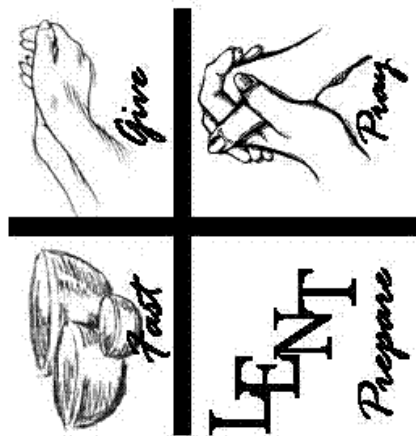


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Information Deadline for the
May 2025 NEWSLETTER
is Sunday, April 20!!



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Sch. Haven, PA

LENT 2025 (MARCH – APRIL)

Ash
Wednesday

Wednesday, March 5

Worship

7 PM

Sunday, April 13

Worship

9:30 AM



Thursday, April 17

Worship

7 PM



Sunday, April 20

Worship 8 AM

Easter Egg Hunt 9 AM

Worship 9:30 AM



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WORSHIP & CHILDREN’S CHURCH – Sundays, 9:30 AM

2025 CONSISTORY MEMBERS

Harris Bradley, Vice President; Rebecca Hillje; Carole Lee; Theresa Luckenbill; Mike McCormick; Todd Roberts; Penny Shade, President; Darren Walbridge; Lora Yoder, Secretary; & Peggy Zechman.

PHONE & EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

Phone & email are the quickest and easiest ways of getting information to church members. Please notify us of your current phone number and email.

CHURCH OFFICE DROP BOX

Reminder: a black drop box was installed to the left of the office door. This is a locked/secure box and a safe location and contactless way for you to deliver items outside of (or during) office hours. The box is checked daily.

SPONSORS NEEDED

This is a great way to note an important event or honor a loved one. Sponsor the bulletin (\$12), newsletter (\$12), or flowers (\$35). Call Jen to reserve your date (570-385-2049). Order forms are in the Narthex.

SALUTATIONS FROM SHAWN

Christ in Conversation

Can we talk? In our fast-paced society, where a lot of expectations are placed on us, it's difficult to find time for one another, let alone time for rest and restoration for ourselves. With the added demand we feel from online connections, we forget to talk to the person in the same room as us. In our overly busy, digitally driven society, we lose each other. But it doesn't have to be that way.

At First United Church of Christ, we are looking for ways to connect with one another and with the community. We want people to know they are God's priority which means they are our priority. This Lent we are offering deliberate time for all ages to connect with one another. Some of that interaction will take place Sunday morning, as we gather for worship, but we are also adding a Sunday late afternoon time for "Conversations with Christ." (See the Board of Christian Education column for details.)

We know for many busy families, Sunday morning is the time to slow down, after a packed week of work, school, and activities, and a Saturday filled with sports and errands. We appreciate the importance of that family time, so we planned simple, fun, and short gatherings from 4:30-5:30 PM on Sundays during Lent. After exploring a Bible story, sharing an activity, and eating a simple meal, children will be home well before bedtime. (All other ages too!)

One bonus we have to offer to families with children is that as a congregation with many mature adults, we have a lot of people eager to be adoptive grandparents. Sunday afternoons will be an opportunity to build special relationships so our children will know they are cherished.

Do you have ideas for how the church can increase its mission "to serve God through Christ and to serve others with love"? If so, we would love to hear from you as we strive to thrive as a community sharing our love for Christ with everyone we meet.

Yours in Jesus Christ,
Pastor Shawn

I will be on vacation in late April and/or early May. Check future worship bulletins for details on dates and pastoral care while I am away.



WORSHIP DURING LENT

THE SEASON OF LENT: Christ in Our Conversation

3/5 Ash Wednesday Reconciled to God
 Noon Drive-up Ashes & Communion; 7 PM Worship in the Sanctuary
 Psalm 51:1-17 Have Mercy, O God
 2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10 Reconciliation with God
 Matthew 6:1-6,16-21 Giving, Prayer, Fasting

Daylight Savings Time begins

"Spring ahead" one hour on your alarm before you jump into bed on Saturday, March 8, so we won't miss you at 9:30 AM worship on Sunday, March 9.

