



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS: INSPIRING TOGETHERNESS

Keeping you connected with FCCA

Vol III | Autumn 2026

Our Mission: We are dedicated to providing excellent programs, building partnerships and promoting unity. We believe that everyone deserves the opportunity to succeed. Together, we are committed to build a better future for our families, our children, and our community.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Indigenous Peoples' Day - Oct 12
- Celebration of Greatness - Oct 16
- Halloween & Meadville's Halloween Parade - Oct 31
- Veterans Day - Nov 11
- Pre-Black Friday Bingo - Nov 21
- Thanksgiving Day (Office Closed) - Nov 26
- FCCA's Thanksgiving Dinner - Nov 26

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GIVING THANKS, GIVING BACK

As I look around our community this fall, I'm reminded of just how much there is to be thankful for.

Autumn has a way of slowing us down and giving us a chance to appreciate the people and things that matter most. Here at FCCA, I'm especially grateful for the people

who make our work possible every day—our volunteers, donors, community partners, staff, and all of the individuals and families who walk through our doors.

Because of you, FCCA continues to be a place where people can find support, resources, a helping hand, and sometimes simply someone who is willing to listen.

One of my favorite times of the year at FCCA is Thanksgiving. Our Annual Free Thanksgiving Dinner is about so much more than putting a meal on the table. It's about bringing people together, sharing a little kindness, and making sure everyone in our community has an opportunity to enjoy a warm Thanksgiving meal.

Every year, I'm amazed by the number of people who step up to help—preparing food, delivering meals, volunteering their time, making donations, and helping in ways both big and small. It's a wonderful reminder of what can happen when a community comes together.

As we head into this season of gratitude, I want to simply say thank you. Thank you for supporting FCCA, for believing in what we do, and for helping us continue to serve our community.

I hope this fall brings you plenty of opportunities to slow down, enjoy time with the people you love, and remember all there is to be grateful for.

Wishing you and your family a very happy and meaningful Thanksgiving.

With gratitude,
Jackie Roberson, Jr.
Executive Director, FCCA

COMMUNITY MEALS



FCCA'S ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER: A MEAL, A COMMUNITY, AND A TRADITION OF GIVING

FCCA is pleased to continue its annual Thanksgiving Dinner tradition on **Thursday, November 26th**, offering a free holiday meal to our community. Guests can enjoy a sit-down dinner from **1:00-3:00 PM**, or arrange for pickup or delivery.

Reservations are required for all meals. Please call 814-337-4279 to reserve your spot or arrange pickup or delivery. Cut-off for delivery reservations is November 24th.

Volunteers Needed!

Help us make this special day possible! Volunteers are needed for meal delivery drivers, food preparation, scheduling, and many other tasks. Please call 814-337-4279 by November 24th to get involved.

Donations Welcome

Food donations can be delivered to FCCA at **378 Chestnut Street, Meadville**.

Monetary donations are also appreciated and can be made in person or through our website, **fccafamily.com**. When donating online, please select **Community Meals** under the fund designation.



Thank you to all our volunteers and generous donors for helping FCCA bring our community together and make sure everyone has a place at the Thanksgiving table!

CULINARY MEDICINE PROGRAM RETURNS!



MEADVILLE MEDICAL CENTER RESIDENCY PROGRAM RETURNS TO FCCA WITH DR. MITAL

We are pleased to announce that the Meadville Medical Center Residency Program is returning to FCCA this fall for its Culinary Medicine Program. The cooking sessions will focus on practical, accessible, and family-friendly nutrition education.

Beginning October 14, the residency team will host monthly healthy meal workshops designed to help families learn simple, affordable ways to prepare nutritious meals at home.

This partnership supports FCCA's commitment to community wellness by bringing medical residents into the community to share practical nutrition guidance, hands-on demonstrations, and healthy cooking tips. Dr. Mital's medical expertise and approachable teaching style have been key to the program's success, helping families make healthier food choices at home.

Each monthly session will feature:

- Healthy meal demonstrations using ingredients families can easily find locally
- Nutrition education focused on heart health, diabetes prevention, and balanced eating
- Interactive Q&A sessions with Dr. Mital and other residents
- Take-home recipe cards designed for busy households
- Family-friendly cooking tips emphasizing affordability and simplicity

October 14 kickoff session will introduce the series, highlight seasonal ingredients, and feature a live demonstration of a nutritious meal that families can recreate at home.

