

SPECIAL EVENTS

April 2nd Alert-1 Response (Fellowship Room) 1:00 pm Victoria, from Alert-1 Response, will be presenting how this Emergency Fall Detection Medical Alert pendant/wrist watch system works and its many uses, including pricing.

April 3rd Classic Movie & Discussion “The Window” (Fellowship Room) 12:30 pm *The Window* (1949) is a suspenseful noir thriller about a young boy who witnesses a murder but is dismissed as a liar. As the tension builds, the boy must prove the truth before the killers silence him. Directed by Ted Tetzlaff, it runs for 73 minutes.

April 4th Darrell Henry “York Revolution Conversation” (Fellowship Room) 1:30 pm Join Darrell Henry, the “voice” of the York Revolution Baseball team, in a spirited conversation about seasons past and a look head at the 2025 season.

April 5th Hanover Lancer Drum & Bugle Corps “Profiles in Music- A Drum and Bugle Corps Showcase” (Waldner Performing Arts Center, York College of Pennsylvania) 6:15 pm
The Hanover Lancers Drum & Bugle Corps will hold their 12th annual Profiles in Music, a Drum and Bugle Corps Showcase, at the Waldner Performing Arts Center, York College of Pennsylvania. See The Inspiration Calendar for more information. **Cost: \$28.00**

April 8th SPCA Visit (Fellowship Room) 1:00 pm Aly Malay, from the SPCA, will discuss the challenges and the joys of the SPCA in York County. On this day, the wonderful donations that have been collected throughout the month of March, will be given to Aly to take back to all the animals in need.

April 7th Online Lecture - Doris Kearns “Leadership: In Turbulent Times” (Fellowship Room) 10:30 am Join Doris Kearns Goodwin, one of the most renowned historians of our time, for a virtual lecture. Drawing from her book, “Leadership: In Turbulent Times,” Goodwin transports us back in time to provide perspective and analysis as she helps us understand we have been through most challenging times before and came through stronger.

April 10th Caption Call Presentation (Conference Room) 11:00 am Designed specifically for the hearing loss community, Caption Call helps people with hearing loss get more from every conversation with telephone call captioning. See if Caption Call’s free service is right for you.

April 11th Dutch Apple Dinner Theater “Fiddler on the Roof” (Lancaster, PA) 11:00 am Show and buffet lunch included in price. **Cost: \$78.00**

April 14th York Symphony Orchestra “French Connection with Branford Marsalis” (Fellowship Room) 4:30 pm
Enjoy an evening of music, featuring the York Symphony Orchestra, with wine and appetizers.

April 16th Christina Anderson “Senior Scams” (Fellowship Room) 11:00 am Over 88,000 people over the age of 60 are scammed in the USA each year. Join Christina Anderson to discuss ways to keep from getting scammed.

April 22nd Brianna Berger “Aches & Pains” (Fellowship Room) 10:00 am Learn how to incorporate strategies into your daily routine that will assist you with overcoming your aches and pains. Therapy can help if you are having difficulty lifting heavy items, opening jars, walking long distances, or other tasks that require strength and flexibility of your joints.

April 23rd Cooking Demo “Napa Chicken Salad” (Fellowship Room) 1:00 pm

April 25th Adrienne Brenner “Stone Sculpting” (Fellowship Room) 1:00 pm Join for an exciting talk about stone sculpting with Adrienne Brenner! Having studied to be an art therapist, Adrienne will share her journey into sculpting and explain her unique process. She will also reveal why she is drawn to working with alabaster. After the talk, get creative and try your hand at 2D or 3D art using clay and stone sculpting tools.

April 30th Beyond the Battle Museum (Gettysburg, PA) 9:00 am The *Beyond the Battle Museum* in Gettysburg offers a unique, immersive experience that goes beyond the battlefield. It focuses on the personal stories of those who lived through the Civil War, showcasing artifacts, exhibits, and interactive displays. Visitors gain insight into the human side of history, with powerful narratives from both soldiers and civilians. Docent led tour. **Cost: \$12.00**



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APRIL FOOL’S DAY FACTS

April Fools' Day, celebrated on the first day of April in most countries, is known for the tradition of playing practical jokes, such as telling friends their shoelaces are untied or sending them on so-called "fools' errands." While the day has been observed for centuries, its true origins remain unclear and are likely unknowable. The celebration is similar to festivals like the ancient Roman *Hilaria* (held on March 25) and the Indian *Holi* festival, which ends on March 31.



Some believe the modern custom of April Fools' Day originated in France, following the Edict of Roussillon, issued in August 1564. This decree by King Charles IX established that the new year would begin on January 1 instead of Easter, as had been customary. People who continued to celebrate the new year on Easter were mocked as "April Fools." Others suggest that the timing of the day aligns with the vernal equinox (around March 21), a time when unpredictable weather can "fool" people.

While April Fools' Day is celebrated differently in various countries, it universally provides an excuse for playful pranks. In France, for instance, the person who is tricked is called *poisson d'avril* ("April fish"), likely referencing a young fish that is easily caught. French children often attach paper fish to the backs of unsuspecting friends. In many places, media outlets also participate in the fun, publishing fake headlines or stories for the day.



