

Busti Federated Church

Newsletter
September 2018



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"I want every child to know there is a God who loves them"

Franklin Graham

It's the time of year when we start to focus on collecting shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Collection week begins Monday, November 12th so we ask that all completed boxes are delivered to the church by Sunday, November 11th. You can choose to pack a box for either a boy or a girl ages 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. There is a table of items at the church that you can use or you can choose to fill your own box. It's also best to use a plastic tote the size of a shoebox so that the child can get continue use out from it.

When packing your shoebox there is a list of items that you are asked not to include. They include: soft candy; toothpaste; gum; war related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures; food; chocolate; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks; drink mixes; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items and aerosol cans.

The church has a detailed list of suggested items as well as instructions on how to pack the box. There are also tags that need to be placed on each box to show the gender and age of the box. You can also visit:

www.samaritanspurse.org or www.bustifederatedchurch.org



Around the Church

Prayer Needs

Pray for our Nation & Military. SPC Collin Hanson
Cadet Clayton Hanson Tyler Davis
Pray for those that are looking for jobs.
Pray for those who are ill: Katie Lewis, Kay Calendar,
Carol O'Brien, Jason Gould, Charlie Hannan (Cancer),
Kitty & Manny Boutureira, Donny Dittman,
Carol Abbott Terry Lata, Bill Allshouse, Dee Gould
Jennie Locke (Carol's Mom) Sherry Core-Breast Cancer
Jonathan Gibbs (Carol's nephew) Sarcoidosis

September **Birthdays**

Austin Lynn	8 th
Nancy Jordan	28 th

Anniversaries

Jon & Karen Putnam	2 nd
John & Deb Siggins	23 rd

October **Birthdays**

Onnolee Samuelson	5 th
Heather Lynn	7 th
Jean Robbins	11 th
Jane Chapman	18 th
Donna Swartzentruber	25 th
Colton Hanson	30 th

Anniversaries

Randy & Candy Sargent	10 th
Hart & Nancy Jordan	28 th

Mark Your Calendars

Friday, September 21st

SSAFE Chicken & Biscuit Dinner
4:00-6:30pm Cost: Donation
Proceeds to help upcoming
mission projects

Ladies Bible Study Begins
9:45-11:00am at the home of
Jean Robbins
The study will focus on the
Daily Bread Devotional

Sunday, September 30th
Busti Apple Festival

Monday, October 1st

Resource Team Meeting
Begins at 6:30pm
All are welcome

November 4th & 11th

Operation Christmas Child
Shoe Box Collection Sundays

Saturday, December 8th

SSAFE Annual Cookie Walk
9:00am - Noon
\$4 per Dozen or 3 Dozen for \$10

Saturday, December 15th

Wreaths Across America
Lakeview Cemetery Soldier's Circle
Ceremony begins at noon sharp

Wreaths Across America

On Saturday, December 15th Wreaths Across America will be holding it's local wreath laying service at the Lakeview Cemetery Soldier's Circle beginning promptly at noon. There are several ways that you can become involved.

First, you can make plans to attend the local event. Your presence is an encouragement to the brave men and women of the military as well as helping to lay the wreaths. You can also sponsor a wreath (or more) in memory or honor of a veteran. The cost to sponsor a wreath is \$15.00 and can be purchased through the church or online.

We will be posing updated information as the day of the event draws closer. For additional information you can visit.

www.wreathscrossamerica.org
www.bustifederatedchurch.org
or on Facebook at
jamestownwreaths

Mitten Tree

We are once again collecting mittens, gloves, hats and scarves for area children that are in need. The tree is located in the foyer outside the sanctuary. We have begun collecting early this year so that we can deliver the items in November before it gets cold.



Fill the Bus With School Supply Drive

Busti Federated Church is partnering with Axemen New York, Chapter 4, area businesses, banks and credit unions to help collect school supplies for area public schools. Collection will continue until Friday, September 21st and the items will be delivered on Saturday, September 22nd to Friendly's Restaurant. There will be a fire truck and a school bus to fill with the supplies. Items that you can donate include:

Pens - Pencils - Glue Sticks - Crayons

Post it Notes - Folders - Dividers

Tissues - Index Cards - Erasers

Wide Ruled Loose Leaf Paper

Pocket Folders - Pencil Boxes - Highlighters

Zipper Pouches - Index 3 Ring Binders 1"



Thank you to everyone that volunteered or contributed to Reconnect 2018. We couldn't have held a successful event without your help. We look forward to planning next years event.

BLUE STAR MOTHERS RAFFLE

Support Our Military!

3 GREAT PRIZES



GRAND PRIZE
EAGLE TREE CARVING
BY VINCE LIUZZO



2nd PRIZE
WWII Autographed Artwork



3rd PRIZE
Webb's Room, Dinner, Chocolate

WINNERS DRAWN AT LAKEWOOD ROD AND GUN
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH

TICKETS \$5.00

For more info visit: www.BlueStarMothersWNY.org.



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Chicken & Biscuit Dinner

Friday, September 21st 4:00-6:30pm

Cost: Donation



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Upcoming Missions

Hosted by: Busti Federated Church

716-664-1586 or 716-720-0115

875 Mill Rd., 5 Corners of Busti

September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	3  Labor Day	4	5	6 Community Sewers	7	8
9 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	10	11 	12	13	14	15
16 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	17	18	19	20	21 SSAFE Fundraiser Chicken & Biscuit Dinner 4:00-6:30	22 Fill the Bus Event Friendly's 10:00am
23 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am Apple Festival						

If you would like to submit an article, information or event to be placed in the Newsletter please have into the church office by the 25th of the month

October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Resource Team Meeting 6:30pm	2	3	4 Community Sewers	5	6
7 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	8  <i>Columbus Day</i>	9	10	11	12	13
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21 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Bible Discussion 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am	29 Resource Team Meeting 6:30pm	30	31	Thursday, November 8th Paint Party, Cost \$30.00		

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