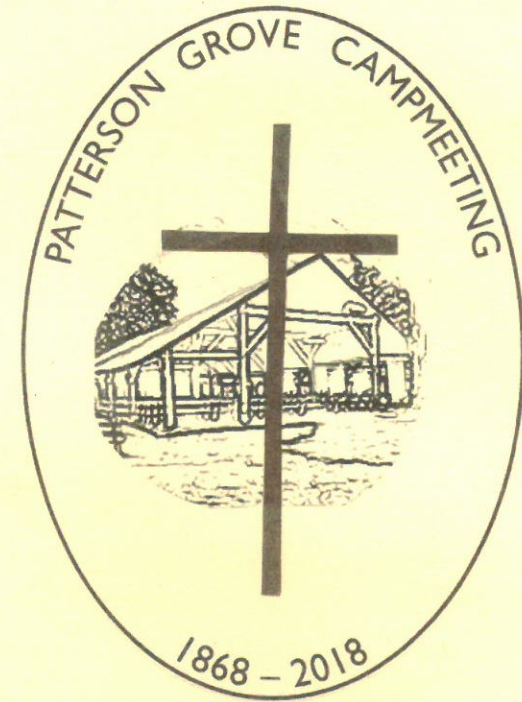


**PATTERSON GROVE 150TH
ANNUAL CAMPMEETING**

July 22—August 5, 2018



1128 Bethel Hill Road

Shickshinny, PA 18655

Proclaiming Christ for 150 years

From the dedication service of August, 1868:

“I trust Sir – that it may not be considered out of place to publicly as I have in private pray – that this place may be ever watered with the dew of Heaven – that its beauty may remain and that our Children and our Children’s Children to the latest period of time may meet upon this Consecrated spot, and bow, with humility and in prayer and praise truly worship our Father and our God, and receive from Him ‘the fullness of the blessing of the Gospel of Christ.’”

Col. Samuel Headley, August 1868

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2018

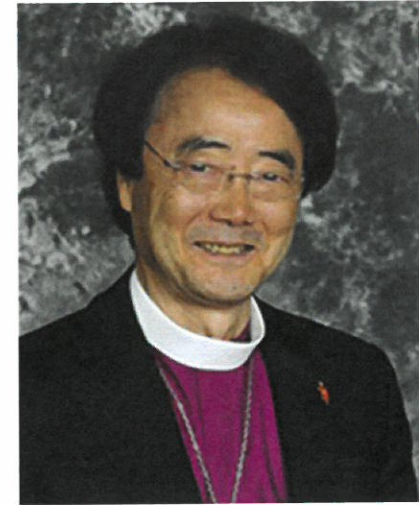
May 25—Trustee meeting, Boarding Hall, 6:00pm.
May 26—Fellowship luncheon 12 noon and meeting 1:00pm.
June 15—Pig Roast Dinner—4:30-7:00pm.
June 22-23—Flea Market—8:00am—3:00pm.
June 29—Trustee meeting, Boarding Hall, 6:00pm.
June 30—Fellowship luncheon 12 noon and meeting 1:00pm
July 1—Vesper service, 7:15pm. (Held each Sunday night)
July 7—Saturday night concert, 7:15pm. (Held each Sat.night)
July 20—Roast Beef Dinner, 4:30 -7:00pm.
July 21—Trustee meeting, Boarding Hall, 9:00am.
July 21—Pre-Campmeeting prayer service, 2:00pm,original site
July 21— Prayer vigil, 10:00pm—8:00am.
July 22—First Sunday Campmeeting
Sunday School, 9:00am.
Bishop Jeremiah P. Park, 10:30am.
Horse and wagon rides—1:00pm.
Walking parade—2:00pm.
Through the Decades Hymn Sing - 2:30pm.
Group picture at Heritage Cottage—3:45pm.
Choir practice—6:15pm, nightly
Prayer service, Memorial Cottage—7:00pm, nightly
Dr. Tal Murphree, evangelist—7:15pm., 7/22-7/26
Staff reception, Boarding Hall—after service

Monday—Friday

VBS—Tabernacle, 9:00am.
Senior Youth/College—Picnic Pavilion, 9am/10am.
Junior Youth—Recreation Hall, 9:30am.
Adult Bible Study—Boarding Hall, 9:30am.
Youth activities, Rec Hall—1:00pm.
Nightly—Evangelistic service—7:15pm.

