

D. U. C. C. DIGEST

Dover United Church of Christ

November, 2020

Open and Affirming Covenant

The congregation of Dover United Church of Christ, in the spirit of Christ's invitation, "Look, I have set before you an open door," welcomes all who seek to know and share God's love. We affirm the dignity and worth of every person and celebrate the diversity in which God created us, each in God's image and loved by God. We declare ourselves to be an Open and Affirming congregation, welcoming persons of every race, language, gender, age, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, ability, and economic status into full membership and participation in the life, worship, rites and sacraments of this church. We commit to model a community of faith that works toward openness and understanding, offering justice, reconciliation, healing and wholeness of life for all people.

*Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.
(Romans 15:7)*

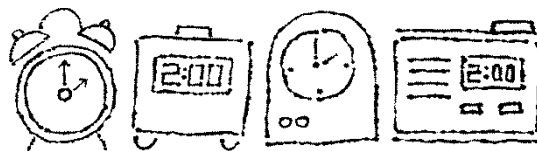
ALL SAINTS OBSERVANCE

On Sunday, November 1, we will observe All Saints Day. If you've lost a loved one and would like to have them included in a special remembrance, please contact the church office and give us their name, date of death and picture. **Reminder: this is also the day Daylight Savings Ends.**

Family Thank Offering

It has been the tradition of receiving the Family Thank Offering in November for our November mission. This offering goes to the United Church of Christ's fund for Strengthening the Church. It is a time to consider how this community of faith has blessed you. It is a time to reflect on the blessings in our own lives. It is a time to reflect on all that God has entrusted to us. Traditionally, we have given out small boxes for people to collect their offering in all month. However, since we are not all worshipping together, we challenge each household to find a special container. Collect your offering all month. Then, on the last Sunday of the month, bring that offering to church. If you are not attending, you may drop your container off at the office. Willie is in from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tuesday thru Thursday. If you need to drop it off at a different time or are not leaving home, call Pastor Eva can arrange for someone to collect it from you or to bring it to the church at another time. Strengthen the Church! Find time to give thanks for the blessings of God!

**FAMILY THANK OFFERING WILL BE RECEIVED ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29.
THE OFFERING IS DESIGNATED FOR STRENGTHEN THE CHURCH.**



"Fall Back"

Daylight Savings time ends - Sunday, November 1 at 2:00 a.m.

MISSION STATEMENT OF DOVER UCC...gathered in joyful community as children of God and brothers and sisters in Christ, we commit ourselves to the hearing, believing, and doing of His Word, shaping our lives by supporting one another, worshipping God, promoting justice and spreading the Gospel.

Pastor's Reflection

As we enter November, the weather turns cooler, the daylight shortens, the night becomes longer, and we begin to prepare for winter. Our attention begins to turn to the upcoming holidays of Thanksgiving and Christmas. In fact, it becomes a great distraction from the noise of the elections to begin to consider what will we do this year? Then we remember...we live in an age of Covid-19 yet...and even that can become a problem. It is enough to make us pause and reflect...will this ever go away??? It will...and there will be other challenges after that...and others after that.

As we approach Thanksgiving, let's remember the Psalm so often quoted this time of year, Psalm 100:3-5

Know that the Lord is God. It is God that made us, and we are God's;
we are God's people and the sheep of God's pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to God, bless God's name.
For the Lord is good; God's steadfast love endures forever,
and God's faithfulness to all generations.

In a time when elections seem to divide us, when Covid-19 means that many families will not travel to gather, when we hesitate to join together in any places in large groups to celebrate and give thanks, let us remember that we are God's people and God has richly blessed us! This is a time to create new ways of giving thanks! I received a birthday card from one of our granddaughters recently. In it she simply wrote qualities she admired in me, that she had seen demonstrated in my life. It is one of those cards I will never throw away. Perhaps we could send cards to one another in the faith community, telling people those qualities we appreciate in each other. Perhaps if we cannot gather with family or friends this year, we could send a card saying what we appreciate about that person and why we will miss spending time with them this Thanksgiving or Christmas.

