

Parish Intercessions May 2 - 8

*Birthdays:* Dorrance Belin, Edward Byer, Nicole Earl, Dennis Forman, Jane Jones, Mary Linden, Lori Moran, Steven Schmaltz, Stephen Sproul

*Anniversaries:* Jim and Judi Jones, John and Angie Welsh-Mitchell

*For the Pygmy Ministry, Fr. Charles & Alice their principal*

*For Enner, the Honduran youth sponsored by Epiphany's Sunday School & The Group*

*For: Mo. Lou, our Priest-in-Charge, and Rev. John, our Deacon*

*For: Our Vestry & Staff*

Sunday Worship with Music & Spiritual Eucharist:

Via Zoom only at 11AM EST

Join Zoom Meeting on your PC or smart-device here: <https://zoom.us/j/99005230944>

Meeting ID: 990 0523 0944 One tap mobile +13017158592,,99005230944# US EST

Dial by your location +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago) +1 646 876 9923 US (New York) +1 253 215

8782 US (Tacoma) - +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston) - +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose) Meeting ID: 990 0523

0944 Or find your local number here: <https://zoom.us/u/ajWMHyeC>

For most current worship & bulletins links, please go to [www.epiphanyglenburn.org](http://www.epiphanyglenburn.org)

Kids at Epiphany!

Connect virtually with each other bi-weekly on Sunday mornings at 10.30am. Next gathering - May 9

Parents may contact Lori Moran for more information and to confirm the next bi-weekly gathering: 570-815-9316,

[lorigm16@yahoo.com](mailto:lorigm16@yahoo.com)

Tuesday Evening Bible Study Returns:

Tuesdays, 7:00 pm. All are welcome; I hope to see you! blessings, Mo. Lou [ldivis411@gmail.com](mailto:ldivis411@gmail.com)

Join Zoom Meeting on computer etc here: <https://zoom.us/j/91164698450>

To join via telephone call 1-646-876-9923, enter 91164698450# when prompted for meeting ID.

Dalton Food Pantry Collection at Epiphany:

For May 19th: Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Deodorant, Liquid Laundry Detergent.

Donations may be left at Epiphany at any time (there is a collection box in the Parish Hall), OR take to Clarks Summit Fire Hall on the date(s) indicated and between 11am-1pm; a Rotarian will collect your donation at the fire hall. Many thanks for your continued support of the AEM Food Pantry at Dalton United Methodist Church. Please direct any questions to 570-563-1619.

Highway Clean-up:

For about 25 years Epiphany has been clearing trash from a 2 mile stretch of Rtes. 6 and 11. If enough people (at least half a dozen) are interested in helping, we will schedule another cleanup next month. If you are willing to help, please contact me, John Baildon, at [jdb8@psu.edu](mailto:jdb8@psu.edu). If sufficient interest is shown I will coordinate with those responding to find the best Saturday morning to schedule. John Baildon [jdb8@psu.edu](mailto:jdb8@psu.edu) 570-587-5741

Rummage Sale: YES!

We are now accepting donations of household items, etc. for the annual July Rummage Sale. Please box/bag items and bring to the church when the building is open: Tuesdays -Thursdays 9am to 4pm; Sundays between 9.30am-noon. Ring the office door bell then carry your items downstairs to the double room marked 'Rummage Sale.' If you have any questions or can assist with sorting items or helping at the sale in July, please contact Melissa 570-499-1943. Please DO NOT leave donations outside any door when no one is here; instead, clothes/shoes/belts, linens, curtains, soft toys/stuffed animals ONLY may be placed in the Clothing Shed; tie bags closed If you have any questions about the Rummage Sale or can help out

1) carrying up donations July 4th after 11am worship;

2) sorting items July 4-8;

3) during the sale July 8,9,10;

4) packing up July 10 noon-3pm;

please call/text Melissa 570-499-1943.

American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem: Easter Appeal 2021. Donation Request.

