

# 'Till We Meet Again!

November 16 and 17, 2019

# **BETHLEHEM EMERGENCY SHELTER**



The Bethlehem Emergency Shelter (BES) is one of the many missions with which the UPG has been actively involved. The shelter opens on November 19. In

addition to our commitment to volunteer, volunteers are needed for community nights on November 23, 30 and December 24. Help is also needed on Christmas Day.

Another way to be of assistance is to attend the **fundraising dinner** at East Hills Moravian Church, 1830 Butztown Road, Bethlehem, PA on **December 10, 2019.** Enjoy a Moravian Dinner Night with a buffet dinner, music and a Christmas Putz. Dinner and music are 5-7:00 PM. Putz showings will be 4:30 PM and 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$25 for a silver sponsor, \$50 for a gold sponsor, \$7 for ages 6-12 and Free for 5 and under. Checks can be made payable to Bethlehem Emergency Sheltering. To purchase tickets or for more information, please contact Bob Wingrove 610-867-0537 or East Hills Moravian Church Office at 610-868-6481.

The UPG has partnered with Star of Bethlehem to provide coverage at the BES, with our congregation being responsible to provide a meal and volunteers on the **1st Tuesday of each month** from **December through April.** If you still need to sign up for you volunteer slot, please contact Michel Lloyd or Kelly Cascario. Thank you for your willingness to serve!

BLOOD DRIVE There will be a blood drive December 15 at LoC from 8-Noon.



# CHRISTMAS INGATHERING



In addition to the UPG commitment to provide 175 bars of soap and 175 washcloths, additional donations of the following items are also appreciated: new or good used tow-

els, blankets, sheets, pillow cases, caps, gloves, mittens, scarves, baby clothes and any new or good used board games (with all the pieces), toys, puzzles and playing cards. **The donation deadline is Sunday, December 1st.** 

#### **CHRISTMAS TEA**



ALL WOMEN of the UPG are invited to attend a Christmas Tea on **Tues**day, **December 3**, 2019 at 11:15 AM in the Social

Room on the St. Peter's Campus. Feel free to bring a tea cup or mug, a snack to share, or some of your Christmas cookies.

The Advent Bible Study is from 9:30 to 11:00 AM, also in the Social Room.

#### WINTERFEST

The second annual Winterfest will be held on the Light of Christ campus on **December 7** 



from 4-7:00 PM. We will have guitar players and singers, a barbershop quartet, a person making balloon creatures, a live nativity scene, children's games, and food. Santa and his elf will be here for the children. Parents may take photos. An ugly sweater contest will be held with a 1<sup>st</sup> place prize. Dig out that old ugly sweater and wear it proudly. Come and join us for fun and fellowship.

# **CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE**

On December 1<sup>st</sup>, the Giving Tree at St. Peter's will be decorated with gift tags for a boy or girl. Please purchase a pair of children's mittens or

gloves and a hat (for ages 3-5) and return the items to the church in a clear plastic Ziploc bag along with a \$3 donation for the purchase of a children's book. These gifts will be given to the Head Start children on St. Peter's campus.

On December 1<sup>st</sup>, the Giving Tree at Light of Christ will be decorated with paper

Christmas trees tags that will request a donation of \$20 for a pair of "Shoes That Grow." Your gift of \$20 will provide a type of sandal that can be expanded to "grow" five sizes for a

> child in an undeveloped country. (You will find a sample shoe in front of the Narthex Christmas tree.)

Please make checks payable to Light of Christ and include your envelope number and write "shoes" on the memo line; return the check

with the "tree" tag to the church office by Christmas Eve.

# THIS WEEK IN THE UPG November 17-24, 2019

#### **Sunday November 17**

8:45 AM	Worship (St. P)
9:30 AM	Sunday School (LoC)
9:30-10:30 AM	Bible Breakfast
	(LoC Fellowship Hall)
10:00 AM	Sunday School (St. P)
11:00 AM	Worship (LoC)
3:00 PM	Kemmerer Piano Recital
	(LoC)
4:30 PM	UPG Youth Group (LoC)
7:00 PM	NA (LoC)

#### **Monday November 18**

6:30 PM	Crafters' Group (St. P UCF)
7:00 PM	practice—Dart Baseball
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#### **Tuesday November 19**

- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (St. P)
  11:15 AM Blanket making (St. P social room)
  7:00 PM NA (LoC)
  7:00 PM Church Council
  - (St. P Social Room)

#### Wednesday November 20

9:00 AM	Christian serv. (LoC)
6:30 PM	Holden Evening Prayer (St. P)
7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal (St. P)
7:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal (LoC)

# Thursday November 21

5-9:00 PM	Champ Force Cheer
	(St. P—gym)
7:00 PM	AA (LoC)
7:30 PM	PGHI Worship (St. P)

# Friday November 22

6:00 PM	LVCCC Worship (St. P)
8:30-10:30 PM	PGHI (St. P)

# Saturday November 23

5:00 PM Worship (LoC) 7:30-10:00 PM PGHI (St. P)

# Sunday November 24

#### CHRIST THE KING DAY

8:45 AM Worship (St. P)
9:30 AM Sunday School (LoC)
10:00 AM Sunday School (St. P)
11:00 AM Worship (LoC)
7:00 PM NA (LoC)

