

# Bangor Womens Club GFWC Donation to Bangor Public Library

By Marilyn Mehas

BANGOR - Carol Akam, President, Bangor Womens Club GFWC, shown presenting \$1500 donation to Kathleen Lynch, Bangor Public Library Librarian. Ms Lynch talked about the different programs that are being held for adults and children. She also highlighted work by the Friends Of The Library and how they are helping to pay for the window tinting project and major cleaning.

June Jones, Education chair presented a \$1000 check to Abigail McCour, this years scholarship winner. Abigail read her application essay and explained her plans to study pre-med at Jefferson in Philadelphia.

The club conducts various fund raisers during the year to provide these donations to our local community. The public support for our club is greatly appreciated.



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## Recognizing the Contributions of EMS Responders

By Senator Mario Scavella

**National  
Emergency  
Medical Services  
Week**



BANGOR - May 19-25 is National Emergency Medical Services Week, a time to recognize paramedics, emergency medical technicians, firefighters and other first responders who every day deliver lifesaving medical care to those in need.

They bear the burden of witnessing traumatic events, and they're a vital part of our health care system. Thank for your hard work and cool heads during trying times.

*Recognizing the first responders who deliver lifesaving medical care.*



**Fish for Free**

## Fish for FREE Memorial Day Weekend

By Michael Ortoski

PA. - If you've been thinking about trying fishing or wanting to introduce your child or a friend to the joys of the sport, you'll have a great chance to do so next weekend!

The Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission will host Fish for Free Day next Sunday, May 26.

On Fish for Free Days, anyone -- resident or non-resident -- can legally fish on all Pennsylvania waterways without a license.

All other fishing regulations will still apply.

For your convenience, there are even opportunities to borrow equipment from certain sites at state parks and other locations. You can find those locations by going to DCNR.gov.



**May 28**

Portland Fire Co  
Starts 7pm

**May 25**

Immaculate  
Conception  
Doors 11am;  
Starts 1pm

**May 29**

Bushkill Twp Fire Co  
Doors 5pm  
Starts 7pm

**May 26**

St. Elizabeth Church  
Starts 1pm

**May 25**

Wind Gap Fire Co  
Doors 5pm; Starts  
6:45pm

**May 29**

Kunkletown Fire Co  
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**Ackermanville United Methodist**  
**1410 Ackermanville Road, Bangor**  
 Sun 10am Worship. Rev. Sukja Bang  
 (610) 588-7818,  
[www.ackermanvilleumc.org](http://www.ackermanvilleumc.org)

**Bangor Church of the Nazarene**  
**150 Bunny Trail, Bangor**  
 Sun 9:30am SS, 10:40am Worship  
 (Children's Church to grade 2), 5pm  
 Powerhouse Praise Practice, 6pm  
 Teen Straight Talk & Small Groups.  
 Kenneth L. Bean, Pastor  
 (610) 588-6929

**Belfast Bible**  
**483 Belfast Rd., Belfast**  
 Sunday School (all ages) 9:30am,  
 Worship 10:45am, Evening Service  
 7pm. Pastor Michael Yaworski.

**Belfast Wesley United Methodist**  
**607 School St., Belfast**  
 Children's SS & Adult SS 9am, Wor-  
 ship 10am, coffee fellowship following  
 worship. Pastor Paul Milligan. (610)  
 746-3652.

**Benders Mennonite Church**  
**975 Benders Church Rd., Pen Argyl**  
 Sun Worship service every Sunday at  
 10:10am; Food Bank 3rd Saturday of  
 the month 9-11am. 610-863-9114.

**Bethel Bible Church of Mt. Zion**  
**7742 N. Delaware Dr. (Rt. 611),  
 Martins Creek**  
 Free Bread Every Saturday, 3eryone  
 welcome, questions 908-483-8231;  
 Sunday School 9am, Sunday Morning  
 Worship 10am. Pastor Rick Tunis, 610-  
 250-9890. Learn about us online  
[www.bethelbiblechurchofmtzion.org](http://www.bethelbiblechurchofmtzion.org).

**Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
**703 S. Delaward Dr. (Rt 611),  
 Mt. Bethel (Stone Church)**  
 Every Sunday- 9am Worship, Commu-  
 nion offered 1st & 3rd Sundays.  
 610-588-7056, [www.celcpa.org](http://www.celcpa.org)

**Clearfield Bible Holiness Church**  
**1502 Bushkill Ctr Rd, Wind Gap**  
 Sun- SS 10:15am, Worship 11:15am &  
 3pm. Pastor Donald Herrick.  
 (812) 653-3975.

