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NEWSLETTER

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VISION STATEMENT: Protestant Family Service seeks to provide, in a Christian manner, the necessary care and need to the individual that will give hope for a better life.

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PFS DIRECTOR & BOARD PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

WE NEED EXTRA HELP THIS YEAR!

The Episcopal Grant was not renewed due to their budget cuts.

** PLEASE mark your calendar!*

** SUPPORT our fundraising activities!*

Fall Fundraising



**One who is gracious to a poor man lends to the Lord.
And he will repay him for his good deed. Proverbs 19:17**

Kick Off!!

In His Service,

Jackie Burley & Pastor Maralana Martin

Don't sit on the sidelines ... Get involved



All proceeds used to meet client needs

***Fundraising is the gentle art
of teaching the joy of giving."***

Henry Rosso

SUNDAY, SEPT. 16, 2018

**Spaghetti Dinner
12NOON - 4PM**



Call PFS for Tickets (Carryout is available.)

Disciples Christian Church, 565 Boardman-Canfield Road, 44512

SUNDAY, OCT. 14, 2018



Crop Walk

(2017 Profit \$2,270.19)

Wick Park – TBA



SATURDAY, OCT. 27 2018

DOORS OPEN 10AM (Starts at 11AM)



**Fashion Show
Feast of Salads
Basket Auction**



First Presbyterian Church, 201 Wick Avenue, 44503

Adopt a Child Christmas-Tree Wish List!

If you know someone in need please give them our phone number. We will be interviewing clients for Christmas help beginning in October!

Please consider adopting a child or family for Christmas! ***We also will be collecting groceries!***

Begin your day with
Love in your heart;
Expect blessings,
Share goodness,
Shine like the sun &
Inspire someone.
Never forget that
God is with you
all the time, so
Sow seeds of
kindness in the
hearts of others.

May God's blessings
be with us always.
-Mar Razalan

Hello Volunteers,

I would like to give a HUGE thank you to all who give their time for the needs of others. Your support means a lot to Protestant Family Service. Mary Bali and Kay Hurd will be taking a little break because of health problems. I'm asking that you keep them in prayer they will be back soon. They have both volunteered with PFS for many years.

A person who takes time for prayer will find time for all the other things needing their attention.

In Him, Love April

PLEASE "ADOPT A CLASSROOM"

(PFS Adopt A School Program)

"Classroom Wish" requests come all year from the Special-Needs Preschool Teachers. But we especially have a greater need at Christmas.

If this touches your heart and you would like to donate gift cards, learning toys or clothing size 4 or 5 (even gently used), please contact Cathy Pokrivnak at pfscpl@gmail.com or call PFS at 330-746-4600.



THOSE WE SERVE

Judy Wilson, Caseworker

Our client of the week is a person that came in for help with utilities and food. She had been paying her bills on time in the past, but now she is laid-off and raising a teenage grandson. With no income right now she is struggling to pay her bills and keep food on the table. It was our pleasure to help her.

YOUNGSTOWN FOUNDATION

"INCREASED"

THEIR MATCHING DONATION TO 10%

This is for donations to Protestant Family Service of \$100 or more. BUT checks must be made out to Youngstown Foundation with PFS written on the check memo line!

Mail to: Youngstown Foundation, P.O. Box 1162, Youngstown, OH 44501. **ONLINE** donations at <http://www.youngstownfoundation.org>

In Loving Memory of:

James Bruno

Rev. Charles Lundquist

Clarence L. Burley

NEED A SPEAKER?

LEARN ABOUT PFS and our growing programs! PFS is available to speak to your congregation or group. We welcome the opportunity to share the ministry of Protestant Family Service using our power point presentation. Our mission is not only to the clients we serve, but to our supporters. Our goal is to keep you informed on changes going on in our community, what the agency is doing and how we respond to the needs. **Please call the office at (330) 746-4600** if we can be of service to YOU. We have meeting rooms and you can tour our facility to see firsthand how we operate.

2018 OFFICE NEEDS

1. Bottles of water for the CROP WALK
2. Postage Stamps
3. White-Out
4. Brown Grocery Bags
5. Reams of 28 lb. Regular White paper
6. 4-1/8" x 9 1/2" business envelopes

CLIENT NEEDS

Personal Care Products for men and women (disposable razors, face soap, lotion, pads, toothpaste). Laundry and Dish Detergent; Bus Passes; Paper Products; Cleaning Supplies; Gasoline Cards and food always welcome.



Prayerfully consider including PFS in your "Will" so this work will continue to glorify God and leave a legacy for your family.

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**“No one has ever become
poor by giving.” Anne Frank**

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Please join us

NEW:
CHECK OUT OUR EVENTS ON
WFMJ'S COMMUNITY CALENDAR!