



## Bausman Memorial United Church of Christ

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### **Pastor Joseph Motz Called as Bausman's Settled Pastor**

On Sunday, March 17, the congregation of Bausman Memorial UCC held a congregational meeting during which time a vote was taken to extend a pastoral call to Pastor Joe. The vote for the call was unanimous. Congratulations, Pastor Joe and welcome, officially, to you, Jessica, Olivia, Natalie and Caitlyn.

### **Pastor Joe's Official Installation Service—May 19, 2024**

Mark your calendars for a special worship service at 3:30 pm on May 19, 2024 during which time Pastor Joe will be officially installed as Bausman's settled pastor. A reception with light refreshments will be held after the service. More details to follow.

### **Prospective New Member's Class Orientation—April 7, 2024**

If you are interested in hearing more about becoming a member of Bausman, you are invited to attend a Prospective New Member's Class Orientation session immediately following the worship service on April 7.

### **May Newsletter**

**Deadline  
April 18**

Submit articles, announcements, updates, photos, and items of interest to keep members, guests, and friends connected and invited.

### **Send to:**

[office@bausmanucc.org](mailto:office@bausmanucc.org) or  
[ritwoyo@aol.com](mailto:ritwoyo@aol.com)



## **“Still the Same, But Completely Different”**

“Jesus said to them ‘come and have breakfast.’...He came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.” – John 21:12-14

I love John’s telling of the resurrection, because it speaks so well to the human condition. After all the hype and the hoopla, after all the fears and the breathing upon them of the Holy Spirit, after Thomas’ great moment of doubt, it seems like life has gone back to normal. Except it hasn’t.

Without Jesus around to lead and direct their every move, the disciples go back to what they know. They go back to fishing. Just like they always had done. Except, they now live in a world in which Jesus has been raised from the dead. And not just that, they live in a world in which they have been called and claimed to God’s ministry. It makes a difference that they cannot escape, even as they look to go back to what they had always known.

In the third and final appearance of Jesus to the disciples, he calls them from their boats and nets and fish to eat breakfast with him. The imagery of the dawning of a new day foreshadows the reality awaiting them in that meal. The disciples went into the night on their own and came up empty. But in the morning, as they responded to Jesus’ words spoken to them, their nets became full. And now they sit with him by the fire-side, filling themselves with what he has provided. A filling that culminates in the words “follow me.”

From an outsider’s perspective, everything would have seemed the same, but to those who shared in that morning’s meal, it was clear that everything had become different. The reality of years of discipleship crystallized in that moment, as well as the ministry birthed through the cross and Christ’s resurrection. Though the world looked exactly the same, they could not escape the fact that they were now completely different.

We also stand at the dawn of a new beginning where Christ is inviting us to come, and sit, and eat, and listen, that we too might follow. Like the disciples before us the temptation is to go back to what we have always known, what we have always done, once the whoopla has ended. Easily, you could say nothing has changed. While at the same time everything is now completely different. After years of transition, uncertainty, and challenge, a new day has dawned.

Let us be bold in listening and responding to the Resurrected One who has brought us to this moment and now calls us forth to follow in his calling.

Yours In Christ,

Pastor Joe

## **FUTURE SUNDAY SERVICES AND EVENTS**

### **Prospective New Member's Class - Orientation Gathering, April 7th**

Are you interested in taking a deeper step in your discipleship to Christ? Are you excited about what you have seen and experienced of Bausman's ministry? Would you like to be numbered among those who help to shape and guide this congregation's future?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, you are invited to participate in a new member's orientation class following worship on April 7<sup>th</sup>. During this 30-minute discussion you will learn about the new member's program, have the opportunity to ask questions, and help select the schedule for the classes.

If you are interested, but cannot attend on April 7<sup>th</sup>, please reach out to Pastor Joe before the orientation so your future scheduling needs can be included in planning the classes.

