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Election Results**

Local Northampton County primary election results 2017 winners are denoted by an asterisk.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

Executive (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Lamont G. McClure; Republican- *John Brown

County Council (Five, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Ronald R. Heckman, *William McGee, *Tara M. Zrinski, *Peter Melan, *Lori Vargo Heffner; Republican- *Ron Angle, *Glenn Geissinger, *Peg Ferraro, *Hayden Phillips, *Seth Vaughn

EASTON

City council: District 1 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Roger Ruggles; Republican- None. District 2 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Jim Edinger; Republican- None. District 3 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Sandra Alercia Vulcano; Republican- None

BANGOR

Mayor (One, four-year term): Democrat- *Brooke Kerzner; Republican- *Robert J. Rhodes Jr.. Council - Ward 1 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Lisa A. Fogel; Republican- *Robert J. Rhodes Jr. Council - Ward 2 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Michael J. Bilotta; Republican- None. Council - Ward 3 (One, 2-year term): Democrat- *Jane E. Gorman. Council - Ward 3 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Robert Engle; Republican- None. Council - Ward 4 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Rosemarie Capone; Republican- *James W. Kresge

EAST BANGOR

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- None; Republican- *Derek Powell. Council (Four, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Clifford P. James; Republican- *Jennifer Rosanne Reese, *Susan J. Ruggiero, *Derek Powell

FORKS TWP.

Supervisor (One, 6-year term): Democrat- *Edward W. Keegan; Republican- *Dan Martyak

L. MT. BETHEL TWP.

Supervisor (Two, 6-year terms): Democrat- *Sandra Newman; Republican- None

LOWER NAZARETH TWP.

Supervisor (Two, 6-year terms): Democrat- *Leroy C. Bickert Jr., *Gerald R. Green; Republican- None

NAZARETH

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Lance E. Colondo; Republican- None. Council - Ward 1 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Christopher D. Crook; Republican- None. Council - Ward 2 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Jessica Gyulai Teel; Republican- None. Council - Ward 3 (Two, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Charles A. Donello; Republican- *Carl Strye Jr.

PEN ARGYL

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- None; Republican- *Mike Sabatine. Council - Ward 1 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Brian D. Gold Sr.; Republican- None. Council - Ward 2 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- None; Republican-

*Joseph LeDonne

Council - Ward 3 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Dean C. Minnich; Republican- *Josephine C. Hildabrant. Council - Ward 4 (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Roberta Cowley; Republican- None

PLAINFIELD TWP.

Supervisor (Two, 6-year terms): Democrat- None; Republican- *Stephen J. Hurni, *Jane Mellert

PORTLAND

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- None; Republican- *Lance J. Prator. Council (Three, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Steven K. Knott, *Lisa M. Prator; Republican- *Yvonne Gumaer

ROSETO

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Joseph C. Angelini; Republican- None. Council (Four, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Nicholas Martino Jr.; Republican- *Peter J. Scarfaro Jr., *Darlene J. Dunbar, *Mark A. Goffredo Jr.

STOCKERTOWN

Mayor (One, 4-year term): Democrat- *Charles Davis; Republican- None. Council (Three, 4-year terms): Democrat- *Rosemarie Wenzelberger, *Carl A. Zito, *Robin Davis;

Republican- None

U. MT. BETHEL TWP.

Supervisor (Two, 6-year terms): Democrat- None; Republican- *Martin Pinter, *Robert Teel

U. NAZARETH TWP.

Supervisor (Two, 6-year terms): Democrat- None; Republican- *Robert Disbrow, *Christine Garipoli

WASHINGTON TWP.

Supervisor (One, 6-year term): Democrat- *David Renaldo; Republican- *Stacy Diehl

WIND GAP

Mayor (One, 4-year term): No candidates. Council (Four, 4-year terms): Democrat- None; Republican- *David E. Valley, *David Hess

DISTRICT JUDGES

03-3-02 WIND GAP (One, 6-year term): Democrat- *Douglas Schlegel Sr.; Republican- *Douglas Schlegel Sr. 03-3-03 BANGOR (One, 6-year term): Democrat- *Alicia R. Zito; Republican- *Alicia R. Zito



Growing up in the Butchershop

The Empty Swing Set / La Rotazione a Vuoto Impostato

Ciao Amici, Looking at the empty swing set what memories we had. Where are the friends and family who once helped build it? Gone to other places, Children's laughter now silent just a breeze of wind echoes though the swing.

