



EDGEBORO MORAVIAN E-BLAST

August 3-9

THIS WEEK AT EDGEBORO

Thursday, August 6

7:00pm Elders Meeting

Sunday, August 9

9:15am Adult Sunday School

10:30am Worship

VOLUNTEERS

Lawn

August 3-9: Art Sergeant

Worship

Sunday August 9

Elder: Tammy Baer

Sacristans: Michael & Terri Long

Ushers: Heath & Val Hoff



EDGEBORO ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAY REPRESENTATIVE VACANCY for the Lehigh Valley North region of the Eastern District Executive Board of the Moravian Church. The Lehigh Valley North region includes the congregations of Advent, East Hills, Edgeboro, First Moravian Church of Easton, Nazareth, Newfoundland, Palmer Township, and Schoeneck.

If you're interested in serving, please speak with Pastor Jodie.

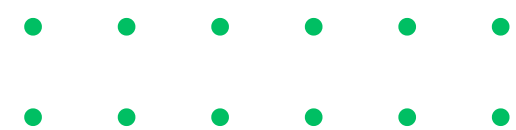
A description of the position can be found at: tinyurl.com/yzpn3734

PLEASE REMEMBER if you have graciously sponsored flowers for Sunday to send a check into the church office with the word flowers in the memo line.

As you enjoy your summer, remember that the church's ministries & expenses continue throughout the summer. If you cannot be with us in person, please consider mailing your tithes and offerings or submit them online by using the QR code to the right.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS If you wish to include something in the bulletin announcement, please submit it to the church office by 9am on Wednesdays.

ENVOY ANNOUNCEMENTS should be sent to the office no later than the 20th of the month.



EDGEBORO MORAVIAN CHURCH

ICE CREAM FESTIVAL

Monday, August 17

4:30-7:00pm



Come out to meet friends & neighbors.

Bring your co-workers

Join in the fun & fellowship!

ENJOY:

*Gayle Justice's famous Turkey BBQ,
Caren Hogan's delicious homemade meatball sandwiches,
Freshly grilled hot dogs and hamburgers,
Salads, fruit, beverages, desserts,
and of course... ice cream*



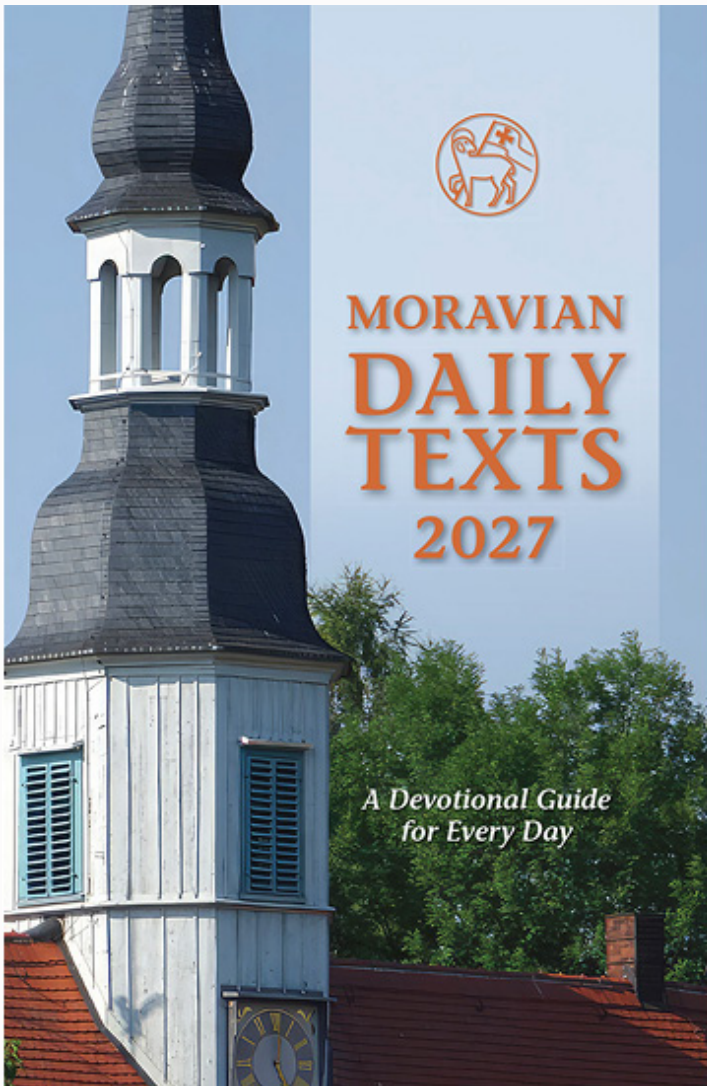
Seeking Volunteers: *set up, serving, clean up* Donations: *drinks, salads, fruits, hotdogs, buns.*
Sign-ups are in the church narthex or call the church office, 610.866-8793, to sign up remotely!