### **April 14<sup>th</sup> – Bible Presentation**

Join in the celebration on April 14<sup>th</sup>, as Bausman's Sunday School youth receive their Bibles during the worship service. Youth 4<sup>th</sup> grade and older will receive an Access Study Bible (NRSV translation) that will be used in Sunday School and during their Confirmation Class. Youth, second to third grade, will receive a "Deep Blue Kids Bible" (Common English Bible translation) which is perfect for their learning and growth in Sunday School and at home.

### **April 21<sup>st</sup> Townhall & May 5<sup>th</sup> Congregational Meeting**

Since January, the Finance Team, Committees, and Consistory, have been working to faithfully develop a full 2024 budget that includes financial projections into 2025. The goal has been to create a realistic, faith filled budget, that moves the congregation towards financial sustainability while investing in the staff and ministries central to Bausman's vitality.

On April 21<sup>st</sup>, you are invited to stay following worship for a townhall meeting to review, discuss, and comment on the budget proposal. Feedback will be incorporated into a final form of the budget proposal that will be voted upon on May 5<sup>th</sup>, at a congregational meeting held immediately after worship.

Thank you for joining in these conversations of care and longing for living out God's leading of this congregation.

### **May 12<sup>th</sup> – Cantata**

This Mother's Day will be a great day of celebration at Bausman. Invite mothers and friends for this hymn based cantata that is sure to fill the soul and move the spirit of all who gather!

### **May 19<sup>th</sup>, 3:30 pm – Official Installation Service For Pastor Joe**

Mark your calendars for a special worship service in which we, in partnership with the Covenant Association, will formally install Pastor Joe as the settled pastor of Bausman. This service will include clergy from throughout the region and representation from the Pennsylvania Southeast Conference. A time of food and fellowship will follow this service of celebration, covenant, and God's blessing.

## **Becoming An Apron Church – Tip #1**

When you are parking on Sunday for worship, are you parking with guests and other members in mind? If you are physically able to walk with relative ease, are you parking at a distance to reserve the best spots for members with mobility challenges and guests who statistically arrive in the 5 minutes before or after worship services begin?

Yes, it is an inconvenience to park at a distance and walk. This is especially true when there is rain or snow cover. My kids regularly ask me why I have to park so far away (which honestly isn't that far. I park at the bottom of Belmont most Sundays. And on Christmas Eve I parked on Fairview with the expectation of more members, friends, and guests to make space for.) "You're the pastor. You should have your own spot," they tell me. My response is that us walking is part of our hospitality and sharing Christ's love and care for others.

Being an apron church invites us to think of our parking decisions as ministry. Plus, here are some things to know:

You can drop off your passengers in the semi-circle drive before parking (and you can even pick them up again after the worship service if desiring).

The dentist across from the semi-circle drive graciously lets us use his parking lot Sunday mornings. These are great spots for members since there is no easy way to communicate the availability of these spots to guests

You can park on Penn Avenue on Sunday for more than an hour. Just pay attention to the signs that tell you how far to park from the intersection to ensure people can clearly see traffic when pulling out onto Penn Ave.

## **Redner's Receipts: Help Earn Free Money for Bausman**

Did you know Bausman collects Redner's receipts, big and small, to raise money that supports our ministry? Last year, \$558 was raised through Redner's receipts that would otherwise be thrown in the trash. What is great about this program is we can receive the receipts from anyone who shops at Redner's. They don't have to be a member. They don't need to scan a special card. All they need is to hand you their complete Redner's receipt and you to drop it off at the church (either in the church office or the box in the East Narthex). Let's aim for \$700 in free Redner's receipt money this year!

Thank you to Lois Talarigo and Helen Fisher who faithfully prepare our receipts for submission to Redner's. And thank you to each of you who provides receipts in support of God's ministry.

