





## Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

God's work. Our hands.

Thank you for your special offerings that are bringing God's love and hope to a hungry, hurting, and broken world.

### **ELCA WORLD HUNGER OFFERINGS: \$7,668.46**

Offerings collected are used where help in the world is needed the most.

### **ELCA MISSIONARY SUPPORT: \$554.00**

**YOU** can make a difference in spreading the gospel around the world through your offerings to help support our missionaries.

### **FOREIGN & UNITED STATES DISASTER: \$263.00**

To help those here and abroad.

### **MADAGASCAR CYCLONES: \$559.00**

To help those impacted by the cyclones that have impacted Madagascar.

### **CRISIS IN THE UKRAINE: \$4,081.40**

Humanitarian response to the on-going crisis and bombing in Ukraine.

### **MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD**

In August we are collecting **shampoo** for our local food pantry. Please place your donated items in Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, located in the front narthex or drop them off in the church office.

### **STYROFOAM RECYCLING**

We are starting a pilot Styrofoam recycling program for our members. The Styrofoam test to see if it is recyclable is—if it breaks when it bends. You can bring your **CLEAN** recyclable Styrofoam to the office and it will be sorted and taken to Westmoreland Cleanways. If you have a truck and would like to help transport it to the recycling center, please call the church office at 724-537-4450. Thank you!

### **KIDS' CLOTHES**



It's back to school time and the Shepherd Shop is in need of boys and girls clothing. Please drop off your donations in the church office. Thank you!

### **CAR SHOW!**

Where: Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Church  
4827 Route 982, Latrobe  
When: Saturday, September 10, Noon-5:00pm  
What: Dash plaques, Door prizes, Trophies, Food, Homemade pierogies, Music

**Please come and enjoy a wonderful afternoon and support our local Ukrainian Church. All proceeds will benefit the Ukrainian Church Roof Repair Fund.**

### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UP-COMING FELLOWSHIP EVENTS**

**Meet Your Church Council Member Luncheon**—Sunday, September 25, Noon  
**Veterans Day Luncheon**—Sunday, November 13, Noon  
Watch for more information!

### **GRIEF GROUPS**

Grief sessions are sponsored by Excelsa Health and led by Maureen Ceidro, Bereavement Counselor for Excelsa Hospice. Please join us in a caring environment. For more information contact Maureen at 724-516-8605.



**Sessions are Mondays, August 22, 29 and Wednesdays, September 14, 21, 28 and October 5, 12, 19, at 2:00pm, in Room 102.**

### **CAREGIVER SUPPORT**

Maureen Ceidro, Bereavement Counselor for Excelsa Hospice, will be facilitating this group that meets in room 102 from 11am to 12:30pm. Call the church office at 724-537-4450 to register or sign up on the bulletin board. **Sessions are Wednesdays, September 21, October 19, November 16, and December 21.**

### **WOMEN'S RETREAT "WHISPERS OF GOD'S LOVE"**

There are still 5 rooms available for our Women's Retreat at Antiochian Village from **Friday, September 30 at 3:00pm through Sunday, October 2 at 3:00pm.** The final sign-up meeting will be held on Saturday, **August 27** at 9:30am in Fellowship Hall and breakfast will be available. If you owe a remaining balance, payments will be accepted at this time. Please sign-up on the bulletin board across from the lounge.

### **NUTRITION SERIES**

The final session in this series addresses specialty diets and who needs to follow them: low carb, gluten free, keto, fasting and more. Join Aleks Gavrilov, RD/LDN of the Excelsa Well-Being Center on **Wednesday, September 14 at 6pm in Fellowship Hall.** Call the church office at 724-537-4450 to register. Sign up on the bulletin board across from the lounge.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Laurel Faith in Action has received an increase in their requests for grocery shopping and transportation. Do you have an hour or two a week to become a transportation volunteer or a grocery shopper? To join the Faith in Action Family, please call 724-539-4357 or email [faithinaction@msn.com](mailto:faithinaction@msn.com). Check out our website at [laurelfia.org](http://laurelfia.org). Follow Laurel Faith in Action on Facebook and Instagram.

### **BROADCAST & FLOWER SPONSORS NEEDED**



Please sign up on the narthex chart or contact the church office, [office@trinitylatrobe.com](mailto:office@trinitylatrobe.com) or 724-537-4450. Consider helping with this need to honor or memorialize a special person or date and beautify our worship space.

### **RADIO STATION/BROADCAST**

Our Sunday morning 8:15am is broadcast on 910AM and 1480AM and also on 107.5FM and 98.7FM. If you have problems receiving it on one station, please try one of the other stations. Thank you!