No more calls for push me Daddy push me higher and higher no more to be heard.

No more Daddy help I fell off make my knee better.

Father time has made us too old for the swing set,

Mother Nature has turned your chains to rust.

The empty swing set stands as a monument of days when you were needed

When the swing set was filled with laughter of sisters, brothers, classmates and friends

Moving down the slide up and down but going nowhere.

Of pushing each other on the two seat swing and daring each other to go higher and higher who can you trust?

Then the motion stopped, the movement has come to an end only a passing squirrel may move it ever so slightly again.

The children are no longer there to hear, "Ok boys and girls supper is ready come home"

Godetevi le piccole cose della vita perché il giorno potrete guardare indietro e rendersi conto che essi sono stati i grandi cose

Enjoy the little things in life because one day you will look back and realize they were the big things

Grazie, Joe

My book, "Growing up in the Butcher Shop" is available at the shop or email us.

Menu specials, newsletter at www.JDeFrancoandDaughters.com

Send us your Roseto stories, recipes and comments to E-mail: portipasto@epix.net or call us 610-588-6991 Store Hours: 7 to 7 Seven Days a Week with Catering Anytime



New Listing
EVERGREEN VILLAGE, MT. BETHEL! 2 bedroom 1 bath home in a 55+ community with pool, clubhouse, tennis courts and lake! A built in china closet, desk area, large pantry and center island complete the eat-in kitchen. MLS#545729 \$50,000



New Listing
UNBELIEVABLE VALUE! Why Rent when you can own this charming, renovated property. Spacious new kitchen w/ new appliances, tile flooring and subway tile backsplash. Home has new carpet, freshly painted walls, plus a large living room. MUST SEE! MLS#547632 \$135,000

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Your Hometown Real Estate Team
2418 N. Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel, PA 18343
www.teelrealty.com



Featured Listing
YOU HAVE WAITED LONG ENOUGH! This wonderful home has been brought into the 21st Century with wonderful upgrades, like a gorgeous, spacious kitchen, great dining area, 4 bedrooms, modern bathrooms, and an addition that everyone will LOVE! The property is a tree-lined lot with an additional detached garage WITH power, a gorgeous gazebo, and MORE! MLS#546545 \$279,900

Terry Teel, Broker
570-897-7325 Office - 888-333-5295 Toll Free
570-897-7303 Fax - teel@epix.net



Investment
COMPLETELY RENOVATED 2-UNIT investment property (FULLY RENTED!) featuring new ROOF, SIDING, SOFFIT, DECK, NEW MODERN KITCHENS & BATHS, NEW Flooring, Paint, Appliances, Cabinets, Carpeting, Tile & Large Garage! MLS#538236 \$149,900



Great Price
BRING YOUR IDEAS, and add a little "sweat equity" and you will have a lovely Victorian home with lots of charm in a great location! This 3-bedroom home has formal dining room, newer kitchen, living room with TALL windows complimented by vaulted ceilings and a finished attic currently used as a family room. MLS#531452 \$72,900

Ackermanville United Methodist
1410 Ackermanville Road, Bangor
 May 28- 10am Worship. Rev Alice Ann Bonham (610) 588-7818, www.ackermanvilleumc.org

Bangor Church of the Nazarene
150 Bunny Trail, Bangor
 May 28- 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
 May 28- Sunday School (all ages) 9:30am, Worship 10:45am, Evening Service 7pm. Pastor Michael Yaworski.

Belfast Wesley United Methodist
607 School St., Belfast
 May 28- Children's SS & Adult SS 9am, Worship 10am, coffee fellowship following worship. Pastor Paul Milligan. (610) 746-3652.

