



*Paradise Falls Lutheran Association*

# **The Spray**

**Happy 100th Anniversary, PFLA!**

*July 22, 2022*

## ***This Weekend at a Glance***

Our 100th Anniversary celebrations continue this week with *through-the-decades* festivities—the 1960s. Check the [PFLA calendar](#) regularly to find the events that fit your schedule. Fill out the [sign-up sheet](#) and return it to [PFLAinfo@yahoo.com](mailto:PFLAinfo@yahoo.com) to help with event planning. Thanks for your help!

### **Friday, July 22**

8 p.m. Movie Night, "The Sound of Music"

### **Saturday, July 23**

9 a.m. Yoga, Beach (Lounge in case of rain)

10 a.m. Car Show, Center

4 p.m. Bier Club, Falls (hosted by Margit & Steve Higgins)

5:30 p.m. Beach, Band & BBQ

## **Sunday, July 24**

10:30 a.m. Worship, Far-Out Sunday Service, Social Hall

## ***This Sunday's Worship***

Pastor Ghislaine Cotnoir will lead us in worship this week. Pastor G., as most people know her, has been a pastor in the ELCA for 34 years. Her ministry has combined professional chaplaincy with parish ministry, and she currently serves as transition and bridge pastor at St. Peter's Lutheran Chester Springs. Read more about Pastor G. [here](#).

We will worship in Social Hall, with music presented by Chris Matthy, Linda Beck, David Zimmerman and others. It's "Far Out Sunday," so be prepared for an extra-special, pray-and-play service!

## ***What's Up at the Tea Room?***

This weekend we celebrate the 1960s with half price on any ice cream that has a swirl, ripple or cream, such as Peanut Butter Twirl, Chocolate Peanut Butter Cup, Blueberries and Cream or Strawberries and Cream.

If you have a tab, check your email for midseason billing. Payment—checks only please, made out to PFLA—can be dropped off at the Tea Room cash box or given to Beth Reindl directly. Please note "Tea Room tab" on the memo line. Remember, the Tea Room accepts payment by exact change or tab only. We can't make change or give credit for overpayment, so come prepared! If you haven't set up a tab yet, use [this form](#). Please [email Mary Long](#) with questions.

## ***This Weekend up Close***

### **PFLA Car Show**

Come on down to the Center at 10 a.m. on Saturday and join host Tom Fry for this fabulous four-wheeled event! We have a variety of cars already registered, from a 1967 Chevy to a Corvette ZR1, but it's not too late to enter.

If you're interested, contact Tom Fry at 704-905-8493 and let him know the make, model and year of the car you'd like to show. Exhibitors will stay with their cars for the duration of the show so that attendees can learn more about the vehicles on display. If you're exhibiting, please bring your own folding chair, plus an 8.5" x 11" sign to put on your dashboard, showing all the pertinent information for your entry.

There is a \$10 fee for all entrants, to help offset the trophy and beverage costs. The show will last 2-3 hours. Depending on the vehicles and the weather... there may even be a parade.

### **BBQ & Band at the Beach**

Our 100th Anniversary festivities continue on Saturday night with our groovy beach dinner featuring The Dinos, covering the greatest hits of the '60s and '70s. Wear your swimsuit and float to the music! Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m., and the music kicks off around 6. All are welcome ... and we are expecting a crowd! You can pay by Venmo (@kristy-knabe), check or cash at the door.

- \$15 Dinner (pulled pork, hotdogs, mac-n-cheese, Cy's corn on the cob, salads, dessert, lemonade, iced tea and more!)
- \$5 Cup for Yuengling or sangria
- \$5 Donation for the band if not having dinner
- Bring extra cash—there will be a 50/50 raffle! (\$5 per ticket/5 tickets for \$20)

## ***100th Anniversary - Look Ahead***

**“Lunch with Polly,” celebrating Pauline Werkheiser  
Saturday, August 13, 12-2 p.m., Tea Room**

If you would like to volunteer to serve, scoop, wash dishes, set up, or clean up, please let [Mary Long](#) or [Miriam Bauers](#) know. More details to come!

## **Pizza Night**

**Saturday, July 30, 6 p.m., Beach Pavilion**

Reservations are a must! [Email Beth Reindl](#). A donation of \$5 per person is appreciated.

## **Help Others & Win a Free Ice Cream**

Each week, we're collecting items for St. John's Food Pantry. Bring an item to the Tea Room that corresponds to the decade we're celebrating, and put your name on a ticket to enter to win a free ice cream!

