

CHURCHES AND CLERGY OF SCHUYLKILL ASSOCIATION
Fall 2025

1. Christ United Church of Christ, 21 Elm Ave Barnesville, PA 18214-2042 (570) 467-3521
No pastor at present.
2. Christ (Fountain) United Church of Christ, PO Box 57 Hegins, PA 17938-0057 (570) 682-9146
HVCHG@epix.net. Rev. Michael Klahr (P) PO Box 57 Hegins, PA 17938-0057, (717) 507-9879,
mikeklahr@comcast.net (FT) Hegins Charge
3. Christ Congregational (Fountain Springs) United Church of Christ, 134 Broad St Ashland, PA
17921-2102 (570) 875-3750. No pastor at present
4. Faith United Church of Christ Hazel & Lakeside Ave Delano, PA 18220. Pastor Josh Nemeth (LL).
5. Faith Reformed United Church of Christ 8 Church St PO Box 75 Landingville, PA 17942-0075 (o &
f) (570) 366-3650. No pastor at present. Website: www.FaithReformedUCC.com.
6. First United Church of Christ 110 Rt 61 South Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972-1025 (o) (570) 385-
2049 (f) (570) 385-3019 Website: www.firstucc-haven.org; firstuccschuylkillhaven@verizon.net,
Rev. Shawn Van Dyke (P) 25 S Margaretta St, Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972-1661 (h) (570) 385-
5425, (c) (570)617-7185, firstuccpastor@verizon.net (FT)
7. Friedens United Church of Christ PO Box 57 Hegins, PA 17938-0057 (570) 682-3549
HVCHG@epix.net . Rev. Michael Klahr (P) PO Box 57 Hegins, PA 17938-0057, (717) 507-9879,
mikeklahr@comcast.net (FT) Hegins Charge
8. Salem United Church of Christ c/o Eugene Harner 6 E Centre St Donaldson, PA 17981-1204 (570)
695-2151. No pastor at present
9. Salem Hetzel's United Church of Christ, 261 Hetzel's Church Rd Pine Grove, PA 17963-8351,
(570) [345-8038](tel:345-8038)salemhetzelsucc@gmail.com . Rev. Paul Cronin, paulcronin@yahoo.com
10. St John United Church of Christ 150 Pine St Tamaqua, PA 18252-1409 (o) (570) 668-2573 (f)
(570) 668-6403 Website: www.stjohnucctamaqua.org . Rev. J Kevin Duffy-Guy (P) 618 Arlington
St. Tamaqua, PA 18252-2202 (h) (570) 668-1049 kmduffyguy@msn.com (FT)
11. St John's ELCA & United Church of Christ PO Box 103 Auburn, PA 17922-0103 (570) 754-7722
www.stjohnsunionchurch.org office@stjohnsunionchurch.org . Rev. Walter W. Breiner Jr (ELCA
– dual standing), 348 W White Bear Dr, Summit Hill PA 18250, 570-657-7565, breiner@ptd.net
12. St John's United Church of Christ 232 E Market St Orwigsburg, PA 17961-1906 (o) (570) 366-
2255 (f) (570) 366-2274 Website: www.stjohnorwigsburg.org, sjucc@verizon.net
Rev Jeffrey Johnson.
Dr Kathleen (Kay) Jones (CM) PO Box 216 Orwigsburg PA 17961-0216 (h) (610) 366-1333
kjones8022@aol.com (Commissioned Minister for Health Ministry)