Benders Mennonite Church
975 Benders Church Rd., Pen Argyl
 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
 Sunday School 9am, Sunday Morning Worship 10am. Pastor Rick Tunis, 610-250-9890. Learn about us online www.bethelbiblechurchofmontzion.org.

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church
703 S. Delaware Dr. (Rt 611), Mt. Bethel (Stone Church)
 Every Sunday- 9am Worship, Communion offered 1st & 3rd Sundays. 610-588-7056, 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
 May 23- Bible study 7pm. Separate class for age 10 & under.

Community Presbyterian
1755 S Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel
 May 28- SS 9:15am, Worship service 10:30am, Coffee hour on last Sunday of every month following service. 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 VanHom, Pastor (610) 588-3966, www.crossroadbaptistbangor.org

East Bangor United Methodist
136 W. Central Ave., E Bangor
 May 25- 6:30pm Bazaar Workshop; May 27- 8:00pm AA Meeting; May 28- 8:30am Choir, 9:15am Worship w/SS, 10:30am Fellowship. Pastor David Goss (610) 588-4453. Dial-A-Message, (610) 588-3896. www.ebumc.org.

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 Intercessory Prayer, 10am Worship, 10:45am Children's Church, Communion at 10:30am (1st Sun). Pastor Matthew Whistler. (610) 863-6911, www.faccpa.org

Faith United Presbyterian
Penna & Heller Aves., Pen Argyl
 May 28- 9am Choir, 10am Worship/Communion/Food Bank/Church School. Rev. Ruth Ann Christopher. (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.

First United Evangelical
25 S 2nd St., Bangor
 May 24- 7pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study; May 28- 9am Prayer Meeting, 9:30am Church School, 10:30am Worship. Pastor Ronald Shipman at (610) 588-3226

First United Methodist Church
55 N. Third St., Bangor
 May 28- 8am Prayer, 8:30am Contemporary Service, 9:50am SS, 11am Traditional Service. Rev. Navin Satyavrata (610) 588-4673.

First United Methodist
19 West & Water St., Wind Gap
 May 28- 8:45am SS, 10am Worship/Communion, 11am Fellowship on 1st Sunday of each month. Pastor Bruny Martinez (717) 940-3090

Flicksville UCC
1337 Lower S. Main St., Bangor
 May 28- 9:30am SS, 10:45am Worship. Pastor Ken Hess (610) 588-4648, www.flicksvilleucc.org

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

Grace Lutheran Church
5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth
 May 25- 6:30pm Choir; May 28- 9am Service, 10:15am SS, 10:30am Confirmation/Adult Forum. (610) 759-9080, www.gracebelfast.org

Grace United Methodist
404 Mountain Ave., Pen Argyl
 May 28- 8:30am Contemporary, 10am Blended, 10am SS. Rev. John T. Pfeil. (610) 863-4811. 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.

Hopesprings Community of Faith
301 Market Street, Bangor
 Sun-Services 10am. Jonathan Almanzar, Lead Pastor. 855-INFO-HOPE. www.hopespringscommunity.org.

Hope UCC
2nd & Cherry St., Wind Gap
 Sun- 9:15am SS, 10:30am Worship (Communion 1st Sunday of the month). All are welcome! Pastor Rev. Dean D. Frey. (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
 May 28- 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 Christenson, Assoc. Pastor. Andrew Little, Youth Director. Little Friends Preschool (570) 897-7797. Visit our website www.mountbethelchurch.org or call (570) 897-7142 for information or directions.

Our Lady of Good Counsel
436 South 2nd Street, Bangor
 May 23- Mass 4pm; May 28- Mass 8:30am. Pastor Stephen L. Maco, (610) 588-5445, www.goodcounselrcchurch.org

Portland Baptist Church
601 Delaware Ave., Portland
 Sundays- Fellowship 10-10:30am, Worship 10:30am, SS 9am, AWANA Youth Group/Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 6-7:30pm. We are handicap accessible with automatic doors, elevator and restroom. (570) 897-6866 www.portlandbaptistchurch.com

Presbyterian Parish of Bangor-Roseto
332 Kennedy Dr., Bangor
 May 28- Worship 10:45am. Rev. Albert Martin. (610) 588-4864, email presbyterianbr@frontiernet.net. www.facebook.com/Presbyterybr

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
2445 Lake Minsi Dr., Bangor
 May 23- Happy Quilters 9am; May 28- 8:30am SS, 9:45am Worship/Communion. (610) 588-2355, website www.popbangor.org

Richmond United Methodist Church
8538 Delaware Dr, Bangor
 May 28- Worship/SS 10am; 4th Sunday Fellowship Hour. 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.