Monetary donations also accepted - cash, checks to Edgeboro, or
Venmo through Blake Messman: 484.894-3295

PRE-ORDER YOUR 2027 MORAVIAN DAILY TEXT THROUGH EDGEBORO

Pre-orders for the Moravian Daily Text are due to the
Edgeboro Office by **AUGUST 9, 2026**
Save 10% on your order by pre-ordering.

If you would like to pre-order, notify the church office of your order. (*bulletin insert as well*)
Edgeboro will send in a large order Aug 10th. No shipping or tax needed!
The office will notify you when your order has arrived and you **MUST** pick-up at the church.
Ordering this way will also save you on shipping and state tax.



**MORAVIAN
DAILY
TEXTS
2027**

*A Devotional Guide
for Every Day*

**A daily
message from
God that's
new every
morning!**

**Order your 2027
Moravian
Daily Texts today!**

2027 DAILY TEXTS ORDERS begin shipping in November 2026.

Please use this form to order 2027 Moravian Daily Texts only. Other EDOC items should be ordered separately.

Item	Reg. Price (after 8/13/26)	Pre-order Price (before 8/13/26)	Quantity	Total (Price x Qty.)
Journal Edition Moravian Daily Texts 2027	\$19.50	\$17.88		
Hardcover Edition Moravian Daily Texts 2027	\$17.50	\$15.75		
Large Print Edition Moravian Daily Texts 2027	\$16.95	\$15.25		
Paperback Edition Moravian Daily Texts 2027	\$14.50	\$13.05		
Spanish Daily Texts 2027 (Dies Lecturales)	\$15.95	\$14.35		
German Daily Texts 2027 (Die Losungen)	\$15.95	\$14.35		
Large Print German Daily Texts 2027 (Die Losungen)	\$15.95	\$14.35		
Directory & Statistics 2027 (purchased alone)	\$11.50	\$10.35		
Directory & Statistics 2027 (special price if purchased with any version of Daily Texts 2027. When ordering online, use coupon code DEDISC.)	\$9.50	\$9.50		
Moravian Desk Calendar & Plan Book 2027 ¹	\$12.00	\$12.00		

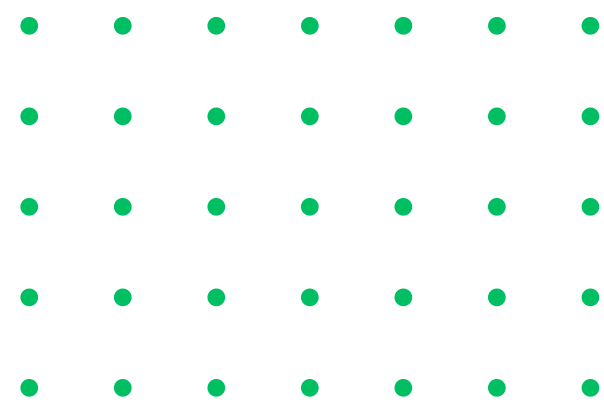
COLLECTIONS

Please bring items to the donation room
or place in the outside shed

(ONGOING) TREX PLASTIC RECYCLING

Accepted plastics include: pallet wrap & stretch film, grocery bags, bread bags, case overwrap, dry-cleaning bags, newspaper sleeves, ice bags, wood pellet bags, zip-lock bags, produce bags, bubble wrap, air pillows, salt bags, and cereal bags. Please do NOT send frozen food bags, chips, dried fruit or nut bags, material that doesn't stretch easily, tears like paper, or is shiny & crinkles or crunches. (Note: All plastic must be clean dry, and free of food residue.)

(ONGOING) PULL TABS – We are once again collecting pop tabs. There is a jar in the collection room, so please help out this wonderful cause that helps families with children who are receiving medical care.