3/9 1st Sunday in Lent The Fruit of the Garden
 Genesis 3:1-21 The Fall
 Romans 10:8b-13 The Word is Near
 Luke 4:1-13 Jesus Tested in the Wilderness

3/16 2nd Sunday in Lent Entertaining Angels and Others
 Genesis 18:1-15 Three Visitors
 Romans 12:9-21 Love in Action
 Luke 5:12-16 Jesus Heals a Man with Leprosy

3/23 3rd Sunday in Lent A Terrible Test
 Genesis 22:1-18 Abraham Tested
 Romans 6:15-23 Slaves to Righteousness
 Luke 6:17-31 Blessings and Woes

3/30 4th Sunday in Lent Siblings: Who Needs Them?
 Praise & Healing; One Great Hour of Sharing Special Offering; Filling Deadline
 Genesis 25; 27; & 33 Esau and Jacob
 Ephesians 2:11-22 Reconciled through Christ
 Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 The Parable of the Lost Son

4/6 5th Sunday in Lent Betrayal & Forgiveness
 Sacrament of Communion
 Genesis 36-50 Joseph and His Brothers
 Philippians 3:4b-14 No Confidence in the Flesh
 John 12:1-8 Jesus Anointed at Bethany

4/13 Palm Sunday Passionate Humility
 Luke 19:28-40 Jesus Enters Jerusalem
 Isaiah 50:4-9a God's Servant Obeys
 Luke 22:14-53 The Last Supper, the Garden, and Arrest

WORSHIP DURING LENT & EASTER

4/17 Maundy Thursday Do We Know What Christ Has Done?
 7 PM Worship; Sacrament of Communion and Tenebrae
 Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14 The First Passover
 John 13:1-17, 31b-35 Jesus' Washes the Disciples' Feet
 Psalm 22 & Isaiah 52 The Forsaken Servant
 Luke 22-23 Jesus' Last Hours

THE SEASON OF EASTER: The End and The Beginning

4/20 Easter Sunday Suddenly Life
 8 AM & 9:30 AM Worship; Sacrament of Communion
 9-9:30 AM Fellowship in the Narthex
 9 AM Egg Hunt
 Luke 24:1-12 Jesus Risen from Death
 Acts 10:34-43 Communion, Peter's Affirmation of Faith
 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 Christ Raised from the Dead

4/27 2nd Sunday of Easter Breath of Peace
 Holy Humor
 Acts 5:27-32 The Apostles Persecuted
 Revelation 1:4-8 The Alpha and the Omega
 John 20:19-31 Jesus Appears to the Disciples

CHRISTIAN PASSAGES / SPIRITUAL JOURNEYS

Baptisms – **Franklin Michael Donati & Kinsley Marie Donati**, son & daughter of Christian & Brittany Donati, were baptized on Sunday, January 19, 2025. Frankie & Kinsley's sponsors are Alicia Levan, Samantha King, **Brandon Donati & Kyle Donati**.

Death – **Iris B. (Houser) Weller** passed away on Sunday, December 1, 2025. Her funeral was held on Thursday, December 5, 2024. Iris is survived by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mary Alice (Moyer) Ross passed away on Wednesday, December 11, 2024. Her memorial service was held on Sunday, December 22, 2024. Mary Alice is survived by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Anne L. (Geary) Fisher passed away on Monday, February 24, 2025. Anne is survived by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.



OFFERING

Communion & Food Pantry Donations *March 2 & April 6*

As we come to be fed at the Lord’s Table, we remember those in our community who have difficulty feeding themselves. Our donations of non-perishable foods to the SH Food Pantry are much needed and appreciated.

The Compassion Fund *March 16 & April 20*

This Special Offering is placed in an emergency fund for church members’ use.

OGHS (One Great Hour of Sharing) *March 30*

BE THE LIGHT

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) is a special mission offering of the United Church of Christ which involves you in disaster response, refugee aid, and development ministries throughout the world. When a disaster strikes or people are made refugees by violence or extreme poverty, you are part of immediate response and long-term recovery. Through OGHS you engage in holistic development programs including health care, education, agriculture, food sustainability, micro-financing and women’s empowerment. Your contributions to OGHS put you where relief and recovery are most needed.

