



Food for Thought:

A reader of a British newspaper wrote a "Letter to the Editor" which read as follows:

Dear Sir, I notice that preachers seem to set a great deal of importance on their sermons, and spend a great deal of time preparing them. I have been going to church quite regularly over the past 30 years and, during that time, if I estimate correctly, I have listened to no less than 3,000 sermons. But, to my amazement, I have discovered that I cannot remember a single one of them. I wonder if the preacher's time might be more profitably spent on something else?

The letter created a deluge of pro and con responses until the following letter arrived and pretty much ended the debate:

My Dear Sir, I have been married for 30 years. During this time, I ate more than 30,000 meals, mostly of my wife's cooking. Suddenly I have discovered that I cannot remember the menu of a single meal. An yet, I received nourishment from every one of them. I have the distinct impression that without them I would have starved to death long ago.

Father's Day Bulletin

Greetings, Congregation!

The Women's Fellowship would again like to recognize our fathers with our traditional Father's Day Bulletin. Since we are unable to gather names with paper copies, we will use the names from last year's bulletin. We will only publish the digital version. If you would like to add any names or make any changes, please send your names to Linda at the church's email address leaksvillemoravian@gmail.com. We will need these names by Monday, June 14, 2021.

This is usually a fundraiser for the Women's Fellowship, but since we cannot do a printed version we are not charging the usual \$1.00 per name fee. However, as always, donations are appreciated.

Esteleé Gullett
Women's Fellowship President

Pray Every Day June 2021

1. No one can serve two masters. Choose today whom you serve. Pray for our country and leaders.
2. Incline your ear, and come to me. Pray for all suffering with Covid-19 virus and that all will use good judgment.
3. May the Lord give you peace at all times. Pray for the Teshes in Kenya.
4. He chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world. Pray for the Sutton's with WEC.
5. He has helped Israel in remembrance of His promise. Pray for Moravian outreach in Nepal.
6. Sunday-Those who counsel peace have joy. Pray for those still suffering loss due to disasters.
7. Let me hear of your steadfast love. Pray for those struggling to provide for their families.
8. The kingdom of God is righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. Pray for Dr. Benno and Teresa Marx.
9. We must pay closer attention to what we have heard. Pray for Moravian ministers and for churches needing them to bring God's word.
10. For the love of God, we obey His command. Pray for Phil and Eunice Raiford.
11. But, who do you say that I am?" Pray that our government leaders will lead the country back to God.
12. Pride goes before destruction. Pray for Brian and Heather Marx with MAF.
13. Sunday-It is good to give thanks to the Lord. Pray for Annie B Missions (Star Mt)
14. The Lord is good to those who wait for Him. Pray for Justin Rabbach (BWM).
15. Devote yourselves to prayer. Pray for Moravians in Peru.
16. By grace you have been saved. Pray for Jenna and Andrew Craver in Alaska.
17. You have tasted that the Lord is good. Pray for the Hoffmans in HIV/AIDS Ministry.
18. He will strengthen you and guard you from evil. Pray for Unity Women's Desk.
19. Woe to those who plan iniquity. Pray for the Harrisons with Greek University.
20. Sunday-Seek the Lord while He may be found. Pray for the Sineaths in Campus Outreach.
21. Come to me all of you who are weary and heavy laden. Pray for Allan and DeeDee Iobst in France.
22. The steadfast love of the Lord is everlasting. Pray for Steve and Ann Marx with MAF.
23. I will lift my hands and worship you. Pray for Kevin and Charity in the Middle East.
24. Let the Lord go with us, I pray. Pray for Charlie and Vickie Brent in Texas.
25. His truth will be your shield and buckler. Pray for Alas de Socorro in Honduras.
26. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Pray for the food programs taking care of children without good nutrition.
27. Sunday-. With God all things are possible. Pray for Armando Rusindo Foundation.
28. They are mine and I will spare them. Pray for Adopt A Village in Tanzania
29. He came to call sinners to repentance. Pray for the Thiessens in Mexico.
30. Take hold of the eternal life, to which you have been called. Pray for Safiatu Braima and the church in Sierra Leone.



CELEBRATING GOD'S PERFECT COLORS

Commemorating the Founding of St. Philips Moravian Church



2021 CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL & LOVEFEAST

Sunday, August 15, 2021 | 4:00 PM ET

Interactive Online Experience & Livestreamed Lovefeast

MoravianBCM.org



COVID-19 UPDATE

The Joint Board has met and has approved opening our Sunday Service on May 23, 2021. We will be singing hymns and congregational responses. The nursery and Sunday Schools will be available. We will keep social distancing intact and

Church administrators, educators, and clergy:

Please help us spread the word through the next several weeks about the upcoming Children's Festival and Lovefeast by using the graphics, flyers, and bulletin/newsletter blurb found at the bottom of this email.

In addition to this year's online experience, the BCM's Children & Family Task Force will distribute "grab bags" for churches to share with each of the children in their congregation. To ensure enough bags for all – please let us know how many bags you will need for your congregation's children by July 1, 2021. Simply [complete this short survey](#) to provide us the number of people participating in this year's festival. **ONLY ONE SUBMISSION PER CHURCH, PLEASE!**



June Birthdays

- 19 June Hicks
- 24 Melanie Curry
- 26 Josh Gullett
- 28 Arlean Christman
- 29 Barry Martin

June Anniversaries

- 8 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Middleton
- 10 Mr. & Mrs. Jimmie Mungle
- 29 Mr. & Mrs. Michael Hurd
- 29 Mr. & Mrs. Wallace Law

Cooperative Christian Ministries

CCM Food Bank

The CCM would like to say Thank You for all the donations during this unusual time of COVID. If you know of anyone that may be in need in the Eden area please let them know about our weekly food bank.