Bishop Hosam was in Mother Lou's class at Virginia Theological Seminary (before he became the bishop of Jerusalem)!! A very sincere, wonderful person! Please help the school find the funding for the students who are at risk. Thank you. Mo. Lou. For more information, go to <https://afedj.org/easter/> call 1(203)655-3575, or contact: American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem,25 Old King's Highway No., Suite 13, Darien, CT 06820

## ChurchNext Offering #2: Contemplative Knitting with Julie Cicorra

For Individuals and For Groups. The Church has some wonderful contemplative prayer practices that have been around for hundreds and even thousands of years. Sitting quietly in prayer, walking the labyrinth, praying with beads and other practices are tactile ways for us to delve into silence to discover God. Julie Cicorra has been knitting for decades and discovered that she could connect her passion for knitting with her need for silence in order to deepen her relationship with God. In this course, Julie explains what creating a contemplative practice out of your passion (in this case, knitting) looks like. She discusses best practices for getting started, as well as how to stay on track with your practice when life gets in the way. Finally, Julie connects our practices to the Church seasons and offers creative ways in which we can get in the flow of life with our contemplative creative practices. Register here: <https://www.churchnext.tv/library/contemplative-knitting/204348/about/> \$10 per course. Registration includes: 24/7 access for 3 months to all video lectures, downloads, and course content. Video lectures w/ Julie Cicorra. Downloadable Discussion Questions (groups) & The Takeaway (personal study). Interaction w/ students thru discussion questions & sharing notes

## Transform Stress into Vitality with Qigong:

Qigong utilizes stretch, flowing movements, deep breathing and mindfulness. Easy to learn and follow, these gentle movements stretch and strengthen muscles, improve balance and flexibility and reduce inflammation in joints. Anyone, at any age, can use Qigong movements to achieve a deeper sense of calm and relieve tension and stress. Contact Rosalie (570) 885-7412, [rallanfufaro@gmail.com](mailto:rallanfufaro@gmail.com) Thursday 6PM/Epiphany Commons Tuesday 10AM St. Peter's/Tunkhannock – Saturday 10AM Grow/Dickson City. \$10/class any place

## Epiphany's work Continues!

We are still working to stay connected with you, worshipping with you via Zoom, doing good works in the community! Please as you are able continue to drop-off or mail-in your offerings of support, to PO Box 189, Clarks Summit, PA 18411-0189. You may also use [www.onrealm.org](http://www.onrealm.org) to give on-line using a check or credit/debit card; if you have previously logged in great! If you need help to set up a single or recurring donation please call the parish office, 570-563-1564. If you need 'courier service' of your offering, let us know that too and a happy masked representative from Epiphany will gladly stop by! We value you so do let us know what you need while we are unable to meet in person for worship and other gatherings.

## "One Small Act" Buy Sunday Dinner at Epiphany!

Good news indeed! Grants were awarded to help sustain this program: in 2021 \$4000 from The Robert H. Spitz Foundation by the Scranton Area Community Foundation; and in 2020 \$6000 from the Outreach Fund by Epiphany's Christian Outreach/Disaster Relief Committee. Each Sunday, about 100 meals are sent to Scranton CIC (homeless day shelter) and 20 are picked up for Linden St. apartments, Clarks Summit.

- If you want to help pay for the weekly meal prepared EVERY Sunday, donations of any amount are gladly accepted. Please make checks payable to Church of the Epiphany and put 'Sunday Dinners' in the memo line. The 100+ meals cost approximately \$250.00 per week to make.
- You may give an on-line donation (one-time or recurring); use your [www.onRealm.org](http://www.onrealm.org) account.
- Donation will appear on your Epiphany statement as: 'Sunday Dinners for Neighbors.'

## Caring Cupboard:

Located at Clarks Summit UMC, 1310 Morgan Highway (across from the library), for anyone who may need non-perishable food and some household goods. It is available M-F between 9am-2pm. (except 3/18 & 19.) For more information call Mary Magner, secretary - CS UMC, 570-587-2571.

## American Red Cross. You Can Be A Hero Too.

**Your Generosity Helps Save Lives.** Did you know that every two seconds, someone in the United States needs blood? Your single blood donation has the potential to help more than one person. It only takes about an hour to donate blood, but you could make a difference to last a lifetime. And while the snacks at your local blood drive or donation center may change, one thing remains constant: the need for blood. Schedule your appointment to give blood and know that your generosity helps save lives. Call 1-800-733-2767 or Schedule Now: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive>

## Upcoming Drives:

Scranton Donation Ctr, daily including weekends, walk-ins available

– Constantino's Catering May 11 1-6PM

– Waverly Comm June 14 1-6pm.

If you receive a COVID-19 vaccine, in most cases, there's no deferral time. The American Red Cross is testing all blood donations for COVID-19 antibodies. Only those feeling healthy and well should present to donate. Test

results will be available to donors. The Red Cross follows the highest standards of safety and infection control. In accordance with CDC guidelines, all donors are required to wear a face mask. Valve face masks are not permitted.