Special Offering Envelopes

The envelope offerings collected for **Ash Wednesday** (March 5), **Palm Sunday** (April 13), **Maundy Thursday** (April 17), **Good Friday** (April 18), and **Easter Sunday** (April 20) will be used to support the on-going ministry of First UCC. The envelope offerings collected for **Meat Bingo** (March 23) will go to the general budget.

Lent Offering Envelopes

Lent offering envelopes will be sent out as part of a special mailer. The envelope offerings collected for the **Lent Offering** will be used to support the on-going ministry of First UCC.

If you are unable to join us for worship, please mail your offering envelopes to First UCC, 110 Route 61 South, Schuylkill Haven PA 17972; or if you do online banking arrange to send a check to the church.

2024 KLINE TITHE RECIPIENTS

At the February 23 Financial Congregational Meeting, the congregation selected My Father’s House/Servants to All, Schuylkill Hope Center (formerly SWIC), Bridge 127, and the Schuylkill Haven Fire Department to receive \$5000 each from the 2024 Kline Bequest Tithe.

EVIDENCE OF STEWARDSHIP

The year-end totals for December 2024 plus a comparison to 2023 & 2022.

	Dec. 2024	Dec. 2023	Dec. 2022
TOTAL EXPENSES –	\$262,397.11	\$251,008.78	\$250,545.47
REVENUE –	\$ 80,627.12	\$ 74,745.59	\$ 71,238.86
Resources from Kline Fund –	\$190,405.00	\$175,150.80	\$179,000.00
TOTAL REVENUE –	\$271,032.12	\$249,896.39	\$250,238.86
Gain/Loss –	\$ 8,635.01	\$ -1,112.39	\$ -306.61

**** Please note that the documenting of some monetary transfers and payments are being done differently than past years. Monthly Budget and itemized account information is available in the church office for members’ viewing. ****

The totals for January 2025 plus a comparison to 2024 & 2023.

	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2024	Jan. 2023
TOTAL EXPENSES –	\$20,668.26	\$ 25,791.02	\$ 28,917.98
REVENUE –	\$ 4,322.84	\$ 8,413.20	\$ 4,053.66
Resources from Kline Fund –	\$15,000.00	\$ 27,430.00	\$ 19,100.00
TOTAL REVENUE –	\$19,322.84	\$ 35,843.20	\$ 23,153.66
Gain/Loss –	\$ -1,345.42	\$ 10,052.18	\$ -5,764.32

CHURCH OFFICE UPDATES

Church Office Closed:

Friday, April 18 (Good Friday) & Monday, April 21 (Easter Monday)

Staff Vacations

Pastor Shawn: late April – early May

CONSISTORY MEETINGS

Sundays, after Worship

Sunday, March 9 & Sunday, April 27

CHURCH FUNDRAISERS

Filling Sale

Do you need filling for Easter dinner or do you just need to restock your freezer? Filling can be picked up Saturday, April 12, 11 AM – 1 PM or Sunday, April 13, after worship. Cost is \$10 per quart container.

ADULT SMALL GROUPS

Adult Bible Study, Wednesdays at 4 PM.

We are working our way through the Bible, astonished at how much we are learning. Please talk to Pastor Shawn if you are interested, to share topics and times that interest you.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

LET'S TALK! CONVERSATIONS WITH CHRIST

Sunday Lenten Gatherings for ALL AGES

March 9-April 6, 4:30-5:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall

We'll share a meal, Bible stories, and activities as we learn to talk like Jesus.

- 3/9 First Fruits: Growing Good Relationships
Bible: Adam and Eve; Jesus and the Devil
Meal: Pasta with Tomato Sauce
Group Activity: Individual Fruit Pies
Bring your favorite fruit to share.
- 3/16 Entertaining Angels and Others: Hospitality
Bible: Abraham and Visitors; Jesus Healing Strangers
Meal: Kabobs & Bread
Group Activity: Pretzels
Bring your favorite pretzel topping.
- 3/23 Cherishing Children
Bible: Abraham and Isaac; Jesus and Children
Meal: God Provides
Group Activity: Balloon People
Bring your favorite dessert to share.
- 3/30 Siblings: Getting Along
Bible: Esau and Jacob; Two Brothers and Their Father
Meal: Red Lentil Stew & Corn Bread
Group Activity: Marshmallow Madness
Bring your favorite vegetable snacks.
- 4/6 Betrayal & Forgiveness; Communion and Last Supper
Bible: Joseph and His Brothers; Jesus and Holy Week
Meal: Last Supper (chicken legs, boiled eggs, applesauce, etc.)
Group Activity: 3 Kinds of Eggs
Bring natural or plastic eggs to decorate.

