

TURBOTVILLE NEWS & HAPPENINGS

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SEPTEMBER 2026

BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council meets in the public room of the borough building – 267 Broadway St. – at 7 p.m. Business meeting is Monday, September 9th. Workshop meeting is on Monday, September 28th. Public is welcome to attend.

BOROUGH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY, SEPT. 4TH & LABOR DAY, MONDAY THE 7TH.

BOROUGH MAINTENANCE

THIS IS A DIRECT LINE TO MAINTENANCE WORKERS.

570-464-7826

Jeremy Lebaron & Bob Martz

TAX COLLECTOR

Camilla Zimmerman will hold office hours on the 2nd Monday, Sept. 14th and the 4th Thursday, Sept. 24th, from 6-8pm or by appointment at her residence 40 Cherry Tree Lane, Turbotville. Contact number is 570-490-4988.

FROM RABBIT TRANSIT TRANSPORTATION DRIVERS

Topic: Paratransit Drivers are the Keystones of our Communities

Most of us rarely think twice about how we'll get to a doctor's appointment, work, the grocery store, or the people we love. But for

many of our neighbors, getting there depends on someone else showing up.

Every day, rabbitransit, Central Pennsylvania's public transportation organization, provides shared ride (paratransit) service that helps older adults, veterans, people with disabilities, and others stay connected to their communities and maintain their independence.

Behind every ride is a driver.

Paratransit drivers are more than a way from one address to another. They are familiar faces, helping hands, and dependable connections to the places that matter. And there is an ongoing need for caring, reliable people willing to fill that important role.

For those interested in serving their community while building professional skills, rabbitransit provides free CDL training and opportunities to grow within public transportation.

Sometimes, being the keystone of your community starts behind the wheel.

Learn more about paratransit and career opportunities at rabbitransit.org/jobs.



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CHURCH NEWS

Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church

Worship at 9:00am each Sunday

Location: 10275 State Route 44, ¾ of a mile past McEwensville on the way to Turbotville

570-649-5822 Email;
hseleturbotville@gmail.com

Our Children's Church program began on August 2 and runs until May 30. This is a Sunday school program designed for kids aged 3-8 years old. This program is provided during our regular church service to bring children and parents the Word of God.

Join us for worship at 9:00 every Sunday followed by a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies.

Trinity United Church of Christ

7 Church St. Turbotville

Reverend Doug Schader

info@trinityuccturbotville.org

(570-649-5040 - Leave Message)

10:30 am Sunday Morning Worship

Greetings:

School has started so - Please be careful on the road and keep an eye out for school buses and students.

Wishing them all a safe and healthy school season.

For Augustfest, Trinity would like to thank all who stopped in and purchased sandwiches, baked goods or made a donation toward our indoor yard sale. We had a very profitable day. Thank you again.

With Fall just around the corner, our members will be getting ready for Harvest Home, a Soup Sale and other activities.

COME AND JOIN US SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 10:30AM FOR COFFEE, REFRESHMENTS AND TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD!

MEMBERS CONTINUE TO WELCOME NEW FACES TO OUR CONGREGATION AND WE CONTINUE TO HELP THOSE IN NEED IN OUR AREA. GOD BLESS!

HEAL THE PAST; LIVE THE PRESENT; DREAM THE FUTURE.....

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

39 Paradise Street, Turbotville

(570) 649-5195

website: zionturbotville.com +

email: zionlc39@windstream.net

Wednesday Prayer Service 9:00 am + Saturday 6:00 pm + Sunday 8:00 and 10:30 am

Watch our Sunday 10:30 am livestream at www.facebook.com/zionturbotville.

YouTube channel: Zion Turbotville

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LOYALTY SUNDAY September 13th - 8:00 & 10:30 am

We encourage everyone to join us for Loyalty Sunday. It is always a great day of celebration, a time to renew our fellowship. Bring your whole family and invite friends to join you. Let us celebrate our God, who is loyal to us with great love.

SUNDAY SCHOOL begins again on Loyalty Sunday, September 13th at 9:15 a.m.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE Our Wednesday Prayer services are held at 9:00 am. For those looking for an additional opportunity to receive Holy Communion, the Prayer Group celebrates the sacrament at its service on the fourth Wednesday of every month. Join us for prayer on Wednesdays.

JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY Law and Gospel: The Lutheran Difference Beginning Tuesday, September 15 at 10:30 am or Wednesday, September 16 at 7:00 pm

JOLLY BUNCH Jolly Bunch is our Senior's group. Plan to join the Jolly Bunch on September 9th, 2026, at 10:30 a.m. for an important meeting for all of us at Zion. Our guest speaker will be Diana Johnson of Watson town who will share information about being aware in our increasingly technological world of new ways scams are aimed at us and how to avoid them.

HARVEST HOME will be observed on Sunday, September 20, 2026. Everyone is invited to bring commercially canned fruits or vegetables that will be distributed locally along with our Harvest Home monetary offerings. These items can be brought to the services on that weekend. Canned fruits and vegetables will be distributed between Warrior Run Neighbors

Helping Neighbors and Haven Ministry. Monetary donations will be divided 50/50 with Warrior Run Neighbors Helping Neighbors and ELCA Disaster Relief.