Let's make November and December a SEASON OF THANKS GIVING!!! Let's see how many thank you's we can share within the church—AND beyond the church!!!

Pastor Eva

Pastor Eva's cell phone number is 717-418-9627. Please call any time for pastoral emergencies. E-Mail: pastor@doverducc.org. Her office hours: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. E-Mail: pastor@doverducc.org.

Do you have a prayer concern? Call Nancy Schubert at 717-292-2113.

NOVEMBER NEWS

*"You must be willing to give up what you are,
to become what you want to be"*

November Scriptures:

November 1: Psalm 34:1-10, 22; I John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12
November 8: Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25; Matthew 25:1-13
November 15: Judges 4:1-7; Matthew 25:14-30
November 22: Psalm 100; Matthew 25:31-46
November 29: Isaiah 64:1-9; I Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37



DEADLINE FOR DECEMBER DIGEST IS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8.
Early submissions will be most appreciated.

The Congregation is encouraged to attend...in person or by phone. Mark your calendars for the Congregational Meeting on Sunday, November 15 at 11:15 a.m. Please note: There will be no classes held for Adult Sunday School or the Children/Youth Activities. Meeting minutes and agenda will be available Sunday, November 1.

POINSETTIAS



Christmas is around the corner, so it's time to order your Poinsettia Plants to decorate the church for the Christmas Season. Plants will be on display in the Sanctuary on **Sunday, December 20** and will remain for the Christmas Eve service. Please complete the order form and return it with your order by **Sunday, November 15. Payment is due with your order.** Make checks payable to Dover UCC. You may give your order to Sue Storm or mail your order to Phyllis at 1700 Normandie Drive #114, York, PA 17408. Any questions, call Phyllis at 717-718-7661.

PLANNED GIVING

Dover United Church of Christ is very proud of its mission and ministry to the Dover community. Dover UCC is a place where God's truth may be learned, celebrated, and lived out. The roots of our congregation can be traced back to the Dover Sunday School Association, organized in 1854, with the charter of the Dover Union Reformed Church signed in 1902. As we focus our vision on the future, we need to build the financial resources to support our mission and ministry. Implementing our goals for the future and ensuring the fiscal stability of Dover UCC takes many financial resources including those of regular weekly giving. Planned Giving is one way to help ensure the future of Dover UCC. Please consider adding a contribution to Dover UCC in your Will. Future generations will thank you and you will have the satisfaction of knowing your church home, Dover United Church of Christ, will be able to continue its mission to the community of Dover, the greater York County area and the world.

Congregational Meeting

Our Congregational Meeting will be November 15, 2020 immediately after worship at about 11:15 a.m. There will be several items coming before our congregation at this meeting.

- We may be either electing a new treasurer (if someone agrees to take it on) or we will need to move to suspend the bylaws and allow our current treasurer continue to serve one more year. (We prefer to give Annette Masenheimer a break and allow her to rest from this position.)
- We will be adopting a budget for 2021. Because we will continue into the new year with Covid-19, the council will make modest changes, adding \$600 to Outreach, so our Kenya connection to the **Grow Bio-Intensive Agricultural Center of Kenya (GBIACK)** will continue, and a line for AV (audio visual) for maintenance of the system we are proposing to purchase. All salaries are recommended to remain at current levels.
- We will vote on whether to continue our current worship schedule with summer worship being at 9:00 a.m. and from Labor Day to Memorial Day, worship would be at 10:00 a.m. with Faith Formation for adults at 9:00 a.m.
- Finally, we will be proposing we make major changes to our sound system. Grace Trimmer has left a legacy to this congregation. This was indeed her home, her family, her community. Her estate was left to Dover UCC. Jim Markle has been appointed by the Council to oversee this process and has been doing a wonderful job! In the end, she will leave the congregation well over \$200,000. Grace was always concerned about whether people could hear worship well. So the Council is recommending that we spend about \$22,000 to rework our entire sound system, with new microphones, enhanced aids for those who have hearing issues, the conference room will be a digital conferencing room, the fellowship hall will be able to be an overflow area for worship while we need to social distance and will have video and sound separate for use in large gatherings downstairs. It will also include an upgraded camera for our live-streaming with only one microphone needed for any person participating in service (not our current three).

