



What God is doing through United Methodists in Central Pennsylvania



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Photos courtesy of Pamela Brossman - Upper left photo: As a therapy dog, Maggie loves attention. Jessica Mowery and Kodi Horst are more than happy to give her some! Main photo: Cindy Wilson demonstrates Casey's obedience and uses Bible verses to teach us how we should obey God.

By Pamela Brossman

An audience of more than eighty people enjoyed "Casey, the Captivating Canine" on February 23, 2008, at Centenary United Methodist Church in Steelton, Harrisburg District. Cindy Wilson and her licensed therapy dogs, Casey and Maggie (also both rescue dogs), taught God's unconditional love by demonstrating how a dog and his master work together to build a trusting relationship.

Wilson also explained the dogs' work in hospitals and nursing



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homes and allowed the audience to spend plenty of time visiting with Casey, Maggie, and three other rescue dogs.

Wilson has been training dogs for over 25 years, and she and Casey have won titles in obedience competitions and in the breed ring. She has been doing therapy work with her dogs for 13 years and regularly visits Penn State Hershey Medical Center, Geisinger Medical Center, the Ronald McDonald House and the Reading with Rover Program.

Wilson's ministry of visiting churches and sharing her dogs is all volunteer time, so Centenary raised \$120 for the Canine Rescue of Central Pennsylvania in honor of Wilson. If you are interested in having Cindy Wilson present a show at your church event, call the Centenary church office at 717-939-7700 for more information.



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