



Knead Community Cafe a registered 501(c) (3) charitable organization

“A person’s most useful asset is not a head full of knowledge but a heart full of love, an ear ready to listen, and a hand ready to help others.” ~ unknown



Dear Friends of Knead Community Cafe,

Can you believe that we are now in our 7th month of operation at the cafe? The lazy days of summer have passed and we are getting back to a full swing of activities and events.

If you have come in recently, you may noticed several changes that we have made at the cafe. After a 6 month review of our operation and conducting a patron survey, we have received great feedback. We are always open to any suggestions you may have as we aspire to be one of your favorite eating spots in New Ken!

We continue with our mission of building a stronger community for all and helping out our food insecure neighbors with a flexible donation based model. We do value and thank all who are able to support our cafe mission by coming in to eat frequently at the cafe, paying it forward, and telling your friends about us! Your generosity helps us beyond measure and makes New Kensington a better place to live and work. Thank you!



Exciting News!

Saturday Breakfast

Have you tried our Saturday breakfast service yet? We offer two amazing breakfast choices each week and we serve it all day from 8am-2pm for those sleepy heads who don't like getting up early! Breakfast specials are priced reasonably at \$5 small and \$8 large plate suggested donation. All specials come with juice and a free will donation pastry and coffee bar. At 11am, we offer a lunch menu option if preferred so stop on in and try us out!

Construction Updates

The 5th Avenue side of the building is almost complete except for some finishing touches with lighting and signage but it looks great! This is made possible by a matching revitalization grant from The Westmoreland Foundation. In addition, work on the courtyard is progressing and we hope to get the stonework and fencing completed by late fall. Note the neat yellow bike rack compliments of a grant by New Kensington's Corridor of Innovation.



New Tokens available for purchase at the Café



Our wooden tokens make great gifts to treat a friend or enclose in a birthday or thank you card. You can also Pay It Forward by purchasing one at the café and we will discreetly hand out to a neighbor in need. Each token has a value up to \$10 for a one time meal use.

Now Booking for Holiday Events

~ Corporate, Groups, and Private Parties ~

For all of your holiday party needs, please consider booking with Knead Community Cafe and spread your goodwill even further by helping to support our nonprofit mission. Options include reserving lunch at the farm table for your group, use of the conference room for a private meeting & served lunch, or rental of the cafe for an evening function.

We are proud to offer **The Graze Table** party option which is a stunning showpiece in addition to a royal feast. Our catering of this option is exceptional and you will not be disappointed. The Graze Table can accommodate groups as few as 30 or up to 75 guests using the rustic farm table in the cafe. We offer 3 tiers in pricing starting at \$12/ person.

For more information and or booking of group reservations, conference room or cafe, please contact Marcie at (878) 302-3270



Photos courtesy of Snowflake Photography Marisa Magnusen



Upcoming Events: (proceeds go for support of cafe operations)

Saturday Oct. 21. - Risen To Save Worship Concert 7pm-9:30pm
w/ Casual Meal included

Saturday November 4th- 2nd Annual Pasta Extravaganza Dinner at Banquet Hall
3:30pm-7:30pm

Saturday, November 17th- Lularoe Event at Banquet Hall 8am-3pm

Volunteer Spotlight



"I love volunteering at the cafe because people are so nice and friendly and they treat everyone the same no matter who you are. When you work here, everybody helps everybody to pitch in to get the job done. Our customers are awesome, especially the babies! I would highly recommend volunteering at the cafe if you have some time to give. It's a great place to be!"

Gloria Jean Thrower aka "Grandma Jean"

If you've eaten at the cafe the past 5 months or so, you probably have had an encounter with Grandma Jean. A faithful volunteer at the cafe, she always puts a friendly face on and treats her patrons like family. Even on a day when she may not be feeling up to par, Miss Jean drives down to the cafe and steps her best foot forward, offering service to others as a gift to God. Her pep, enthusiasm, dancing, and snappy responses keep all of us going and she is another great reason why people enjoy both dining and volunteering at Knead! Thank you Grandma for being a special part of the cafe experience!

Want to lend a hand but short on time?

We can always use great volunteers anytime. We do have shorter shifts available to help with morning café set up or kitchen prep tasks from 8am-10am daily or helping with end of day closing and cleaning tasks from 2pm-3:30pm. In addition, if you work during the week day and want to be involved, we always have need for volunteers on Saturdays and Special Events! Do you like organizing and planning Special Events? Need community service hours for school? Please contact our manager during café hours at 878-847-7997. You may also send an email or visit our website at www.kneadcommunitycafe.org to learn more about volunteering and click on the Signup link to schedule. You don't know what you are missing!

Hours: Mondays-Closed

Tues-Fri 11:00am-2:00pm Sat 8:00am-2:00pm

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