July 23-24—Quilts on display, Heritage Cottage, 1:00-3:00pm.
July 24—Victorian ornaments, Heritage Cottage Christmas Tree
July 25—”Christmas”
Victorian Tea on Heritage Cottage lawn—1:30pm.
Nativity displays, Christmas Tree - Heritage Cottage
Scenes from “A Christmas Carol” - Boarding Hall yard,
After evening service
Christmas Caroling after service
July 26—Nativities, Christmas Tree display - Heritage Cottage
July 27—Old photos and books on display—Heritage Cottage

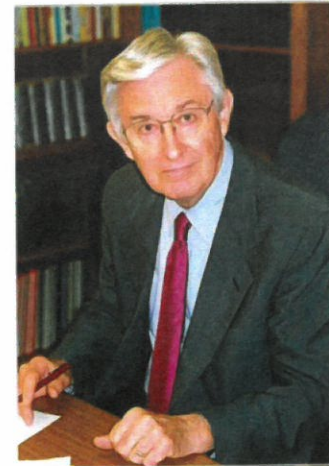
Teen pre-concert pizza party, Rec Hall—5:30pm.
 Youth Program and Concert, Tabernacle—7:15pm.
 Hot dog roasts after church
 July 28—Annual Meeting of Cottageholders, BH—9:00am.
 Beard contest, Boarding Hall yard – 2:00pm.
 Another possible afternoon activity to be announced
 Rev. Michael Pope, evangelist—7:15pm. 7/28-7/30
 July 29—Sunday School for children, teens, and adults-9:00am.
 Annual group picture at Tabernacle—10:10am.
 Communion and Memorial Service—10:30am.
 Pastor Barbara Saxe, speaker
 History and Memories of Grove, Heritage Cottage—2pm.
 July 30—Cottage Open House tours—limited to
 cottageholders and their invited guests, 2-4pm.
 July 31—Annual Pastor's Luncheon, Cottage 66—12:00 noon.
 Old pictures on display—Heritage Cottage
 Children's bike, wagon & pet parade—start at pond, 2pm.
 Magic show with Edgar Manns, Tabernacle—2:30pm.
 Rev. Daniel Dennis, evangelist—7:15pm. 7/31-8/2
 August 1—"Easter"
 Via Dolorosa reenactment , Tabernacle to pond, 2:00pm.
 Possible baptism service, pond—4:00pm.
 Seder Meal, picnic pavilion—5:00pm.
 Community Choir rehearsal, Tabernacle—5:30pm.
 August 2—VBS picnic—11:30am.
 Grove Olympics , Pump House Circle—2:00pm.
 August 3—VBS closing program—7:15pm.
 August 3 - Time capsule - 2:00pm; Hot dog roasts after church
 August 4—Golden Scoop Ice Cream Festival—
 Pump House Circle
 Celebrity judges—12:00pm.
 Ticket holders and general public —1:00—4:00pm.
 Rev. John Shypulefski, evangelist—7:15pm.
 Friendship Circle after service
 August 5—Rev. Fred Hickok, speaker—10:30am.
 Entire Bible Proclamation Service, Tabernacle—2:00pm.
 Rev. Jay Saxe, evangelist—7:15pm.
 March to Zion at end of service
 August 17—Chicken and Biscuit Dinner, 4:30—7:00pm.
 August 31—Trustee meeting, Boarding Hall, 6:00pm.
 September 1—Fellowship luncheon 12 noon and meeting 1pm.
 Corn roast after evening service
 September 2 - Final Vesper service for season
 September 28 - Trustee meeting, Boarding Hall, 6:00pm.
 October 13—Leaf raking/cleanup day
 October 15—Grove closes for season, subject to change



