

The Flower Calendar still has Sundays available for sponsors. The following Sundays are open: September 23rd and 30th; October 7th and November 25<sup>th</sup>; and December 30th. If you would like to put flowers on the altar tables in honor or memory of someone, sign the calendar. Information for ordering flowers is on the calendar or call Marge (301-855-6497). Once again, thanks to all who have been sponsors.

The summer **Breakfast Club Ministry** has begun and **YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!!!**

In 2011 Mt. Zion UMC began its Breakfast Club Ministry for the purpose of providing bagged breakfast meals to children in our southern end of Anne Arundel County. These children attend Lothian and Tracy's elementary schools, and often the only meals they get during their day is through the free or reduced breakfasts and lunches provided at their school.



The Breakfast Club will run for 10 weeks, from June 18 – August 24, Monday through Friday. Our daily goal is to deliver 310 breakfast bags to 3 different locations in southern AA. Co. This is an increase of over 90 breakfasts/day from last summer. As we have done for the past few years, in addition to bagged breakfast meals, on Fridays we will also be giving a weekend bag of extra food to families. Our desire is to make sure the families have sufficient food to carry them through the weekend.

**How can YOU HELP???** Through volunteering your time as a delivery person and/or driver or a monetary donation. A donation box will be placed in the Narthex through July 15<sup>th</sup> to collect your much-needed contributions.

For more information, you may contact Donna at 301-399-0040 or by email [d.catterton@yahoo.com](mailto:d.catterton@yahoo.com). You may also call the Mt. Zion church office at 410-867-4035. **We thank you in advance for all that you can do to help as we feed God's children.**

## THE WEEK AND BEYOND AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 29		
Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Saturday, August 4		
UMM Breakfast	8:00 am	Dockside Restaurant
Monday, August 6		
Voices In Praise Bd. Of Dir. Mtg.	6:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Tuesday, August 7		
Worship Committee Meeting	7:00 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Wednesday, August 8		
Crafters & Friends Meeting	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
Church Council Meeting	7:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Thursday, August 9		
VBS Meet & Greet for volunteers	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Saturday, August 11		
Voices In Praise Rehearsals	t/b/d	Sanctuary/Music Room/F.H.
Sunday, August 12		
ASP Sunday	8:30 & 11 am worship	Sanctuary
Voices In Praise 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary		Jesus the Good Shepherd Church, Owings
Retrospective Concert & Potluck	2:00 pm	



Rev. Young can be reached at the church office, 410 257 7133; parsonage 443 646 5753; e-mail [revyoung@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:revyoung@friendshipmethodist.org)

Please do not assume that Rev. Tom knows about those in the hospital or who are sick. He would rather have many phone calls, and/or e-mails about the same situation then not to get any at all.

Thanks, Tom Young

## Church Council Meeting

A special one subject Church Council meeting will take place on Wednesday, August 8, at 7:30 p.m. This meeting will finalize the relationship going forward between Friendship United Methodist Church and VIP, Inc. Church Council is open to everyone, but only Church Council members will have the vote. The format will be a presentation by Rev. Young outlining the reality of actions that have been taken and possible alternatives. An open discussion will follow and then a vote of action will be taken.

## An Opportunity to Serve!

Do you love children? Do you want to help them learn about God and Jesus? We're looking for additional Sunday School teachers and substitutes for the coming year. Please contact Ruth Bailey (cell: 904-553-2691, email: [RuthBaileyArt@gmail.com](mailto:RuthBaileyArt@gmail.com))



Vacation Bible School (VBS)  
August 13<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 am. To 12:00 noon

Each summer Friendship United Methodist Church hosts a fun filled week of Vacation Bible School (VBS) for ages 3 through completion of 5<sup>th</sup> grade. This year's theme is "Shipwrecked" where kids learn that Jesus rescues! Through games, interactive Bible stories, music and more, kids will discover that Jesus cares about them personally and rescues in life's toughest circumstances.

Your \$10.00 registration fee per child includes this year's VBS T-shirt. To register please use our church website: "www.friendshipmethodist.org"

Volunteers are needed for the following positions:

Crew Leaders – Must have completed 6<sup>th</sup> grade or older. Must enjoy working with children in small group settings.

**All Volunteers Must Register on the Website!**

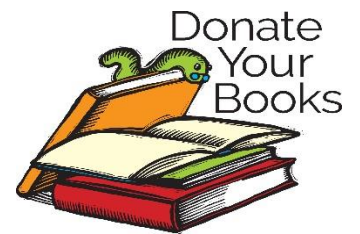
If you have any questions, please contact or call Ev Klahr at: 443-550-3209.

*Donations of the items listed below greatly appreciated – thanks to your generosity the list is significantly smaller than last week!*

Matchbox type cars (4)

30 Foot rope (1)

*Our mission again this year will be in conjunction with the Summer Breakfast Club. We will be collecting gently used and new children's books that will be distributed along with the breakfasts. There will be collection boxes in the fellowship hall marked "Books".*



**Voices In Praise**  
**Retrospective Concert**  
*Sunday, August 12 at 2:00 pm*  
(with potluck to follow)

Jesus the Good Shepherd Church  
1610 West Mt. Harmony Road, Owings

**Next month, Voices In Praise is celebrating 20 years of music and ministry!**

**Please join us to hear music of the last two decades, reconnect with VIP families, and celebrate all that God has done through VIP.**