You will receive through the email (if we have an email address for you) or through snail mail, notice of the meeting, the agenda, the annual report, the 2021 proposed budget, and the quote on the sound system. Please read these carefully. You may join the meeting in person, by zoom or call in by uberconference (717-297-0750). We will send the zoom link out the week before the congregational meeting.

FROM THE OPEN AND AFFIRMING MINISTRY TEAM:

Dover UCC will host the wider York community for Transgender Day of Remembrance on Friday, November 20, 2020. This day was founded in 1999 to memorialize the murder of Rita Hester, a transgender woman. Since then, it is observed annually in the United States and around the world to remember those who have been murdered as a result of transphobia and draw attention to ongoing violence endured by transgender people. According to the Human Rights Campaign website, at least 32 transgender or gender-nonconforming people (the majority of which were transgender women of color) have been murdered in the United States and Puerto Rico in 2020 to date, surpassing 26 in 2019. Please mark your calendar and plan to join with the York community in observing Transgender Day of Remembrance here at Dover UCC on Friday, November 20, 2020. The event will begin with discussion at 6:00 p.m., followed by the service of remembrance at 7:00 p.m. Please see Pam Rutledge, Spring Davidson, or Pastor Eva if you have questions.

On Sunday, November 22, 2020, our congregation will observe the sixth anniversary of our decision to become an Open and Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ. Details about the special service will be shared in the November bulletins.

Outreach Team

Happy holidays! At least Happy Harvest is upon us. I cannot wait to take all the multitude of items that have been collected to New Hope to be weighed on Sunday. Everyone has been very generous. Last year over 150 families were given a Thanksgiving basket and I would not be surprised if many more benefit this year. Thank you from all the clients and staff.

Just to give you a little bit of what we discussed at our annual Advisory Council meeting at New Hope this week. Last year at this time Dover Food Bank was serving less than 400 families. With the move to the new center, the greater visibility and the woes of Covid virus, we now have served 1,079 individuals to date this year. We have also increased the size of the area we now help. We have mobile pantries in York Haven, Goldsboro and Lewisberry. This means that once a month the mobile food pantry goes to that area and distributes food to those who have signed up. They are then invited to come to the Dover Center to choose their food or continue to meet as they are so doing.

We have funds to settle on the property in Dover and we are awaiting a possible \$1 million dollar grant to purchase a center in Enola and then start the construction in Dover. We are hopeful to hear from the state by the end of the year. A new warehouse, loading dock and updates are greatly needed.

Many thanks to everyone who contributed to the backpack program. Sixty families were helped with school supplies. I know I thanked you last month, but I am putting out a request that if you are out shopping and see any school supplies, backpacks, etc. that are marked down, PLEASE purchase them as with many churches not being in session, the supplies that came in were minimal. We had many crayons, spiral notebooks and various supplies, but they have all been depleted. We will be starting with empty shelves for next school year. So my many happy shopper friends, if you see a good deal snag it!

As the Thanksgiving and Christmas Blessing events come around we are in need of more volunteers.

At these two events it is **not** necessary to have your clearances to participate. The **Thanksgiving Baskets** will be given away in the parking lot on **Friday, November 20**. We sign up for a few hours at a time. It is a lot of fun and a good chance to meet the many volunteers.

Many hands will be needed to set up for the **Christmas Blessings on December 7 at Brookside Park**. The event will run thru **December 10**. This will be necessary to keep clients socially distanced with their personal shopper and have ample time between visits. They will be open one day from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. to allow our evening guests shopping time also. As you can see this will take a lot of person power to accomplish. If you aren't comfortable being around others perhaps helping to pack up the remaining items to be distributed to other centers would be more to your liking. You can talk to a volunteer to help at **717-292-3441**. They will be able to direct you to an area that is comfortable for you.