2026-2027 SCHEDULE

All sessions are free and open to the community.

Wednesdays 4:00 - 5:00
Followed by a free meal.

October 14th
November 11th
December 9th
January 6th
February 3rd
March 10th
April 21st



COMING TOGETHER TO NOURISH OUR NEIGHBORS. *Community Meal Donations*



How You Can Help

- Donate non-perishable food items.
- Volunteer to help prepare meals, serve guests, or assist with cleanup.
- Make a financial gift to help cover food purchases and operational costs, or support us by purchasing needed items from our Amazon Wish List:

www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2A8WYT9CFOHOC

Together, we can reduce food insecurity, strengthen our community, and ensure that every neighbor has access to a warm meal.

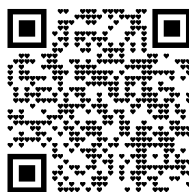
Intro to Baking



A Hands-On Baking Class for New Bakers & Curious Cooks!

Join us for a fun, hands-on class taught by Confections of a Cake Lover! Whether you're new to baking or simply curious to learn something new, this class is for you.

Space is limited to 10 participants. Registration is required!



**SCAN TO
REGISTER**

 **Drop Cookie**
December 10TH
6-8 PM

WE'LL BAKE:

 **Apple or Berry Crisp**
December 17TH
6-8 PM

 **JOIN US & BAKE SOMETHING DELICIOUS!**

Sponsorship Opportunity: If you are interested in sponsoring this program please email Tricia Weed at tweed@fccafamily.com

Many families in our community face food insecurity every day. Through FCCA's Community Meal Program, we are helping meet that need by serving warm, nutritious meals to over 2,354 community members this year.

This program is made possible through the generosity of individuals, businesses, and community partners who believe everyone deserves access to a healthy meal. Every donation helps provide food, supplies, and support for our neighbors in need.

COME EAT WITH US!

- Mondays & Wednesdays - 4:00-5:15 PM
- 2nd & 4th Saturdays - 9:00-10:30 AM
- 1st & 3rd Sundays - 1:00-2:30 PM

GIVE WHAT YOU CAN. TAKE WHAT YOU NEED.



FCCA'S BLESSING BOX

Located outside FCCA at 378 Chestnut Street, Meadville, our Blessing Box is a free community resource, available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and stocked by the community for the community.

While our community is incredibly generous, the need is ongoing. Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries, clothing, and monetary gifts help keep the Blessing Box stocked for neighbors in need.

Together, we can make a difference—one act of kindness at a time.





TIPS FOR SUPPORTING YOUR PRESCHOOLER

After the first month, focus on reinforcing routines, building confidence, and gently expanding social and self-help skills so your child feels secure and ready for more independence.

1. REINFORCE THE SCHOOL ROUTINE

By the first month, your child should be familiar with the daily schedule, but it's still important to keep the morning routine calm and consistent.

- Prepare the night before: pack the bag, lay out clothes, and review any needed items.
- Wake up at the same time, offer a simple breakfast, and leave with extra time for transitions.
- Use the same goodbye ritual each day – short, warm, and predictable helps reduce separation anxiety.

2. BUILD CONFIDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE

At this stage, your child is adjusting to the classroom, so practicing self-care skills at home supports success.

- Putting on/taking off shoes, washing hands, using the bathroom, opening lunch/water bottles, and hanging a backpack.
- Encourage them to do these tasks themselves, even if it takes longer – it builds competence and reduces reliance on you.

3. SUPPORT SOCIAL SKILLS

Preschoolers are still learning to interact with peers, so create opportunities for group play and turn-taking.

- Invite friends over for short playdates.
- Role-play sharing, taking turns, and joining activities.
- Praise positive social behaviors ("I like how you shared your toy with your friend").

4. MAINTAIN EMOTIONAL CONNECTION

Children look to parents for reassurance.

- Check in daily about their day – ask open-ended questions ("What was the funniest thing that happened?").
- Validate feelings ("It's okay to feel excited or a little nervous about new things").
- Keep a positive tone about school, even if they mention challenges.

5. STRENGTHEN COMMUNICATION AND LEARNING

Continue language-building activities at home.

