



christ lutheran hellertown

You are welcome here.

Come join the journey.

Christ Lutheran Church
69 Main Street, Hellertown, PA 18055
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Communion Sunday
Sunday, August 2

10am Worship

3pm Narcotics Anonymous

Tuesday, August 4

10:30am Chair Yoga

Noon Men's Group

5-8pm National Night Out

Dimmick Park

Wednesday, August 5

8:30am Quilters

10am GIGGLES

7-9pm Nuclear Prayer Vigil

Thursday, August 6

10:30am Chair Yoga

12:15pm Bible Study

5:30pm Quilters

Saturday, August 8

10am-1pm Car Wash

SV Boys Soccer

Sunday, August 9

10am Worship

3pm Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday, August 15

10am-3pm Community Day

Dimmick Park

Tuesday, August 18

7pm Church Council Meeting

Church Office Hours

Monday - Friday 10:00am - 4:00pm

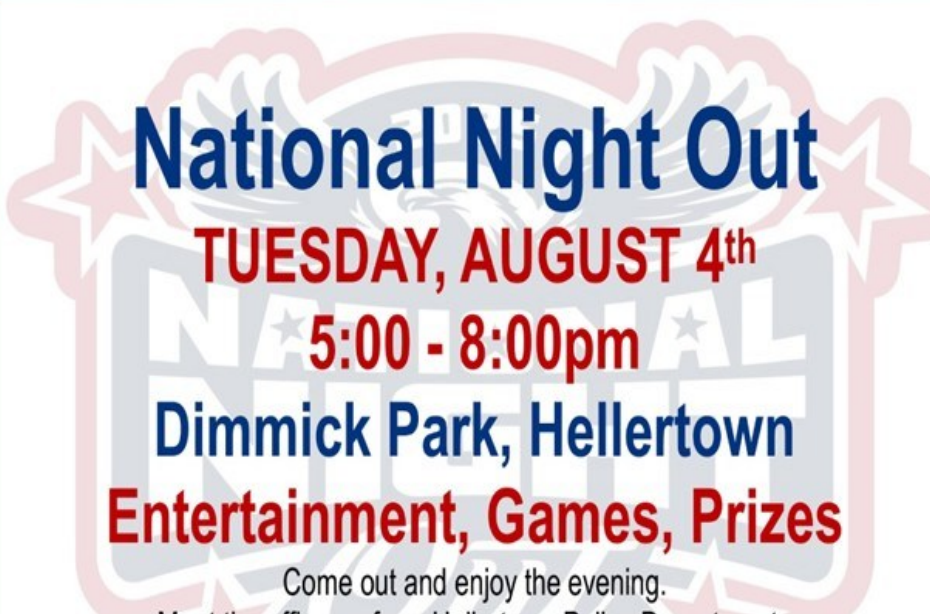
Closed for Lunch Noon - 1:00pm



Nuclear Prayer Vigil

LIVE from Japan, commemorating
the atomic bombing of Hiroshima,
remembering the victims, and
advocating for the abolishment of
nuclear weapons. *(Right here in our Sanctuary)*

Wednesday, August 5th
7:00pm



National Night Out

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4th

5:00 - 8:00pm

Dimmick Park, Hellertown

Entertainment, Games, Prizes

Come out and enjoy the evening.

Meet the officers of our Hellertown Police Department—
not just as law enforcers, but as approachable members of the community
who engage with, listen to, and play alongside
the people they have been entrusted to serve.

POLICE • COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS



god's work
OUR HANDS

FEEDING GOD'S CHILDREN

FAMILY FOOD INSTABILITY -
TACKLING ALL LEVELS,
LOCALLY TO GLOBALLY

Food Collection

Collection period August 18th to September 18th.
Supports Hellertown Area Food Bank

GWOH Coordinator, Enid Rank, nurse@clcht.org

Celebrating *this week...* Birthdays

Ellede D'Andrea 2nd
Kelly Staruck 7th
Heather Audet 8th

HELLERTOWN FOOD BANK
Collection at Christ Lutheran Church

Donation
Drop-Off

Specially Requested Items for August:

JUICE

RED WAGON Drop-Off
in the Volunteer Room off the Narthex



QUESTIONING CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

STARTS
SEPTEMBER 13TH

SR. HELEN PREJEAN

**ADULT CHRISTIAN
EDUCATION**

9:00 - 9:45AM
IN THE CHURCH LIBRARY
OR VIA ZOOM



Questioning Capital Punishment

from Living the Questions is a DVD series that we will watch and discuss each Sunday. Join us in the Church Library or on Zoom. 9:00-9:45am.

