



Peter Becker Community  
Compassionate care. Extraordinary caring.

# Chit Chat

Campus Programming to Enrich Your Mind Body & Spirit

Health Care Center



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### PBC Auxiliary Flower Sale

Wednesday, May 10,  
10am until sold out  
Main Campus  
and Maplewood  
Lobbies  
Geraniums  
\$6.50 each



## Featured Activities

*Mark Your Calendars and Join Us.*

### North Penn Singers

Tuesday, May 2 at 7pm in the Chapel

### Semi-Annual Memorial Service

Friday, May 5 at 2pm in the Chapel

### Joyful Singers

Tuesday, May 9 at 7pm in the Chapel

### Centenarian Event

Friday, May 12 at 2pm in the Orchid Terrace  
Celebrate our 100 (+) year olds with Karaoke  
entertainment by Jan Mohan.

### Salford Hills 4th Grade Choir

Monday, May 15, at 2pm in the Chapel

### Willow Creek Bluegrass

Thursday, May 18 at 7pm in the Chapel

### Lebanon County Youth Chorus

Friday, May 19 at 7pm in the Chapel

### Indian Valley Dulcimer Society

Sunday, May 21 at 2pm in the Chapel

### Mission

Our Mission, based on the Church of the Brethren values of service, integrity, simplicity and love, is to meet the physical, spiritual and emotional needs of all members of the Peter Becker Community.

# Chaplain's Corner

By Merlin Hedrick

## Discovering Christ in the Stranger

In the post-Easter stories of the Gospels, Jesus seems to be on a mission to open the eyes and hearts of his followers to the new ways he will come to them. The Emmaus story tells how Cleopas and his companion invite a stranger into their intimate conversation born out of their grief and then invite him to a shared meal and room for the night. It was only as they broke bread together that their eyes were opened to Jesus before them.

**The risen Christ invites us to look for God in those strange people and places that our insecurities and fears tempt us to avoid.** What better way for the risen Christ to shield us from the temptation to make him an idol, cast in our own

image, than to bid us look for him in situations and people that are strange to us.

Some of us who attended the Life Learning Conversations: "Understanding Our Muslim Neighbors" sessions have gotten a taste of that. The risen Christ bids us leave our fear and suspicion of others at the empty tomb and risk reaching out to those who confuse, intimidate or infuriate us. **In our choice to approach when we prefer to run the other way we declare "Jesus is Lord of all".** And in our taking risks for love and reconciliation we become our Lord's agents of healing and hope. Will you accept the challenge to discover Christ waiting for you in the stranger?



## In Loving Memory

Louise Sperber on 3/30/17, age 78

Carmela D'Amore on 4/3/17, age 87

 James L. Flango on 4/3/17, age 72

Doris Haas on 4/6/17, age 95

Ruth Corrado on 4/6/17, age 89


 Georgie E. Crede on 4/8/17, age 94

Stella May Schmell on 4/9/17, age 98

Ruth Gombert on 4/10/17 age 96

Claude Grafton on 4/10/17, age 75

Patricia "Pat" Keen on 4/11/17, age 85

 Phillip LaBriola, 4/18/17, age 99



# Spiritual Connections

## Weekly Chapel Services

Sundays at 10:30am

Also Live on Channel 24

## Semi-Annual Memorial Service

Friday, May 5, 2pm Chapel

## Evening Services

with Worship Leaders

7pm in the Chapel

## Wednesday, May 3

Indian Creek CoB, Easter Cantata

## Wednesday, May 10

Holy Spirit Episcopal Church, Choir

## Wednesday, May 17

Fairview Christian Choir, Sherri Clark

## Wednesday, May 24

Praise Team, Emmanuel Lutheran, Souderton

## Wednesday, May 31

First Church of the Brethren, Quakertown

## Roman Catholic

## Mass/Communion

Wednesday, May 8, 10:45am

Chapel - Led by

Fr. Chung, St. Maria Goretti

Roman Catholic Church

## Church Fellowship Hours

### Schwenkfelders

Friday, May 12, 2pm

RV Craft Room

### Indian Creek COB

Friday, May 19, 2pm

RV Craft Room





## May Birthdays

- 14 Barbara Bosler
- 14 Roberta M. McCabe
- 17 Grace Heleniak
- 20 Esther Schlosser
- 31 Lambert Van Eerden

