



WE MISS KRIS! - See Page 3

Doe Run News

Doe Run Presbyterian Church Newsletter

June 2004

A Word From Your Pastor...

June has come and it is time to remember our fallen comrades. This year, especially, we want to remember our soldiers both men and women that are still fighting the war. We sometimes remember those that have given their lives but forget to pray for those that are still fighting. Memorial Day is a day to do both. Take time to remember and to pray for them.

Let's pray: Gracious loving God, we thank you for all the love and beauty you have put into the world in us your children. We ask that you help us protect and save that beauty by stopping all the wars and giving us peace. Help us to learn to live in peace and to learn to love each other. Be with all our troops this Memorial Day, protect them and bring them home soon.

In the name of your Son, the Prince of peace, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Sincerely,

Rev. Walt



We remember these friends in our prayers:
Ralph Beare, Gail Beegle, Roberta Clinton, Kathryn (Toby) Garnett, Alan Hardy, Johnny Johnson, Glen and Barb Kuhn, Kathryn Robinson, Barb Seeger and Shirley C. Williams.

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Congratulations to our high school graduates:
Scott Cheek, Jr., Kristen Heindl, Robert Williams Jr. and Rebekah Worley.

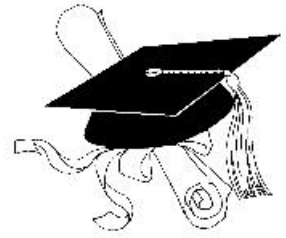
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The Worship Committee has listened to feedback from the congregation through the Long Range Planning Committee. On the fourth Sundays of June, July and August, join us for **contemporary worship services.** We are planning special music and other features that we hope will help welcome new people to our worship. If this is successful and the interest is there, in the long run this may become a regular second service – and part of our outreach to younger families to be part of our future.



Special Events

- Thur. June 3, 7:15 p.m. – PW-Sarah Circle meeting at the home of Doris Spencer.
 Sun. June 6, 10:45 a.m. – Sunday School Sunday worship service.
 Mon. June 7, 7:30 p.m. – Fellowship Committee meeting.
 Thur. June 10, 7:00 p.m. – Board of Trustees meeting.
 Fri. June 11, 6:00 p.m. – Deacons serving dinner at Safe Harbor.
 Sun. June 13, 9:30 a.m. – Worship (*summer schedule through August*);
 Women's Sunday.
 10:30 a.m. – Worship Committee meeting.
 Sat. June 19, 8:00 a.m. – Men's Group meeting at the church.
 Sun. June 20, 9:30 p.m. – Worship, followed by stated meetings of
 Congregation and Corporation.
 Mon. June 21, 7:30 p.m. – Christian Education Committee meeting.
 Sun. June 27, 9:30 a.m. – Worship; Ordination and Installation of officers.



In Brief . . .

Deacons' News

- Did you know that there were 65 flowers in the church on Easter Sunday? It really looked and smelled wonderful. The Palms also were lovely; the Deacons would like to thank Mary and Becky Woodward for providing them.
- John Graves is always looking for people to help on Sunday morning with greeting the congregation as they arrive. Currently he is using the Time and Talent Surveys to find people who wish to greet. If you would like to serve in this capacity, just jot a note to John and put it in his mailbox or speak to him in person.
- More Mission Work . . . A check was sent this week to Safe Harbor for the fine mission work those folks provide in the community. This was part of the Mission Fund. Earlier this year, checks were sent to



The Chester County Association for the Blind, The Coatesville Emergency Food Cupboard, Good Works, and The Medical Benevolence Foundation.

- We continue our collection for the Maris children. With the warm weather here, toys are needed for outdoor play. We continue to collect junior baby food, crackers, and sippy cups. Thank you to the congregation for your kindness and generosity extended to this fine family.
- Many, many thanks to Bill Dyke who served as Moderator of the Deacons this past year. Bill is going off the Board and we thank him for all of his efforts and hard work.
- As summer approaches, let's not forget our shut-ins. If you are interested in helping with visitation, just see any Deacon and we will be happy to have someone to travel with to visit these fine folks!

– Penny Swank



From the editor:

The end of this year brings a sad change to Doe Run – the departure of John and Kris McGuckin. Kris came to Doe Run six years ago as choir director. I served on the search committee that found Kris, after many months of not knowing where to look. We liked what we heard (including Kris playing one of my favorite anthems) and hired her on the spot. Kris was much more than we had hoped for – she'd spent years working with choirs of many different age groups, in many different places, including the Forty-Niners Chorus, which we came to know and love during her tenure here.

Kris took our choir to a new level. We had many new people join, had our abilities challenged in many ways (and we were always up to it), and had lots of fun. Today, much of the reason that Doe Run is what it is, and our worship is what it is, is the choir.

John jumped right in to help anchor our bass section, and also played many a guitar solo. Most of the time John was mild mannered, except when he brought his "hidden Elvis" to the Forty-Niners!

We will miss Kris and John greatly. Maybe we will be able to find a choir director, but Kris cannot be replaced. We wish them every happiness in their new directions and hope they will come join us whenever they can.