CHILDREN

Children's Church, for ages 4 through fifth grade, is offered on request during worship. Delia will share a Bible lesson with the children, along with crafts and other activities.

Easter Candy **Donation Deadline: Palm Sunday, April 13**

Individually wrapped candy or small toys able to fit in plastic Easter Eggs are needed for the children's Egg Hunt on Easter. Call the church office if you plan to drop off your donations at the door. You may also place your donations in the marked box in the Narthex by Palm Sunday, April 13. Thank you!

All Church Easter Egg Hunt **Sunday, April 20, 9 AM**

Adults are welcome to join with the children for an Easter Egg Hunt after the 8 AM worship services around 9:10 AM. In case of inclement weather, the hunt will be held indoors. Confirmands and teens are invited to set up for the Egg Hunt at 9 AM or shortly before.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Healthier Living with Diabetes is a six-week program that teaches techniques to manage symptoms of diabetes for ages 60+. There is **no charge** for the course and the use of an excellent reference book is included. Classes meet Tuesdays from March 18-April 22, 1-3:30 PM at Pine Grove VFW, 140 S. Tulpehocken Street. STS Shared Ride Van is available for \$1 each way for those age 65+. Registration with STS required at 1-800-832-3322. To register, please call Diakon at 570-624-3017 by March 14.

Tax Preparation Assistance

Diakon Community Services is partnering with AARP Tax-Aide, a free service available to taxpayers with low and moderate income, especially those 60 and older, filing simple returns only. The service is by appointment only. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call 570-624-3018.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Bell Choir practice is held in the music room after worship each Sunday. If you can count to four, if you enjoy being with other people, and if you like to make joyful noise, talk to Jacquie Engel, our music director, about joining Bell Choir.



LENT: LEANING INTO LIFE

Deepening Relationships with God and Others

Lent is the Season before Easter, when we think about what the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus mean to us. For many, Lent is a season of denial and sacrifice, a time to give things up and do without. Too often, we associate it with feeling miserable, as if that's what God wants from us. But that's not what Lent is about! Lent is about making space in our lives for God—clearing away the clutter so we can focus on what truly matters. The season is an opportunity to deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ and one another. For forty days (since Sundays are not included in Lent) we are invited to grow closer to God and to strengthen our relationships with other people. The following list of ideas offers ways to become more aware of God in our lives. Some ideas to consider:

- Catch up with someone.
- Avoid texting when with friends and family. Focus on them.
- Limit time on Facebook and other social media. Stop doomscrolling!
- Breathe deeply when feeling anger or anxiety.
- Give up single-use plastics.
- Give up criticizing others and yourself, impatience, and gossip.
- Donate food and clothing to the food pantry and Servants to All.
- Add physical activity or take a walk each day.
- Read a chapter of the Bible each day.
- Write down something we are grateful for each day.
- Listen more, to others and to God.

PLANNING FOR DEATH: A GIFT TO LOVED ONES

With Ash Wednesday we are confronted with the truth that we will die: "you are dust and to dust you shall return." During Lent, we follow Jesus' journey to Jerusalem and his death on the cross. Have you made plans for your death yet? Pre-planning your funeral and settling your estate while you are in good health allows you to make choices which suit you, in addition to helping your loved ones through a difficult time of grief. Feel free to talk to Pastor Shawn, research options on-line, and/or talk to a funeral director to start the process.

SOUL (SENIORS OUT TO LUNCH)

All adults are welcome, including everyone 50+ years old, to join SOUL for lunch at 1 PM on the second THURSDAY of the month. Check worship bulletins for any updates.