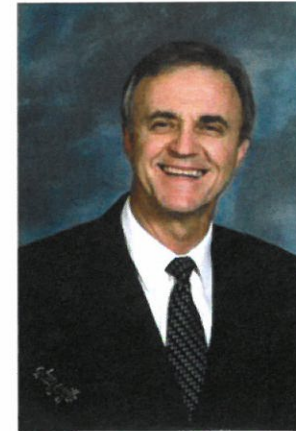
Bishop Jeremiah Park will be the keynote preacher for the 2018 Campmeeting. He will be preaching at the Sunday morning worship service on July 22, at 10:30 a.m. Bishop Park is the presiding bishop of The Susquehanna Conference.

He was born on July 4, 1952, in Jae Chun, Korea. He graduated from Seoul Methodist Theological School, as an honor student, with a Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1973 and cum laude from the Theological School of Drew University with the M.Div. degree in 1979 and received his D. Min. degree from Drew in 1990.

Bishop Park began his leadership of the Susquehanna Conference, Harrisburg Area, September 1, 2012.



Dr. Jon Tal Murphree, B.A., M.Div., Litt.D. will be our evangelist Sunday, July 22 through Thursday, July 26. Professor Emeritus at Toccoa Falls College in Georgia. Former academic dean and vice president of Vennard College in Iowa. Former adjunct professor at Wesley Biblical Seminary in Mississippi. Former administrative director of SIFAT, a missionary training organization. Author of 24 books, including Christian fiction, inspiration, biography, and academic books in apologetics, theology, psychology, and evangelism. Has been conference speaker and church/camp evangelist in more than 600 multiple-day series in a majority of the states and in other countries. His pulpit ministry has included more than 65 denominations and many unaffiliated groups. Ordained as clergyman in the United Methodist Church. Listed as educator, administrator, author, public speaker and evangelist in each edition of *Who's Who* for the last 25 years.



Rev. Michael Pope will be our evangelist Saturday, July 28 through Monday, July 30.

Mike was appointed to First UMC Hartselle, AL. in July of 2017. He served as senior pastor at Gardendale-Mt. Vernon (AL) UMC from 2013 – 2017 and at Florence First UMC as senior pastor from 2010 – 2013. Prior to that Mike served as senior pastor of Tuscumbia First UMC from 2003 – 2010 and the Clay UMC from 1993 – 2003.

Mike was a high school coach prior to answering the call into the ministry. He coached his last four years at Guntersville High School,

Mike graduated from Asbury Theological Seminary and Auburn University. He is married to the former Susan Carroll from Arab, AL. Mike and Susan have two children, Daniel (Amy) and Rebekah (Jason Blain), and five grandchildren (Ally, Joel, Charlee, Ce Ce, and Nathan). Mike enjoys golfing, fishing, and roasting his own coffee beans.

Mike is passionate about preaching the Gospel and seeing lives transformed.



Rev. Daniel Dennis will be our evangelist Tuesday, July 31 through Thursday, August 2 and also our Adult Bible Study leader for the first week of Campmeeting.

Education:

Asbury University, Wilmore, Ky. B.A. (1974)
Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmore, Ky. MDiv.
(1979)

Appointments: (42 years service)

Port Trevorton UMC 1979-1990
Bethany, Berwick 1990-2001 (oversaw 1.3 million
dollar addition)
Superintendent York District 2001-2007
Otterbein, Boiling Springs 2007-present

Volunteer Service:

Scout Master, Chaplain National Jamboree (BSA)
Emergency Medical Tech. 12 years
Board of Directors American Red Cross
Board of Directors YMCA

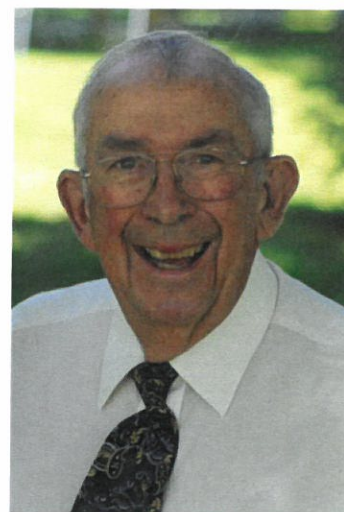


Rev. John Shypulefski will be our Evangelist for Saturday evening, August 4.

