Say a Prayer ~ Send a Card ~ Pay a Visit

JELC News Week of July 26-August 2, 2026

9th Sunday after Pentecost

SUN (July 26)
5:45am EMSG
9:15am Sunday Worship Hymn Sing. Congressional Mtg after Service.
6:00pm Badminton
6:30pm-AA Meeting

MON (July 27)
5:45am EMSG
6:00pm Volleyball
Tentative Rising Roots

TUES (July 28)
5:45am EMSG
10:00am Exec Mtg
1:00pm SOS Mtg Conf Rm
5:15pm Volleyball
7:30pm Volleyball

WED (July 29)
5:45am EMSG
11:30am Shady Maple
3:00pm Sight&Sound
7:00pm Badminton

THU (July 30)
5:45am EMSG
6:00pm Volleyball

FRI (July 31)
5:45am EMSG
11:00am Delbert Koch Funeral (visitation 10am service 11am)
5:00pm Badminton
7:00pm Volleyball
9:30pm Volleyball

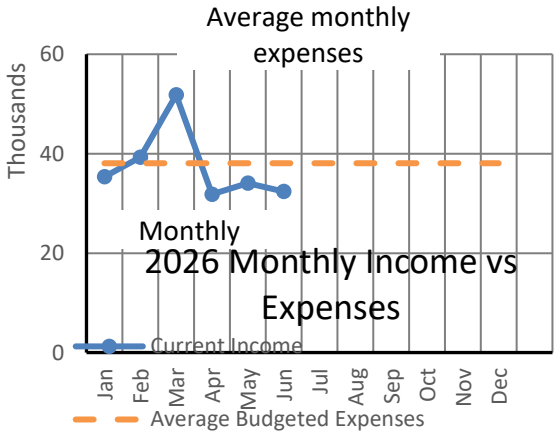
SAT (August 1)
5:45-7:30am EMSG

SUN (August 2)
9:15am Worship w/communion
6:00pm Badminton
6:30pm-AA Meeting

07-19-2026
Attendance
9:15am - 87

Altar Flowers given in memory of William & Mary Lutterschmidt and Tom & Anne Daniels by the Daniels' family. (T)

Average weekly expenses: $8,787 YTD surplus/(deficit): $15,070	
Weekly collections	
Jun 14-20	$5,998
Jun 21-27	$16,075
Jun 28-Jul 4	$6,131
Jul 5-11	$9,707
Jul 12-18	$10,729



Fellowship Community: Shirley Wertman
Lehigh Commons: Janet Stettler
Cedar Crest Post Acute: Reed Klotz
Parkland Manor: Paulette Bassler
Country Meadows: Carol A Kuhns
Heather Glen: Anna Bieber
Devon House: Margaret Smith
Saucon Valley Manor: Gary & Alice Schneck
Gracedale Nursing Home: Dale Gogel
Cedarbrook: Rumpun Heller
Home: Ann Heller, Herbert Hullinger

Please keep these people in your prayers: Ed Rabenold, Carol A Kuhns, Christine Floto, Brett Bindics, Gavin Schuler, Trisha Burkhardt, Bob Grim, Kelly, Lynn Parker, Louise Stettler, Earl Williams, James Rock, Joni, Rachel Wagaman, Joni, Jean Altrichter, Suzanne & Lester Knipe.

Birthdays this week: Barbara Thirion, Michael Ream, Carla Richebacher, Nancy Haas, Spencer Deeney, Braden Grim, Shirley Schleicher and Clarence Hoffman.

Anniversaries: Ingrid & Matthew Martz (22) and

We Support Family Promise of the Lehigh Valley

Jordan Lutheran Church & St Joseph the Worker host 4 families 8 weeks a year. Family Promise of LV provides a community-based approach to assist families with children who are experiencing homelessness or housing insecurity to build patterns that will create sustainable independence. We will host 4 more weeks in 2026 – the week of August 16 & 23 and the weeks of November 29 & December 6. Please sign up for a shift on the Jordan Website – Ministries > Outreach. **After 9 years – 2026 will be the last that Fran (St. Joseph the Worker) & Dean (Jordan Lutheran) will be the host coordinators. If you are interested in assisting to keep this ministry going or if you have any questions about Family Promise or the coordinator, contact the Church office or Dean Wegaman)**

Sponsors Altar Flowers: 8/2, 8/16, 8/30, 9/6, 10/4, 10/18, 11/29. Altar Flowers may be sponsored for $50/2 vase, or $25/1 vase; Bulletins for $20. HOW TO RESERVE YOUR SPONSORSHIPS; Contact Donna Hahn at 610-295-9148 or dhahn16@gmail.com with your choice of dates and sponsorships. Please indicate when reserving your date whether you wish to pick up the flowers after the last service or want them taken to shut ins. If no preference given, flowers will be taken to shut ins.

