# Have a Heart Day for Caitlin's Smiles

Sign up for the Have a Heart Day on February 3rd at Linglestown Life! This is one of the biggest events for Caitlin's Smiles, and we get to host it this year! You can take part in three ways:

- Help us set up the FLC on Friday, February 2nd at 4:30pm and/or clean up and set up for Sunday on Saturday, February 3rd between 4:30 and 5pm. Sign up on your connection card.
- Sign up to volunteer to send smiles to hospitalized kids. Volunteers will
  create greeting cards, decorate gift bags and assemble craft kits. Find
  more information and sign up here: <a href="www.caitlins-smiles.org/hah24">www.caitlins-smiles.org/hah24</a>
   Spots are limited and filling up fast, so sign up ASAP!
- 3. Take part in our supply drive before the event. The following craft items will be used in outreach kits to kids in medical facilities, and collected from now until February 3rd in Janie's Place:
  - 24 packs of crayons
  - jigsaw puzzles (less than 100 pieces)
  - Ziploc bags (snack or sandwich any brand)
  - puzzle books for all ages
  - coloring books for all ages
  - new elementary level reading books
  - new stuffed animals (tags still attached)

Thank you for helping us support the important work of Caitlin's Smiles!

# <u>Linglestown Winter Ice Cream Tasting and Bake Sale</u>

The Linglestown Area Civic Association, in conjunction with Nittany Scoops, is hosting an ice cream tasting event at our Linglestown Campus on **February 17th** in two sessions **from 12-3pm.** We will be hosting a bake sale during this event, and all proceeds will benefit our new *Breaking Bread Together* initiative. If you would like to donate baked goods or help sell them during the event, please sign up on your connection card. If you want to take part in the Ice Cream Tasting, tickets must be purchased ahead of time. More information can be at <a href="https://linglestowncivic.ticketleap.com/linglestown-winter-ice-cream-tasting/details">https://linglestowncivic.ticketleap.com/linglestown-winter-ice-cream-tasting/details</a>

### Monday Morning Women's Bible Study

The Monday Morning Women's Bible Study Group is starting back up for the New Year on January 22nd. They will be doing a study called Thrive: A Study in the Book of James. They will be meeting in Room 103 from 9-11am on the following dates:

1/22, 2/5, 2/26, 3/11, 3/25, 4/8, 4/22

For more information, contact Janice Matthews at 570-772-8419.

## Signup Genius for Hospitality & Chair Setup

If you would like to sign up for baking, setting up hospitality, greeting/handing out bulletins, or cleaning up Janie's Place on Sunday mornings or setting up chairs on Saturdays, scan the QR code to the right or visit the following link: <a href="http://bit.ly/HospitalityChairs">http://bit.ly/HospitalityChairs</a>



HOSPITALITY/CHAIRS

# **Upcoming Events:**

TODAY - New Disciple Class begins, 11:15am

1/22 - Special Church Conference, 6pm

1/31 – Breaking Bread Together (Dinner Church), 5:30pm

3/31 - Easter Cantata (durina 8:30 and 10:00 services)



We are a community of faith, being transformed by God's grace, inspiring people to become disciples of Jesus.

Sunday, January 21, 2024

# WAYS TO CONNECT @ LINGLESTOWN LIFE

# FOLLOW THE MESSAGE: YOUVERSION (Bible App)

Use the app to follow our outline and take notes. Search for a live event using our zip code (17112) and select Linalestown Life.

# WATCH THE SERMONS ONLINE:

www.youtube.com/@linglestownlife church4738

# SUBSCRIBE TO OUR PODCAST:

Available on Apple Podcasts, Spotify & Google Podcasts

Share your thoughts, comments, and pictures on Facebook & Instagram (@LinglestownLife).

Login to our free Wi-Fi: "Linglestown Life Guest" Password: Guest 123

Please make sure to complete the enclosed Connection Card so we know you are worshipping with us today!

# SUNDAY WORSHIP (LINGLESTOWN CAMPUS)

Traditional Worship
8:30am
(Sanctuary)

Contemporary Worship
10:00am

(Family Life Center) Sunday School & Nursery Care

# LINGLESTOWN CAMPUS

1430 N. Mountain Road Harrisburg, PA 17112 717-545-5200

# **ROCKVILLE CAMPUS**

4386 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street Harrisburg, PA 17110

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# New Sermon Series - Jesus: Man of Mystery

An Urgent Mission -

It is almost a cliché among action-adventure stories. The almost – retired secret agent is compelled to go out on "one last mission," and of course that mission ends up being the most challenging and death defying of his or her career. It is in our time of complacency, when we are content with ordinary life, that we are often most rudely shaken into action. Jesus shook four fishermen into action when he called them to be his disciples. Surprisingly, they respond quickly, without question, leaving everything they have to follow Jesus. What urgent mission might God be calling you to?