Thursday, March 13 – Roman Delight, Orwigsburg
Thursday, April 10 – Buddy's Log Cabin Restaurant, Pine Grove

PENNSYLVANIA SE CONFERENCE, UCC

Thank You for Your OCWM Support

Rev. Bill Worley, PSEC Conference Minister, thanked First UCC for the difference we made in the lives of people, communities, and pastoral leaders in 2024 through our gifts to Our Churches Wider Mission. PSEC congregations and individuals contributed \$702,368, connecting the PSEC with ministries both locally and globally. Although \$31k short of our OCWM goal of \$734,000 the PSEC was able to hold the line on expenses and ended the year with a positive cash flow! Your generosity in giving, besides supporting the work of the PSEC, has also impacted many lives all over God's creation.

Keystone Conference Planning: Together We Are Stronger

In June 2024, the four PA UCC conferences voted to become one. The Keystone Working Group has significant work to bring forward to each of the four current conferences for their Spring Meetings. The Governance task group shared detailed information regarding the DRAFT Constitution and Bylaws, also discussing a "Way of Work" process document which will outline how governance processes will function. The final draft of the Constitution and Bylaws will be voted on at each conference's Spring Meeting. Visit the Keystone Conference Project website at <https://psec.org/keystone/> for more information. Send your questions and comments by email to Keystone.Conference.Project@gmail.com or direct mail through your Conference Office.

STEWARDSHIP

Practicing Stewardship as a Life Skill

The Season of Lent is a time to learn new life skills which draw us closer to God. Christian stewardship is one such skill as we use the life God gives us for God's purposes. When we view financial resources as "mine," we find it difficult to give. When we see our money as a gift from God, we can much more easily give to God's mission of loving God and loving others. In Matthew 25:14-20, Jesus shares the Parable of the Talents, teaching that Christians are managing God's resources. We obtain the greatest possible return when we remember all things come from God.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN 275th IDEAS

275th Anniversary of Schuylkill Haven (The Bicenterquasquigenary)

The official kick-off the 275th anniversary is April 5, 10 am, with Mayor Mike Devlin in Bubeck Park, when the new logo will be unveiled. Consistory would like your thoughts on how First Church can participate in the town's 275th anniversary celebrations. Please stay for a few moments after worship on Sunday, March 9, to share your thoughts. Thank you!

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Bloodmobile **Thursday, March 6, 1-6 PM** **Jerusalem Lutheran Evangelical Church, 252 Dock St.**

Every two seconds someone in the USA needs blood. A person can donate blood every 56 days. The donor's body replenishes the fluid lost from donation in about 24 hours. Anyone 17 years or older and in good health is eligible to donate. One pint of blood can save up to three lives.

Monthly Food Pantry **Friday, March 21 & April 18, 1 PM**

During the holidays, the Schuylkill Haven Council of Churches Food Pantry sees an increased need for food. Donate your favorite non-perishable holiday food to share with others. On the third Friday of the month, the Schuylkill Haven Council of Churches distributes food at their Food Pantry, located on Market Street behind Evans Delivery. Food is distributed from noon to 3 PM.

Council of Churches Meeting **Tuesday, March 25, 7 PM**

We will meet at Christ Fellowship Church (formerly First United Methodist), 420 Saylor Street, to coordinate monthly food pantry distribution, bi-monthly blood drives, and other community ministries.

YOUTH MATTERS!

Sunday, March 2 **Transfiguration Sunday Worship 9 AM**

Youth lead Transfiguration Worship. Arrive at church between 8:45 and 9 AM for time to review your parts.

Sunday, March 16 **Strike Zone Alleys Bowling 2-3:30 PM**

\$15 estimate per person. Anyone from church is welcome.

Sunday, April 6 **Pizza, Play, Planning & Service after Worship**

We will meet after worship for pizza and play in the Teen Room. We will plan for future activities and, weather permitting, clean up some of the debris under the trees along Route 61 to spruce up for Easter.

Sunday, April 27 **The Chopping Block 2-3 PM**

Try your hand at ax throwing. \$25 per person. Parents are encouraged to join.

