

ANNIVERSARIES

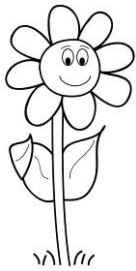
April 4th~New Brighton Wednesday Night AFG will celebrate their 34th Anniversary. 7:00PM Food & Fellowship - 8:00 Lead. Meat and dessert provided side dishes welcome.

Saturday, May 5th~Etna Saturday Noon will celebrate its 40th anniversary. Food and fellowship at 11:15 am with speaker at Noon salads and desserts welcome.

Monday, May 7th~Crafton Monday Night AFG will celebrate their **45th Anniversary at 1st United Presbyterian Church, Crafton Hts, 50 Stratmore Ave.** Please join us for fellowship at **7pm** and our meeting at **7:30pm**. Finger foods and desserts welcome.

Monday, May 7~ Monday Serenity Seekers AFG will celebrate their **2nd Anniversary.** Food and fellowship at **6:15PM**; speaker at **7PM** Finger foods or desserts welcome. Please join us to celebrate this exciting anniversary!

May 21st~Monday Afternoon AFG in Action Group will hold its **2nd Anniversary** Food and Fellowship at **12 PM** AL Anon & AA speakers at **1 PM** salads, side dishes and desserts are appreciated. All are welcome.



Happy spring!

MEETING CHANGES

The following meetings are cancelled April 1:

Chippewa Sunday Night AFG

Sunday Night Castle Shannon AFG

The Mt Lebanon Monday Morning AFG will meet in the Mt Lebanon Public Library-Meeting Room on **Monday, April 2 at 10AM**, due to church closing on Monday

Starting Wed, April 4, the ***Carrick AFG*** new meeting time will be **7:30 pm**.

Understanding Ourselves AFG, **WILL NOT** meet on April 5.

The Mt Lebanon Monday Morning AFG **will change rooms as of April 9.** We will now meet in the **Church Welcome Center** at the top of the ramp, near the Front Office Entrance

The Penn Hills Monday Afternoon (1:00) AFG **will NOT be meeting on Monday 5/28/2018 (Memorial Day)**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Saturday Six O'clock Serenity Group at Memorial Park can use support.

UPCOMING EVENTS

26th Annual Brown Bag Workshop – Saturday, April 7th Plum Unity Center Rd, Plumboro. Come help us celebrate **26 years of Al-Anon Recovery "Weaving our Spiritual Tapestry"** Hope to see you there.

Dist. 25 Spring Speakers Event - Path to Recovery through Prayer and Meditation, Saturday, April 7th West Minister Presbyterian Church. Registration 8:00 a.m. Brunch will be served. 4 Speakers, Fundraisers, 50/50 raffle.

District 27 Spring Speaker Extravaganzas Saturday, April 14th at St. John Neumann RC Church, Franklin Park, PA.

District 18 32nd Annual Spring Workshop on Saturday, April 21st Mt. Pleasant Church of God Breakfast, 3 workshops, Catered hot lunch and speaker. Hope to see you there.

Please join us for an amazing weekend at Temple Grove Campground, on your path to recovery, at the 33rd District 28 Swing into Spring weekend April 27th-29th! You will find serenity, peace and joy!

46th Annual PA AFG Convention will be held June 1st to 3rd, at Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, PA. **Online or Mail-in Registration - deadline May 18th** Flyer enclosed

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Announcements

1. **Announcements pertaining to new, disbanded and permanent meeting time or location changes WILL NOT be placed in *The Key* unless they are properly processed using a WSO Al-Anon Registration- Group Change Form (GR-1). Group Changes require a **GR-1 Form signed by the District Representative**. The District Representative will forward the form to: AIS & STATE. AIS will forward the form to: KEY EDITOR, MEETING LIST CHAIR and SECRETARY. STATE will forward the form to: WSO.**
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3. Announcements pertaining to Al-Ateen **must be accompanied by the Group ID**.
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5. Send written notice to:
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To love means loving the unlovable. To forgive means pardoning the unpardonable. Faith means believing the unbelievable. Hope means hoping when everything seems hopeless.

Gilbert K. Chesterton

The Fall Workshop Chair needs to form a committee, consisting of a Co-chair, Treasurer, Secretary, Hospitality, Publicity, and Auctioneer.

Please contact the AIS Service Board at aisboardmembers@gmail.com to join the Fall Workshop Committee. Thank you for your service!

We still have open positions on the AIS Board, please contact aisboardmembers@gmail.com and visit the webpage for further information and thank you in advance for your service!!