APPLE DUMPLINGS The Disaster Relief Team's annual Apple Dumpling Bake October 22 & 23 to support disaster victims and local families in need MARK YOUR CALENDARS & GRAB AN ORDER FORM There will be one bake only, October 22nd (Business orders) October 23rd (Individual orders) Price is \$4.00 per dumpling. Pick up your order forms on the table in the narthex and can be placed in the basket when returned. ALL ORDERS ARE DUE BY OCTOBER 4th.

PROJECT LINUS Our Project Linus "Blanket Fellowship" sessions will resume in September from 2:00 – 4:00 PM on the third Sunday of the month. Bring a blanket to work on, or if you would like some help getting started on a project, let us know. "Blanket Fellowship" is a come-as-you-areable activity where we can have fun and get to know each other better as we help a great cause by making and donating blankets for children in need in our area.

WHITE HALL BAPTIST CHURCH

Whitehallbaptistchurchpa@gmail.com

New Web Page <http://whitehall-baptist.org>

699 White Hall Road, Danville, PA 17821

Sunday Church Services: 9:00am (plus Zoom and parking lot radio FM 87.7)

(Children's Church during regular service)

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Sunday School: 10:30am

Events in September

September 6 – Nancy Magargle is in the pulpit.
Sunday Church Service 9am, Sunday School at 10:30am

September 13 – Rev. Margie Fisk is in the pulpit.
Sunday Church Service 9am, Sunday School at 10:30am.

September 15 – ABW Crochet Circle Meeting 1
– 3pm. All are welcome, we have yarn and hooks/knitting needles.

September 20 – Rev. Mike Reece is in the pulpit.
Sunday Church Service 9am, Sunday School at 10:30am.

September 27 - Charlie Fisher is in the pulpit.
Sunday Church Service 9am, Sunday School at 10:30am.

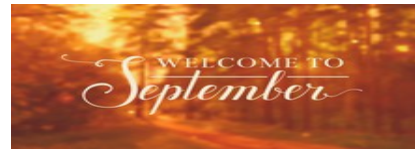
September 29 – ABW Crochet Circle Meeting 1
– 3pm. All are welcome, we have yarn and hooks/knitting needles.

All are welcome, please join us.

We have begun our search for a new pastor.
We are also looking for a part-time pianist.
Please contact White Hall Baptist Church at whitehallbaptistchurchpa@gmail.com or Bill Ash, Diaconate Chair at (570-437-1915) for any interested parties. Thank you!

St. James Episcopal Church
Rt. 44 White hall Rd
(Exchange)

Members of the St. James Episcopal Church invites you: Sunday, Sept. 13 and Sunday, Sept. 27 Church Services will be held at 5pm for Communion. All other Sunday Services will be held at 8:30 am for Morning Prayer.



TURBOTVILLE COMMUNITY HALL

Corner of Pine & Church St.

Rental info contact Loretta Mabus 570-742-7702

SEPT. EVENTS

Fri. – Sept. 4 - Pa Dept of Health Clinic 9am-12noon

Wed. – SEPT. 9 - EXERCISE- ZUMBA 5:30-6:30PM

Tue. – Sept. 11 - Heritage Society Mtg 7pm

Tue. – Sept. 15 – TCHC Board Meeting 7pm

Wed. – SEPT. 16 - DAGWOOD PREP 8:00AM

THU. – SEPT. 17 - DAGWOODS 4:30-8:00AM

Mon. – Sept. 21 - Carnival Committee Mtg 7pm

Wed. - SEPT. 23 - EXERCISE- ZUMBA 5:30-6:30PM

WED. - SEPT. 23 - LIONS CLUB

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TURBOTVILLE COMMUNITY CARNIVAL

Our first meeting for the 2027 carnival will be in Monday, September 21st at 7:00pm. Always a place for new members to join us!

TURBOTVILLE LIONS CLUB

School is back on session, where did the summer go?? We didn't hold meetings in June or July, but we had a very successful Carnival and Augustfest. Thank You to everyone who helped support us for these both events! A meeting was on August 26 and Wednesday, September 23rd will be our next meeting held at 6:30 at the Turbotville Community Hall. We will be discussing our Fall project of making our Famous Apple Butter. Dates for that project will be in the next newsletter. Hope you had a wonderful summer. Please be mindful of the kids and slow down for them and the buses. On to September!

WARRIOR RUN FORT FREELAND



Celebrate History as part of America 250 at
Heritage Days Weekend!