**Community Baptist**  
**Weona Park Center, Pen Argyl**  
 Sun - Bible study 7pm. Separate  
 class for age 10 & under.

**Community Presbyterian**  
**1755 S Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel**  
 Sun. - SS 9:15am, Worship service  
 10:30am, Coffee hour on last Sunday  
 of every month following service.  
[www.mtbethelpresbyterian.org](http://www.mtbethelpresbyterian.org),  
 (570) 897-6766.

**Cross Road Baptist Church**  
**201 Second St., Bangor**  
 Sun- 9:15am Praise Sing, 9:30am SS.

10:45am Worship; Wed- 7pm Prayer/  
 Bible Study. Rev. Jay VanHorn, Pastor  
 (610) 588-3966,  
[www.crossroadbaptistbangor.org](http://www.crossroadbaptistbangor.org)

**The Lady's Guild of Our Lady of Vic-  
 tory R.C. Church, Tannersville** will hold  
 a Chicken Cordon Blue Dinner on April  
 28th. We would appreciate your help  
 in advertising this year's event without  
 cost to the church.

**The East Bangor United Methodist**  
**Community Church**  
 1:00 p.m. Bazaar Workshop  
 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal  
 Sat., May 25  
 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting  
 Sun., May 26  
 8:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
 9:15 a.m. Worship Service w/Chil-  
 dren's Church  
 10:30 a.m. After-Church Fellowship  
 Mon., May 27  
 1:00 p.m. Memorial Day Service @  
 East Bangor Cemetery  
 (Rain location: Church)

**Faith Alive Community Church**  
**10 Mechanic St, Wind Gap**  
 Tues- 6pm Ladies Prayer Meeting (2nd  
 Tues); Wed- 6:30pm Revival Prayer,  
 7:15pm Adult Bible Study; Sat- 10-2pm  
 Prayer Stop (1st Sat); Sun- 9:15am  
 Family Fellowship, 9:30am Interces-  
 sory Prayer, 10am Worship, 10:45am  
 Children's Church, Communion at  
 10:30am (1st Sun). Pastor Matthew  
 Whistler. (610) 863-6911,  
[www.faccpa.org](http://www.faccpa.org)

**Faith United Presbyterian**  
**Penna & Heller Aves., Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- 9am Choir, 10am Worship/  
 Communion/Food Bank/Church  
 School. (610) 836-4447

**Family Life Community Church**  
**1115 Richmond Rd, Bangor**  
 Wed- Kidz Night Out at The Hub 6:30-  
 8pm (kids 6 thru 6th gr.); Thurs- Teen  
 Night Out at The Hub 6:30-8pm (gr.  
 7-9); Sun- 10am Celebration Service.  
 Pastor Mike Poppa. 610-588-3736,  
[www.flccbangor.com](http://www.flccbangor.com).

**First United Evangelical**  
**25 S 2nd St., Bangor**  
 Sun. - 7pm Prayer Meeting & Bible  
 Study; Jan 20- 9am Prayer Meeting,  
 9:30am Church School, 10:30am Wor-  
 ship. Pastor Ronald Shipman at  
 (610) 588-3226

**First United Methodist Church**  
**55 N. Third St., Bangor**  
 Worship every Sunday at 11am, Adult  
 and Children Sunday Schools 9:45am,  
 Communion first Sunday of month,  
 Wednesday evening Bible Study  
 6:30pm. Pastor Chris Hardy  
 (610) 588-4673.

**First United Methodist**  
**19 West & Water St., Wind Gap**  
 Sun.- 9am SS, 10am Worship/Commu-  
 nion, 11am Fellowship on 1st Sunday  
 of each month. Pastor John Vidal  
 (570) 426-0645

**Flicksville United Church of Christ**  
 1337 Lower South Main Street  
 Bangor, PA 18013  
 Pastor Ken Hess  
 610-588-4648  
[www.flicksvilleucc.com](http://www.flicksvilleucc.com)  
 Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Worship at  
 10:45 a.m.  
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**God's Missionary Church**  
**of Northampton**  
**4965 Nor. Bath Blvd (Rt 329),  
 Northampton, PA**  
 Sun- SS 9:30am, Service 10:30 &  
 7pm, Youth Service 6:30pm; Wed-  
 Prayer Meeting 7:30pm. Rev. Rodney  
 Keister. (610) 262-4412.  
<http://GMC-N.com>