## Welcome

### New Residents to HCC

- John E. Miller
- Robert L. Kehr
- Dolores M. Kowalick
- Cletus E. Herman
- Harry Metzger



## Special Activities for May

**Sally Landis at the Harp** Thursdays, May 4 & 18

10am in the Willow Lounge

**Let's Draw**-Friday May 5

2pm in the Living Room

**Wheel of Fortune** - Friday May 12

10am in the Living Room

**Poetry** - Friday, May 19

10am in the Living Room

**Bingo** - Saturday, May 27

10am in the Willow Dining Room

**Plus lots of special neighborhood activities as listed on your signs.**

## Life Enrichment News

By Joe Monserrat

May is older Americans month. We will celebrate our Centenarian's on Friday, May 12 in the Orchid Terrace at 2pm. We have four of them living on campus! Montgomery County's population who are 100 and over is growing! It is not as rare to find a senior who is turning the century mark. This is due to the great advances in medicine, hospitality and I believe most importantly, it's all in the genes! I hope you are able to come honor our PBC centenarian's on May 12 at 2pm and read their amazing life stories!



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**"Our Daily Bread"** regular and large print quarterly devotionals are available through the Pastoral Care office. Call Merlin Hedrick at ext 7290 if you would like a copy.

## Movie Matinees

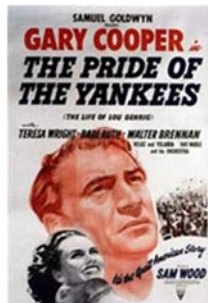
Friday 2pm & Saturday 2pm & 6:30pm



**May 5 & 6 - Seabiscuit** True story of the undersized Depression-era racehorse whose victories lifted not only the spirits of the team behind it, but also those of their nation. PG-13/ 2h20m/ Drama/Biography/Sports/ 2003



**May 12 & 13 - Hidden Figures** The story of a team of African-American women mathematicians who served a vital role in NASA during the early years of the US space program. PG/ 2h7m/ Drama/ Biography/ History/ 2016



**May 19 & 20 - The Pride of the Yankees** The story of the life and career of the famed baseball player, Lou Gehrig. NR/ 2h8m/ Biography/Drama/Romance/ 1943



**May 26 & 27 - Memphis Belle** In 1943, the crew of a B-17 based in the UK prepares for its 25th and last bombing mission over Germany before returning home to the USA. PG-13/ 1h47m/ Action/ Drama/ War/ 1990

*Movie Selections are subject to availability. In the event that a movie is not available, a substitute title will air. Movie summaries are from [www.imdb.com](http://www.imdb.com) More information, including content advisories, can be found at this site.*

## Cable Service Tip

### Do You Like Music?

You can turn to Channels 401 thru 450 to listen to all kinds of music.

### 418 Classic Rock

## PBC TV Happenings

**Give us 15 minutes And we'll give you the community!**



## What's Happening on Campus

- ◆ Announcements are scheduled to show every 60 minutes at the top of the hour. This may take up to 15 minutes.
- ◆ Activities and daily menus follow in rotation.
- ◆ Changes in scheduling, promotions and updates are reported to you on the crawl line at the bottom of the screen.

## Daily Meal Specials

Seasons Café and Garden View

## Daily Audio Broadcast

Each announcement is read aloud.

9 - 10am and 1 - 2pm

## Sunday Services

### Peter Becker Community Service

Sundays at 10:30am

Live from the Chapel

The following churches provide us with videos of their latest Sunday service:

### Indian Creek Church of the Brethren Service

Airs Mondays at 2pm

### Zion Mennonite Church Service

Airs Thursdays at 10am