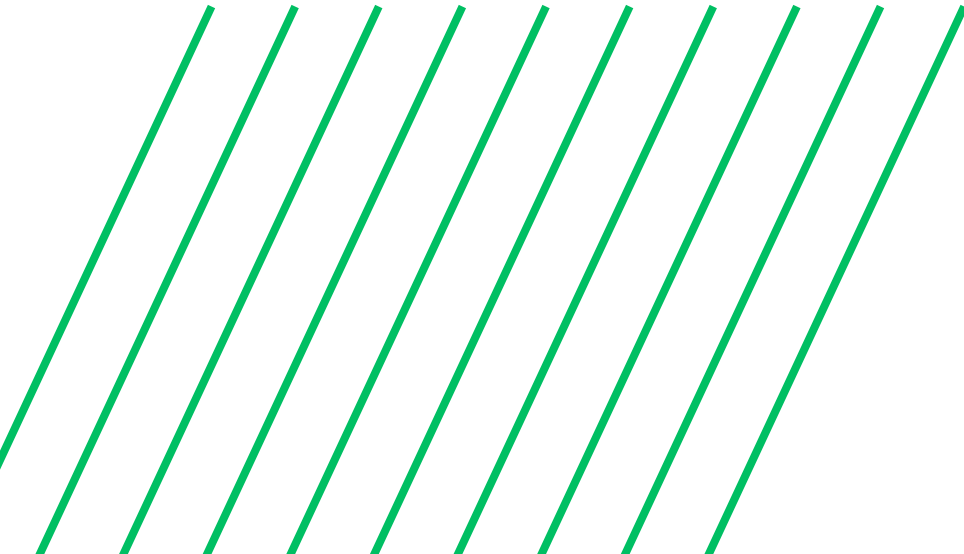


Every gift helps Edgeboro fulfill our mission to love God, grow in Christ, and share the Holy Spirit. Give today using the button below!

GIVE TO EDGEBORO

JOYFUL NOISE

**August Joyful Noise offering will support
Valley Youth House**





An Interfaith Moment at Musikfest

Thursday, August 6, 4 p.m.

Stadtplatz (Payrow Plaza by library)

The Bethlehem Interfaith Group (B.I.G.) invites the community to join voices for “Faith in America: Together We Sing.” The gathering will feature short inspirational readings sprinkled throughout a sing-along format including familiar tunes of the folk and faith genres. Let’s find hope and goodwill together during this season that marks the 250th birthday of our nation.



Camp Hope is turning 80!

Join us Saturday, August 8, 2026,
12:00-6:00pm as we celebrate
eight decades of faith, friendship,
and memories at Camp Hope.

Whether you spent summers swimming in the lake, singing at vespers, working on staff, making lifelong friends, or simply supporting the ministry from afar, this day is for you. We'll gather for a relaxed, camp-style celebration featuring:

- A special anniversary vespers service
- Time to enjoy camp favorites like the pool, lake, games, & camp store
- Live music and fellowship
- A community picnic dinner
- Opportunities to reconnect with old friends and make new memories

This isn't a formal event. It's a chance to come back to camp, share stories, laugh together, and celebrate the ministry that has impacted generations of campers, families, churches, & staff. As we honor Camp Hope's past, we'll also look ahead to its future and the ongoing work needed to keep this special place thriving for generations to come. We can't wait to welcome you back to camp.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

The Nagle Family has graciously offered to use the Donald & Shirley Memorial Camp Scholarship Fund to pay for any member of the Edgeboro Family to attend the Camp Hope 80th anniversary celebration. Pastor Jodie is contacting Camp Hope to let them know. If you register, please say you will be paying by check.

80 YEARS OF HOPE

FAITH. FRIENDS. ADVENTURE.
Generations growing together
in faith and love.

You're Invited!

**CAMP HOPE 80TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 2026

A day for the whole family to
worship, play, reconnect, and
celebrate 80 years of God's
faithfulness at Camp Hope!

A day filled with...

- WORSHIP
IN NATURE**
- SWIMMING,
LAKE FUN &
OUTDOOR
GAMES**
- FELLOWSHIP
& COMMUNITY**
- LIVE
MUSIC**
- PICNIC
DINNER**

Memories. New friends. Lasting faith.

12:00 pm Arrival & Exploration

1:00 pm Anniversary Vespers

2:00 pm Free Time
(Pool & Lake access)

4:00 pm Picnic Dinner

**HOPE
CONFERENCE
and RENEWAL
CENTER**

Scan the QR code
or visit our website
to learn more and
register today!

www.camphope.org

We can't wait to celebrate with you!

**ALL ARE
WELCOME!**



SUMMER SUNDAYS

MORAVIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AUGUST 2 | AUGUST 9 | AUGUST 16 | AUGUST 23 | AUGUST 30

214 E. Center St. Nazareth

August 9: Printmaking

August 16: Colonial Sewing

August 23: Colonial Writing and Wax Seals

August 30: Corn Husk Doll

Free Summer Sundays in August!
Every Sunday in August, guests will enjoy free admission to the Museum, and children can learn colonial skills and crafts through unique hands-on activities. The activities begin at 1:00 p.m. and will end at 3:30 p.m. The Museum and museum store are open from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

This year's activities explore life and history during the American Revolution with knowledgeable workshop leaders. Please note, while all are welcome to join us, some activities may require parental assistance and may be best for families with children, ages 6+. All activities are planned to take place on the lawn of the Moravian Historical Society and are weather-dependent.