**Good Shepherd Evangelical**  
**Lutheran Church,**  
**2904 Church Rd, Martins Creek PA**  
 Sunday Worship Service 9:00 am.  
 Adult Bible Study Following Worship.  
 Pastor Louise Williams.  
[www.goodshepherdmc.com](http://www.goodshepherdmc.com)

**Grace Lutheran Church**  
**5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth**  
 Tue. - 6:30pm Choir; Jan 20- 9am  
 Service/Communion, 10:15am SS,  
 10:30am Confirmation/Adult Forum.  
 (610) 759-9080, [www.gracebelfast.org](http://www.gracebelfast.org)

**Grace United Methodist**  
**404 Mountain Ave., Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- 8:30am Contemporary, 10am  
 Blended, 10am SS. Nursery care  
 available at all services. Rev. J.  
 Timothy Fisher. (610) 863-4811. [www.worshipatgrace.org](http://www.worshipatgrace.org)

**Holy Trinity Orthodox Church**  
**1501 Trinity Court, Stroudsburg**  
 Divine Liturgy Sundays 9:30 AM;  
 Vespers Saturday 6:30 PM. (570) 421-  
 4455, [www.holytrinitypoconos.org](http://www.holytrinitypoconos.org).

**Hopesprings Community of Faith**  
**301 Market Street, Bangor**  
 Sun-Services 10am. Jonathan Alman-  
 zar, Lead Pastor. 855-INFO-HOPE.  
[www.hopespringscommunity.org](http://www.hopespringscommunity.org).

**Hope UCC**  
**2nd & Cherry St., Wind Gap**  
 Sun- 10:30am Worship (Communion  
 1st Sunday of the month). All are wel-  
 come! SS every other Friday. Pastor  
 Darlene K. Blocker. (610) 863-4474

**Living Waters Christian Church**  
**396 Sterling Rd. Unit D, Tobyhanna**  
 Thurs- 6pm Christian Edu Sun- 9:15am  
 Christian Edu, 10:30am Worship. Rev.  
 Dr. Jacqueline R. Walters  
 570-350-4710

**Mt. Bethel Church**  
**A Church of the Lutheran Brethren**  
**1270 Belvidere Cr. Rd, Mt. Bethel**  
 Sun.- 8:30am Traditional Service  
 including "Kids Korner" Children's  
 Sermon, 9:50am Confirmation & SS,

11am Contemporary Service including  
 Mt. Bethel Praise Team & "Children's  
 Church" during the sermon. Chris  
 Priestaf, Senior Pastor. Dan Christen-  
 son, Assoc. Pastor. Andrew Little,  
 Youth Director. Little Friends Preschool  
 (570) 897-7797. Visit our website [www.mountbethelchurch.org](http://www.mountbethelchurch.org) or call (570)  
 897-7142 for information or directions.

**Our Lady of Good Counsel**  
**436 South 2nd Street, Bangor**  
 Tue. - Mass 4pm; Jan 20- Mass  
 8:30am. Pastor Stephen L. Maco,  
 (610) 588-5445,  
[www.goodcounselrcchurch.org](http://www.goodcounselrcchurch.org)

**Portland Baptist Church**  
**601 Delaware Ave., Portland**  
 Sun- Sunday School 9am, Service  
 10:30am; Wed- Bible Study 10:30 with  
 Prayer Meeting to follow. Elevator and  
 ramps We are handicap accessible  
 with automatic doors, elevator and  
 restroom. (570) 897-6866  
[www.portlandbaptistchurch.com](http://www.portlandbaptistchurch.com)

**Presbyterian Parish of**  
**Bangor-Roseto**  
**332 Kennedy Dr., Bangor**  
 Sun.- Worship 10:30am. Rev. Albert  
 Martin. (610) 588-4864, email presbyte-  
 rianbr@frontiernet.net.  
[www.facebook.com/Presbyterybr](http://www.facebook.com/Presbyterybr)

**Prince of Peace Lutheran Church**  
**2445 Lake Minsi Dr., Bangor**  
 Spring rummage, and bake sale May  
 3 Friday 9-5 may 4 9-12 sat 610-588-  
 2355 Thurs., April 18  
 1:00 p.m. Bazaar Workshop  
 7:00 p.m. Holy Thursday service  
 w/communion Sat., April 20  
 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting  
 Sun., April 21 8:30 a.m. Choir  
 Rehearsal 9:15 a.m. Easter Service  
 w/Children's Church

**Richmond United Methodist Church**  
**8538 Delaware Dr, Bangor**  
 Sun.- Service 10am; 4th Sunday Fel-  
 lowship Hour; Christmas Eve Candle-  
 light Services 4pm and 7pm. Pastor Ed  
 Van Arsdale. (610) 588-7317

**The Roseto Independent**  
**Presbyterian Church**  
**210 Garibaldi Ave, Roseto**  
 Sunday Worship Services 9:15am  
 Greeting/Welcoming, 9:30am Service.  
 All Welcome. Rev. Barry Eng. (610)  
 599-9949, [www.RIPC-OnlineToday.org](http://www.RIPC-OnlineToday.org).

