

*The flowers on the altar are given by Van & Bob King in honor of
their great grandchildren Olivia & Joseph Braund*

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, August 21		
Morning Worship Special Friendship Time in Celebration of Tabitha Dean's completion of her master's degree	8:30 & 11:00 am 12 noon	Sanctuary Fellowship Hall
Monday, August 22		
Private Voice Lesson Voices In Praise Tour 2018 Meeting	5:45-6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Sanctuary Music Room
Tuesday, August 23		
Tabitha Circle Meeting	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Wednesday, August 24		
Church Council Meeting	7:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Saturday, August 27		
Anniversary Party for Bernie & Jodi King	2:00-4:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Monday, August 29		
Voices In Praise Rally Handbell Choir Rehearsal Finance Committee Meeting	6:30-8:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Fellowship Hall, Music Room, etc. Upper Narthex Bishop Warman Room
Monday, August 30		
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:15-8:45 pm	Music Room

The FUMC Tabitha Circle invites all women of Friendship to join us for our kick-off meeting on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2016**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will be discussing our Annual Shrimp & Roast Beef Dinner, Farm Heritage Festival and Silent Auction benefitting the Kitchen Fund, as well as hosting a back-to-school mission project -- collecting school supplies for students-in-need at Sunderland Elementary School. Please bring a few of the following supplies most-requested by the School: Pre-sharpened pencils, 24-count crayons, pink erasers, glue sticks and boxed tissues. Come for the fun, refreshments and fellowship! Call Tabitha Circle President Shari Thorne-Sulima at 301-261-9376 with questions.



The pleasure of your company is requested honoring the Golden Anniversary of Bernie and Jodi King Sat. Aug 27th 2-4pm at Friendship Methodist Church Hall.



The FUMC Communications Committee is currently redesigning our church website. Stay tuned for the announcement of the launch of our exciting new website!



Help Wanted

No previous experience necessary. If you have love and kindness in your heart and want to help children grow, please prayerfully consider helping out the Sunday School Program. We need teachers for the following classrooms: 2-year-olds, Kindergarten – 1st Grade, 2nd/3rd grade, 4th/5th grade, middle school and high school. We also need teacher assistants (people who are willing to help in the classroom, but are not comfortable teaching). Sunday School will begin September 11th. Please contact Mary Kauffman at mary.kauffmanoo@gmail.com or Tricia Leighton at rtleighton@gmail.com if you are willing to help. We will be happy to answer any questions or concerns. Thank you for your support!



Choir Rehearsals Resume

Summer is almost over and that means that our choirs will soon get back to a regular rehearsal schedule!

Voices In Praise begins on Monday, August 29 with RALLY NIGHT! VIP is open to 6th through 12th graders and regular rehearsals are Mondays 6:30-8:30 pm in the music room.

Sanctuary Choir rehearsals begin on Tuesday, August 30 from 7:15-8:45 pm in the music room.

Children's Choir has a new rehearsal schedule beginning on Monday, September 12th from 5:45-6:15 pm in the music room.

Handbell Choir rehearsals begin on Monday, August 30 at 6:30 pm in the upper narthex



The Stephen Ministry class that was to begin in September is being postponed at this time. Two person's expressed interest in taking the class...we were looking for 4-6. If we can get to the 4-6 we will look at re-scheduling. Please contact Paula Madden if you have questions or are interested in joining this caring ministry. 443-262-2635 or pajaty@comcast.net

THANK YOU for visiting today and worshiping with us!
Hope it is a meaningful experience for you. Come again soon, please!

If you are looking for a church home, we love to have our faith journey together. Please contact the church office at 410.257.7133 or the Pastor at leadpastor@friendshipmethodist.org.