The Christmas baskets are given out differently, but they could use help to pack them up also. They will be distributed on **December 17 and 18**. There will be a **Senior party** this year on **December 15**, but it will be structured differently with the seniors going home with their meal and they will socially distance to spend time with friends over cocoa and cookies. There will be two different time slots, 11:00 to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. This will be held at **St. David's in Weigelstown**. Again if you would like to attend please call the center for a time slot.

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Enclosed you will find a comprehensive list of the **Christmas Blessing** items we will be collecting. Jeff Millford has graciously volunteered to put up the Blessing tree for us. It will again have the paper ornaments with a gift idea on both sides. Look for that on Nov. 1. We encourage you to think of the men and youth from ages 12-18. We always seem to be short in that area. If you are not going out to shop this year an alternative would be a gift card. The grocery store or drug stores have a large selection and they could be used to purchase gifts or to give to a family. Target, Walmart, I- Tune and Amazon cards are all favorites. We also try to provide the guests with hats, gloves and scarves for each child. We have many handmade hats and scarves, but could use some mittens and gloves. The opportunity to give is endless and we appreciate your generous and thoughtful kindnesses at this time of giving.

If you are in the mind to donate some time on a regular basis at the food bank there are many opportunities. Just stop by or talk to one of our many volunteers from Dover UCC. Don Gardner and Tom Miller work in the warehouse, LouAnn and Sharon work the front desk, Missy Pentz and I work the pantry on the third Thursday of each month and I work on Wednesday afternoons. Many volunteers opted not to work with Covid, but we have had many others join us. With the growing guest list that means a growing volunteer base also. Please consider a few hours a month. They are extremely flexible.

Hurrah our scholarships of \$600 have been met for **G-BIACK**. Thank you to everyone who have donated to this wonderful African Mission outreach project. Look for more to come as we hear from the coordinators.

Thank you for your time and interest in all our small church manages to do. May the love of God and his many blessings be shared with each and every one of you and you continue to share with others in our community and in the world.

Graciously,
Tonia L. Reinert and Outreach Committee

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3 – ELECTION DAY



**IF YOU'RE MAILING YOUR BALLOT, IT MUST BE POSTMARKED BY
8:00 PM ON NOVEMBER 3.**

**IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE DURING
REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS. INFORMATION HAND-OUTS ARE ALSO
AVAILABLE ON THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX.**

**PLEASE REMEMBER: WHEN SENDING IN YOUR MAIL-IN BALLOT TO PLACE IT IN THE
SECURITY ENVELOPE. FAILURE TO DO SO MEANS YOUR VOTE WILL NOT BE COUNTED.**

Thank You!

Many of you have been faithful in sending in your offerings each week even when we have not been meeting in our building. That has made a world of difference as we pay the bills that are still coming in and strive to care for our staff by continuing to pay them. **Please remember our monthly mission offerings—Strengthen the Church.** If a check is to be divided, mark in the memo how it is to be divided. Offerings can be mailed in, paid by your bank's bill paying service, or dropped in the mail slot at the church. The mail is picked up each day and offerings are safely kept for deposit which is still done each week. Thank you for your faithfulness in giving!

Wanted: Additional helpers for the Church's Livestream Team

As we all know, our church has relied on Facebook Livestreaming to bring the Sunday service into our homes during the State's "stay-at-home" order. Even as our county moves to the "yellow phase", our congregation will continue to rely on Facebook Livestreaming and Uberconference for our worship services. At one time, the Livestream Team consisted of four people, each sharing the responsibility once a month. However, the team now consists of three people. We would like to create a larger team to share this responsibility. Being a technical genius is not a necessity. Some familiarity might be helpful. Training will be provided. Help is needed. If you would be willing to help with this ministry or have questions or interest, please contact Pastor Eva, Scott McFadden (717-308-7291) or Cathy Dietrich (717-792-9630).