Lead Pastor: Rev. Rachel Wong

# Sunday, January 21st Music

Bells of Life anthem: "Fanfare for Bells" by Mary G. McCleary

8:30 Service: #344 Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore; Fishers of Men;

#430 O Master Let Me Walk With Thee

10:00 Service: House Of The Lord, Who You Say I Am,

Oceans (Where Feet May Fail), You've Already Won

# This Week's

<u>ANNIVERSARIES</u>

N/A

Anniversaries & Birthdays

# **BIRTHDAYS**

Today - Lori Goldmann, Brian Lehan

Jan 22 – Rowan Kinsinger

Jan 23 – Carl Dudeck Jr.

Jan 24 – Stephen Evilsizor

Jan 25 – Noah Snyder

Jan 26 – Ryan Foltz





#### FOR CONNECTION CARD

PRAYERS

Health & Healing – Khoury Rothenberger, Carolyn & John Kepler, Paul Rowe, Bill Gordon, Jodie Seygal & family, Carol Axtman, Seb Axtman, Susan Axtman Selnes, Mary Lou Brehm, Mike & Jody Hall, Micky Erno, Rory & Colleen Myre, Sue & Sam Cartwright, Jim Wolowicz, George Rovnak, Renee Smith, all those currently battling COVID, RSV & Flu, Mary-Jo, Matt & Chris Wagner, Kathy Lattis, Jodi Diego, Pat Heiland Cathy Brubaker, Linda Hammacher, Suzie & Bernie Crist, Jen Cather, Cathy Questiaux, Penny Huber, Andrew Kaye, Johnathan Herriman, Tom & Vicki Powley, Dayra Adorno, Pete McCollum General – Z'yara Richards, Otto, Roslyn Dukeman, the Steffiet Family, Joann G

You may contact the church office at 717-545-5200 ext. 0 to have your prayer placed on the Prayer List/Chain or contact Connie Moul at 717-652-3013 or call/text 717-649-0912.

#### **LAHMBs Needs**

LAHMBs is in need of socks & shoes for infants, toddlers & youth. They can be dropped off at the Linglestown Campus or brought to the Rockville Campus on Monday mornings between 9:30 and 11:30. For more information please reach out to Julie Cassel at 717-448-1815 or the lahmbs@amail.com

# **New Disciple Group**

Have you been worshipping with Linglestown for a while and want to know more about our history? Curious about how you can be more involved? Ready to make the next step in making a greater commitment to Christ and this church? A new discipleship (our word for membership) class is forming, and will be meeting TODAY, January 28th, and February 4th at 11:15am. In this group we will learn more about Linglestown Life, the United Methodist Church, and our own walk with Jesus. Those who attend the class will be invited to join the church during either worship service on February 11th. If have not signed up and are interested in joining the class, please join us downstairs in Room 3 today.

## Join our Facility Team!

Do you consider yourself a handy person? Do you enjoy doing home improvement projects? Would you love an opportunity to use your skills? We are currently building up our facilities team to accomplish projects around our church building throughout 2024. If you have a heart for this work, we'd love for you to join us. Please sign up on your connection card or contact the church office.

### In Search of: Snow Shovelers!

The snow season is here and we are looking for volunteers to help clear the sidewalks at both of our campuses after a significant storm. Would you be willing to shovel our sidewalks at our Linglestown Campus after our parking lot is plowed or use the snowblower to clear the sidewalks at our Rockville campus? Those who sign up will be added to a list and contacted when needed. There is no obligation once you sign up, come and help when you can! Snow shovels (at Linglestown) and a snowblower (at Rockville) are provided. Thank you for keeping our spaces accessible and safe for the many people who use our buildings.

### Special Church Conference – January 22, 2024

After our Annual Church Conference on December 17, we noticed a small error on the pastor salary worksheet. Following protocol, a special church conference needs to take place to vote on the correction. All disciples are welcome to come to this very brief meeting (it will only last a couple of minutes) at 6pm on January 22nd. If you have questions, please contact the church office.

#### **Breaking Bread Together**

On Christmas Eve, we came together for Breakfast Church and shared in celebrating Christmas through food, conversation, and community. This gathering was the pilot for Breaking Bread Together, a new form of church centered around a meal, a Jesus story, conversation, and community. Our next meal will be **Wednesday**, **January 31st at 5:30pm**. Do you know someone who is longing for community, but might not even think about attending traditional church? This space might be the perfect place to find belonging, and we encourage you to invite others! All ages are welcome! Please RSVP so we can prepare enough food: <a href="https://bit.ly/31stBreakingBread">https://bit.ly/31stBreakingBread</a>

### **Easter Cantata is Forming!**

Any singers/instrumentalists interested in participating in our Easter Cantata on March 31st (Easter Sunday) are welcome to join us! Rehearsals start the week of January 31st. Reach out to Becca Wehner (<u>beccawehner@linglestownlife.org</u>) for more information!