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# March 2023

LUMINA IS A COMMUNITY CENTER WHICH OFFERS THE “LIGHT” OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE “TO,” “FOR,” AND “WITH” THE CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES OF MIFFLIN COUNTY IN THE NAME OF CHRIST.

THE  
*After School*  
PROGRAM

Kid’s Afterschool is in full swing and the children are having fun playing games in the gym, improving their math and reading skills during center time, getting help with their homework, creating projects during free art time. The children are learning about the miracles of Jesus, learning Bible memory verses and learning about jobs and a classroom economy.

## DAY TIME ACTIVITES

### Homeschool Co-Op Day Time Classes

Start back up in February 2023 on Mondays each week

#### Lumina Winter Schedule

- \*9:30 Doctrine & Theology (5th grade +)
- \*10:00 Family Spanish
- \*10:25 Music & Movement K & under/  
4th+ Pencil Drawing / K-3 art
- \*10:50 little STEM (8 and under) /  
Big Gym (9+)
- \*11:15 BYO Snack & Picture Study
- \*11:30 9+ STEM / Ages 4-8 Gym
- \*11:55 IEW Writing

Mondays Feb 6-March 13

If schools cancel for snow, Lumina classes will be canceled.

**All new families need to fill out a registration form the first day that you attend co-op.**

**When entering the building, please make sure that everyone (children and adults) are signed in and out each Monday on the clip boards!**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!**

**All homeschool teacher volunteers have clearances**

# Free Coffee House and Free Meal

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## Lewistown United Ministries in Neighborhood Action

### Love in Action Outreach 2023



We are honoring and recognizing the staff and volunteers of City Hook & Ladder Fire Department on Tuesday, March 14th, 2023. We have Thank You Cards and a small gift to give them at our Coffee House 9 am to 11 am Community Meal starting at 11:15 am.

**Future Dates: Coffee House, Community Meal and Love in Action Outreach**

**Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - Lewistown Police**

**Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - Junction Fire Company**

**Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - William Penn House & Rehabilitation Center**

**Wednesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - Geisinger Lewistown Hospital**

**Tuesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – Military Veterans**

# EVENING ACTIVITES

## ACTIVITY NIGHT FOR THE MONTH MARCH



**Kid's March Madness Dodgeball**

**Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm**

**for 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders. Register online at**

**<https://forms.gle/2mVGCYeZzrGSPzQY9> or at center.**



**Teen Drop In Night**

**6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> graders**

**Sponsored by**

**Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>**

**7-9 pm**



**Family Fun Game Night Activity Night**



**Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 6-8 pm**

**Bring your whole family to play games,  
and fun activities together as a family!**

# **SONSHINE CLUB**

Every Tuesday and Thursday 6:30-8:00 PM, For youth ages 6-12; Singing, Bible Stories, Crafts, Games, Snacks



**Middle school/Junior High**

**Central PA Youth Ministries Xtreme Club** meets every **Monday night from 7-8PM** at the LUMINA Center!

There are games, and a club talk centered around Jesus Christ and his plan of salvation every week!

Contact: David Yoder @ 717-437-4033 or [yoderdavid022@gmail.com](mailto:yoderdavid022@gmail.com)

## **WAYS TO SUPPORT THE LEWISTOWN UNITED MINISTRIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD ACTION**



**Ham Sandwich Sale** Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup> with orders due by 10:30 am Monday, March 6<sup>th</sup>. \$4 each.

**LUMINA CARDS** - Discount cards are available for \$10 good until August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

### **RADA Fundraiser**

Online Orders are ongoing! <https://radafundraising.com?rfsn=7030475.4178e5>

Thank you for supporting our fundraiser through Rada Cutlery. Sleek and sharp, Rada's knives are everything you need. Every purchase helps our group.

**Annual LUMINA Center Benefit Auction** is Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> beginning at 8:30 am in our facility, in hopes of raising much needed funds to assist with the support of the programming activities that we offer the children and youth of Mifflin County free of charge.

Two-week camps coming  
to the **LUMINA Center** this summer!

# Rainbow Summer 2023

Students going into ...

Grades 1-2: **June 19-30**

Grades 3-4: **July 10-21**

Grades 5-6-7: **July 24-August 4**

**FREE** children's ministry for nearly 40 years!

Call **717-242-2888** to schedule a registration  
appointment **April 17-29**

**\$10 fee is due at registration appointment**

From 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday to Friday for two weeks, Rainbow Summer will be filled with Bible time, songs, games, group challenges, crafts, service projects, swimming and/or water games, as well as breakfast, lunch and snacks – the usual Rainbow Summer fun and fellowship with friends!



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## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- Afterschool mentor/tutor/helper- M-TH 3-5:30
- Admin /office
- Packing food Power Packs
- Building upkeep & Cleaning
- Kids Activity Nights and Family Activity Nights
- Teen Drop-In Volunteers
- Events/fundraising

Wish list: juice boxes, Walmart, dollar store, and Giant Store gift cards, healthy snacks and non-perishable food items for power packs, stamps, 30 gallon trash bags, trash disposal tags.

WE WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE COMMUNITY. HOWEVER, WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS TO MAKE THIS HAPPEN!

**LUMINA Center Board Meeting: March 27th, 2023 6 pm**

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