## **Reviving the Giant Grocery Card Team – Free Money – 30 minutes of service**

By giving 30-45 minutes of time after worship once a month, you could help Bausman raise thousands of dollars to invest in ministry. How? By helping members, friends, and guests conveniently and easily purchase Giant Grocery store gift cards (and possibly other stores in the future). The cards are sold at face value, so the purchaser doesn't lose a cent of what they pay for the cards. And the church receives 5% of the sale. With a household of 4 easily spending \$1,000 a month on groceries, that could translate into \$600 of money raised for the church's ministry each year per family.

If you would like to learn more, contact Pastor Joe, who is helping to get the revived team off the ground.

## TRANSITION TEAM FINAL UPDATE

The Transition Team started in January 2022 and was suppose to be a 6– 8-month commitment. After 2 years and 2 months our job ended. I want to personally thank Lori Moser, Bob Showalter, Carrie Spayd and Dena Wertz for all their time and commitment to this team and Bausman. I have loved working with this team and so happy we were able to bring Pastor Joe to Bausman in August 2022. The Bausman family voted Pastor Joe as our settled Pastor on March 17, 2024 and our job as Transition has been completed.

Thank you also to Mary Rebecca Keller, Maureen Longenecker and Michele Wolfskill for all their time and work in compiling our Long Profile in order to offer the official Call to Pastor Joe. It was not an easy task and they did a fantastic job.

Happy Spring,  
Cece Wagner  
Former Transition Team Chair



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL COORDINATOR WANTED

The Christian Education Committee is seeking someone who would be willing to take the lead on organizing Vacation Bible School for this summer. We have supplies, a budget, and people willing to help. For more information please speak with Carrie Spayd or any of the Sunday school teachers. Thank you!

**Bulletin & Flower Sponsorships – Updated Process**

To become a sponsor, complete a sponsorship form by the church office. Submit the completed form, along with your payment, to the office to register your sponsorship. When paying online, please be sure to include the “processing fee offset” into the final payment amount. Thank you for becoming a 2024 sponsor!

**Altar Flower Sponsors**

April 7 - Rod and Marge Baer In celebration of our Wedding Anniversary

April 14

April 21 -

April 28 - Tom and Sue Wentzel In celebration of our 47th Wedding Anniversary

**Bulletin Sponsors**

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April 14 -

April 21—Bibba McKemy and Daughters Happy Birthday, Hal, Love your girls!

April 28 -

**BAUSMAN MEMORIAL UCC**  
**BULLETIN/ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORSHIP REQUEST**  
**BULLETINS \$15 EACH/TWO FOR \$25      ALTAR FLOWERS \$45**  
*Complete this form and return to the office with payment to be signed up as a sponsor.*

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Sponsorship Requested:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Type:**  Bulletin  Altar Flowers

Message: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Flower Request (*Type/color, etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Sponsorship Requested:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Type:**  Bulletin  Altar Flowers

Message: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Flower Request (*Type/color, etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Sponsorship Requested:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Type:**  Bulletin  Altar Flowers

Message: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Flower Request (*Type/color, etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_  **Cash**  **Check #** \_\_\_\_\_  **Online (Date Paid):** \_\_\_\_\_

*Office Use Only*

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_  Payment Verified  Posted on Sponsor Sheet & Database



## MEET YOUR CONSISTORY

### Mary Rebecca Keller

Hello Bausman Family!

My name is Mary Rebecca Keller, and Bausman has always been a part of my life. I am currently in my third year serving on our consistory. I serve on the Christian Education committee, teach Sunday school, serve as a lay reader, and help with fundraising. I have great memories from when I was young here participating in choir and youth fellowship, doing spaghetti dinners and PAL Christmas parties, going on a Habitat for Humanity service trip to Mississippi, and helping with the preschool Sunday school class. I feel as though Bausman has been a big part of instilling in me a desire to serve others, both in and out of church.