**The CCM Food Bank is open
Thursday from 9:30 am-12:00 pm**

We continue to operate as a drive-up for its clients. Volunteers meet the clients at their cars and take their information and give them their allotted amount of food. We want to continue to serve the needs of our community as long as possible while keeping our volunteers, clients and church staff safe.

Online Items of Interest:

While we are all staying home, here are some online resources that might interest you:

Old Salem Exploratorium: A series of 5- to 10-minute experiences that will bring you in direct visual (but not physical!) contact with Old Salem master craftsman and educators.

<https://www.oldsalem.org/calendar-programs/exploratorium/>

Museum of Early Decorative Arts: Watch selected videos from the MESDA program:

<https://mesda.org/programs/program-videos/>

Moravian Music Foundation: Click this link for Moravian Music Foundation's YouTube Channel, full of free videos of lectures, music, music education, and concerts.

2021 Watchword for Leaksville Moravian Church

*The earth, O Lord, is full of your steadfast love;
teach me your statutes.*

Psalm 119:64

Online Worship Opportunities:

Moravian Church Without Walls (MCWW) offers virtual services on their Facebook page. Here is a link to their Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/moraviancww/>

Online Services (Livestreaming, Webcasting, Watching Services on Web)

Several Moravian congregations livestream their Sunday morning worship services online and intend to do so for the near future. These services will be geared toward an online audience, using only essential pastoral and music staff. Visit their websites to learn more about how to watch these services. Note that all times are Eastern Standard.

- [Calvary Moravian Church](#) — 11:00 AM
- [Clemmons Moravian Church](#) – 10:30 AM through [Facebook](#)
- [Home Moravian Church](#) – 10:00 AM
- [Friedberg Moravian Church](#) — 11:00 AM
- [New Philadelphia Moravian Church](#) — 10:00 AM through [Facebook](#)
- [Trinity Moravian Church](#) –11:00 am EST

I am involved in each moment of your life. I have carefully mapped out every inch of your journey through this day, even though much of it may feel haphazard. Because the world is in a fallen condition, things always seem to be unraveling around the edges. Expect to find trouble in this day. At the same time, trust that *My way is perfect*, even in the midst of such messy imperfection. Stay conscious of Me as you go through this day, remembering that I never leave your side. Let the Holy Spirit guide you step by step, protecting you from unnecessary trials and equipping you to get through whatever must be endured. As you trudge through the sludge of this fallen world, keep My Presence shines on you, giving you Peace and Joy that circumstances cannot touch.



Memorials

In Memory of Betty Severance Estelleé Gullett
 In Memory of Quesell Scott Estelleé Gullett
 In Memory of Robert Simyon..... Estelleé Gullett



Caring and Sharing

Please remember in your prayers:
 Our prayers are with:



...all Moravian church leaders
 ...our congregation
 ...our families
 ...our neighbors
 ...our medical care-givers
 ...our communities – both near and far



Welcome Peter John Uhl, III
 Baptized Sunday, May 16, 2021

Congratulations

Paige Pennbeaker. Paige graduated from Chapel Hill on Sunday, May 16th with a Bachelor of Arts in English/Comparative Writing. Page is the granddaughter of Marilyn Pennebacker.



Hannah Jane Christman. Hannah is graduating from SW Guilford High School and will be attending Appalachian University in the fall. Hannah is the daughter of Brindon & Ginny Christman, granddaughter of Arlean Christman

Chole Christman. Chloe is graduating from Western Alamance High School and will be attending UNC Wililmington in the fall. Chloe is the daughter of Joel & Shea Christman, Grand Daughter of Arlean Christman

Hallie Elizabeth Carver. Hallie is graduating from Southern Alamance High School and will be attending High Point University in the fall. Hallie is the granddaughter of Jonathan & Sherry Hall.



PRAYER LIST



Barbara Calhoun
 Darlene Dyer
 Rhonda Elliot
 Jesse Edwards
 Mark Ellis
 Josh Gullett
 Roy Kasten
 Chris Lyle
 Sherrill Malnofski
 Charles Marlowe

Anna Martin
 Barry, Marie & Butch Martin
 Chris Martin
 Anne Miley-Bost
 Kathy Oakley
 Martha Smith
 Cathy Tucker
 Tony & June Walker
 Boston Yanotti

Please forgive us if we have left anyone's name off of this list. If you would like to leave a prayer request for someone, please fill out a Prayer Request form located in the pew pockets and place in the offering plate or visit our website at www.leaksvillemoravianchurch.org and click on the Prayer Request icon.

Leaksville Moravian Church—Mission Statement

To teach the Word of God.
 To experience the salvation of Jesus Christ.
 To offer Christian fellowship, and
 provide opportunities to serve others.

Leaksville Moravian Church

June 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6 9:45 Sunday School 11:00—Worship	7	8 A- Bob & Carol Middleton	9	10 A-Jimmie & Judy Mungle	11	12
13 9:45 Sunday School 11:00—Worship	14	15	16	17	18	19 B-June Hicks
20 9:45 Sunday School 11:00—Worship Father's Day	21	22	23	24 B-Melanie Curry	25	26 B-Josh Gullett
27 9:45 Sunday School 11:00—Worship	28 B-Arlean Christman	29 B-Barry Martin A-Mike & Jennifer Hurd A-Wallace & Irene Law	30	<div style="text-align: right;"> <p><i>I can do ALL THINGS through Christ who STRENGTHENS me.</i></p> <p>—Phillippians 4:13</p>  </div>		