[LEARN MORE](#)

Seniors & Friends



September 3rd 11:30am

West Side Moravian Church

Bring a Friend & A Sandwich, beverage & dessert will be provided

Glass Garden Art by Martha

We will be making our own Glass Garden Flower. *We are asking for a donation fo \$5.00 to be used toward the cost of the supplies.*

It all started with a glass ‘flower’ that Martha saw in her chiropractor’s garden. That was summer 2021, and since then she has made nearly 1000 glass garden creations! They are made from up-cycled materials purchased mainly at thrift stores and church yard sales. It gives her great joy to shop for items and create these unique pieces! It also provides and outlet for her compassionate spirit and desire to make an impact in the community. Proceeds benefit local and global charities which have included Essentials Cafe, Parkland Community Library, Aid to Ukraine (through Lutheran Disaster Relief), Allentown School District Foundation, Community Music School, Ripple Church, CROP Walk , and the Monocacy Farm Project.

**BAM Unpicnic: September 13, 3-5 p.m.
East Hills Moravian Church, 1830 Butztown Road, Bethlehem.**

What's Unpicnic?

Does it have food? YES (and good food too!).

Will it have a chance to get to know other Moravians from our Bethlehem Moravian churches?

YES (and games too!)

But there is more A chance to help out other people in a BIG way; making hygiene kits to be distributed across the world with Church World Service.

So it is food, new friends AND service - all in one afternoon!



Join us as we start with this exciting service project - and ambitious goal; making 720 hygiene kits as we put together supplies like toothbrushes, soap, washcloths, into a bag that can easily be given to survivors of a natural disasters. We will have all the supplies ready for you to pack and share with Church World Service who connects them to places in need. After our service project is finished, we'll enjoy a pizza dinner together! We are grateful for BAM Ministries for sponsoring all supplies necessary for this project, and grateful to our hosts at East Hills Moravian Church.



MORAVIAN ARCHIVES

BETHLEHEM

Last weekend marked the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Learn how the Moravians in Bethlehem responded to this significant event, and how Moravian printers in Philadelphia were involved in spreading the word, in this seventh in a series of monthly posts on the Moravians and Revolutionary War. Read the post [here](#)!

Read previous  posts [here](#)!

New Blog: Faith and Revolution #7 Moravians and the Announcement of the Declaration of Independence

Our continuing blog series
highlighting Moravians and the
Revolutionary War.



OTHER CHURCH EVENTS



Advent Moravian Community Yard Sale

Saturday, August 22, 8:00am-2:00pm
3730 Jacksonville Rd.

Food and live music
Basket Raffle.

Interested in a space/table?

Contact Rita Litner: ritafoogle1209@yahoo.com

OR Carol Miller: 484.547-3809.

Spaces/tables available for a \$10 suggested donation.

For more information about the basket raffle

contact Sue Rice: 412.499-2309



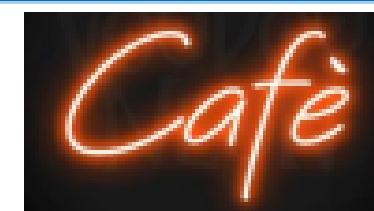
Indoor, Air-Conditioned Community Yard Sale, Café, and Bake Sale

Saturday, August 29, 2026
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

East Hills Moravian Church Family Center
1830 Butztown Road, Bethlehem, PA 18017



TO RENT SPACE: Call Sue at 610-737-0012 to reserve an 8ft x 6ft space for \$25.00. Tables available while they last. Yard sale setup Friday, August 28th from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm and Saturday, August 29th from 8:00 am to 9:00 am. Sellers are responsible for setup, removal, and off-site disposal of items. Proceeds benefit the church's general fund.



Café menu to include breakfast items, croissants, hot dogs, barbecue, coffee, tea, lemonade, soda water, and more.



Bake Sale items to include: cake, pastries, kiffles, pies...



Contact Louise at 610-865-4118 to donate baked goods or for more info. Proceeds benefit children and youth ministries.

