

Ascension Community Garden

The community garden is newly established – Spring 2017, but the area has been being cultivated for several years; rototilled every spring and fall with mushroom soil added to it every year.

This year, 2/3 of the area will be sectioned off for individual plots, each **27'x16'** for a total of 432 sq feet.

Key Points:

- * Whole area is fenced in – protected from deer
- * Plant debris may remain in garden at end of season, except for very large stalks (i.e. sunflower/corn)
- * Water spigot at site for buckets/hose hook up
- * Planned date for official opening – **May 1st**; although this is weather dependent
- * \$60 fee for season (cash or check to Ascension Lutheran Church)
- * Alternatives to the use of chemical pesticides are encouraged; application of any herbicides is forbidden
- * Pets not allowed inside the garden area
- * Plant supports up to 6' and fencing up to 4' may be used that is natural wood color or dark brown/green, black or gray
- * No burning allowed
- * Watering – please try & be conservative; hand watering is the most effective way to give your plants moisture & better for the plants health
- * Avoid putting tall crops where they will shade your neighbor's plot
- * Gardens not started by June 1st will be reassigned to another gardener & agreement terminated
- * All non plant materials (tools, landscape fabric/plastic, etc.) must be removed by Oct 31st
- * Members are encouraged to donate any excess harvested food to the Lambertville Food Pantry to help those in need – church supports this mission

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