

Announcements March 24, 2024 Palm Sunday

ADULT FORUM SCHEDULE We gather in the Trinity Room at 9:30am for coffee or tea and begin the program at 9:45am.



NEXT SUNDAY... March 31 - Happy Easter! He has risen indeed! Bill Falla will lead us in a Bible study he calls "Easter: The Redemption of Creation". We will look at Easter as having cosmic significance not just a human. Bill always inspires good conversation.

April 7 - Karen Berard, Executive Director of The Neighborhood Center will join us with an update on their programming. The Center continues to serve over 100 youth ages 4-18 years. St. John's has long supported this work through our benevolence grants.

April 14 - The Penn Northeast Conference has been working on creating videos to educate and inspire congregations. We will be watching the newest "How to Church...I wish I Knew More About Community Engagement" and we will see some familiar faces--our own Rev. Becky Sausser and Rev. Janet Newett.

April 21 - Everyone remembers or has heard about Hess's Department store. It was a special place in Allentown and Kate Kareha has been collecting Hess's memories for The Patio Podcast. She will be with us to talk about the podcast and share some great stories. Learn more and listen at https://www.hesspatiopodcast.com. Tune in to Season 1, episode 12 to hear a story from Trudi.

April 28 - Jessica Armbruster, Education Manager, Allentown Bureau of Recycling, will be with us to share best practices for a better environment. Bring your questions on recycling and reusing!



Community Service Project Donations

The Confirmation class of 2023-24 is requesting your help with a community service project! We would like to re-organize and restock the St. John's UCC Resource Room located across the hall from the Trinity room. We are requesting that you donate any of the following items or make a cash donation for the purchase of supplies.

Thank you!

• Nonperishable food



(cups of Ramen noodles, boxes of mac & cheese, rice and beans)

- Individually wrapped rolls of toilet paper
- Clothing of all sizes
- Hats and gloves
- Lightly used household items
- Lightly used cook ware

2024 Easter Candy Sale

Our annual Easter candy sale continues **TODAY** in the Trinity Room following the worship service.

Our delicious, homemade

peanut rolled cream eggs, peanut butter eggs and coconut cream eggs

No orders were taken for this sale.

Items are being sold at \$18.00/ lb or \$9.00/ 1/2 lb.