- Read books about school and friendship.
- Talk about what they've learned in class.
- Play games that involve following directions, listening, and expressing needs.

6. MONITOR AND ADJUST

After the first month, observe for signs of stress or difficulty – such as refusal to go to school, regression in self-care, or persistent sadness – and adjust routines or support accordingly. By reinforcing routines, encouraging independence, and staying emotionally present, you'll help your preschooler feel safe, confident, and ready to grow into the second month of school.

DID YOU KNOW?

- We take applications all year long. We fill slots as they become open
- We have immediate openings in Meadville, Cochran, Saegertown and Maplewood
- You do NOT need to reside in these areas to enroll
- Our classrooms provide everything your child needs including meals

- Apply NOW by going to <https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSerLxYGEepw17.../viewform> or by calling Tiffany at 814-337-4279 ext. 103

Tip: Keep a "school success journal" to note what works well (e.g., favorite activities, times they're most engaged) and share it with the teacher so you can align home and school support.

DEVELOPING GREATNESS & GREATLY DEVELOPED

A FALL FULL OF GROWTH, ADVENTURE & OPPORTUNITY

What a fall it has been for Developing Greatness & Greatly Developed Programs! Our youth have been busy exploring new places, trying new activities, learning about their futures, and creating memories along the way. From swinging at Topgolf to stepping onto a college campus for the very first time, each experience has given our young people a chance to learn, grow, and see what's possible.



and Topgolf for the very first time. The group had an amazing time at Topgolf and the Museum of Illusions, enjoying new experiences and plenty of fun along the way.

On Friday, September 4, our youth traveled to Pittsburgh for an exciting day of adventure! The day was especially memorable for many of our youth, who experienced Pittsburgh, the Museum of Illusions,



On September 25, the Greatly Developed group continued their exploration with a visit to Allegheny College. For many of our youth, it was their very first time on a college campus! They learned about majors and minors, discovered the history of the college, enjoyed a college meal, and got a firsthand look at what college life could be like. Experiences like this help our youth begin thinking about their futures and seeing possibilities for themselves.



The adventures continue this fall! On October 9, our youth will take on a new challenge at **Ascend Rock Climbing**, where they can test their courage, build confidence, and encourage one another. On **October 27**, we'll enjoy a fun fall tradition with apple picking at **Devenport**.

We'll wrap up the season with a special evening celebrating our youth. On **November 13 from 4-7 PM**, Developing Greatness & will host a Gala with our youth, giving us an opportunity to celebrate their accomplishments, growth, and all they have achieved throughout the year.

Through these experiences, **Developing Greatness & Greatly Developed** helps young people discover new interests, step outside their comfort zones, think about their futures, and recognize the possibilities ahead of them. *Most importantly, they are learning that greatness is something they can develop within themselves.*

Developing Greatness is a free program for youth ages 12-17, open to everyone regardless of circumstances. Participants build confidence, develop leadership skills, make new friends, and enjoy engaging activities that promote personal growth in a fun, supportive environment.

Program Hours

- Mondays & Wednesdays: 3:30-6:00 p.m.
- Fridays: 3:30-6:30 p.m.

Greatly Developed is a free program for young adults ages 18-24, open to everyone regardless of circumstances. Participants develop job readiness skills, build résumés, practice interviewing, connect with local businesses, participate in educational field trips, and gain the confidence and experience needed to achieve their personal and career goals.

Program Hours

- Tuesdays & Thursdays: 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Want to learn more? Contact:

Dani Harris
814-853-0208
dharris@fccafamily.com





CRAWFORD COUNTY FAMILY NAVIGATORS

CONNECTING FAMILIES WITH RESOURCES, SUPPORT, AND HOPE

The Crawford County Family Navigators Program, offered through CHAPS and FCCA, has been helping families across the county for the past year through its pilot program. To date, the program has served **more than 40 families** and is continuing to enroll new participants.

Designed for children, youth, and young adults ages 5-21 experiencing mental health challenges, the program provides individualized support to families as they navigate mental health, educational, and community services.