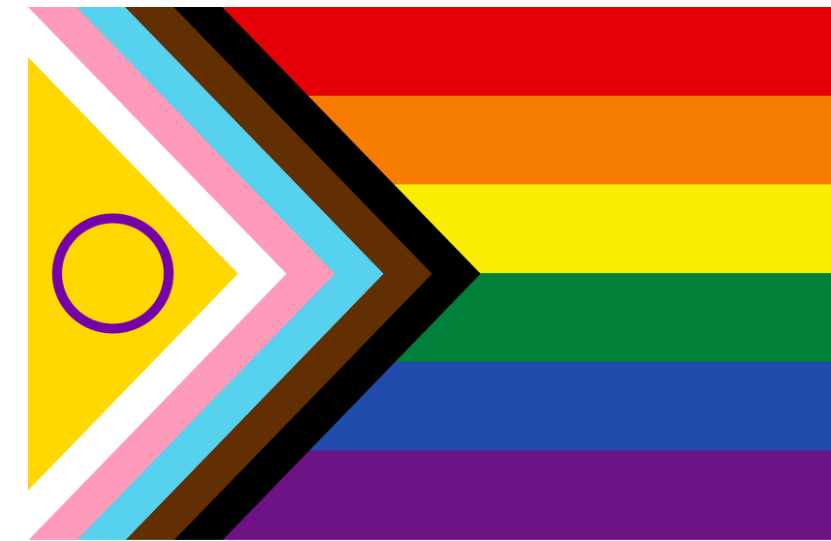
SURROUNDING COMMUNITY NEWS

WEST WARD MARKET

NEW DATE: Thursdays | 5 PM – 8 PM
May 7 – October 15, 2026

NEW LOCATION: 10th & Pine Community
Garden 923 Pine St., Easton

Join us for a family-friendly, outdoor community market featuring low-cost fresh produce, pantry items, kids activities, local musicians every week and monthly cooking classes in Easton's vibrant West Ward.
(SNAP/EBT accepted)



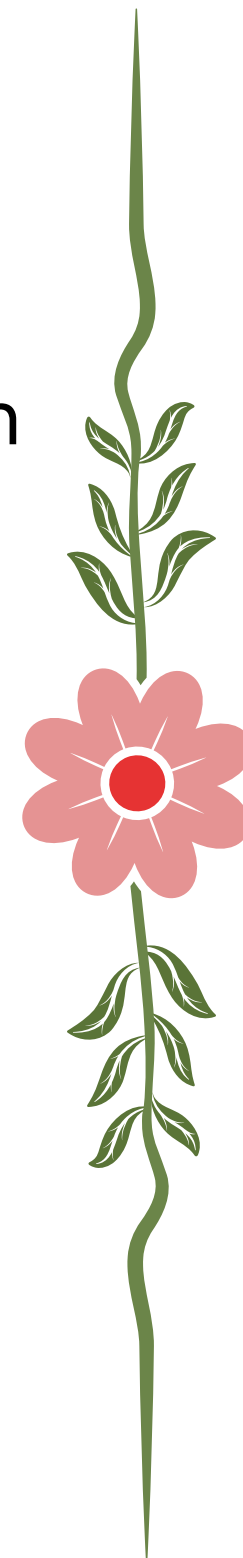
LEHIGH VALLEY PRIDE

STEEL STACKS

August 30 1-7 PM

Admission: general adult admission - \$5
youth ages 13-17 - \$3
children 12 and under - free

Free admission if you donate a toiletry item at the entrance to benefit the BSC Care Cupboard.



COMMUNITY YARD



West Side Moravian Church Saturday, September 12

8am-12noon

set-up begins at 7:00am
Church Parking Lot

Tables are free with a \$10.00 deposit per table*
Deposit will be returned when the table is returned inside the church.
*Limited 10x10 spaces available... Early registration is encouraged

To register:

NO SALE OF THE FOLLOWING PERMITTED:

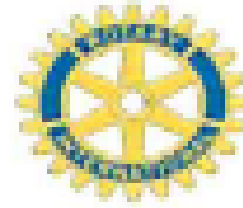
- Firearms, ammunition, or parts
- Mattresses
- Alcoholic or tobacco products
- anything prohibited for resale by the state of PA

Application available at:

westsidemoravian.org

Email: westsidemoravian@gmail.com

Call: [610.865-0256](tel:610.865-0256)



SAVE THE DATE
OCTOBER 4
ROTARY/ESSENTIALS CAFE
BRUNCH FUNDRAISER



We're planning a delightful afternoon of food, music, and community!

- **Guests will register at the cafe where there will be info about our work, coffee, and sugarcake.**
- **Guests will then walk over to West Side where there will be music and more food, including various stations (eggs, carving, sweets, etc).**
- **Additionally we will have a silent auction; we are collecting items now. We're hoping for donations of: themed baskets, one-of-a-kind items (quilts, visual art, etc), tickets for shows/admission/events, musical instruments, and etc. Be creative!**

ITEMS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE CAFE

JULY 23-SEPTEMBER 26.

CALL TAMMIE WITH ANY QUESTIONS: 715-697-8132

As always, thank you for your support!

The cafe operates because of the generosity of our community - together we foster a better world where everyone eats regardless of ability to pay.



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AUCTION





**41 West Locust Street
Bethlehem, PA 18018
610.866.3255**

Herrnhuter 2026 Special Edition Star + Advent Calendar are now available to pre-order!