The following programs are regularly scheduled on a weekly basis						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3:00 Worship Service (FR)	4:00 Wii Bowling (FR)	4:00 Wii Bowling (FR)	2:00 Faith Sharing (FR)	1:00 Sprengle Drive Visits (OFF)	10:00 Conversation Café (FR)	6:00 Mexican Train Dominoes (FR)
4:00 Pinochle (FL)		6:00 Kelly Choir (FR)	3:30 Easy Exercise (FR)	3:00 Chair Yoga with Carol (FR)	6:00 Game Night (FL)	

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Additional programs & events scheduled for the month of April						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<div>1</div> 10:00 Knit & Crochet (FL) 2:45 Spirit Movers (FR)	<div>2</div> 8:00 Podiatry (Lower Level) 10:30 Walmart (RR)(OC) 1:00 Alert-1 Response Link Presentation (FR) 3:00 Worship Committee (CR)	<div>3</div> 9:00-11:30 Beltone Hearing Aid Center of York (RR)(FR) 12:30 Classic Movie & Discussion with Rich Santel “The Window” (FR)	<div>4</div> 11:00 Social Life Committee (FR) 1:30 Darrell Henry “York Revolution Conversation” (FR)	<div>5</div> 2:00 Bingo (FR) 6:15 Hanover Lancers Drum & Bugle Corp “Profiles in Music” (RR)(OC)\$\$ CD 3/15
<div>6</div>	<div>7</div> 10:30 Online Lecture - Doris Kearns Goodwin “Leadership: In Turbulent Times” Gene Burk (FR) 2:00 Residential Living Primetime Forum Meeting (FR)	<div>8</div> 9:30-11:00 West York HS Student Group – Games & More (FL) 1:00 Blood Pressure Clinic (WS) 1:00 SPCA Visit & Presentation (FR)	<div>9</div> 9:30 Residential Living Birthday Breakfast (RR)(FR)\$\$ CD 4/7	<div>10</div> 11:00 Caption Call Presentation (CR) 1:30-2:30 Easter Fun with Devers Students (FL)	<div>11</div> 10:00 Errand Day (RR)(OC) CD 4/10 11:00 Dutch Apple Theater “Fiddler on the Roof” (RR)(OC)\$\$ CD 3/22	<div>12</div> 2:00 Uno Flip (FL)
<div>13</div> 3:00 Palm Sunday Service (FR)	<div>14</div> 10:30 Weis Shopping (RR)(OC) CD 4/13 4:30 YSO “French Connections with Branford Marsalis” (RR)(FR) CD 4/11	<div>15</div> 10:00 Knit & Crochet (FL) 12:30 Lunch Out “Fujihana” (RR)(OC)(\$\$) CD 4/14 2:45 Spirit Movers (FR)	<div>16</div> 11:00 Christina Anderson “Senior Scams” (FR) 12:00 “Widow & Widower Lunch” Sprengle Drive Rachel & Reuben’s 6:00 Bingo with St. Matthews Church (FR)	<div>17</div> NO CHAIR YOGA 8:30 Pretzel Sale (RR)(FL)(\$\$) 1:00 Grief Support Group (CR) 3:00 Maundy Thursday Service (FR)	<div>18</div> 3:00 Good Friday Service (FR) 	<div>19</div> 2:30 Salon Recital (FL)
<div>20</div>  12:00 Easter Curbside Meal (RR)(\$\$) CD 4/18 3:00 Easter Sunday Worship Service (FR)	<div>21</div> 1:30 Bookworm Book Club: Book Share (FL) 2:00 Residential Living Board Meeting (CR)	<div>22</div> 10:00 Brianna Berger “Aches & Pains” (FR) 1:00 Trivia with Friends (FR) CD 4/21	<div>23</div> 9:00-12:00 Tech Support with Carol Page (RR) 1:00 OnSite Dermatology (RR) 1:00 Cooking Demo “Napa Chicken Salad” (FR) CD 4/22	<div>24</div> 11:00 Craft Corner “Painted Flowerpots” (RR)(FR) CD 4/21 2:00 Chair Yoga with Carol 4:30 Pizza Party (RR)(FR)	<div>25</div> 12:30 Carry Out for a Cause (RR)\$\$ CD 4/24 1:00 Adrienne Brenner “Stone Sculpting” (RR)(FR) CD 4/21 2:00 Uno Flip (FL)	<div>26</div> 2:30 Wii Bowling with PC
<div>27</div>	<div>28</div> 11:00 Boscov’s (RR)(OC) CD 4/27 2:00 Ice Cream Social “Rum Raisin” (RR)(FR) CD 4/27	<div>29</div> 10:30 Weis Shopping (RR)(OC) CD 4/28	<div>30</div> 9:00 Beyond the Battle Museum (RR)(OC)\$\$ CD 4/25	Program additions or changes since the catalog was published are bold . Program offerings are subject to change.	<div>Key:</div> RR – Registration Required OC – Off Campus CR – Conference Room FL – Family Lounge WS – Wellness Suite	\$\$ – Cost CD – Closing Date DR – Dining Room FR – Fellowship Room