– Walter Heindl



Duties

ELDER

- June 6 – Ed Martin
- 13 – Lathea Moskel
- 20 – Sueann Robbins
- 27 – Steve Werner

GREETING

- Sunday School
- Vince & Marie Cavacini
- Janet Moore & Steve Werner
- The Davis Family

READING

- Sunday School
- Ed Martin
- Lathea Moskel
- Sueann Robbins



FLOWERS

- June 6 – Lisa Urban, in honor of Rebecca's 17th birthday
- 13 – The Robbins family, in honor of Cameron's birthday
- 20 – Dave & Nicole Ayers, in honor of their 12th anniversary
- 27 – Walter & Dorrie Carlin, in honor of Walter & Mary's anniversary

COFFEE HOUR

- Sunday School

NURSERY/CHILDREN'S CHURCH

- June 6 – Kim Boulger/
- 13 – Sueann Robbins/
- 20 – Anne Croft/
- 27 – Karen Principe/



Reflections

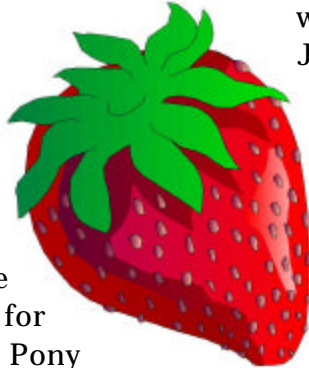
from the Journal of Mary Carlin

The Little House
June 11th, 1962

Mother was in the hospital for five days. A doctor there said that she had a very slight stroke brought on by very high blood pressure. She has been at Evelyn's since she came home.

We had an old-fashioned Strawberry Festival on the Church lawn last Friday evening and I think everyone had a real good time. Cake, strawberries and ice cream, iced tea, coffee, and fruit juice were sold and there was a "white elephant" table and for the children a Fish Pond and Pony Rides. About \$72.00 was cleared for our carpet fund.

Last Tuesday I was at Dorrie and Walter's all day helping to shell the garden peas for freezing. And on Friday I helped Dorrie to pick the strawberries. In between and around other things I garden (flowers) all the time and



love it. We need rain rather badly. Today Bill is helping Walter to roof Mrs. Underwood's apartment which he is adding to their home. It is going to be so nice. They took their picnic table and benches into the living room area yesterday and had their dinner there. Later Walter made a freezer of ice cream and we were invited over to enjoy some with them. Jean went shopping in Philadelphia today and Ann is taking a nap here this afternoon. Jean expects to work two days a week at the Coatesville Hospital and I have promised to stay with the children at least on Tuesday. So I will be there tomorrow.

The Man and I plan to spend this weekend at Ocean City.

A new book arrived from the Farm Journal Book Club today – "Sold To The Lady In The Green Hat" – plus a bonus book "Make A Joyful Sound," a biography by Mr. & Mrs. Graham Bell.

– Mary Newlin Carlin

Happy Birthday!

Best birthday wishes to:

Frances Auer June 2
David Bashore June 2
Adrianna DiSimone June 4
Jackie Blair June 5
Dean Young June 5
Ellen Jordan June 6
Bette Downing June 7
Tyler Richardson June 8
Charles Case June 9
Michael Moskel June 9
Peggy Wilson June 10
Laurie Worley June 10
David Johnston June 11
Joanne Parrott June 11

Amy Faust June 12
Cameron Robbins June 14
Brian Johnston June 15
Brian Rhoades June 15
Becky Urban June 16
Tim Walton June 17
James Deckman June 20
Ann Piper June 20
Tom Eldon June 21
Emily Abel June 22
James Fagnan, Jr. June 22
Christopher Fry June 22
Sueann Robbins June 22
Fran Rosario June 22
Taylor Croft June 24



Laura Deckman June 27
Kevin Case June 28
Patti Walton June 28
Heather O'Lone June 29
Haley Perry June 29
Bill Jordan June 30
Anna Parrott June 30

In Brief . . .

- The Fellowship Committee has reserved 48 seats for Friday, December 17th at the **Three Little Bakers Dinner Theatre**. Price is \$44.95 a person, which includes a buffet dinner with fabulous breads and desserts, and a wonderful Christmas show. This may seem early for Christmas, but the theatre is almost sold out! We need to confirm our reservation to keep our seats. Please sign up now on the bulletin board near the church entrance. A deposit of \$10 per person is due the first week of June. Make checks out to Lathea Moskel, 40 Carlin Drive, Coatesville, PA 19320, or put in the Moskel church mailbox. Any questions call Lathea (610) 486-0343. Open to members and friends!
- Doug is home from the Army. He arrived at 12:11 a.m. Friday after a solo drive from Ft. Carson, Colorado. His plans for the future include college, majoring in History, and a stint in the Pennsylvania National Guard.

– Bill Dyke

Food For Thought

Things God Won't Ask

- God won't ask what kind of car you drove, He'll ask how many people you drove who didn't have transportation.
- God won't ask the square footage of your house, He'll ask how many people you welcomed into your home.
- God won't ask about the clothes you had in your closet, He'll ask how many you helped to clothe.

- God won't ask what your highest salary was, He'll ask if you compromised your character to obtain it.
- God won't ask what your job title was, He'll ask if you performed your job to the best of our ability.
- God won't ask how many friends you had, He'll ask how many people to whom you were a friend.
- God won't ask in what neighborhood you lived, He'll ask how you treated your neighbors.

Treasurer's Report

The current fund had a deficit of \$4487 at the end of April.