John retired after 47 years as minister at First Baptist Church of Blossburg (Pa.) and had also served 30 years during this time at First Baptist Church of Tioga (Pa.) He is a graduate of Philadelphia College of Bible (now Cairn University) and Grace Theological Seminary.

John has been part of the staff of Patterson Grove down through the years as Youth Director, Evangelist during the 70's and 80's, and Sunday Morning Worship and Vesper speaker. He has also conducted evangelistic services at United Methodist and other churches. He now serves as a Sunday morning supply minister for First Welsh Baptist Church of Plymouth and other area churches.

John and his wife, Linda, own cottage #66. Their family consists of daughter Amy and son-in-law David Duty, son Brent, and grandchildren Callie and Nathanael Duty.



Rev. Jay Saxe will be our evangelist for Sunday evening, August 5. He is a retired United Methodist Pastor having 58 years of ministry as a parish pastor.

He has served in staff positions at Patterson Grove as Evangelist, Bible Study Teacher, Worship-Song Leader and Youth Director.

Jay and his wife, Nancy reside in Clearville, PA (Bedford County) and own cottage #37 at Patterson Grove.

His sermon title for the final campmeeting worship service is "The Three Tenses of Patterson Grove."



Pastor Barbara Saxe will be our Sunday morning, July 29, speaker for our Communion and Memorial Service.

Pastor Barb has been coming to Patterson Grove since the 1940's when her Dad bought the cottage that she and her son, Les, now own. It was here that she met her life partner, and she and Larry were married in our Tabernacle. Barb was a partner in ministry with Larry until his death. She retired from the former Wyoming Conference and served in a retired relationship in Susquehanna Conference. Our Patterson Grove community is her family.



Rev. Fred E. Hickok will be our Sunday morning speaker on August 5, 2018.

The Rev Fred E Hickok or “Rev Fred” as he is known to his congregations is a graduate of Lycoming College and Drew Theological School with a Master of Divinity. He is an ordained member of the Susquehanna United Methodist Conference.

“Fred E” as he is known at Patterson Grove has been coming to the Grove and campmeeting since the age of six when his father Fred C. was Director of campmeeting. Having served churches in Maryland and Pennsylvania for 39 years, he has been serving Huntingdon: 15th Street & Donation Churches the past 14 years. Previously Fred has served as both Director of campmeeting and a trustee of the Grove. Married to Darlene he is the father of Fred S, Tony, and Heather and grandfather of Libby, Fred R, and Hailey.



Rev. David Duty will be our Worship Leader/Choir Director for the two weeks of campmeeting.

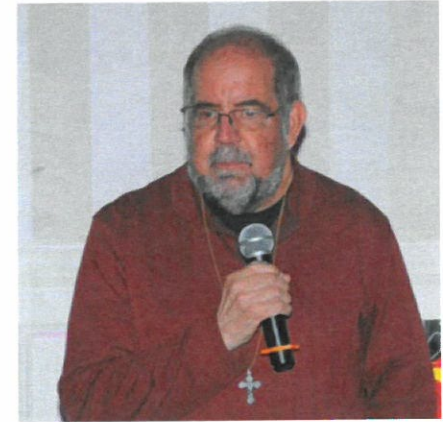
Pastor David Duty of Houston, TX has been a cottageholder since 2005. He has served on staff as worship leader and choir director, pianist, and Sunday morning speaker. He is a graduate of Philadelphia College of Bible (now Cairn University), Dallas Theological Seminary, and the University of Houston.