Book Club Pick...

***This Is How It Always Is* by Laurie Frankel**

In a time when we at Dover UCC have been asked to host the York County Transgender Day of Remembrance (see the article in this newsletter), what better way to prepare than to read this book! Have you ever had a family secret? Sometimes that secret doesn't get to be kept forever! This is a story about a family with three boys when a fourth boy is born. They know what to expect...they already have three boys. Laurie Frankel writes, "But Claude is not like his brothers. One day he puts on a dress and refuses to take it off. He wants to bring a purse to kindergarten. He wants hair long enough to sit on. When he grows up, Claude says, he wants to be a girl. Rosie and Penn aren't panicked at first. Kids go through phases, after all, and make-believe is fun. But soon the entire family is keeping Claude's secret. Until one day it explodes."

This Is How It Always Is, a novel about revelations, transformations, fairy tales, and family. And this is how it always is: Change is always hard and miraculous and hard again; parenting is always a leap into the unknown with crossed fingers and full hearts; children grow but not always according to plan. And families with secrets don't get to keep them forever.

Celebrate the journeys of our transgender brothers and sisters and join us in this read. The book is available on line in print or by audio and in the York County Library. If you need help getting the book, see Pam Rutledge, Cheri Swartzbaugh, Steph Brown, Annette Masenheimer, Carol Crone or Pastor Eva. We will meet on Tuesday, November 17 at 5:30 p.m. in person or by zoom to talk about the book.

OCTOBER DONATIONS MADE TO NEW HOPE MINISTRIES:

FOOD	437 pounds
PERSONAL	20 pounds

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

We moved the basket for New Hope to the vestibule so we have a better reminder of the need for personal care items and paper goods. Food and personal care items can all be placed in the shopping cart. Remember... pick up extra soap, shampoo, deodorant or clean and/or laundry supplies. These are gratefully accepted from clients when available. Thank you!

Suicide Survivor Support Group: Dover UCC hosts a suicide survivor support group the first Tuesday of the month in the Council room at 6:30-8:00 p.m. This group can meet face-to-face or remotely but you **must register** first either through Facebook, their website or calling Cindy. Cindy Richard (717) 227-0048 crichard@penn-mar.org for more information.

Thank you's...

Dear Friends, On behalf of the people we serve at New Hope Ministries, thank you for your very kind gift of \$226.25 received October 7. Your generous financial gifts and abundant prayers today bring help and hope to our neighbors in times of need. Together, let's share the love and hope we have in Christ with the people we serve every day. Thank you for your kindness. Gratefully,

Eric Saunders, Executive Director, New Hope Ministries

A note of thanks from a New Hope client: I am so blessed! Thank you so very much for your help in my time of need!! Love you all.

Dear Friends, Thank you for your generous gift of \$385 to CWS Blankets program. As families and communities around the world recover from emergencies and struggle in the face of unprecedented challenges, you are standing with them. Because of you, Church World Service is able to respond when disasters occur and support is needed. Thanks to your compassion, we can – and will – change lives. Sincerely,

Rev. John L. McCullough, President/Ceo

NOVEMBER ALTAR FLOWERS

If there are any changes for the bulletin, please contact the church office at least one week ahead. The cost of Altar Flowers is \$30.00 and special arrangement is \$30.00. Please make all checks payable to Dover UCC. If mailing your check, send it to the church office, 45 West Canal Street, Dover, 17315. If payment is included in the offering envelope, please indicate "altar flowers" on the envelope. **If you would like to order a special arrangement in honor or loving memory, please contact Gina Nell at 717-515-0314.**



NOVEMBER

November 1	Debbie & Jim Markle
November 8	Betty Snook
November 15	Scott and Melissa Pentz
November 22	Wayne & Dodie Gross
November 29	Don & Sharon Gardner

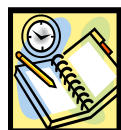
DECEMBER

December 6	Ben & Josie Crone
December 13	Chuck & Tonia Reinert
December 20	Tom Miller
Special	Gina Nell
December 27	Sandy Markle

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

There is a birthday listing for two months posted on the bulletin board as you enter the church. Please add your name to the calendar if you are not already listed and we'll be sure to include your name in the future. Why not send someone on the list a card and wish them a Happy Birthday!!