While in my 20's I spent many summers in Latin America doing community based health projects in under-privileged communities, and in recent years I have volunteered with the Make-A-Wish foundation, served on the board at the Wyomissing Public Library, and I currently serve as a Girl Scout troop leader. Professionally, I have taught Environmental Education in the Catskills and Spanish to 3-8 graders in Vermont for a few years. For the last 20 years I have taught in the Wyomissing Area School District and currently teach English as a Second Language to 7-12 graders.

Ten years ago this May, I married Ron Keller, and we have two children, Oliver, 8, and Anna, 6. Four years ago we added Tilly, an English Mastiff, to our family. We keep ourselves quite busy with all the great activities this community offers, and enjoy spending our time with family and friends. We live doors away from my mom, Gail Freymoyer, and are lucky to see her throughout the week. We swim in the summer, ski in the winter, go to arts and music festivals, travel when we can (Spain is a favorite), and enjoy doing puzzles and playing games.

I feel incredibly fortunate to live in a community where there are so many people that I've known for so long, including many of you here at Bausman. You have all helped me become the person who I am today, and I am so grateful that my husband and children also get to experience and be a part of this great Bausman Family.

Mary Rebecca

## February Consistory Highlights

1. The Finance/Generosity committee presented and consistory accepted the Project Timeline for extending the 2024 budget (with a maximum deficit of \$20,000) to the end of the year.
2. Consistory approved a motion to officially call for a Congregational Meeting on March 17<sup>th</sup> to vote to call Pastor Joe Motz as Bausman's settled pastor.
3. Consistory approved a motion to approve the Full Time Call Agreement between Bausman Memorial UCC and pastor Joeseph Motz.
4. Consistory approved a motion to give permission to allow Bausman Memorial UCC to perform same-sex marriages within the church.

**April Consistory Meeting - Tuesday, April 9, 7pm**

Presentation requests and reports are due by April 3rd

## MEMORIAL & HONORARIUM CONTRIBUTIONS

We rejoice in the opportunity to celebrate the loved ones remembered and honored through the generous contributions given in their name for the furtherance of God's calling and purposes for Bausman Memorial UCC.

A contribution to the Memorial Fund was given in memory of Rochelle Graeff by:

Priscilla Walsky

Contributions to the Memorial Fund were given in memory of Ruth Levan by:

Priscilla Walsky

Sue Wentink

Contributions to the Memorial Fund were given in memory of Richard Lee by:

Paul and Norma O'Donnell

Sue Wentink



## Phone System Failure – Only Office Phone Active

On Monday March 11<sup>th</sup>, it was discovered that none of the church's phones were functioning. With onsite support from Comcast, we quickly learned the issue was with our phone equipment. Specifically, our phone switch that routes signals throughout the building had failed. This is an issue we have been watching and holding off on addressing due to other pressing needs and the cost associated with the repair/replacement. At this point we have been able to connect the office phone with a patch that bypasses the failed switch. However, all other phones remain inoperable. At this point we are exploring options and vendors to determine pricing and possibilities on how to best return full phone service to the facility. This process is expected to take several weeks as a minimum.



# “You Are Not Alone” Grandparents Raising Grandchildren



**Date:** Saturday April 20

**Time:** 1:00-5:00 pm

**Location:** Calvary Reformed  
United Church of Christ  
640 Centre Avenue  
Reading, PA 19601

This program is being presented to provide resources, connections and support for grandparents who are raising their grandchildren.

**Register at:** <https://psecraisegrandchildren.eventbrite.com>

## Program Highlights:

- Grandparents Panel: Sharing their experiences
- Resources and Support Group information
- Discussion groups by County: Sharing resources, issues, and support
- Mix & Mingle

## Other info:

- Free Event!
- Snacks & drinks provided
- Supervised children's activities throughout the program
- Handicap Accessible

*Hosted by PSEC Addiction & Recovery Task Force*

## PROPERTY COMMITTEE

### Have your event at Bausman!

Did you know that an average of 12 groups use Bausman each week for meetings, practice, and events?

We are continuing to invite members and nonmembers, community groups, non-profits, local schools, and others to use the Bausman facilities for fellowship, community service, and events that support the community.

