

Registration for Our 2026 Golf Tournament is Now Open!

Our 2026 Golf Tournament is all set and ready to go! We will be doing things a little differently this year as this will be the first time we are golfing at Sand Springs Golf Course. All relevant information is on the flyer below. There are registration and sponsorship forms available at the church! This event is always a good time and it is also a great way to support the missions and ministries of Black Creek UMC! Please help us spread the word to golfers and potential sponsors!



BLACK CREEK UMC
9-HOLE GOLF SCRAMBLE

SEPTEMBER 26TH
2PM START

SAND SPRINGS GOLF COURSE
10 Clubhouse Drive Drums, PA 18222

TWOSOME REGISTRATION: \$120
FOURSOME REGISTRATION: \$240

**TO REGISTER: CALL 384-4087
OR USE THE QR CODE BELOW TO
REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE!**

Registration Fee
Includes Golf, Cart
Fee, Dinner in the
Clubhouse, Welcome
Gift, and Prizes!



This Sunday at Black Creek UMC



In our worship service this week, we continue our sermon series focusing on the Apostle Paul's Letter to the Romans, which none other than Martin Luther called, "the chief part of the New Testament, and the purest Gospel" believing that this short letter provides a theological framework — covering God's righteousness, human sin, Christ's atonement, and our salvation — that serves as a key to interpreting the entire Bible. We will use this awesome text to examine ourselves and our church and answer the question, "Are We Doing It Wrong?"



In our message this week, we will discern what needs to happen in our hearts and in our community to live as true **Disciples** of Jesus Christ, living lives that are powerfully and completely transformed by power of the Holy Spirit.

You won't want to miss this one!

There are **four** ways to participate in worship at Black Creek UMC. Our service begins at 9:30.

- In person – All are welcome, come as you are!
- On Facebook Live.
- Right at the top of our website, www.blackcreekumc.org
- Livestreamed on our YouTube Channel. Just go to YouTube and type in @backpewbelievers and our channel will come right up! Don't forget to subscribe for new updates.

Thank You to All of Our Blood Drive Volunteers!



A **big thank you** to everyone who volunteered to make the Red Cross Blood Drive at Black Creek UMC a success this past Monday! It was a ton of work and the hospitality that we show to our community during this important event goes a long way in sharing the love of God with our neighbors. Our church never ceases to step up when needed! Thanks again all.

Informal Summer Worship Services Continue This Saturday!



You are invited to join us for our second summer informal worship service **THIS Saturday**, July 18th at 4PM. These are relaxed times of worship and fellowship. We will either be in our new pavilion or our new indoor informal worship space, depending on the weather, which seems to change every minute these days...

The worship series is titled "Be Still" and we are looking at ways that we can slow ourselves down and still our minds so that we can hear God speaking to us in the midst of the chaos of our everyday lives.

Hot Dog Nights Continue This Week!



This Thursday night, you are invited to stop by our new outdoor pavilion for \$2 hot dogs and \$1 sodas. This will be the second of our hot dog nights that will continue throughout the summer. These are a great way for us to welcome our neighbors and enjoy some fellowship time with one another. We will have some tables set up in our pavilion, and you can also get takeout orders. I hope you will consider joining us for these awesome new community events!

Coffee With the Pastor Continues Today!



Today you can stop by in our new indoor fellowship for coffee with the pastor (and anyone else who shows up.) Who can turn down free coffee? Hope to see you there. These events will continue throughout the summer!

Announcements that were in Last Week's Email

Looking Ahead to Our Next Summer Concert



On Saturday, July 25th, Black Creek UMC will be welcoming the Freeland St. Ann's Band to perform for the third year in a row. They recently sent along a description of the show that they have planned this year and it sounds like one that you won't want to miss. Here is that description!

“The Freeland St. Ann's is proud to honor both the 250th Anniversary of the United States as well as our own town of Freeland's 150th Anniversary. In doing so, Director Joseph Rosato and the band have prepared a program that honors both our nation's Historical and Musical heritage. Highlights of the concert include "The Homefront: Musical Memories of WW2", "Shenandoah", "Big Band Tribute", "Hootenany", "Ashokan Farewell", "Theme from Gettysburg", "I Left My Heart in San Francisco", "New York New York", "Proud Mary", "Stars and Stripes Forever" and "God Bless America".”

Coffee Hour Volunteers Needed



We are looking for volunteers to organize coffee hour each month to spread the work of the church around... That means: making and preparing coffee around 8:30AM, preparing and plating all donations for coffee hour, and cleaning up after Coffee Hour. There is a signup sheet in the narthex. Please consider helping with this important mission of community and fellowship. See Pastor John with any questions! **A big THANK YOU to Sandy for volunteering for the month of June and Lynne and Christie for volunteering to handle July!**

Office Hours at Black Creek



Now that I am officially done with my teaching career, I will be instituting regular office hours at the church. Feel free to stop by any time for any church related business or just to say hello!

Community Announcements

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Black Creek UMC, Informal Worship Space