**Slate Belt - Nazareth Baptist**  
**1620 Church Rd, Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- 9:30am SS, 10:30am Worship &  
 Children's Church (nursery provided),  
 5:30pm Bible Study. Pastor Scott J.  
 Davis. (610) 863-9274.

**St. Brigid's Episcopal Church**  
**310 Madison Ave, Nazareth**  
 Sun- 9:45am SS, 10:45am Holy Eu-  
 charist. Rev. William Martin, 610-746-  
 3910, [www.stbrigidspa.org](http://www.stbrigidspa.org).

**St. Elizabeth's Parish**  
**300 West Babbitt Ave., Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- Masses 8am, 9:30am & 11am.  
 Rev. Msgr. Vincent P. York.

610-863-4777

**St. John's Evangelical Lutheran**  
**12 N. Westbrook, Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- 8:45am SS, 10am Worship/Holy  
 Communion. (610) 863-4332

**St. Joseph's Episcopal**  
**1440 Verona Dr., W. Bangor**  
 Jan 20- Eucharist 11am; Christmas  
 Eve Service 4pm. Rev. Joel Atkinson.  
 Coffee hour after service.

**St. Luke's U.C.C. Belfast**  
**471 Belfast Rd., Nazareth (Belfast)**  
 SS 9am, Worship 10:30am. Rev. Frank  
 Gassler. 610-759-0244.  
[www.stlukesuccbelfast.com](http://www.stlukesuccbelfast.com)

**St. Mary's Episcopal**  
**340 Lehigh St., Wind Gap**  
 Sun.- service 9am. Coffee hour follows  
 service. Rev. Joel Atkinson.  
 Maundy Thursday Service will be held  
 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church Wind  
 Gap at 5:30 P.M. Easter Morning Ser-  
 vice will be held at St. Mary's Episco-  
 pal Church Wind Gap at 9:00 a.m.

**St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran**  
**1422 Church Rd, Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- Bible Study 11am, Praise Band  
 7pm; Jan 19- Youth Choir 6pm, Adult  
 Choir 7:30pm; Jan 20- Services 8am  
 and 10:15am, 9am SS.  
 (610) 863-6859

**St. Vincent DePaul Catholic**  
**Delaware Ave., Portland**  
 Sat - Mass 6pm; Jan 20- Mass  
 10:30am. Rev. Stephen L. Maco  
[www.goodcounselrcchurch.org](http://www.goodcounselrcchurch.org)  
 (610) 588-5445.

**The Pentecostal Christian**  
**Church the Truth**  
**(Iglesia Pentecostal La Verdad)**  
**4 Jory Ave Pen Argyl**  
 Sun.- Prayer 14- Sunday School  
 (Escuela Dominical) 12 noon, Praise &  
 Worrship (Cuho Evangelistico) 1pm.

**Mission of Love Food Bank**  
**555 North Main St., Bangor**  
 Every Tuesday- Food Bank Program  
 10am-12pm. All are invited Bilingual  
 Services. Pastor Frank Pons.  
 (570) 807-7794

**Temple Israel of the Poconos**  
**Egalitarian Conservative Synagogue**  
**6610 Wallace Street, Stroudsburg**  
 Sabbath Services: Friday evening 7pm  
 followed by a Traditional Oneg Shab-  
 bat. Saturday morning 9:30am followed  
 by a traditional Kiddush. Dr. Sandra  
 Alfonsi 570-223-7062.

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran**  
**404 Broadway, Bangor**  
 Thur - Christian Ed 6:30pm, Choir  
 7:30pm; Jan 20- SS 9am, Worship/  
 Communion 10am. Pastor Laine. (610)  
 588-2023, [www.tlcbangor.com](http://www.tlcbangor.com).

**Trinity United Church of Christ**  
**632 S. Delaware Dr, Mt. Bethel**  
 Sun.- Adult SS 9am, Worship  
 10:30am. Rev. Rodney W. Wells.  
 (610) 588-1989.