As of April 1, 2024, all groups that use the facility (including events hosted or sponsored by the church) will need to sign a Facility Use Agreement. If you need one, please contact the church office for a Facility Request Form at least 6 weeks before the event.

\*Wedding and Funeral Requests should be directed to the Pastor and do not need a Facility Request Form because of the spiritual and time sensitive nature and planning of these events.



### Property Committee Help Wanted

Join our  
Committee



It's the beginning of a new season and a perfect time to join the **Property Committee**. We have a lot to do! We are working on documenting our current systems, fixing issues, and shifting things to maintenance programs, but we also enjoy ourselves. If you are handy around your house, if you have problem solving skills, or if you are good at managing projects or your home, we could use your help!

Please reach out to Chris or Dena Wertz, (Property Chairpersons) and we can share the upcoming projects at Bausman.

### April Safety Tip!

For minor injuries like cuts and scrapes, there are six **first aid kits** available on each level of Bausman. You can find them in Fellowship Hall and the Kitchen on the ground floor, in the Sanctuary and the Office on the first floor, and in the 2nd floor hallway and the southeast stairs.

The first aid kits have band aids, antiseptic, gauze pads, tape, antiseptic cream, cleansing wipes, alcohol prep pads, exam gloves, cold compress, scissors, tweezers, and first aid guide.



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## TAYLOR SWIFT CONCERT REFLECTIONS

From Susie and Dale Derr:

Many of our congregation might remember our daughter Alison, who was in 10th grade when we joined Bausman UCC. She was an active member of the church Youth Group while she was in high school. Now a mother of three, a Navy wife, and a Navy Reservist herself, she recently had the good fortune of seeing the Taylor Swift Era's Tour in Tokyo, Japan, where she and her family are currently stationed. Her Facebook post after the concert was so poignant that we wanted to share it with our Bausman Family and those of us who were here when Taylor Swift was just a young girl:



Ali's Post:

“It was the end of a decade but the start of an age.” When I was a senior in high school, I mentored our middle school confirmation class at church. There was a shy, musically talented girl in our group with long curly hair who was incredibly pensive and thoughtful. Her name was Taylor Swift. She wasn't around too much because she was constantly traveling between Pennsylvania and Nashville, trying to launch her career. But when she was there, she was your typical middle school girl. Awkward, shy and desperate to be liked by everyone. On Christmas Eve, she performed a song she had written that day that I heard on an album years later. Looking back, it was incredible to see her raw art in such an intimate setting. Like many, my entire adulthood is marked by her music. Seeing her perform live for the first time since that Christmas Eve almost 20 years ago, and as one of the most powerful female icons in the world, was an incredibly moving experience. As I head into my 40s later this year, I cannot fathom a better way to remind

me of all the life experiences and soundtracks that have led me to this point and the excitement I have for the chapter that's ahead. As I watched her perform nonstop for 3.5 hours, I laughed, cried, and smiled as all the memories that her music evokes flooded back to me. It's been an insane few weeks in our house, but I'm grateful for the friends who offered positive peer pressure to ensure I didn't miss this historic event, for my husband who didn't freak out when I told him how much I spent on a ticket 2 days before the event, and for Taylor and her incredible music. #longlive 🎵

## SOAR NEWS

### Knit Hat Ministry:

During the month of April we will be collecting donations of yarn for the knit hat ministry as we begin our mission of knitting, crocheting or looming hats for the 2024 Winter season. If anyone is interested in learning how to loom, crochet or knit hats, we will have an instructional session on April 7<sup>th</sup> starting at 11 am. If this time doesn't work, please call Bonnie Shiner at 610-823-6701. All equipment, instructions and yarn will be provided. Please drop your yarn in the container in the East Narthex.

### Lent Canned Food Collection:

Thank you Bausman for the terrific response to the canned food drive for the Calvary UCC food pantry during Lent. The cans will be sorted and delivered the week following Easter.

