



Loyal Christian Benefit Association donates to multiple organizations around Erie, PA.

During a time where many non-profit organizations need help more than ever, LCBA donated \$10,000 to four great local organizations: Second Harvest Food Bank, Meals on Wheels, Erie United Methodist Alliance (EUMA) and Love Inc.

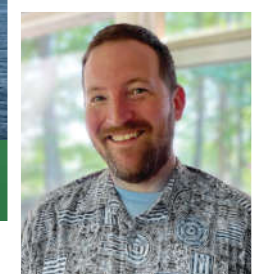
“Everybody is going through this unprecedented time. It’s just the right thing to do and the community can certainly use it at this point,” said Matthew Barr, Vice President of Sales.

The money that has been donated will help to continue the positive change that these organizations bring to the community.



EDITOR'S NOTE

Hello all!



This is the first of the smaller issues that will be distributed in between the larger quarterly issues. As I mentioned in the previous issue, we changed the format of the magazine to provide Branch and company updates more quickly. For example, there are pictures in the issue that you usually wouldn't get to see until the Fall quarterly issue. We want the great deeds done by our Branches to get out sooner rather than later. Also we can get upcoming events out more regularly so that you, our members, can make it to these events and help make a difference. Remember that you can also check out our website, www.lcbalife.org, or our facebook page, facebook.com/lcbalife, for more information and future events.

If you have any information, events, announcements, or you want to get involved with one of our amazing Branches, email us at outreach@lcbalife.org or call 800-234-5222. We hope you are enjoying the new format!

Thank you,

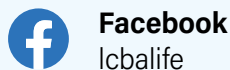
Michael Mursch
Executive Editor of Direction / Creative Services & Marketing Director

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business hours:
Monday - Friday | 8am - 4pm

upcoming holiday closings:
Labor Day : Monday, September 7



BRANCH EVENTS

From making masks and blankets, to donating money and supplies to food banks and shelters, our Branches have found ways to continue to contribute to their communities, while keeping themselves and others safe.

CURRENT BRANCHES

| Branch | City | State | Zip |
|--------|------------------|-------|-------|
| 49 | Erie | PA | 16502 |
| 654 | Salem | OH | 44460 |
| 867 | Dover | OH | 44622 |
| 892 | New Philadelphia | OH | 44663 |
| 909 | Leetonia | OH | 44431 |
| 1155 | Findlay | OH | 45840 |
| 1198 | Altoona | PA | 16601 |
| 1290 | Altoona | PA | 16601 |
| 1415 | Toledo | OH | 43605 |
| 1425 | Ford City | PA | 16226 |
| 1538 | Linesville | PA | 16424 |
| 1556 | National Branch | | |
| 1557 | Ephrata | PA | 17522 |
| L017 | Berea | OH | 44017 |
| V001 | Buffalo | NY | 14207 |



Branch 49 members and Erie Mayor Joe Schember teamed up to pass out socks and coupons for free sandwiches to those in need. The branch also presented a check for \$200 to Ron King for Holy Trinity food programs.



Do you want to...

*Join a Branch?
Start a Branch?*

*Maybe just find out
Which Branch
you belong to?*



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800-234-5222
to learn more!**



Branch 49 made and donated cloth masks to Luanne Churchill (right), Assistant Administrator at Bethany Outreach Center in Erie, PA.

www.BethanyOutreachCenter.org



BRANCH 892 / NEW PHILADELPHIA, OH



After a socially distanced breakfast meeting with guest speaker Matt Fantin, Sacred Heart Parish Coordinator, members divided paper products to be delivered to a local homeless shelter and Harbor House, a local women's shelter.

Find us on



We post some of our events and updates on facebook so be sure to like our page to receive regular updates.



Join Our Prayer Network!

Our Faith guides us in good times and bad, and prayer for one another is one of the most important and powerful things we can do in both times of trouble and in happiness. Please fill out the form on our website and we will forward your prayer request to our Branch members who have committed to our Prayer Network. You can also choose to receive prayer requests by clicking the "JOIN OUR MAILING LIST" link.

www.lcbalife.org/pages/prayer-network.aspx



BRANCH 1557 / EPHRATA, PA

IN MEMORY OF:

Audrey L. Royer

September 1, 1952 - July 6, 2020

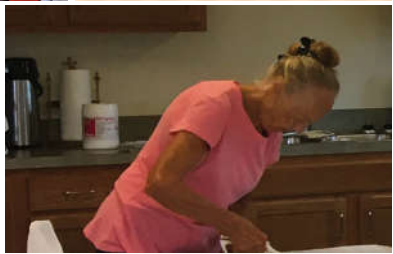
Former President of Branch 1557 and longtime LCBA member.



BRANCH 1557 / EPHRATA, PA

Branch members use donated materials to trace, cut, and sew patterns for sanitary pads from which are then distributed to impoverished countries.

A Branch 1557 member baked dozens of cookies and donated them to Stevens Fire Company to put in the free lunch bags. A few other members donated their time as well.



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**Questions?
Please call
800-234-5222
ext. 265**

NOMINATE Someone Today!

SKILLS WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

To set policy and strategy and to oversee Association management, it is imperative to have Board members whose values are aligned with LCBA's purpose. Board members should also demonstrate an understanding of the mission of LCBA, be willing to serve, and bring a set of defined professional skills to the board that will contribute to good governance. In light of the growing complexity caused by the legal, regulatory and technical environments in which the insurance business operates, the Board has clearly defined a set of professional skills needed to make our Board most effective.

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We are always looking for applicants with general skill and expertise in areas such as: insurance services, financial services, risk management, IT, accounting, legal, government relations and non-profit relations.

WHO?

Any adult benefit member in good standing may recommend a candidate for director (including him/herself). The nominating committee reviews submitted materials. Persons meeting the minimum requirement to serve will be placed on the ballot. Board directors are currently elected to serve four-year terms. The Board consists of no fewer than nine but no more than fifteen elected directors.

WHAT?

Our Board of Directors defines the principal policies and strategies of the Association and provides oversight of the management and affairs of the Association. The Board meets quarterly and each member has a committee assignment.

NOTE:

Nominees do not need to be LCBA members but must be willing to become an LCBA member before being placed on the ballot. Vetting of candidates & campaign preparations take place four weeks from the nomination deadline. Voting instructions will be published in the winter *Direction* magazine along with a feature on each of the candidates up for election. LCBA Benefit members will have three weeks to cast their votes.

HOW?

By sending the candidate's resume of qualifications and two letters of recommendation to the Secretary of the Association, **Rebecca Black:**

**Attn: Elections, LCBA PO Box
13005, Erie, PA 16514**

or election@lcbalife.org

by September 1, 2020. The person recommended must be willing to serve. Current directors have the option of seeking re-election at the end of their established terms.

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