Spring Flower Sale. Buy flowers for Mother's Day that will last all summer! The youth are selling bedding plants and hanging baskets. Order forms will be available in the Narthex in late March or early April. The order deadline is Sunday, April 27. Flowers will be available for pick up Mother's Day Sunday, May 11 after worship. If that time does not work for you, please call the church office. Thank you for supporting the youth who are raising funds for activities.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

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| 3/1- Gail Kerschner (1957) | 3/23- Austin Boyer (1999) |
| 3/2- Justene Frushon (1987) | 3/24- Carla Keller (1967) |
| Jeniva Unger (1975) | Rachel Crumrine (1984) |
| Andrew Wagner (2015) | Billy Wingle, Jr. (1992) |
| 3/3- Danielle Guldin (1985) | 3/29- Lew Hummel (1947) |
| Peggy Zechman (1945) | 3/30- Jeff Spotts (1959) |
| 3/5- Craig Spotts (1964) | 4/1- Lynn Moyer (1955) |
| Matt Unger (1973) | 4/4- Kaede Fessler (2003) |
| 3/6- Leo Houck (1937) | Reese Frushon (2020) |
| 3/8- Theresa Luckenbill | 4/11- Michael McCormick (2001) |
| 3/10- Kadence Sonon (2014) | Robyn Porter (1967) |
| Rhonda Thompson (1965) | 4/15- Corey Spotts (1991) |
| 3/12- Deb Mattera (1956) | 4/17- Corin Paul (1980) |
| Abigail Schrader (2009) | 4/19- Daniel Devlin (2020) |
| 3/13- Brad Moyer (1971) | Shawn Pritiskutch (2000) |
| 3/14- Dave Schrader (1971) | Macy Marmas (2012) |
| 3/17- Cheryl Stripe (1988) | 4/20- Jake Haeseler (2000) |
| Landon Stripe (2020) | 4/23- Emerson Spotts (2007) |
| 3/18- Carole Lee (1947) | 4/28- Melissa Fox (1975) |

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!

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| 3/01- Bill & Rhonda Thompson (1996) | 4/7- Don & Deb McCormick (1973) |
| 3/08- Al & Linda Deatrich (1986) | 4/15- Dwayne & Treasure Reichert (00) |
| 3/15- Michael & Sharon Wagner (2003) | 4/20- Kris & Pam Sonon (2013) |
| 3/18- George & Tracey Rondeau (2018) | 4/27- Brad & Angela Moyer (1997) |

If we missed an anniversary or birthday, listed an incorrect date or do not have the year, please call the church office so that we are able to correct and/or update our records.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to the congregation for your generous Christmas gifts to the church staff and for your kindness toward people in need at Christmas, as you provided gifts for children through the Salvation Army and Bethany Children's Home, and Christmas gifts and dinner for two families.

Thank You to the Congregation from a Homebound Member

Thank you so much for the Christmas "goodie bag." Sometimes the smallest gift is the most meaningful and appreciated. God bless you.

EASTER FLOWERS – 2025

The season of Lent is here. Orders are now being taken for Easter Flowers that will adorn the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday, April 20.

Please return this form, **along with payment**, to the church office.

Additional forms are available in the Narthex.

Deadline – Sunday, March 30

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH ORDER.

Name _____

Phone # _____

TYPE OF FLOWER

LILIES ____ **DAFFODILS** ____ **TULIPS** ____

In **HONOR** of _____

In **MEMORY** of _____

BY: _____

Please use the exact wording you want to appear in the Flower Bulletin.

COST: \$15/plant & PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ORDER!!!

Please return your order and payment to the church office by mail or place the order and payment in the Church Secretary’s mailbox located by the offices or in the offering plate.

Please check one of the following:

- ____ I will take my flowers home.
- ____ I do not want my flowers. The church can use them.

If you cannot pick up your flowers, the flowers will be kept in the church for 1 week. Flowers can then be picked up during the regular office hours (Weekdays, 9 AM – 1 PM).

Any flowers that have not been claimed will be given away.

SPRING POTATO FILLING SALE

Sponsored by:

First United Church of Christ

110 Route 61 South

Schuykill Haven

385-2049

Order Deadline: **Sunday, March 30, 2025**

Pickup: **Saturday, April 12, 11 AM – 12 PM**
OR Sunday, April 13, after worship

NAME: _____

TELEPHONE #: _____

_____ Containers @ \$10 each = \$ _____
Each Container holds 2 pounds of filling.
That’s \$5 per pound.

PAYMENT IS DUE WITH YOUR ORDER FORM.

**IF PICKUP TIMES DON’T WORK FOR YOU,
PLEASE CALL TO MAKE OTHER ARRANGEMENTS.**