13. St John's United Church of Christ 45 S Front St, St. Clair, PA 17970-1212 (570) 429-0355. Pastor Jennie Strauch (LL) 275 Coal mountain Rd Orwigsburg Pa (610) 428-4137 (PT), jenniestrauch@gmail.com
14. St John's United Church of Christ PO Box 118 Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972-0118 (o) (570) 385-3080 (f) (570) 385-5131 Website: www.stjohnsreformed.org, stjohnsucc@losch.net
No pastor at present.
15. St Mark's United Church of Christ, 30 Pottsville St, PO Box 55, Cressona, PA 17929-0055 (o) (570) 385-0242 stmarkscresson@verizon.net . No pastor at present.
16. St Paul's United Church of Christ, 222 E Mahanoy Ave, Mahanoy City, PA 17948-2725 (570) 773-0821. Rev. Craig Zimmerman (P) PO Box 211 Ringtown, PA 17967-0211 (h) (570) 889-3074 revczim@gmail.com
17. St Paul's (Ravine) United Church of Christ 244 Tremont Rd Pine Grove, PA 17963-8621 (570) 345-4245. Pastor Craig Kramer (LL) (SS), 500 Honeysuckle Ct, Pine Grove, PA 17963, (570)691-8639, c_kramer08@comcast.net
18. St Paul's United Church of Christ 100 E Main St Ringtown, PA 17967 (570) 889-5039 Website: www.stpaulsringtown.org . Rev. Craig Zimmerman (P) PO Box 211 Ringtown, PA 17967-0211 (h) (570) 889-3074 pcraigz@epix.net (1/2)
19. St Paul's (Summer Hill) United Church of Christ 1235 Summer Hill Rd Auburn, PA 17922-9030 (o & f) (570) 754-7225 Website: summerhillucc.com, summerhillucc@gmail.com . Rev. Kenneth J. McDowell (P), 29 Tyler Dr, Pine Grove, PA, 17963 (m) (610) 207-4783, ken_mcdowell@ymail.com (FT)
20. St Peter's (Locust Valley) United Church of Christ 21 Elm Ave Barnesville, PA 18214-2042 (570) 467-3521. Pastor Josh Nemeth (LL) (PT)
21. St Peter's (Orwin) United Church of Christ 427 Dietrich Ave Tower City, PA 17980-1811 (717) 647-4737. Rev Maureen Duffy-Guy (SS) 618 Arlington St. Tamaqua, PA 18252-2202 (h) (570) 668-1049 mduffyguy@hotmail.com (FT) Orwin-Tower City Charge (1/2)
22. St Peter's United Church of Christ 277 S Tulpehocken St, Pine Grove, PA 17963-1039 (570) 345-3207. Rev. David Fehr, 1125 Moyer Station Rd, Pine Grove, PA 17963, (c) (757) 630-6577, dandrefehr@gmail.com (PT)
23. St Peter's United Church of Christ 57 Spring St. Tremont, PA 17981-1518 (570) 695-2415 Rev. David Fehr (Supply), 1125 Moyer Station Rd, Pine Grove, PA 17963, (c) (757) 630-6577, dandrefehr@gmail.com (PT)
24. Trinity United Church of Christ 316 W Market St P.O. Box 1264 Pottsville, PA 17901-7264 (570) 622-5073. Non UCC clergy (PT)
25. Trinity United Church of Christ 108 N Jardin St Shenandoah, PA 17976-1638 (570) 462-4346 Pastor Ray Riegel (LL), Supply (PT)

26. Trinity United Church of Christ 22 Lafayette St Tamaqua, PA 18252-1315 (570) 668-4139
website: www.TamaquaTrinity.com Office@TamaquaTrinity.com . Rev. Darryl Kensinger (P), 22 Lafayette St, Tamaqua, PA 18252, (570) 204-8842, dtkensinger2000@yahoo.com (FT)
27. Trinity United Church of Christ 448 E Grand Ave Tower City, PA 17980-1128 (717) 647-9668
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mduffygyuy@hotmail.com (FT) Orwin-Tower City Charge 2/2
28. Zion (Red Church) United Church of Christ & ELCA 1287 Centre Tpke Orwigsburg, PA 17961-9068 (570) 366-1178. Rev. Jan Remer-Osborn, 63 Angel Dr, New Ringgold, PA, 17960, (630) 254-9236, npspc@msn.com (PT)

Clergy with Placement and Standing

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Clergy with Standing without Placement

12. Rev. Dr. Jill Bierwirth, Aurora, CO, peticaid@gmail.com

Retired Clergy

13. Rev. Mark D. Dewald (R), PO Box 692, Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972, (484) 769-2644, mndewald@gmail.com
14. Rev. Edward Gobrecht (R) 1075 Old Harrisburg Rd Unit 2, Gettysburg PA 17325-3140, (717) 334-2512, esgobrecht@gmail.com
15. Rev Karl Jones, Jr. (R), 12 Gridley St, Douglassville, PA 19518 (h) (484) 236-1066, kjones275@comcast.net
16. Rev Janet Kline Smulligan (R) 19 Elm Ave Barnesville, PA 18214 (h) (570) 467-2552, cambelle4248@gmail.com
17. Rev. Claude Schach (SS/R), 147 S 6th St, Tower City, PA 17980, (717) 315-5707, clschach@epix.net
18. Rev. Janet Lewis (P) 60 Avenue D, Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972, (h) (570) 385-2685, pastor@tntcomp.com

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2. Rev. Mary Lou Eckels, 14 Church St, Tremont, PA 17981-1406, (570)695-3277, mypastor@uplink.net

MIDs

Ray Riegel

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