David is pastor of Providence Community Church and also teaches choir at Ulrich Intermediate School. He and Amy have been married for 28 years and have two children—Callie, who lives and works in NYC and Nathanael who will be a junior at Texas A&M.



Mrs. Brenda Nighbert will be our pianist/organist for the two weeks of campmeeting. Our talented pianist from Forty Fort currently serves as Choir Director/Organist at three churches in Wyoming Valley and subs at a fourth church. Brenda serves as Musical Director (depending on the show) in all theatres in the Valley – public, high school and college. She also served as Conductor for the Orpheus Choral Society of Wyoming Valley.

Newly retired from private teaching...Brenda would love to be a cottage holder someday. Brenda is the mother of twin sons Matthew and Mark and a daughter Eryn who share her love of music!



Rev. Steven Atanasoff will be our Bible Study Leader for the second week of Campmeeting. He is married to Karen, and they are the parents of Andrew (Katie) Atanasoff and Amber (Matt) Fuller. They also have a granddaughter, Karlyn, and soon to arrive grandson.

Pastor Steve holds a bachelor's degree in Behavioral Science from Messiah College and a Master's and Doctoral of Ministry degree from the Lancaster Theological Seminary. Prior to his current appointment, he has served seventeen congregations over thirty-six years of pastoral ministry.

Pastor Steve has a great love for Patterson Grove and has served here as Evangelist and also as Bible study teacher. He is excited about being a part of our 150th year of ministry!



Jennifer Smith will be our children's Vacation Bible School Director and will present the Children's Message during the evening services.

Fondly known as Miss Jen at Patterson Grove, Jen is very excited for campmeeting 2018! This will be her sixth year as VBS Director, and Miss Jen had previously been an active volunteer in the Patterson Grove VBS program for several years.

Miss Jen lives with her husband of 31 years, Ralph, in Union Springs, New York. She has three children and one grandchild. Miss Jen keeps busy teaching kindergarten and first grade for the Union Springs Central School District during the school year and is very active in her school and home community, serving on several committees and Board of Directors.

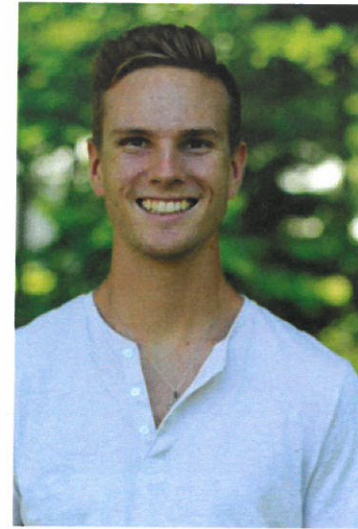
Miss Jen has been a cottager for 16 years, and is proud to say that she is a sixth generation campground kid!



Joshua Fritz will be our Junior High Leader.

Josh is returning for his 9th year as Junior Youth Leader at Patterson Grove. He is excited to have his family with him which includes his wife Sandy, 5 year old daughter Linnea, and 2 year old son Asher.

Joshua enjoys leading worship and is active on the worship team at the Benton United Methodist Church where he attends. Joshua also enjoys writing and recording his own music and is currently working on a solo album of original music. In addition to music, Josh is an avid runner and enjoys spending time trail running. Joshua is looking forward to another exciting year at Patterson Grove as we celebrate our 150th anniversary.



Bryce Lerew will be our Junior High Assistant.

Bryce lives in York, PA, where he attends Calvary United Methodist church. He has been with Patterson Grove since he was a young child—always staying with his grandmother, Lois Rider, in cottage #89—and has fond memories of playing in the creek, attending Bible school, and making lifelong friends.

Bryce loves to ride his bike, rock climb, run, and do pretty much anything he can outside. He has recently graduated from Juniata College with a Bachelor of Science in Biology and will be starting graduate school this fall to study Biomedical Sciences.



Brent Shypulefski will be the Senior Youth Leader, the College Age Leader, and co-teacher of the Teen Sunday School Class.

Brent lives in Houston, TX, and attends Providence Community Church. He has sung in choirs, taught Sunday School and Bible studies, and led children's and youth groups.

