November 1, 2026

Weekly Church Announcements

We offer with joy and thanksgiving what God has first given us, ourselves our time and our possessions.

"Unified Fund Summary (the Unified Fund is the checking account from which all routine operating expenses are paid; e.g. payroll, utilities, supplies, etc.)"	
Ending Bal. October 19, 2026	**$1,675.25**
Sunday Offerings	$4,785.00
Online Giving	$885.00
Subtotal	$7,345.25
Payments	($6,528.38)
Ending Bal. October 19, 2026	**$816.87**
Ending Bal. October 26, 2026	**$816.87**
Sunday Offerings	$4,940.75
Learning Place Monthly Contribution	$1,500.00
Online Giving	$872.00
Subtotal	$8,129.62
Payments	($8,208.83)
Ending Bal. October 26, 2026	**(79.21)**
Unified/Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings October 25, 2026	
Building/Renovation Fund	$50.00
Camp Sequanota Cabin #8	$25.00
Fellowship Hall	$200.00
Member Emergency Fund	$47.00
Youth Pre-Sold Apple Dumplings	$204.00
October 25th attendance at 8:00AM-39 & 10:30AM-82 for a total of 121.	



Want to make St. David's your church family? Please fill out the pew pads and drop in the offering plate or you can speak with any council member about joining St. David's Lutheran Church.

CHURCH COUNCIL

Sonya Andrews (President)
Rachel Thomas-Kimmel (Vice President)
Kristie Byer (Secretary)
Angie McKool, Jeff Eash, Lynn McDaniel
Sue Risch, Patty Rullo, Doug Shrader,
Lois Tessari & Paul Weygandt

Pastor Mark's Schedule week of November 1-7

Sunday 11/1	All Saints Sunday Sunday Morning Worship Confirmation Class Seminar 9:15AM
Monday 11/2	Office Hours, 9:00AM-1:30PM Visitation in the afternoon
Tuesday 11/3	Election Day Working from the Parsonage
Wednesday 11/4	Conemaugh Twp. Ministerium Meeting 8:00AM at Go Moore's Office Hours, 9:00AM-1:30PM Bible Time with the Learning Place, 10:00AM Visitation in the afternoon
Thursday 11/5	Office Hours, 9:00AM-1:30PM Visitation in the afternoon
Friday 11/6	Pastor's Day off
Saturday 11/7	Apple Dumpling Day with youth

Pastor Mark is always available by phone 717-870-4757 or email pastormarkfischer@gmail.com at any time of the day or night if you need him for pastoral care.



St. David's annual meetings will be held today **Sunday, November 1st & next Sunday, November 8th**. Meetings will take place after each service. The purpose of part one shall be to present the nominees for Congregational Council and Synod Assembly Delegates to the congregation and to allow for additional floor nominations and to ask any questions.

Additionally, the proposed annual Ministry Spending Plan will be presented and discussed. The purpose of part two shall be to elect members of the Congregation Council and to vote on the annual Ministry Spending Plan. Voting will take place after each service.



As a part of our All-Saints Sunday celebration, we remember with reverence and thanksgiving those of our congregation who have entered the church triumphant since last All Saints Sunday. They are **Fred Lewis Stevens* Pastor Rebecca West* Shirley Ann Stevens, Krista Volk* Richard E. Turner, David Alan Mankamyer, William Desort*, Donald Kaufman*, Eugene S. Spangler, Alvin "Cat" Carnahan Jr.*, Shaun Smith* Walter "Wally" Shank & Clair Josephine McDonald*.**

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The Jr & Sr High Sunday School Class will be doing several fundraising projects for the Camp Sequanota Cabin #8-bathroom renovation project. They will also take donations at any time with checks made out to: St David's and in memo: Sequanota Cabin so they are put in the proper fund. There are also envelopes in the pews where donations can be made and can be put in the offering plates. We appreciate your continued support and empowering our youth to make a difference. Watch our cabin in the narthex gain siding as we reach our $1,000 goal.



JOHNSTOWN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Community Strings Concert
November 19th, 2026 @ 7:30 PM
St. David's Lutheran Church

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Encouragement, support, and valuable tools to navigate the challenges of the season.
Join us for this holiday seminar

Location
Emmanuel Church, 425 Luther Rd, Johnstown

Date & Time
Tuesday, November 24th 6-8PM

Contact Info
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griefshare.org/holidays



The next Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on Monday, November 16th, from 12-5:30 PM in the fellowship hall. Please consider donating.