### Reflections of Turtle Island:

We will be sending a donation in the amount of \$200 to REFLECTIONS OF TURTLE ISLAND, INC. This group of Native Americans are Oglala Sioux of Wanblee, South Dakota. They are extremely poor people who need to travel about 200 miles round trip to the nearest market! This donation helps to send food and supplies to these people.

### Family Promise:

Family Promise week for May will be May 13th - May 19th. We will need 3 meals for 3 families on Monday, May 13th. If interested, please contact Sue Wentink.

### Opportunity House:

Our date for the Opportunity House Meal is May 26th. We will need to have volunteers to provide the meal and serve it. If interested, please contact Sue Wentink.

### Disaster Relief:

There will be a disaster relief offering on May 19th.

## FUND RAISING OPPORTUNITIES

Thank you to everyone who volunteered for and supported the Pork and Sauerkraut Dinner. Having a combined take-out/eat in event was very successful. Those who chose to eat in were able to enjoy a time of stewardship while enjoying the dinner. We were able to raise around \$1,600 from the dinner. Thank



### MOTHERS' DAY WEEKEND

#### PLANT SALE

Join us on Saturday, May 11 for our annual Mothers' Day Weekend Plant Sale from 9 am to Noon. The sale will be held outside in the area just off the circle near the front of the church. We will have patio/deck planters of various sizes, hanging baskets, vegetable and herb plants for sale. The plants will be from Penny Hill Farms. The event will move into Fellowship Hall if it rains.

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Get Connected With These Great Events

### BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will be meeting on April 17<sup>th</sup> to discuss “Horse” by Geraldine Brooks and we will meet at the home of Jim and Cindra Payne, and in May we will read “The Old Man and the Sea” by Ernest Hemingway and meet for a potluck dinner on May 15<sup>th</sup> at the home of Dale and Susie Derr.



### PROGRESSIVE DINNER!

The Progressive Dinner will be held on April 20<sup>th</sup> starting at 5 pm. We will gather at Gail Freymoyer’s home for appetizers, move to various homes for dinner and then gather at a yet to be determined house for dessert. This is an adult only gathering. Please sign up on the bulletin board outside of the library.

If you are interested in hosting for dinner please indicate that on the sign up sheet. Everyone will be asked to bring something to this event. (appetizer, dessert or a side dish for dinner). This event will end at approximately 9 pm.

Any questions, please reach out to Sue Wentzel at [suew@bpmill.com](mailto:suew@bpmill.com) or 484-333-8813

## Financial Report as of February 2024

### Year to Date Operating Financials

	February 2024 Actual	February 2024 YTD Totals	Budget YTD	Variance to Budget YTD
<b>General Operating Fund Unrestricted Revenue</b>	\$19,864	\$48,448	\$52,948	(\$4,500)
<b>General Operating Fund Expenses</b>	\$24,926	\$51,433	\$52,231	(\$798)
<b>Gain/(Loss)</b>	(\$5,062)	(\$2,985)		

### Commentary

Our expenses for the 1<sup>st</sup> 2 months are 3.7% under the year to date budget. Unfortunately our revenue was below expenses for February by \$5,000.

Several line items in expenses were over budget; particularly the snow removal expense of \$4,550 which exceeded the total 2024 budget of \$3,000. We can hope that as of this point in time we will be done with this expense for the balance of 2024, although no one knows what next December will yield. Our HVAC repairs were also high for the first 2 months due to repairs to the blowers – total expense \$2,913. Overall our expenses for the first 2 months are running under budget by \$2,011 while our revenue is \$4,300 under budget.