12	Jeff Thomas	17	Sarah Duttera	23	Josh Markle
13	Dakota Reinert		Julie Fox	25	Amanda Gross
	Zoe D'heedene	22	Charles Koogle	28	Jeff Fenstermacher



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY
9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS

Gerry Shaffer
3411 Sycamore Road
Dover, PA 17315
717-292-2867

Hilda Eyster
74 Chesapeake Estates
Thomasville, PA 17364
717-792-0496

Fay Gentzler
1920 Trolley Road #229
York, PA 17408
(614) 325-1635 (cell)

Deloris Crone
Providence Place #218
3377 Fox Run Road
Dover, PA 17315

Dorcas Tanner
Colonial Manner RM #509A
970 Colonial Avenue, York, 17403
717-815-6248

Gina Nell
Providence Place #908
3377 Fox Run Road
Dover, PA 17315
717-515-0314

The following people have agreed to visit:

JAN - Carol Stayrook
FEB - Verda McFadden & Nancy Schubert
MAR - Gina Nell & Nancy Brown
APR - Mary Duttera & Doris McCallister
MAY - Annette Masenheimer & Spring Davidson
JUN - Carol Stayrook & Anna Gladfelter

JULY- Nancy Brown & Gina Nell
AUG - Tonia Reinert
SEPT- Dennis Hall
OCT - Millie Murray & Kay Fickes
NOV - Cathy Dietrich
DEC – Mary Duttera

Remember our members at the Brethren Home Community (with cards)

Jack Strausbaugh - Wayne & Dodie Gross

Call Carol Stayrook at 717-873-8862 with any changes or additions.

NOVEMBER DATES TO REMEMBER



November 3, Tuesday	ELECTION DAY—Don't forget to vote!
November 8, Sunday	NO BIBLE STUDY Adult Faith Formation – 9:00 a.m. in person at Dover UCC or by zoom. Contact the Pastor if you would like the zoom connection. IN PERSON WORSHIP – 10:00 a.m. - Bring your Own Communion at Dover UCC as well as live stream on facebook and uberconference <i>DUCC Digest deadline</i> York Association Annual Meeting – Stephanie Brown and Annette Masenheimer representing Dover UCC.
November 9, Monday	Dover UCC Council meeting – 6:30 p.m. – in person or by zoom. The congregation is welcome to attend, If you would like the zoom connection, please contact Pastor Eva.
November 10, Tuesday	11:00 AM Bible Study in person at the church or by Uberconference by calling 717-297-0750.
November 15, Sunday	Adult Faith Formation – 9:00 a.m. in person at Dover UCC or by zoom. Contact the Pastor if you would like the zoom connection. IN PERSON WORSHIP – 10:00 a.m. at Dover UCC as well as live stream on facebook and uberconference <i>MISSION MOMENT: Strengthen the Church</i> Annual Meeting – following Worship
November 17, Tuesday	11:00 AM Bible Study in person at the church or by Uberconference by calling 717-297-0750. 5:30 PM – Book Club, in person or by Zoom; reading Laurie Frankel's <i>This is How It Always Is</i>
November 20, Friday	Transgender Day of Remembrance Community Service at Dover UCC – 6:00 p.m. Community Discussion 7:00 p.m. Service of Remembrance Acknowledging Our Loss
November 22, Sunday	ONA Sixth Anniversary Adult Faith Formation – 9:00 a.m. in person at Dover UCC or by zoom. Contact the Pastor if you would like the zoom connection. IN PERSON WORSHIP – 10:00 a.m. at Dover UCC as well as live stream on facebook and uberconference Family Thank Offering Received for Strengthen the Church Office Hours: 9:00 – 1:00
November 23, Monday	11:00 AM Bible Study in person at the church or by Uberconference by calling 717-297-0750.
November 24, Tuesday	Happy Thanksgiving!
November 26, Thursday	First Sunday in Advent - Worship & Communion –
November 29, Sunday	Adult Faith Formation – 9:00 a.m. in person at Dover UCC or by zoom. Contact the Pastor if you would like the zoom connection. IN PERSON WORSHIP – 10:00 a.m. at Dover UCC as well as live stream on facebook and uberconference.