Brent graduated from Philadelphia College of Bible (now Cairn University) and Mansfield University. He is now part of the Houston school system. Brent enjoys working with youth. Hobbies include golfing, fishing, and hunting.

Brent is looking forward to a wonderful time of God's blessing and of spiritual growth during our 150th anniversary celebration.



Tina Woodward will be Assistant Senior Youth Leader, College Age Leader, and co-teacher of the Teen Sunday School Class.

Served with her husband as youth leader at Calvary Bible Chapel for 18+ years, during which time they have led teen ministry and service trips to the homeless in New York City, Chippewa Indian reservations in Wisconsin, and Haiti Bible Mission in Jeremie, Haiti.

Taught High School English in various Christian schools for 20+ years; currently teaching at Muhlenburg Christian Academy.

Served as an educational missionary (working in Christian Schools, training teachers, teaching EFL) in Mexico, Russia, Estonia, and China.

Graduated from Bloomsburg University with a BS in Secondary Education/English.

Looking forward to what God will do this year.

SUNDAY MORNING ACCOMPANISTS



Shane Swisher (Sunday, July 22)

A fifth generation cottagerholder, Shane has been involved with music from the age of five. He serves as Director of Corporate Communications for a large technology company and is an active member of Victory Church, Lititz (PA) campus.



Rachel Belles (Sunday, July 29)

Rachel grew up in this area and has been a cottage owner since 1999. She has played for Campmeeting eight years, plus two more years as a "fill-in." Rachel is now living in Florida eight months out of the year.



Matthew Pugh (Sunday, August 5)

Matthew Pugh of Hunlock Creek is a member of the Muhlenburg United Methodist Church, where he also serves as piano accompanist. He is the music leader for the McKendree and Oakdale United Methodist Churches. Matthew is also a layservant for the Susquehanna Conference and is currently pursuing the position of certified lay speaker.

2018 Vesper Speakers

July 1	Rev. Chip Norton
July 8	Rev. William Kuhn
July 15	Pastor Debbie Harvey
August 12	Rev. Dr. David Mansfield
August 19	Greg Hoover
August 26	Pastor Gary DeSanto
September 2	Closing Celebration by Worship Committee

2018 Saturday Concert Series

July 7	Raven Creek Blue Grass Gospel
July 14	Stephen Benscoter Pianist
July 21	Grabow Family Talented Musical Family
August 11	Evansville Gang Good country
August 18	Redeemed Sweet Gospel Music
August 25	Catawissa Military Band Big Band Music
September 1	Campground Capers Always a hoot

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INFORMATION YOU MAY NEED

CAMPMEETING SERVICE TIMES:

Sunday School – 9:00am.

Sunday Morning Worship Service – 10:30am.

Evening Prayer at Memorial Cottage – 7:00pm.

Evening Service – 7:15pm.

BOARDING HALL ROOMS:

Reservations requested

Mary Walters: 570-220-3394 (cell)

570-584-2751 (home) 570-864-2229 (cottage)

CAMPMEETING MEALS:

Reservations requested

Under the management of Pat Smith

Sign-up sheets available daily.

	Day rates	Week rates
Breakfast	\$ 5.00	\$27.00
Lunch & Sun. Eve.	\$ 6.00	\$30.00
Evening Dinner	\$ 8.50	\$48.00
Sunday Dinner	\$10.00	

Weekly Meal Package \$100

15 Day Package \$200

Children 6-12 years old, half price

Children under 6 free.

THE SNACK SHOP AND CENTENNIAL SHOP:

Snack shop open during Campmeeting 12:00 noon – 1:00pm and after evening services. Regular summer hours are weekends after Saturday night concerts and Sundays after Evening Vesper services July 1-Sept.2.

The Centennial Shop is open after evening services. Check for other open times. Closed Sunday.

PUBLIC DINNERS:

Pig Roast – June 15

Roast Beef – July 20

Chicken and Biscuits – August 17