### APRIL 2024 WORSHIP ATTENDANTS

Name	7	14	21	28
Acolyte	TBD	Katrin Waetjen	TBD	Oliver Keller
Acolyte	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Altar Guild	Margie Baer Debbie Brubaker	Margie Baer Debbie Brubaker	Margie Baer Debbie Brubaker	Margie Baer Debbie Brubaker
Head Usher	Nevin Hollinger	Sherry Griffith	Dale Derr	Gary Rhoads
Usher	Kathy Errich	Sue Wentink	Margie Baer	
Usher	Cindra Payne	Michele Wolfskill	Rodney Baer	
Usher	Jim Payne	Chad Rutherford	Tom Reardon	
Ushers/Elders				Shelby Brunner Renee Dietrich Patti Shuttlesworth Chris Wertz Jane Bitner (Choir)
Lay Reader	Gary Rhoads	Bob Showalter	Sue Showalter	Carsten Waetjen

## APRIL BIRTHDAYS

2—Jackie Tremble	12—Sue Wentink	23—Hal McKemy
3—Debbi Ehrgood	14—Diane Sulzer	24—William Stobbart
3—Cristina Welch	15—Emmalie Shesniak	24—Paul Smith
6—Dottie Lefever	18—Charlene Ulmer	25—Jan Burkey
6—Barry Weinhold	19—Kaitlyn Reardon	25—Beatrice Spayd
7—Les Moll	20—Susan Paige	28—Vicky Derr
9—Grant Freymoyer	20—Cece Wagner	28—Natalie Motz
10—Andrea Brunner	20—Nicki Wentzel	29—Nicolette Miller



## APRIL ANNIVERSARIES



3—Rod and Margie Baer	23—Alan and Lori Hiester
22—Bob and Patti Shuttlesworth	30—Tom and Sue Wentzel
22—Jan and Judy Burkey	

If you don't see your birthday /anniversary listed and you are a Member, "Friend of Bausman," or a child of a Member/Friend, please contact the church office so we can update our records.



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests can be submitted by using a Welcome Card, contacting the church office, or directly contacting the prayer chain coordinator Mary Moll. Prayer requests are maintained for up to four weeks and can be resubmitted an unlimited number of times. When possible please check with the person before submitting their name.

**Praise & Celebrations:** Christopher Warner on receiving his driver's license; Bausman's Girl Scout Troops; Fundraiser Volunteers and Sales; Bausman's Ministries; The Calling of Rev. Motz

**Healing & Strengthening:** Patsy; Dick; Sue Lewis; Bob Troxell; Ana Rose; Tracy; Stephanie; Dave Cappuccio; Sally; Doug Rauch

**Care & Support:** Marie; Caroline; Barb; Joyce

## Calendar - April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
	8:45 am EG—FH	6:30 pm Worship & Music—Library	8:45 am EG— FH 6:00 Budget and Finance— FH	10:30 am WRG— FH & G2 6:30 pm Bells 7:30 pm Chancel Cho	11 am— Social Com- mittee—FH	
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
8:30 am Chancel Choir 9:30 am Worship and Nursery 11:00 am New Members Orientation 11:00 am Knit Hat Class 3:00 pm Girl Scout Troop 1284 4:00 pm Cub Scout Den 1 4:30 pm Den 10 pack 413— FH 4:30 pm 3rd Grade Girl Scouts—Classroom 23	8:45 am EG—FH	6:30 pm— Consistory—FH	8:45 am EG— FH 6:30 pm Troop 413—FH	10:30 am WRG— FH & G2 6:30 pm Bells 7:30 pm Chancel Choir		
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EG—Exercise Group  
FH—Fellowship Hall

WRG—Women’s Recovery Group



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### Upcoming April Events

- 2nd Worship and Music Committee, 6:30 pm
- 3rd Finance and Generosity Committee, 6:30 pm
- 7th Worship & Nursery  
New Members Orientation Class
- 9th Consistory, 6:30 pm
- 14th 9:30 am Worship, CE Classes, Nursery  
Bible Presentation
- 21st 9:30 am Worship, CE Classes, Nursery  
Townhall after worship
- 22nd Property Committee, 6:30 pm
- 28th 9:30 am Worship, CE Classes, Nursery

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