MORNING CHATTERS... has been suspended for now.
We will let you know when the next one will be.

SEPTEMBER 2020 STATEMENT

GENERAL ACCOUNT			
Balance beginning of month			29,035.61
Receipts during month			16,737.09
Disbursements during month			15,651.35
Balance end of month			30,121.35
Cash available (excludes \$5K MIN BAL, AV FUND & HANDBELL FUND)			24,232.57
Amount of PPP Loan - This is included in the receipts during the month			19,650.00
	BUDGET 2020	MONTHLY	Y-T-D TOTAL
OPERATING EXPENSES			
A. BUILDING			
1. Insurance	10,500.00	3,001.25	9,003.75
2. Repairs/Maintenance	8,150.00	39.92	3,003.62
3. Utilities	15,000.00	1,281.22	8,784.34
B. PROGRAMS			
1. Music expenses	100.00		0.00
2. Honorariums	800.00		0.00
3. Worship supplies	1,000.00	268.31	848.92
4. Faith Formation	200.00		18.93
5. Hartman Center / Mission Trip	750.00		521.32
6. Office expenses	2,500.00	205.07	1,539.26
7. Picnic/Advent	250.00		0.00
8. Outreach	300.00		40.00
9. Membership	0.00		0.00
10. Fellowship	100.00		194.98
11. Conference	500.00	75.00	75.00
12. York Association (UCC)	200.00		336.25
13. Stewardship	50.00		0.00
14. ONA	100.00		100.00
C. STAFF			
1. Secretary	7,000.00	639.54	5,279.01
2. Organist/Accompanist	9,650.00	804.17	7,237.53
3. Choir director	3,861.00	321.75	2,895.75
4. Custodian	9,142.00	576.00	3,821.00
5. Bookkeeper	3,877.00	323.08	2,907.72
6. Pastoral office			
a. Salary	38,420.00	3,201.67	28,815.03
b. Housing	14,270.00	1,189.17	10,702.53
c. Prof Exp & Education allowance(Reimb)	2,000.00		385.00
d. Health,Dental,Life & Disability Insurance	6,200.00	488.87	5,071.70
e. Retirement annuity (14% of 5a+5b)	7,377.00	614.72	6,147.20
7. Payroll taxes withheld		(1,583.54)	(14,194.82)
8. Payroll taxes remitted		1,497.38	14,420.60
9. Employer social security taxes	2,565.00	152.05	1,457.81
10. Pastoral SECA allowance	4,031.00	335.90	3,023.10
11. Worker's compensation insurance	1,300.00		1,135.00
TOTAL GENERAL ACCOUNT - OPERATING EXPENSES	150,193.00	13,431.53	103,570.53
GENERAL ACCOUNT CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1			
	GOALS 2018	MONTHLY	Y-T-D TOTAL
BENEVOLENCE			
Our Church's Wider Mission 75%	9,152.00	678.75	6,590.63
New Hope Ministries/Dover Center 25%	3,051.00	226.25	2,196.87
TOTAL BENEVOLENCE	12,203.00	905.00	8,787.50
SPECIAL OFFERING GOALS			
Heritage Senior Center	400.00		377.00
Lancaster Seminary	300.00		180.00
One Great Hour of Sharing	650.00		245.00
ARC of York County	300.00		225.00
Homewood Retirement Center	350.00		80.00
Hoffman Home for Youth	400.00		220.00
Holy Joes Café	300.00		300.00
Habitat for Humanity	400.00		275.00