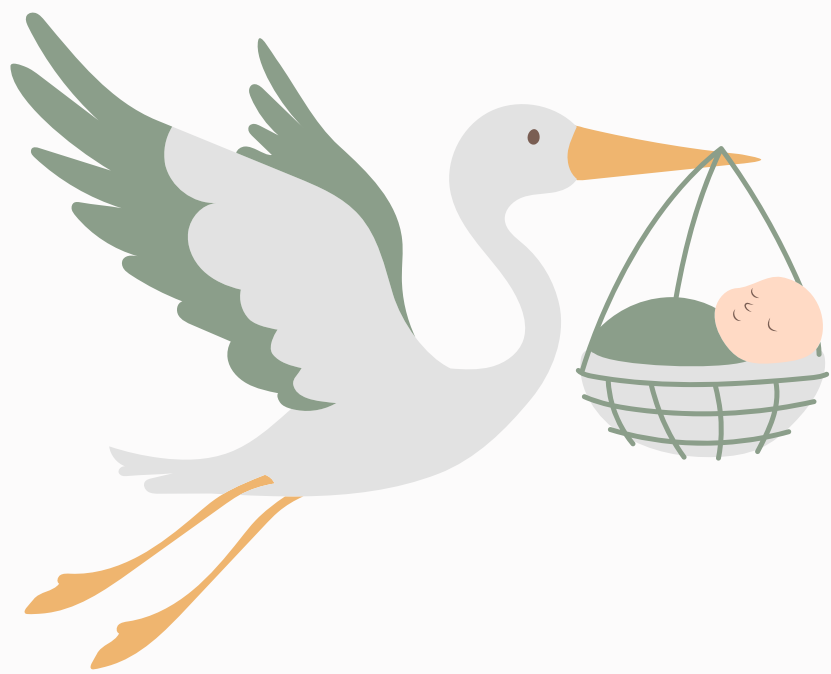
Behind its 24 doors, Herrnhuter's 2026 Advent Calendar features everything you need to build a 5-inch turquoise and white Moravian star as well as an incense kit and other surprises!



Herrnhuter's yearly Special Edition Stars are quite the collector's item!
For 2026, the color of the year is Apricot.

Looking for other Herrnhuter stars? Shop our online star shop [here](#)!

- [Join The Moravian History store Newsletter](#)
- [Moravian History Store Facebook Page](#)



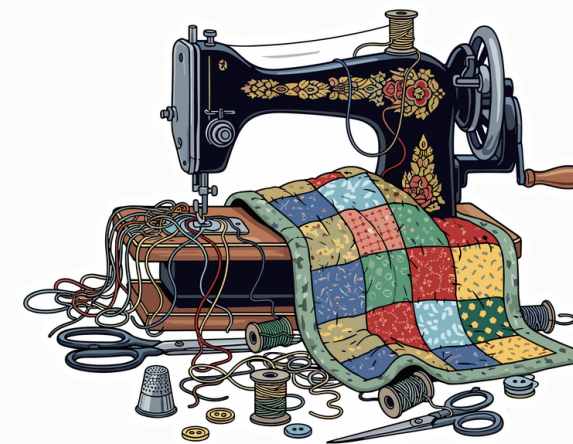
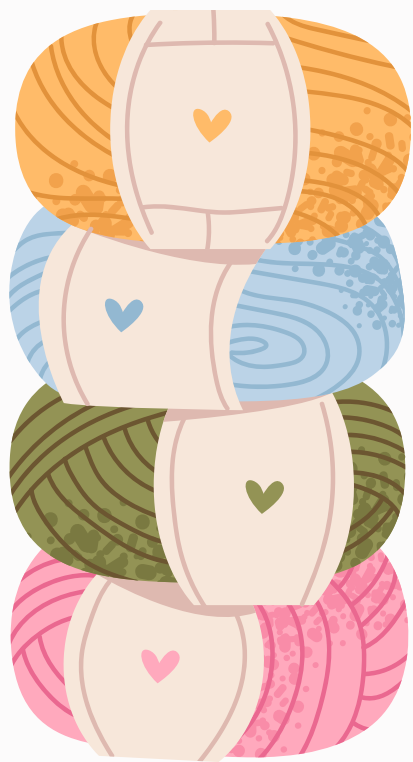
Blankets & Beanies for Teenies



Calling all knitters, crocheters, quilters, and sewers!

Make blankets and beanies for our smallest citizens. In the **fourth Saturday of the month**, beginning in June, **bring your creations to the parking lot of College Hill Moravian Church from 2:00-4:00pm**. All blankets and hats will be divided before being taken to hospitals in the Lehigh Valley area (LVHN & St. Luke's locations).

For more information or to get involved,
email Sarah Lathrop at sarah.lathrop97@gmail.com





Moravian Music Foundation

MMF Newsletter To read the latest news from MMF [CLICK HERE](#)

Monday Morning Music Join Kyle Johnston, at the keyboard, Mondays at 10am on the [MMF You Tube Channel](#) as he plays through a variety of hymns from multiple sources. Hear old favorites, discover new favorites, and relax to the sound of classic hymns at home, in your office or on your commute. Recordings are also available.