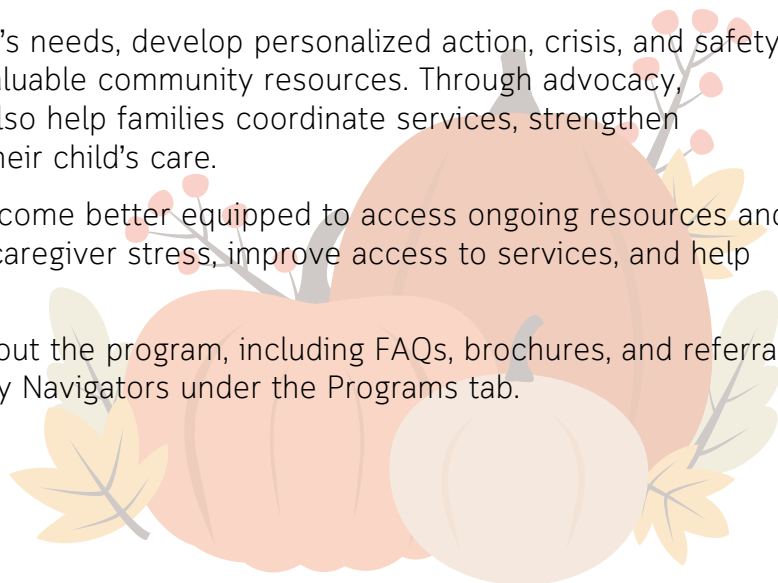
Family Navigators help caregivers identify their family's needs, develop personalized action, crisis, and safety plans, overcome barriers to care, and connect with valuable community resources. Through advocacy, education, and compassionate guidance, navigators also help families coordinate services, strengthen support systems, and build confidence in managing their child's care.

As families gain skills and make connections, they become better equipped to access ongoing resources and support independently. The program aims to reduce caregiver stress, improve access to services, and help families build resilience and lasting success.

Still enrolling! Families interested in learning more about the program, including FAQs, brochures, and referral forms, can visit www.fccafamily.com and select Family Navigators under the Programs tab.

For more information or to get started, contact:

Dani Harris
814-337-4279
dharris@fccafamily.com



IDENTOGO FINGERPRINTING

FCCA is a registered center for IdentoGo Services provided by IDEMIA. Our fingerprinting program is a service to the community, providing Live Scan fingerprinting 6 days a week. Last year 3,056 individuals utilized this service making it an important factor in establishing community safety and trust.

Hours:

Monday: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Tuesday & Friday: 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Wednesday - Thursday: 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Available Services:

- State Agency Enrollment
- FBI Identity History Check

Register at: www.IdentoGO.com





EUMA'S SHELTER AREA MEADVILLE ENTERS ITS THIRD SEASON AS WINTER APPROACHES

PROVIDING WARMTH, SAFETY, AND SUPPORT TO OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED

As temperatures begin to drop and winter approaches, EUMA's (Erie United Methodist Alliance) Shelter Area Meadville (S.A.M.) is preparing for its third season of providing emergency shelter to adults experiencing homelessness in Crawford County.

Located inside FCCA, S.A.M. offers a warm, safe place to stay during the coldest nights of winter. The shelter provides more than just a place to sleep—it connects guests with compassionate support and resources to help them take steps toward long-term stability and independence.

What the Shelter Provides

- Warm overnight shelter for adults experiencing homelessness.
- Compassionate guidance to help guests navigate available resources and next steps.
- Protection during extreme cold when temperatures reach 25°F or below.

A Growing Part of Our Community

Now entering its third season, S.A.M. has become an important part of Meadville's community support network. Through EUMA's partnership with FCCA, local organizations, volunteers, and service providers work together to ensure that guests are treated with dignity and have access to the support they need throughout the winter.

"The shelter exists to make sure every person has a warm, safe place to stay and a chance to move forward," EUMA leadership shares.

CRAWFORD CLEAN SLATE INITIATIVE

Helping community members remove barriers, embrace second chances, and build new pathways to opportunity through legal aid, advocacy, and support services.

As Program Coordinator, Tricia Weed oversees participant enrollment and works closely with individuals seeking criminal record sealing, expungement, or a pardon. She conducts participant intakes, gathers required documentation and data, and connects each participant with a coach who provides guidance and support throughout the process. **Contact Tricia at tweed@fccafamily.com.**

We believe everyone deserves a fresh start, a second chance, and the opportunity to build a brighter future.