Join us **October 3 & 4, 2026**, for Heritage Days Weekend at the Hower-Slote Farm (behind the Warrior Run School District campus at 4800 Susquehanna Trail, Turbotville, PA) with exciting new entertainment both days. On Saturday (10am-4pm) & Sunday from (11am-4pm):

*colonial music with The Susquehanna Travelers (Saturday) and dulcimer (Sunday)

*pig cracklings rendering (Saturday only)

*living history encampments with 3rd Battalion Pennsylvania Regiment and South Eastern Native Loyalist Confederacy

*an apple butter boil

*frontier living demonstrations

*watch the battle reenactment of Fort Freeland

*explore the Historic Warrior Run Church and cemetery

*tour the Hower-Slote House and barn with demonstrators

*play children's games with the Seven Bridges Susquehanna Scouts Council

•talk with Martha Washington

*bring your Native American artifacts for identification in the barn

•check out a ground penetrating radar demonstration led by Susquehanna University students

•herb gardening

•presentation about the capitulation of Fort Freeland (Saturday) and Native trades (Sunday)

On Sunday at 10am, start out the day with Rev. Shawn McNett for a church service at the

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Historic Warrior Run Church and then head over to the Hower-Slote grounds for all the activities.

Pennsylvania Dutch food sales under the barn include homemade ham & bean soup, chicken corn soup, ham bbq sandwiches, hotdogs, hamburgers, hot and cold cider, bottled water, birch beer, root beer, pie by the slice, whoopie pies, and fry pies!

Admission Rates

Adults \$8 Weekend Pass \$12 Students \$2

Children Under 5 – FREE

MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY

20 Church St., McEwensville, PA

570-538-1381

Library hours: Mon. & Fri.-12 to 6; Tues. & Thurs. 12 to 8; Wed. 12 to 4, Sat. TBD

CLOSED MONDAY, SEPT. 7TH - LABOR DAY!

New Cards — for Everyone! As part of our rebrand, we are giving new library cards and key tags to everyone! Both the card and tag can be used to borrow items and access our online resources with your new number. Whether you already have a card or want to sign up for the first time, getting a new card will also enter you into our raffle for a chance to win gift cards! The raffle will run through the end of the year with prizes drawn every month. As an added bonus, everyone who gets their new card by the end of the year will have all their existing late fees wiped out!

Mobile Maker Space Program The Bloomsburg Children's Museum will visit us every month at the

library for their Mobile Maker Space Programs. Kids ages 6+ are welcome to join us from 6:00 - 7:00pm - sign up in advance! September 24th - Electronics: Light Up Ghosts and Pumpkins October 22nd - Engineering: Pumpkin Chuckin. Check out our website or Facebook for future events!

13 on 13 Come and play the card game 13 at 13:00 hours! We can teach anyone who hasn't played before - it's easy to learn and similar to Five Crowns. Join us on Friday, September 11th at 1:00pm.

Library Mini-Golf Join us at the library on September 17 to play Mini Golf on a one of-a-kind indoor course! Putt your way around books and obstacles and try to get the best score. All ages are welcome to play from 3:00pm - 8:00pm.

September Book Sale The Friends of the Library group has planned another book sale on September 25 and 26 . Come visit us during the Watsontown yard sales to get great deals on used books and support the library! The sale is located on Fisher Drive.

GO TO www.mghlib.org for more information as to what the library has to offer.

EXCHANGE POOL

1373 White Hall Road, Danville

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Thank you to all our swimmers and donors. We had a great season. This fall we will paint the deep end of the pool and complete a number of important maintenance projects.



Please support our efforts by purchasing a meat raffle ticket. \$10 per ticket, with 9 prizes, including a \$400 gift certificate to purchase whatever you would like at Fisher's Meats of Lewisburg. See us on Facebook or email us: exchangepool17772@gmail.com. Thanks to our friends at Fisher's for their continued support of the pool.



California Grange #941 News

17 California Road, Watontown, PA 17777

<https://www.pagrange.org/>

Grange Motto - "In essentials, unity; in non-essentials, liberty; in all things, charity" in all things, charity"

September Events

September 12 – Chicken BBQ (4-6pm) Drive Through. Pre-sale tickets are required. Please contact Bob Fry at 570-336-3126 for tickets. Menu includes: ½ chicken, macaroni salad, baked beans, apple sauce, roll, and homemade vanilla ice cream. Tickets available for a \$15 donation.

September 14 – 6pm – Member BBQ Leftover Dinner. Business meeting to follow at 7:15pm.

September 20 – Mark your calendars! 250th Anniversary Community History Day 2pm-6pm at California Grange #941 Hall. Speakers: Tyler Dombroski – Colonial History of Washingtonville; John Marr – Settlement and History of the Community of Strawberry Ridge; and Carol Shetler – History of local Grist Mills and the colorful flour bags they used, featuring quilting. Plus, local artisan crafters, some colonial re-enactors, and homemade ice cream. Food sales by the Concerned Citizens of Montour County (CCMC).

Come and make a difference in your community! Please consider becoming a Grange member, to do so contact either Bob Pardoe (President) at 570-524-7625 or Sharon Waltman (Lecturer) at 570-316-3538). Active membership dues are \$30/year with membership benefits in shopping, healthcare, travel, and insurance (see <https://www.nationalgrange.org/member-benefits/>).

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