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## **OCTOBER 2011 NEWSLETTER**



Fall is always a time of celebration and fund-raising in our community. On the **22<sup>th</sup> of October**, the Brooktondale Community Center will sponsor the annual Brooktondale **APPLE FEST**. Our church will be participating in this event by having baked goods, soup, art and other items for sale in the church basement. Other Fest items will be sold in the Community Center and in the Old Fire House. We ask our member to please contribute baked goods, and/or volunteer to help with the soup making and sales on that day. It will be a fun time for all and a good chance to meet the neighbors!

On the **19<sup>th</sup> of November**, we will host the annual **CHRISTMAS COUNTRY STORE**. Again, we will be selling baked goods, soup, art and assorted other items. This event will be held in the church, community center, and old fire house.



Beginning the first Sunday in November, we will have a series of special worship times.

\* **November 6<sup>th</sup>** will be **ALL SAINTS DAY**: a time of respect for and remembrance of those who have contributed to this church for the last 142 years. We will honor senior members and those who have departed our fellowship during the last year.

\* The **13<sup>th</sup> of November** we will conduct our annual **STEWARDSHIP SERVICE**. This will be a time of reflecting on what it means to give to God a portion of what we have: love, time, creativity, and money.

\* On **November the 20<sup>th</sup>** we will observe our yearly **THANKSGIVING SERVICE**, praising God for all the gifts and blessings that have come into our lives during 2010.

\* **November 27<sup>th</sup>** will be the first Sunday of **ADVENT 2011**.

We invite you to join us every Sunday, and especially for these unique times of worship.

It has been an exceptionally fast two years since Martha and I moved to this area. We certainly have learned a lot about Ithaca and New York and Brooktondale. We want to thank all of you who have contributed to our enjoyment of this wonderful place. We know that God has been a part of this experience, and we look forward to a worthwhile future at the Caroline Valley Community Church.



I especially want to thank all of those kind souls who have fed us and driven us around and told us how to find the places we were seeking. This church congregation has been a blessing, and we pray for all of you every day.

Pastor Dan and Martha Phillips



Martha will again be participating this year in the Ithaca Art Trail Event. The Open House dates are October the 8<sup>th</sup>

and 9<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>, from 11am to 4pm. Please come by and visit us. The address is 406 Winston Court, Apt 2, Ithaca, NY 14850.

### WEEKLY EVENTS

#### SUNDAYS:

Worship Service – 11am

Adult Bible Study: 9:45am

Bible Club for children 3 through 14 – 9:45am

TUESDAYS: Bell Choir, 6:30pm

THURSDAYS: Willing Workers - 9am

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**October 2:** 2011 CROP WALK at Cass Park, 2pm

**October 5:** Church Council Meeting, 7pm

**October 22:** Caroline Apple Festival, 10am to 3pm

**November 2:** Church Council Meeting, 7pm

**November 4:** Pie Bee: soup at 6pm, Pie Bee at 6:30pm

**November 6:** ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY, service at 11am

**November 13:** STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY, service at 11am

**November 19:** CHRISTMAS COUNTRY STORE, 10am to 3pm

**November 20:** THANKSGIVING SUNDAY, service at 11am

**November 27:** First Sunday of ADVENT 2011, service at 11am

### PRAYER LIST

**Dr. Mary Tinker**

**Hal Morris**

**Rick Eggleston**

**Don Kennell**

**Clara Caveny**

**Rev. E Carolyn Byrne**

**Helen Allmandinger**

**All Members of the Armed Forces**

**Crispell family**

**Schoch family**

**Stella Phillips**

**Keith Hatch**

**Dorothy Mix**

**Genevieve O'Loughlin**

**Marge Tilton**

**Barden family**

**Smalt Family**

**Martha Phillips**



Please contact Pastor Dan Phillips at 319-5179 or dan.phillips@twcny.rr.com if you have information about someone who is ill, hospitalized, or in need of prayer.