



Rev. Kris Penrose Snyder, Senior Pastor
Rev. Kayli L. Freeman, Associate Pastor
Tiffany Lakatosh, Faith Formation Minister of Children

Mr. Blake Hoppes, Minister of Music
Ms. Marissa Haney, Church Administrator
Barbara Carinci, Financial Manager
Maggie Cygan/ Kiel Baer Sunday Set-up
AJ DiPaolantonio, Night Lock-up
Mrs. Maria Beltz, Mr. Ori Handwerk, Facility Caretakers

CONSISTORY OFFICERS *President:* Eric Minnich, *VP:* Jason Klinger,
Secretary: Janice Metzger, Don Penrod, *Treasurer:* Marianne Kitzmiller

5550 RTE 873, PO BOX 66,
NEFFS, PA 18065
Church Office (610) 767-6961
Office Fax (610) 767-7128
www.unionucc.org
Facebook.com/unionneffs



ANNOUNCEMENTS SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022

OUR PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN THIS WEEK

To share a prayer request you may use the yellow prayer slips found in the racks in your seats and hand it to a pastor.

Medical Issues: Veronica, Gary, Chester, Scott, Tommy, Mackenzie, Allison, David, Rob, Sue, Beth, Alta with MS, Sherry, Elaine, Tony in treatment, Lisa, Rich, Alex, Jim, for sister Missy, Deana, Doug, Eric, Shirley with broken bones, brother in-law Barry, Kay, Dorothy, Sharon, Susan, Gino, Anna who needs a kidney, Bill undergoing heart surgery, Cathy battling cancer, Holly, Dave, a friend Evelyn, Jericho, Bill and Vincent with recent cancer diagnoses, Genes upcoming surgery, speedy recovery for Pat, mom Grace recovering from a stroke, 8 year old Ethan on his upcoming brain surgery, Lora battling cancer,

General Prayers: Izzy, Sam, Eleana, Lauren, Bruce, Dave, Bill, Doug, Herb, Barbara, David, Marlene, Sherrie, Susie, , Mark for healing, all those suffering mental illness, Aaron and Stephanie, Katie for a baby, Peggy for healing, strength for Larry, strength for a husband, strength and hope for Andrew & Liz, a brother Bobby, prayers for estranged daughter, giving thanks that Missy's surgery was successful, Prayers for Holly, healing for Rory and strength for her parents, Norwood and Craig family, sister and brother in law for healing and strength, Ashley for healing, understanding and acceptance between co-workers, Katherine and Sean as they await their baby, thanksgiving for Katie and Jake, Nancy for continued healing, Stella, Eric, Alli, Kaivin and Tonya, safe travels for Ilse, good test results for Mom, for gun violence to stop, Dorothy, David, Vaughn for healing and strength, Christopher, friends for the friendless

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Due to the rising number of Covid cases, masks are recommended.

Singing - If you like to sing, please consider wearing a mask during those portions of worship. Our choirs will continue to mask when singing.

Sunday Worship at 8am and 10:30am in the Sanctuary

Worship in May and June (Pastor Kris will be on sabbatical May 8 – June 27)

**June 26 (No 8am) 10:30 only in the Grove, Build Your Own Sundae,
Rev. Laura Oesterle Preaching**

SUMMER WORSHIP PLAN

**There will only be a 10:30am worship service starting on June 12
until September 4th.**

We will have outdoor worship in the grove at 10:30am on the following Sundays:

June 26, July 17, July 31, August 14, and August 28.

We will worship in the church if the weather does not
cooperate on these Sundays.

Summer Coffee Hour: We've all missed our beloved Holy Grounds Coffee Hour, so all are invited to a time of fellowship and refreshments following our worship services out in the grove. Stop by the food stand and grab a snack before you head home

Special Story Share Series: Would your child like to share their favorite book with other children? Ms. Tiffany is hosting a special zoom series held on the 2nd and 4th Monday of June, July, and August. Children can sign up to read, or have an adult read, their favorite book on Zoom to Ms. Tiffany and other children. Ms. Tiffany will also have some fun activities prepared for these Zoom events. Sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4daca723a7fc1-special>

Creative Creations with Ms. Tiffany: Creative Creations is a Zoom series for children who are in 4th-8th grade. Supplies will be available for pickup at the church the Sunday before the scheduled Zoom meeting. Use the link to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4daca723a7fc1-creative>

Union UCC Family 'Nailed-It': Have you seen the Netflix series 'Nailed-It'? Do you think you have what it takes to recreate something PERFECTLY? Then this is the challenge for you! Use the link below to sign up and show off your best creativity! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0f48aead2ba2fe3-family>

When: July 16, 2022; Where: Fellowship Hall; Time: 1pm-3:30pm

Golden Times – our group for our senior adults who are young at heart – is back! This gathering includes lunch and a program. It is free and there is no need to sign up. **Tuesday, June 21** Meet at 11am in the grove for music by Stacy Gabel,

enjoy and sing your favorites together. Hot dogs and ice cream served at 12noon – bring a side dish or snack to share.