Sister Helen Prejean, author of *Dead Man Walking*, is a leading abolitionist of the death penalty. Through her ministry as a spiritual advisor to condemned inmates, she challenges society to confront the systemic racism, poverty, and institutional violence embedded in capital punishment, urging a shift toward compassion over vengeance.

In between each video chapter, we will take a Sunday to discuss things important to those in the class, a chapter of a book or a short YouTube video that stimulated discussion and insight. This is an idea that Teresa Mackey suggested, so we will start with her suggestion based on a chapter in a book by Rachel Held Evans.

DINNER CLUB

COMING THIS FALL

Sign-Up Sheet in the Narthex

Small Groups Meeting Four (4) Times September thru May
Single/Couples/Families that can include children at the dinner table

Host provides main course

Others bring appetizer, salad, dessert

You don't need to be a whiz in the kitchen!

Menu can be as complex or simple as host would like, steak to pizza.

If you would like to join in but do not wish to host at your home,
please feel free to utilize Fellowship Hall or the Gazebo.

Sign-Up or Contact Alice Karpa: karpamt@gmail.com

by Sunday, September 6th

Hellertown Community Day
Dimmick Park in Hellertown
Saturday August 15th
10am-3pm

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Sign-Up Sheet in the Narthex
Contact Dave Willard
631-697-7970 stixny@aol.com

Maureen DeBellis

Spiritual Director

email: spiritdirect@clcht.org



Spiritual Direction sessions,
in-person or online, are
offered to members of Christ Lutheran at a
discounted rate of \$10.

- ★ Wondering where God is in your life?
- ★ Struggling to see God's presence?
- ★ Feeling a holy disconnect?
- ★ Desiring a deepening life of prayer?

**When these kinds of questions and
interests begin to stir,
Spiritual Direction
may be what you are looking for.**

“Back to School” SUPPLY DRIVE

Christ Lutheran is currently collecting school supplies for students in the Saucon Valley Area School District. The supplies will be distributed through the Hellertown Area Food Bank. We are requesting donations of the following items: crayons, markers, pencils with erasers, folders, single- and multi-subject notebooks, lined paper, etc. Please place your donations in the designated box located in the Volunteer Room off the Narthex. Thank you. **COLLECTION DEADLINE: SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH**

Contact Corky Blake at corkyb1313@aol.com or 610-462-2356



Christ Lutheran Church

10am Sunday Worship

Summer Music Series

Bonnie Banks-Beers, Coordinator

July 19th

Holiday Brass

Christmas in July

*Trumpet Ensemble founded by Ken Brader directed by Vince Pettinelli***July 26th**

Mario Marcozzi

SV High School Alumnus and Teacher

*Vocalist***August 2nd**

The Prismatic Players of Reclaimed Performing Arts Company

*Theatre Music**Friendship Day**Ella Fitzgerald & Frank Sinatra***August 9th**

Civic Theatre's "Act Out Loud" Teen Campers

*"Godspell" Music***August 16th**

Cindi Greatsinger

National Elvis Week

*Vocalist***August 23rd**

Enid Rank

Hymn Sing Service

*Song Leader***August 30th**

Frank DiBussolo Trio

Amy Kares, Special Guest Vocalist

*Jazz Music**Gary Staples, Organ**Dave Willard, Drums*

	Church	Learning Center	Total	Year-To-Date thru June 2026	
Rec	\$345,907	\$494,124	\$840,031		
Exp	-\$324,572	-\$478,990	-\$803,562	Budgeted Giving	\$278,538
Total	\$ 21,335	\$ 15,134	\$ 36,469	Actual Giving	\$259,520

AUGUST Volunteers	2	9	16	23	30
COFFEE HOUR		Worship & Music Team	Diane Stehly Kelly Meyer		McNeish Family
SOUND TECH	Kurt Rank	Kurt Rank	Kurt Rank	Kurt Rank	Kurt Rank
A/V TECH	Ken Doremus	Mark Stana	Mark Stana	Ken Doremus	Kevin Gough
COMMUNION	Karen Milla Louise Wagner			Quiet Communion	
GREETER/USHER	Enid & Kurt Rank	Donna & Dave Shankweiler	Kim & Corky Blake	Carol Dishmon Claire Kostbar	Reg Sands Fran Corl
READINGS	Tiffany Wilten	Kevin Gough	Mary Ann Horvath	Carolyn Raudenbush	Tim Brown
PRAYERS	Kevin Gough	Enid Rank	Judy CC	Glenn Butterfield	Tiffany Wilten