Monthly Shape-Note Sing (Lehigh Valley Shape-Note Singers) 6:00- 8:00pm Every 4th Tuesday, come join Kyle Johnston and the Lehigh Valley Shape Note Singers in learning to sing an authentic, historic American style of singing. Singers of all ages and skill levels are welcome. **Godfrey Daniels, 7 E. 4th St. Bethlehem.**

MMF Bluesky social account: [@moravianmusic.bsky.social](#)



Poem

Group Online CZECH Classes

Registration Form

CZECHTALK
Translate Interpret Connect

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INTERESTED IN LEARNING CZECH??

Here's your opportunity
to learn about the Czech
culture and beginner
language!

NATIONAL CZECH & SLOVAK MUSEUM & LIBRARY

Beginner's Czech Language & Culture I
Learn to read, write, and speak in Czech!
Vítáme Vás (We welcome you!)

Sept 20 – Nov 22, 2026
Sundays 3pm-4:30pm (Central Time)

10-week, 15-hour group online courses with Instructor Anna Cooková

CZECHTALK.COM
Translate. Interpret. Connect.

- Easy online access
- All course materials included
- A systematic approach using parts of speech
- Maximum of 10 Students

Cost: NCSML Member: \$265 Non-Member: \$275
(Compare to Private lessons at \$600)
Become a member at [NCSML.org/membership](https://www.ncsml.org/membership)
Contact Anna Cooková for a class registration form:
AnnaCookova@gmail.com or 715-651-7044

Group Online Course
Beginner's Czech Language & Culture I
10-week, 15-hour course with Instructor, Anna Cooková

Mondays 8-9:30pm (Central Time)
Sept 21 – Nov 23, 2026

–Vítáme Vás! (We welcome you!) –
Learn to read, write & speak in Czech!

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Easy Online Access
Course Materials Provided
A Systematic Approach Using Parts of Speech

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Contact Anna Cooková for a Registration Form by emailing:
annacookova@gmail.com or call 715-651-7044
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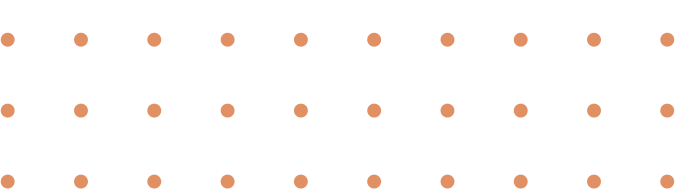
ONGOING COMMUNITY EVENTS



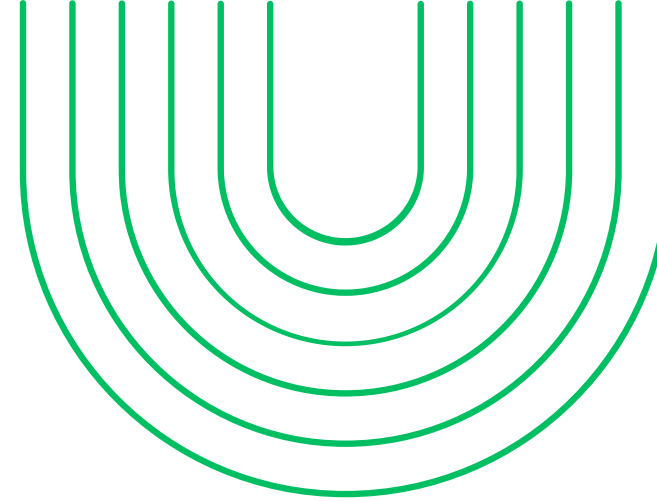
COMMUNITY YOGA at West Side Moravian 402 3rd Ave, Bethlehem, Saturdays 9:00am-10:00am \$10 Donation. Bring a yoga mat and water. Some mats & props are available to borrow. Contact Angela Baio at: Angelabaio86@gmail.com She also is starting Wed. night classes at 7pm and a slow rock yoga with live music! Best to email her before going to a class to make sure that there is a class. Sometimes she is not available for yoga on a Saturday due to her schedule.



