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Youth Retreat Roundup



Director of Youth Ministries, Kevin Myers, reports that 11 youth attended last weekend's Youth Retreat. They spent some quality time in bible study, ...

...and also had a lot of fun playing! A big THANK YOU to the staff and volunteer leaders who made this weekend possible.



Reminders:

-Transform Lycoming County VIM Week is July 19-23, 2021. Volunteer and Home Repair Applications are available on the connections tables.

-FUMC will host a Red Cross Blood Drive in the Celebration Center on July 22nd from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Call 1-800-733-2767 or go to their [website](#) to make an appointment.



House of Hope Seeks Volunteers



Sojourner Truth Ministries in Williamsport is seeking volunteer overnight chaperones for their House of Hope ministry. House of Hope is a ministry that provides housing for women and families experiencing homelessness. Their goal is to provide support for healthy living as participants make a transition to society. Sojourner Truth will provide women or married couple volunteers with training. If you are interested in helping, please contact Pam at pamelart4stm@gmail.com. To learn more about House of Hope, visit their website [here](#).

UMW Serve Lunch at Neighborhood Center

Submitted by Karen Barraco

United Methodist Women delivered lunch to the children and staff of the Neighborhood Center in Harrisburg on Wednesday, June 30. This national mission institution of the United Methodist Church plays a vital role in their community, providing day care, summer programs and after-school care. Thanks to all who helped in this effort.



Preparing fruit and veggies on Tuesday were Candy Winters, Patti Myers, Aline Miller, Janet Pursel and Karen Barraco.



Getting ready to serve lunch at the Neighborhood Center are Candy Winters, Aline Miller, and Rebecca Byers with kitchen manager Patricia. One of the children came up to the counter and thanked us for the meal. "It was really good. Can you come back again?"



Aline Miller presented a check to Neighborhood Center director Gary Fallings. The gift was in memory of Joanne Castlebury, a member of United Methodist Women and supporter of Neighborhood Center for many years. The Castlebury Family designated this gift from the memorial contribution given to the church.

Blessed to be a Blessing!!