### **1960s - July 22 to July 28**

In celebration of Woodstock, donate canned fruit

### **1970s - July 29 to August 4**

In celebration of disco, provide pasta and rice

## **Cottage Tour ... Assistants Needed!**

The PFLA 100th Anniversary Cottage Tour is rapidly approaching, and the Membership Committee needs 20 tour assistants on the tour day, **Saturday, August 6**. The 14 cottages on the tour will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Assistants will work either a morning or afternoon shift of three hours, so they will have time to visit the cottages too. Assistants' responsibilities are to check in each attendee at the assigned cottage, monitor the flow of attendees to avoid overcrowding the cottage and help the owner if needed.

Email [Cass Kwan](#) or [Carole Stumpf](#) by July 27 if you can help; indicate your choice of morning, afternoon (or both!) We're looking forward to an interesting and fun-filled day!

## **And don't forget ...**

- **Polo shirt** orders are due Sunday, July 24. [Order with this form.](#)

- Only a few slots are left for the **PFLA Golf Tournament** on Saturday, August 20, at Shawnee on the Delaware! It's a four-person scramble, with the first tee time at 7:30 a.m. Registration deadline is Sunday, July 31. [Register here](#). Cost is \$75 per person; payment information will be sent once the form is submitted. Contact [Bob Bell](#) with questions.
- Tickets for the **Anniversary Dinner Celebration** are on sale until August 6. Email [Liz Malantonio](#) to purchase a ticket, and [complete this form](#) to submit a dedication for the Anniversary Dinner program.

## ***PFLA Bier Club***

### **Bier Club at the Falls**

**Saturday, July 23, 4 p.m.**

The Bier Club will meet at the Falls in honor of our 100th Anniversary (and the new steps)! Bring a few beers to sample and share; the theme is Anniversaries and Celebrations. The Higgins will provide snacks and chairs, but if you're able to bring your own camp chair, please do. Please park in the lot at the top of the Falls if possible. If you must drive down, please stay on the marked roadway to avoid damaging our trees' roots. Thank you!

If you enjoy good beer and like trying new kinds, you should check out the Bier Club. It is open to all members (age 21+). Meetings are hosted at member cottages on select Saturdays at 4 p.m. There are no dues or fees—just bring a few bottles of beer according to the theme of the week, and get ready to discuss all things beer.

Hosts provide light snacks and water (and get to keep any leftover beer). Hosts are needed! Download a flyer with dates and themes by clicking on calendar [here](#). Email Kristen Olson at [kristencontiolson@gmail.com](mailto:kristencontiolson@gmail.com) with questions.

## ***Welcome New Member!***

### **Welcome New Member Suzi Lai**

Suzi has recently purchased the former Macksoud Cottage at 402 Hemlock Lane. She lives in Ditmas Park, Brooklyn, and has been visiting PFLA—our “little piece of

paradise”—for the past ten years. Suzi enjoys making ceramics, cooking and hosting friends. She has three sisters, two in Los Angeles and one in Manhattan, who will eventually be spending time at the cottage.

Welcome, Suzi!



## ***Great Gardens***

Thanks to everyone in the Gardening Club and Environmental Committee who helped put together the wonderful garden tour last weekend, and special thanks to Master Gardener Amy Romanelli for her presentation on Saturday night. It was a treat to walk around and see the gardens on display, and seeds of inspiration have been planted for next year!

Want to incorporate native plants into *your* cottage garden? [This site](#) is a great place to start. Choosing a variety of plants from each category will help keep your garden in continuous bloom for both you and the pollinators who depend upon it.

Or take a walk down Beach Road and stop in front of the Grimm cottage. They've planted a lovely native plant garden complete with plant labels to identify your favorites. In addition to pollinators, a good native plant garden will attract insects that depend upon it as a food source and for reproduction. If you don't have space for a large garden, even one or two of these plants will help!



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## **2022-23 Board Meetings**

Please note the full schedule of board meetings for the year. All members are welcome (and encouraged) to attend, whether in person or via Zoom. Involved members make for a stronger community! The Zoom link is the same for every Board meeting. Please keep it for future reference: <https://zoom.us/j/650259673>

The next meeting will be **Aug. 13 at 8 a.m. in the Lounge** (and via Zoom). Here are the rest of the dates for the coming year. All meetings will be in the Tea Room at 10 a.m. (and Zoom) unless otherwise noted.

### **2022**

9/10

10/8

11/12

### **2023**

1/14

3/11

4/8

5/13

6/24/2023 8 a.m.; Annual Meeting, Social Hall 10 a.m.

**The Spray** will be emailed every Friday throughout the season. If you have news and information to share, send it to [pflaspray@googlegroups.com](mailto:pflaspray@googlegroups.com) no later than Tuesday evening of the week in which you want it to appear. Past newsletters may be found here <https://www.pfla.org/spritz-sprays>.

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