

THE NEXUS

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Nicki's News

Dear Friends,

So much has changed over these last few months. It's hard to know what is even normal anymore. In the cancer world, when things change that will never return to the same, we call it our new normal. There are going to be new 'normals' we will have to adjust to as we begin to re-open. New ways of doing things, that, if we open ourselves up, it can possibly be even better than before. I don't know about you, but I am often initially resistant to change. However, there is one solace that keeps me grounded and able to embrace the possibilities of the Spirit's work in me. What keeps me grounded are the words of the Psalmist "Of old you laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands. They will perish, but you will remain; they will all wear out like a garment. You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, but you are the same, and your years have no end" (Psalm 102:25-27). As we begin seeing our community and church re-open in new ways, let us remember to be open to embracing changes with the confidence that God is the same today and every day. God is our constant; the rest of the changes can be God working in and through us and we don't want to miss that opportunity.

In His Peace,

Pastor Nicki

Nexus Deadline

The Nexus deadline for the July issue is Monday, **June 29th**.

Nexus Sponsor

This issue of the Nexus is being sponsored by Frank Lanterman. If you are interested in sponsoring a future Nexus issue, please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the Narthex (next to the flower sign-up sheet). The cost is \$35.00.

Anniversaries

Celebrating an anniversary in **June** are:

Phil & Theresa Lawrence

Mike & Jen Carmella

Bill & Barbara Cramer

Kerry & Janice Delaney

Ed & Judy Schreck

Clem & Geri Gower

Chris & Nicole Vogel

Robert & Hollie Falzone

Ed & Gail Flory

Tom & Bobbie Long



Birthdays

Celebrating birthdays in **June** are:

Maureen Osuga, Gail Flory, Ron Charpentier,

Judy Schreck, Callie Falzone, Rick Sanker,

Jim Hall, Bob Touw, Benjamin Santanta,

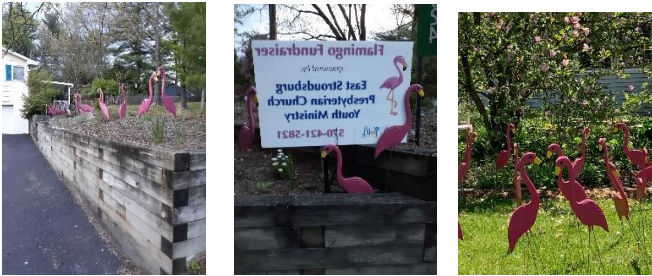
Isabel Santanta and Evan Gillard

Treasurer and Stewardship Report through April 30, 2020

Income:	\$93,784.91
Expenses:	\$97,220.23
Net	\$-3,435.32
Year-to-Date Giving:	
Pledge Giving:	\$ 65,100.00
Non-Pledge Giving:	\$ 1,799.00

Being the voice and hands of God

Here are a couple of things we have been busy with here at E.S.P.C.



Flamingos!!!!



Food Drive!!!!

Congratulations...

To Rylee and Sienna Mehringer (daughters of Crista Varrica and granddaughters of Tom and Bobbie Long). Both girls received certificates for being in the top ten percent of their freshmen class at Stroudsburg Junior High School!!

Food Pantry Drive

Once again this church has answered a request to help others in need. Food items appeared the very next day after the article was published in the newsletter. The response was overwhelming. The large table in the Narthex was completely full and overflowed onto the floor. Acts 20:35 "It is more blessed to give than to receive". Our congregants show this is true every time we ask for their help with our mission projects. The food was donated to the East Stroudsburg High School North Timberwolf Pantry.

The Mission Committee would like to thank everyone for their donations to help others in need.



Youth Group- Zoom meeting

Calling all youth to join us June 15th at 6pm on zoom by clicking on the following link and following prompts <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86016988897>. Youth group is open to any youth who will be entering into 8th grade in the fall. Bring a snack if you would like and enjoy a game along with some discussion time. Hope to see you there!

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June 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Worship, 10:00	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Worship, 10:00	15 Youth Group Zoom meeting at 6:00 p.m.	16	17	18	19	20
21 Father's Day Worship, 10:00	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Worship, 10:00	29 Nexus Deadline	30				