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CWS Blanket Sunday	500.00	385.00	385.00
Neighbors in Need	300.00		0.00
Strengthen the Church (Thank Offering)	500.00		0.00
Bethany Childrens' Home	300.00		0.00
Christmas Fund	500.00		0.00
TOTAL SPECIAL OFFERING GOALS	5,200.00	385.00	2,287.00
TOTAL OPERATING EXP., BENEVOLENCE AND GOALS	167,596.00	14,721.53	114,645.03
IN/OUT ITEMS DETAIL:			
Altar Flowers/Easter/Christmas		150.00	
Transfer to Building Fund		458.00	
Yard Sale Proceeds to Guild		200.00	
School supplies for New Hope		121.82	
TOTAL IN/OUT ITEMS	0.00	929.82	5,676.94
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES - GOALS - IN/OUT ITEMS	167,596.00	15,651.35	120,321.97

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT			
Balance beginning of month			34,537.91
Receipts during month			458.00
Disbursements during month			
Balance end of month			34,995.91

The AV Fund is NOT in a separate Bank Account, it is just a designated amount held within the General Operating Account

AV FUND ACCOUNT BALANCE			
Balance beginning of month			200.00
Receipts during month			0.00
Disbursements during month			0.00
Balance end of month			200.00

MISSION FUND ACCOUNT BALANCE (York Traditions Bank)			
			4,357.02
Receipts during month	Interest Earned		0.04
Disbursements during month -			
Balance end of month			4,357.06

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The HandBell Fund is NOT in a separate Bank Account, it is just a designated amount held within the General Operating Account

HandBell FUND ACCOUNT BALANCE			
Balance beginning of month			688.78
Receipts during month			0.00
Disbursements during month			0.00
Balance end of month			688.78

New Hope Ministries' Christmas Wish List - DUE AT LUKUHA BY DECEMBER 6

Thank you for your generosity. This is suggested gift ideas. To assist those that often ask what we are in most need of and very rarely receive, we have marked those items with an asterisk (*).			
Preschoolers (ages 2 to 5)			
Play Instruments	Games (age 3 to 7+)	Women	*Teens
Cars/Truck/Trains	Chutes & Ladders	Purse	Skateboard
Kitchen Play Set	Candy Land	Umbrella	Basketball
Mega Bloks	Memory	Watch	Soccer ball
Lincoln Logs	Hungry Hippos	Dress scarf	Baseball/bat
Mr. Potato Head	Operation	Jewelry	Football
Play-Doh sets	Monopoly	Perfume	Make-up
Princess Dresses & accessories	Twister	Skin Care Basket	Jewelry
Tea Sets	Clue	Tote Bag	Purse
Baby Dolls & accessories	Battleship	Sunglasses	Tote bag
Legos Duplo	Jenga	Apron	Dress scarf
Super Hero Figurines	Yahtzee	Gloves	Hair accessories
Ride on toys/scooters	Dominos	Thermo Carrying Mug	Perfume
Dress Up Clothes	Uno	Slippers	Journal
Educational toys	Skip-bo	Purse Compact Mirror	Bean bag
	Any Board Games	Curling Iron	Decorative pillow
		Flat Iron	Skin care basket
		Nail Care Kit	Earbud headphones
Older Children (ages 6-12)			
Baby Dolls and accessories			Games
Barbie Dolls & accessories			
Remote Control Cars			
Super Hero Figurines			
Science kits			
Nerf Guns			
Kids Crafts			
Legos			
Sport balls/bats			
Razor Scooter			
K'Nex			
Books/Puzzles/Games			
Educational toys			
*Household			

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Book Discussion	9:00 AM (Not during the summer)
Worship Service	10:00 AM Children's Church (not at the present time)

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Willie Scofield	Secretary	Susan Storm	Organist & Choir Director
Sue McNeely	Bookkeeper	Annette Masenheimer	Financial Secretary
	Sexton		

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Annette Masenheimer - Secretary; Millie Murray – Treasurer

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