

## **Weekly Events**

### **Sunday, August 24th**

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### **Discovery Dunes**

Children's Sunday School  
During the 10:30 AM Service

### **Adult Sunday School Class**

Fellowship Hall  
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

### **Monday, August 25th**

Fellowship Hall

### **Pickleball**

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

### **United Women in Faith Craft Night**

South Wing Library

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

### **Tuesday, August 26th**

Fellowship Hall

### **Awakenings Coffee Shop**

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

### **Pickleball**

Fellowship Hall

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

### **Celebrate Recovery - Men's Group**

Chapel/Zoom

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

### **Wednesday, August 27th**

Jim Anderman  
pastorjim@palmyrafirst.org

### **Blessed Misfits**

South Wing & Zoom  
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

### **Thursday, August 28th**

Fellowship Hall

### **Awakenings Coffee Shop**

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

### **Pickleball-Canceled**

### **Friday, August 29th**

Fellowship Hall

### **Celebrate Recovery**

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM



## **PALMYRA FIRST SUNDAY NEWS**

520 E. Birch St. Palmyra, PA 17078

717-838-2551

In Church & Live Stream Services  
Contemporary Service - 9:00 AM—10:00 AM  
Traditional Service - 10:30 AM—11:30 AM

## **Sunday, August 24th, 2025**



### **United Women in Faith Craft Night**

Tomorrow, August 25th at 7:00 PM is craft night in the church *South Wing Library*. We will be creating fall centerpieces for the Conference Fall Celebration luncheon on October 18th. Hopefully, you can join us for an evening of creativity and fellowship. We are making about 15 centerpieces.

### **Spaghetti Dinner for *Rise Against Hunger***

September 20th from 4:00 PM-7:00 PM, we will be having a spaghetti dinner at *Palmyra First* in the *Fellowship Hall*. All of the proceeds will benefit *Rise Against Hunger*. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for ages 10 and under. The meal includes spaghetti, salad, bread, and a drink. Desserts are available by donation. Dine-in or take-out. For more information or to get tickets, check with Karen Douds before/after Sunday service or reach her at 717-685-1722. You can also call the church office at 717-838-2551.

### **Unwillingly Absent**

Just a reminder that we have cards for our unwillingly absent members in a rack as you enter from the parking lot. They are addressed to members and have a return address label for the church. Feel free to take one, or more, and send an encouraging note to church folks. Include an uplifting message, a Bible verse, some news from church, or a favorite memory of them. You may mail on your own or place in the outgoing mail spot and your card will be mailed for you. Take a few moments to brighten the day of one of our members!

### **Coin Cups for *Rise Against Hunger***

Hopefully, you have your coin cup in a prominent place where you will think to add to it regularly. If you don't have yours yet, please stop at the welcome desk and get one! We are working toward raising \$6,000 so we can pack 15,000 meals in three hours on November 8th! These should be returned by **September 28th**.



### **Visit *Mission Central***

*Palmyra First* has reserved a tour of *Mission Central* for all who would like a first hand look at this amazing operation this **Tuesday, August 26th**. We will meet at our church at **12:45 PM** to travel together to Mechanicsburg for the 2:00 PM tour. The sign-up sheet is in *Fellowship Hall*.

### **Blood Drive at *Palmyra First***

There will be another blood drive on **Saturday, September 13th** here at *Palmyra First UMC* in the *Fellowship Hall* from **8:00 AM-4:00 PM**. Each donor will receive a \$15 entrée certificate to the *Texas Roadhouse* in Palmyra. An appointment is recommended, but not required to donate. Please visit the *Central PA Blood Bank* to schedule for donation at [717giveblood.org](http://717giveblood.org) or call 1-800-771-0059.

### **First Friday with First**

Our next *First Friday with First* build day with *Habitat For Humanity* will be on **Friday, September 5th**. We will be working in Lebanon at 1021 Walnut Street. If you have volunteered previously, be sure to go on their site and sign up. If you have not done this before, please contact Amy Dellinger and she will get you set up. She can be reached at 717-821-0298 or at [amy.dellinger22@gmail.com](mailto:amy.dellinger22@gmail.com).