Communion Minister Training Would you like to be trained to take communion to our members on the visitation list? Sign up with Carrie Beleno or Pastors Kayli and Kris. Training will be held later summer/ early fall.

Summer Watercolor Series in the Grove (Barns and Bridges)

Linda LaDue is returning to the grove this summer to teach a series of 6 watercolor classes. The dates are Wednesday, July 13, 20 ; Tuesday, July 26; Wednesday, August 3,10, and 17. All classes are from 7:00-9:00. Cost is \$60. No experience is necessary. To register please email dixiegross@gmail.com

The Northern Lehigh Food Bank is in need of volunteers to unload boxes of food from the Second Harvest truck on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month from 8:30 am - 11:30 am. Help is also needed every Monday from 10:30 am - 11:30 am to lift crates/boxes of food and organize/supply the shelves. Must be able to lift 25lbs. **Must be vaccinated.** Please call the foodbank at 610-767-9525 or talk with Julie or Phil Wehr.

Giving through the Summer: If you are headed for vacation time this summer and will be away from home and unable to worship here at Union UCC in person, consider e-giving as a way to support Union's programs in your absence. It's safe and it's easy. Go to Union's website at unionucc.org. Just click on "giving" and then on "ways to give" in the drop-down box. Then click on "Give Online" and follow the prompts. Should you have any questions, about e-giving in general or if you would prefer one-on-one assistance, John Harting would welcome your call at 610-799-2508.

Church Office Hours

Mondays Closed for Office Staff

Tuesday-Friday Office Open 9:15-1pm

Call/email for appointments with Pastors

All of our schedules change, it is still best to call ahead.

Urgent Pastoral Matters: Contact Pastor cell phones.

To enter the building:

Press Intercom Button

Release to Listen

Open door promptly

From Pastor Kris in Lake Tahoe:

Thank you dear church family for providing your pastors with a 3 month sabbatical every 5 years. It is a true gift to be nourished for the marathon of ministry. Thank you to Funds of Lasting Gifts for the financial support and to our pastors and staff for their work in my absence.



I'm taking 7 weeks in May and June. For two weeks in May I was in Lake Tahoe with Marcia McFee. She's the person who inspires much of the worship themes that we use. What a tremendous artist, pastor, and creative spirit she is.

My cup and my heart are full! I look forward to sharing more when I return. In the meantime, take care and behave! And know that God and I love you very much.

Here is a pic from my window. It snowed every day the first week! And it melted every day. The lake and mountains are so worshipful.

If you are in the hospital, please notify a pastor or church office or ask a family member to do so. Please be sure to give the hospital our **church code (511)**.

If we missed you during your hospital stay, let us know 610-767-6961.



INTERRUPTED SILENCE
VOCAL ENSEMBLE



SUMMER SERIES

July 7-9



The return of our outdoor concert featuring Broadway songs from the Golden Age to Today!



July 7 at 7pm
July 9 at 4pm

July 8 at 7pm
July 9 at 7pm

Union United Church of Christ
5550 PA-873 | Neffs PA 18065
(Bring Your Own Chair Seating)



SCAN ME

Tickets are available via Eventbrite, Facebook, email (interruptedsilenceensemble@gmail.com) or by scanning the QR Code
Rain date July 10



Want a fun-filled night you can enjoy with the whole family?

Come to an Iron Pigs game on Friday, August 12, 2022

Come join your church family for fellowship at the Picnic Pavilion at Coca-Cola park for an all-you-can-eat buffet and great seats on the third baseline! To top off the evening, this game will have a great fireworks display at the end of the evening and give-away when you enter the park that evening is a pint glass!

Tickets are only \$28 for this game. Please let Steve Kareha (s.kareha@gmail.com or 717-514-8881) know how many tickets you'd like! We can except cash, check (made out to Stephen Kareha), Venmo (@Stephen-Kareha), or PayPal (@skareha).

BUILD YOUR OWN SUNDAE-SUNDAY!!

June 26, 2022 After Worship in The Grove

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR ONE
OF OUR MOST DELICIOUS SUMMER
TREATS!

WE WILL BE OFFERING A PLETHORA
OF OPTIONS, INCLUDING DIFFERENT
TOPPINGS AND FLAVORS FOR ALL
TO ENJOY!

PLAN TO JOIN US, WON'T YOU?