Slate Belt - Nazareth Baptist
1620 Church Rd, Pen Argyl
 May 28- 9:30am SS, 10:30am Worship & Children's Church (nursery provided), 4:30pm 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 Eucharist. Rev. William Martin, 610-746-3910, www.stbrigidspa.org.

St. Elizabeth's Parish
300 West Babbitt Ave., Pen Argyl
 May 28- Masses 8am, 9:30am & 11am. Rev. Msgr. Vincent P. York. 610-863-4777

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran
12 N. Westbrook, Pen Argyl
 May 28- 8:45am SS, 10am Worship/Holy Communion. (610) 863-4332

St. Joseph's Episcopal
1440 Verona Dr., W. Bangor
 May 28- 11 am Eucharist and Sunday School, Rev Joel Atkinson. Coffee hour after service.

St. Luke's U.C.C. Belfast
471 Belfast Rd., Nazareth (Belfast)
 SS 9am, Worship 10:30am - 1st Sunday of month Holy Communion. Rev. Frank Gassler. 610-759-0244. www.stlukesuccbelfast.com

St. Mary's Episcopal
340 Lehigh St., Wind Gap
 May 28- 9am Eucharist and Sunday School, Rev. Joel Atkinson. Coffee hour follows service.

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran
1422 Church Rd, Pen Argyl
 May 24- Bible Study 11am, Praise Band 7pm; May 26- Youth Choir 6pm, Adult Choir 7:30pm; May 28- Services 8am and 10:15am, 9am SS. (610) 863-6859

St. Vincent DePaul Catholic
Delaware Ave., Portland
 May 27- Mass 6pm; May 28- Mass 10:30am. Rev. Stephen L. Maco www.goodcounselrcchurch.org (610) 588-5445.

The Pentecostal Christian Church the Truth
(Iglesia Pentecostal La Verdad)
4 Jory Ave Pen Argyl
 May 28- Prayer 14- Sunday School (Escuela Dominical) 12 noon, Praise & Worrship (Cuho Evangelistico) 1pm. Every Tuesday- Food Bank Program (**555 North Main St., Bangor**), 10am-12pm. All are invited Bilingual Services. Pastor Frank Pons. (570) 807-7794

Temple Israel of the Poconos Egalitarian Conservative Synagogue
660 Wallace Street, Stroudsburg
 Sabbath Services: Friday evening 7pm followed by a Traditional Oneg Shabbat. Saturday morning 9:30am followed by a traditional Kiddush. Services conducted in both Hebrew & English in a warm, welcoming, Jewish environment. Hebrew School, High Holiday Services, Passover Seder, Purim Party, Family Chanukah Menorah Lighting, Adult Educational Programs, Social Gatherings. Contact: Dr. Sandra Alfonsi 570-223-7062.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran
404 Broadway, Bangor
 May 25- Christian Ed 6:30pm, Choir 7:30pm; May 28- SS 9am, Worship/Communion 10am. Pastor Laine. (610) 588-2023, www.tlcbangor.com.

Trinity United Church of Christ
632 S. Delaware Dr, Mt. Bethel
 May 28- SS 9:15am, Worship 10:30am. Rev. Rodney W. Wells. (610) 588-1989.

Zion Presbyterian Church
Water St., Wind Gap
 May 28- Rev. Albert Martin will be speaking at the 9:30am service. Children SS during the service. Visitors welcome. (610) 863-8896.

Email church

listings by Fri

at 12 noon to

bvtimes@rcn.com