St. David's learning place

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Jennifer Percinsky: Director/
Preschool 4 Lead Teacher
Felica Beglin: Preschool 3 Lead Teacher
Halie Griffie, Asst. Group Supervisor
Brianna Mohle: Asst. Group Supervisor
Skylar King, Teacher's Aide
Gina Yacynych, Substitute Teacher

LEARNING PLACE BOARD MEMBERS

Jerrod Cannistraci* Becky Robinson
Cindy Liska* Mary Helen Hruska
Patty Rullo* Linda Shrader* Cathy Lilly

Order your **Christmas Poinsettia** by using the envelopes found at the back of the church, on the table with the bulletins. Indicate your Memorial or Honor preference. The cost is $9.50 per poinsettia. (You may pick up your Poinsettia after the 7:30PM service on Christmas Eve.) **The deadline for ordering is Monday, November 30th.** NO EXTRA POINSETTIAS WILL BE ORDERED. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO HAVE YOUR ORDER IN BY THE DEADLINE.

HANGING OF THE GREENS

Mark your calendars now. We will hang the Christmas greens on Sunday, December 13th after the 10:30 service. More details to follow.

STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

November Stewardship Note

Hey Steelers fans … we are stewards of everything! Mike McCarthy understands he is not only a new head coach, but is also **a steward** of the Pittsburgh Steelers. In his first press conference earlier this year, McCarthy said, "I want to thank … the entire Steelers organization for the trust they've placed in me to represent one of the most storied franchises in all of sports. I understand and embrace the **responsibility**, the **privilege** and the **weight** that comes with this **stewardship**."

McCarthy clearly recognizes that the Steeler's organization and traditions are not his to own, **but are his to steward** while coaching the Steelers.

Steelers fans … let's seize Coach's wisdom … growing in the understanding that **life is not ours to own, but is ours to steward**!

❋ *Schedule of Upcoming Events* ❋		
All Saints Sunday 11/1:	8:00AM	Worship/Communion Service/Congregational Meeting
	9:15AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	9:15AM	Confirmation Class (CR2)
	10:30AM	Worship/Communion Service/Congregational Meeting
OFFICE HOURS	Secretary's office hours for the week of **November 2-6** are Monday 9AM-2:30PM; Tuesday 9AM-3PM; Wednesday 7AM-1PM; Thursday 9AM-3PM & Friday 8AM-2PM. *Any changes to hours will be noted on the church calendar, Facebook page & to the schedule posted on narthex door. Church Office 814-479-4110.*	
Monday 11/2:	9:00AM	YOGA (FH9)
	4:30PM	Girl Scouts Troop #27016 (C19)
	6:00PM	Bible Study (21A-C)
Tuesday 11/3:	**All Day**	 (FH9)
Wednesday 11/4:	**1:00PM**	**Office Closes Early**
	6:00PM	Adult Choir
	7:30PM	Handbell Choir
Thursday 11/5:	7:00PM	JSO Community Strings (FH9)
Saturday 11/7:	9:00AM	Youth Making Apple Dumplings (K & FH9)
Sunday 11/8:	8:00AM	Worship/Communion Service/Congregational Vote/Apple Dumplings
	9:15AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30AM	Worship/Communion Service/Congregational Vote/ Apple Dumplings

❋ **November 1 (Communion)** ❋	
8:00 AM	10:30AM
Acolyte- Josey Sotosky	**Acolyte**- Gemma Studer
Altar- Pam Sleek	**Altar**- Lois Tessari
Communion Assts- Sotosky Family	**Communion Assts**- Gail Berkebile & **Need Volunteer**
Lector- Erin Sotosky	**Lector**- Randy Whetzel
Ushers- Buck & Pam Sleek	**Ushers**- **Need Volunteers**
Counters- Bill & Sherri Andrews, Sonya Andrews	
Come to the Table	If you would like to commune but are unable for any reason to go forward to the altar, please let an usher know so communion can be brought to you.

❋ **November 8 (Intinction)** ❋	
8:00 AM	10:30AM
Acolyte- Bella Kotch	**Acolyte**- Grace Mitchell
Altar- Ronna Marisa	**Altar**- Leisha Black
Communion Assts- Doug & Linda Shrader	**Communion Assts**- **Need Volunteers**
Lector- Bella Kotch	**Lector**- Keli Williams
Ushers-Doug & Linda Shrader	**Ushers**- Joyce Gindlesperger & Carole Williams
Counters- Doug & Linda Shrader, Deb Harris & Andy Byer	

Mission Statement

"Glorify God, Share the Love of Jesus, Do Good works through Service."