HOW YOU CAN HELP

Community support plays an important role in keeping S.A.M. available throughout the winter.



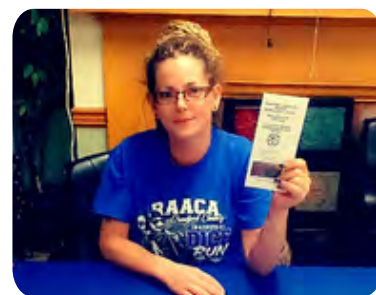
You can help by:

- Donating Winter Clothing & Snacks
- Volunteering - Shifts are 4 Hours
- Financial Donations are always welcome.

Upcoming Volunteer Orientations Dates:

- October 7th - 5:30 - 7:30 PM
- October 24th - 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

SAM is open November 15, 2026, through March 30, 2027, when the temperatures are predicted to reach 25°F or below.



PROGRAMS



FCCA'S JR. CAVS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE RETURNS THIS DECEMBER!



Get ready to hit the court! The Jr. Cavs Youth Basketball League is gearing up for another exciting season, with open gyms beginning Monday, October 19, and continuing into November. The season officially tips off the first week of December.

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Registration is \$75 per player, with sibling discounts available. The fee includes open gyms, practices, games, a Jr. Cavs reversible jersey and shorts, two tickets per player to a Cleveland Cavaliers game, and an exclusive Jr. Cavaliers coaches clinic!

Whether your child is new to basketball or ready to build on their skills, FCCA's Jr. Cavs League is a great opportunity to learn, stay active, and have fun on the court.

Don't miss out on the excitement! Join us for a season of basketball, teamwork, and unforgettable experiences!

For more information or to register:

Mark McGinty

Phone: 919-464-1512

Email: M3BBallPA@gmail.com



FUN, FRIENDLY COMPETITION, AND GREAT COMMUNITY VIBES!

PEDDLE POWER

Pedal Power is a community initiative that refurbishes donated bicycles for youth and young adults throughout Crawford County. Participants learn bike repair, maintenance and safe riding skills, then take home the bike they repaired, along with safety equipment and a manual—all at no cost.

As the program grows, we're seeking donated bikes, especially youth, BMX and mountain bikes, to meet increasing demand.



To apply: Complete an application at FCCA or scan the QR code.

To donate a bike: Call FCCA at 814-337-4279.



IN NEED OF CLOTHES?

COME TO THE FCCA

Where Community Means Family

Our Caring Closet runs year round providing clothes and other basic essentials to individuals and families in our community for **FREE**.

WE HAVE

SHIRTS

PANTS

SHOES

HYGIENE PRODUCTS

AND MORE!

DONATIONS WELCOMED

Your donations help our community.

378 CHESTNUT STREET
MEADVILLE, PA 16335

HOURS
Monday-Friday: 9:00-6:00
Saturday: 8:00-1:00

fccafamily.com



"CELEBRATION OF GREATNESS AWARDS"

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 16TH

EVENT STARTS AT 6:00PM

378 Chestnut Street, Meadville PA16335

DONATE WHAT YOU CAN!

FOR ANYONE DONATING MORE THEN \$20 THEY WILL BE ENTERED INTO A DRAWING!

Join Us For An Unforgettable Black Tie Event Celebrating The Talent, Success, And Creativity Of Meadville And Crawford County!

TO REGISTER PLEASE SCAN QR CODE



FOR MORE INFORMATION:
E-MAIL JACKIE ROBERSON JR AT JROBERSON@FCCAFAMILY.COM
814-337-4279 EXT 110



NOVEMBER 21, 2026

378 CHESTNUT ST | MEADVILLE

Doors Open at 4:00
Bingo starts at 5:30

\$25 Early Bird
\$30 Day-Of

Only 150 Tickets!

NEW! Reserve a table for 8 - \$210
Includes 8 Tickets, Reserved Table & Basket of Tortillas & Salsa!

All Electronic Prizes! Total prize giveaway valued at over \$5,000.00!!!
15 Bingo games, Door Prize, Tip Boards, 50/50 Raffle and Taco Bar!
Get a head-start on your Holiday shopping!