	7/26	8/2	8/9	8/16
Altar Guild	9:15 C Dorney	9:15 C Heilman	9:15 S Hamil	9:15 L Daniels
Lector	9:15 A Heckman	9:15 C Dorney	9:15 D Fay	9:15 T Boyer
Acolyte	9:15 A Heckman	9:15 N Scheffler	9:15 ?	9:15 A Heckman
Ushers	9:15 R&B Albright	9:15 D&C Rabenold	9:15 D&D Stark	9:15 Settler Family
Bell Toller	9:15 J Laudenslager	9:15 J Siegfried	9:15 S Hamil	9:15 B Stettler
Video	9:15 T Daniels	9:15 K Boardman	9:15 ?	9:15 ?
SAT	9:15 D Figner	9:15 K&D Mancke	9:15 D Heckman	9:15 D Clark

Please look at the dates we have no one scheduled. Contact the name listed below for the area(s) you can help with!
Altar Guild/Lynn Daniels ljd2167@aol.com // **Lectors**/Julie Boscia Julie.boscia@gmail.com
Acolytes/Stephany Heckman stephanyheckman@gmail.com // **Ushers** /Dan Heckman/dsheckman11@yahoo.com
Bell Toller/Sandie Hamil hamilsre@gmail.com // **SAT**/Doug Clark d.clark854@gmail.com
Video/Tom Daniels tkdaniels@ptd.net

Our Live Streaming has moved!!!! You can view our worship service live on YouTube. Simply google YouTube.com and search for Jordan Lutheran Church, Orefield Pa to bring up our services. In addition, you can subscribe to our channel and when services are live, you will be notified.

Dropping off or picking up concerns: For the safety of all we ask that if you are dropping off or picking someone up from Church services that you park in the pickup/drop off area located outside the Sunday School entrance. We are concerned about those who have in the past parked outside the church entrance on the corner. As many are aware, people do not stop coming around the corner. In addition, please be careful when crossing the street as well. Thank you for your cooperation!

SAVE THE DATE – OCTOBERFEST! Saturday October 10th 4-7pm in the Family Center. Join us for a celebration of the season with Bratwurst & Sauerkraut and a host of other goodies! Advance Tickets ONLY: (Adults $15 & Kids $10). Please contact Chris Heilman at 610-392-1483 or Gail at the Church Office at 610-395-5912.

Pick up your Flat Jesus in the Memory Room and take him on your summer travels! Take pics and have fun!! Flat Jesus can be found in the Memory Room. Please call Stephany Heckman (stephanyheckman@gmail.com 412-860-3618) for any additional information. PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND YOUR FLAT JESUS PICS TO STEPHANY AT 412-860-3618.

The Prayer Shawl Group is doing outreach by making hats, scarves and mittens. If you are interested in helping by crocheting or knitting at home, please feel free to bring your creation to the Church office (Gail). If you need patterns we will share. Any questions, please contact Shirley Schleicher at 610-533-6191.

The Family Promise appeal by Roslyn Kuba from Sunday's service is now on the YouTube channel and Facebook. Please click on the links below to view:
https://www.facebook.com/reel/1502159561708694/?s=fb_shorts_profile&stack_idx=0
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7RjNQh4vnho

Union Lutheran Church in Schnecksville, PA, is hosting a Women's Retreat this August 8th at 9am! Open to all Christian women residing in the greater Lehigh Valley area, this event will feature guest speakers, outreach projects, activities, faith, and fellowship. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Flyer posted outside the sanctuary.

A special informational congregational meeting will be held Today after the 9:15am service. The purpose is to update the Capital Campaign Program, especially focusing on the HVAC/Ventilation for the sanctuary.

JELC News & Worship Bulletins deadline 11am Wednesday. All changes to "As The Jordan Flows" deadline 15th/month. Check our website, Facebook page or newsletter for complete information on upcoming events

****PLEASE NOTE: Summer Hours for the Church Office, effective Monday, June 1st will be M-Thurs, 8:00am – 3:00pm and Fri 8:00am – 2:00pm and resume normal hours on Tues, September 8th.**