Jessica Brooks Judith Kowalski  Psalm 131:1-3	<b>10</b> Leona Sabo Juanita Shaw  Colossians 3:12-17	<b>11</b> Joan Schell  Romans 12:4-13
<b>12</b> Nancy Lady Lou Robbins  Mark 1:40-45	<b>13</b> Becky Hall Mary Jo Brouse Dawn Holmes Amy Montalbano  Psalm 92:1-5, 12-15	<b>14</b> Bill Hall Beverly Karney  John 20:24-29	<b>15</b> Don Richard Shawn Scudder  2 Corinthians 9:6-15	<b>16</b> Elizabeth Kmetz Laura Long Nancy Sauer  Psalm 136:1-3	<b>17</b> Allison Haynes Thelma Lentz Jean Snyder Peggy Winder  Luke 12:22-32	<b>18</b> Matthew Lady Zachary Lyon John Rhoads  Numbers 21:4-9
<b>19</b> Dennis Bird Leigh Johnson  Mark 9:2-9	<b>20</b>   Matthew 6:5-15	<b>21</b> Richard Gnoffo Shannon Koser Maya Mosier  Proverbs 2:1-11	<b>22</b> Spencer Underdown Diana Young  Romans 8:9-11	<b>23</b> Irene Metzger  James 5:13-16	<b>24</b> Harold Anthony Allan Spotts  Psalm 46:1-11	<b>25</b> Tina Courter Kate Thompson  Mark 10:46-52
<b>26</b> Evadna Cline Danielle Perry  Mark 1:9-15	<b>27</b> Emily Reed Spencer Steinbacher  Mark 5:21-24, 35-42	<b>28</b> Joshua Parker Brian Pick	<b>29</b> Susan Caschera  Ecclesiastes 3:9-15			



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Change Service Requested



## *February*

### *February Happenings at Pine Street UMC*

<i>February 4</i>	<i>7:30 PM</i>	<i>S.A.M. Dance</i>
<i>February 5</i>		<i>Communion, Souper Bowl of Caring</i>
<i>February 5-12</i>		<i>Pine Street hosts Family Promise</i>
<i>February 15</i>	<i>1:30 PM</i>	<i>U. M. W. Meeting</i>
<i>February 17</i>	<i>6:00 PM</i>	<i>Friday Nighters</i>
<i>February 22</i>		<i>Ash Wednesday</i>
		<i>Communion at the altar; imposition of ashes</i>
	<i>7 AM-5PM</i>	<i>Communion in Chapel</i>
	<i>7:00 PM</i>	<i>Ash Wednesday Service</i>
<i>February 23</i>	<i>12-6:00 PM</i>	<i>Bloodmobile</i>
<i>February 25</i>	<i>8:00 AM</i>	<i>MOPS Rummage Sale</i>
	<i>9-2:00 PM</i>	<i>Safe Sanctuary Training</i>
	<i>7:30 PM</i>	<i>Open Dance (couples and singles)</i>

*Be sure to read this newsletter for the details of the events happening during February at Pine Street UMC.*