TICKETS:

Tickets can be purchased in person at FCCA, 378 Chestnut Street, Meadville | M-F, 9am-4pm
Online - Scan the QR code. Go to fccafamily.com/events or Facebook/FCCAFamily

For more details, payment links & list of prizes visit our Facebook event page

PAYMENT METHODS
Cash, Credit, Debit, Apple Pay, Google Wallet

Call 814-337-4279 or email bingo@fccafamily.com

All proceeds benefit FCCA. Your ticket purchase is considered a donation. No refunds will be issued.



SHOUT OUT!



Thank you to Susie-Q & Cool 101.7 FM for hosting FCCA every Wednesday morning at 7:30 AM!!!



GOOD TIME ROCK 'N ROLL

101.7 WMVL FM

LINESVILLE - MEADVILLE



HOPE HEALTH FAIR

Health and community services under one roof. Come to learn about the many great health options in our community.

THURSDAY
OCT 22 | **3 PM - 6 PM**

EDUCATION AND TRAINING CENTER GYMNASIUM: PITT-TITUSVILLE

Giveaways and Door Prizes

- Titusville Area Health Resources
- Local Services and Information
- Kids Fun Zone and Activities
- Free Snacks and Drinks**

For more information contact mrosadhusband@womensservicesinc.org

FREE TO ATTEND - ALL AGES

Women's Services, CCDAEC, ACC, TITUSVILLE AREA HOSPITAL, FCCA



Reentry Resource Days

Were you incarcerated, adjusting to returning to the community? **Support is available!**

2nd Weds. of each month from 10am-12pm

10/14/26 - FCCA 378 Chestnut St. Meadville

11/11/26 - CFS 996 S. Main St. Meadville

12/9/26 - VC Trng Ctr. 737 Elk St. Franklin

1/13/27 - The Pointe 259 Seneca St. Oil City

2/10/27 - FSNWPA 18360 Technology Dr. #200

3/10/27 - Oil City Library 2 Central Ave. OC

Come meet providers and gather resources to support your success after incarceration.



For more info email: mortonaL@upmc.edu

The next monthly resource event will be held:

Wednesday, October 14, 2026

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Family Children & Community Association (FCCA)

SUPPORTING SUCCESSFUL REENTRY THROUGH COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

The Family Children & Community Association (FCCA) is proud to highlight its monthly reentry resource gatherings, coordinated and facilitated by Angela Morton, Director of Recovery Is NWPA. This regional consortium works to expand access to substance use treatment and recovery support while empowering individuals in recovery and promoting successful community reintegration.

These monthly resource pop-up events are designed for individuals recently incarcerated, are preparing to return home, or are supporting a loved one through reentry. The goal is to ensure returning citizens with the resources, relationships, and guidance they need to rebuild stability and confidence.

Recovery Is NWPA, with support from Community Re-entry Parole, brings together community providers and partners to offer:

- Reentry navigation: Guidance in understanding and accessing available services.
- Recovery -focused resources: Strengthen wellness and promote long-term stability.
- Community connections: For housing, employment, education, and transportation.
- Peer support: Opportunities to build relationships, reduce isolation, and build hope.
- Family engagement: Tools to help loved ones support the transition home.

Guided by Angela Morton's leadership, Recovery is NWPA ensures the program is welcoming, organized, and rooted in compassion. The regional consortium bring additional expertise in recover-oriented care, peer support, and community-based empowerment, making each session a meaningful step toward successful reentry.

Together, FCCA and its partners are helping individuals build a stronger foundation for a successful return to the community.

VOLUNTEER OR DONATE TO THE FCCA TODAY

Want to see more programs like these or be part of something that helps right here in your community? We have tons of opportunities for you to volunteer. **Call Jackie at 814-337-4279 ext. 110.**

Volunteering not really your thing? We gratefully accept donations in person, by mail or through our website. **Call 814-337-4279** or visit our website at www.fccafamily.com and click the Donate button.

By mail: Make your check out to FCCA with your program designation in the memo and send to:

FCCA: Attention Jackie Roberson

378 Chestnut Street

Meadville, PA 16335



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Black = Off Site/Community Location

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LOOKING FOR RENTAL SPACE? We have large & small spaces available perfect for your event and pocket book. Community, Business, Training, Special Occasion, Fundraiser, & Sporting Events! Contact Jackie for more information: 814-337-4279 ext 110 or email jroberson@fccafamily.com						
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