BETHLEHEM PALETTE CLUB invites you to join them. “All passion becomes strength when it has an outlet.” The Palette Club’s goal is to form a community of area artists, who come together socially, exhibit their artwork, do a little networking, and stimulate their creative energy through art presentations and workshops. Programs include: monthly meetings with a visiting artist demo, juried and non-juried art exhibits, art workshops, winter portrait paint-ins, summer & fall landscape paint-outs, spring art museum bus trip and a monthly newsletter. Membership is \$25.00/year. For more information, visit: BethlehemPaletteClub.org or follow them on Facebook: The Bethlehem Palette Club



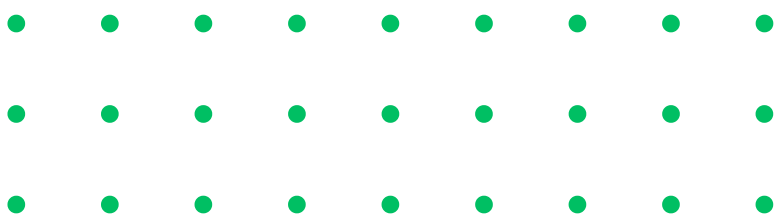
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MORAVIAN NEWSLETTERS To view the Moravian Monthly, MMFA Communique, the Board of World Mission's Mission Minute, Camp Hope newsletter, and current and past Envoy issues, visit the Newsletter Box on our homepage. If you wish to have the Moravian Monthly sent to your e-mail, contact Sylvie Hauser at: sylvie@mcnp.org to begin receiving this newsletter by email.

BWM PRAYER DAYS The Board of World Mission invites you to pray for Moravian global partners and their ministries. CLICK HERE to view a complete calendar and list of Prayer days for Moravians around the world.

BULLETIN BACKS Each week, a short message written by a Moravian in North America is shared on the back of each week's bulletin. CLICK HERE to read the message from this and prior weeks, as well as the daily text.



PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING ADDRESSES TO YOUR EMAIL CONTACT LIST

to ensure that you receive important mailings
from Pastor Jodie and the church office

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churchoffice@edgeboromoravian.org

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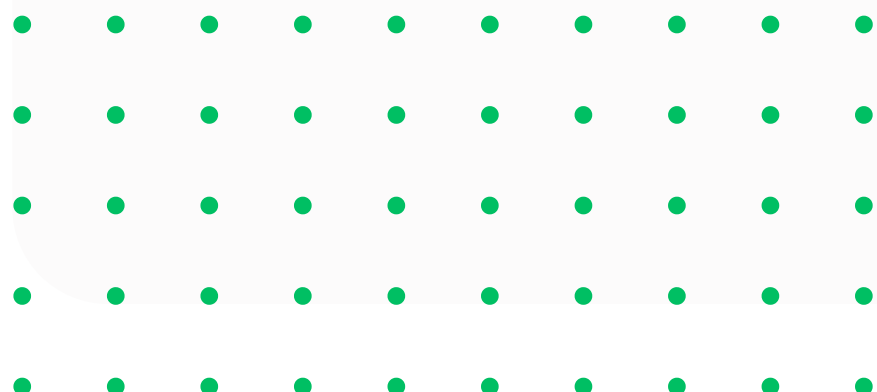
Organist & Senior Choir Director

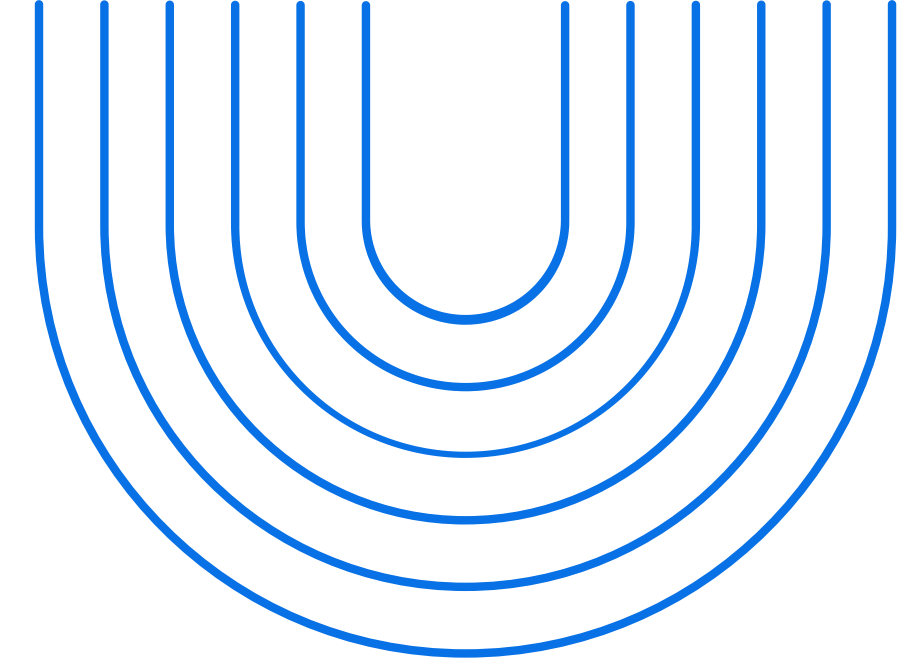
Gayle Justice

Sexton

Greg Clugston

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Forward them this email and have them email the office
to add their email to our list!
(Please don't add other people without their permission)





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