

**COMMITTEE CHATTER** highlights **Appalachia Service Project (“ASP”)**. The Music Ministry is a subcommittee of the Worship Committee. This ministry includes the following: The Adult Sanctuary Choir, directed by Sandy Griese, with rehearsals on Tuesdays in the Music Room from 7:15 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.; the Handbell Choir, directed by Chrys Hill, with rehearsals on Mondays in the Upper Narthex from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30; and the Voices in Praise Youth Choir, directed by Holly Reynolds Lee, with rehearsals on Mondays in the Music Room from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. These groups coordinate with the Worship Committee to schedule rotating performances at both worship services with their brand of musical accompaniment. New voices and/or ringers are always welcome. For additional information about this or any other Committee, please contact Pastor Wayne Chung.



SCAN (South County Assistance Network) is recruiting additional volunteers to assist with the delivery of food from the Anne Arundel Food Bank to the SCAN food pantry. What's does this mean? We need people with trucks to drive to the food bank in Crownsville once a month (usually the morning of the 3rd Monday) to pick up the food AND we need people to unload the food at the SCAN food pantry at St. James Episcopal Church in Lothian. Interested or have any questions? Please contact either Karen Eggert ([kareneggert@comcast.net](mailto:kareneggert@comcast.net), 410-414-3019) or Sharon Fowler ([sharonlee\\_77@hotmail.com](mailto:sharonlee_77@hotmail.com), 410-610-3517).

The Christmas in April organization is looking to remove the old roof and put on a new roof on the project house in Huntingtown that we were assigned this year. The old roof will be removed on Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, and the finishing work will be done on Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. The homeowner is elderly and unable to afford it, so if anyone is willing to help, please contact Ray Wilkerson at 410-257-6396 or [rtwilk92@yahoo.com](mailto:rtwilk92@yahoo.com).



## THE WEEK AND BEYOND AT A GLANCE

Sunday, May 20		
Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Sunday School	9:45-10:45 am	Education Wing
Relay for Life Chili Cook Off	12 noon	Fellowship Hall
Worship Committee Meeting	12:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Youth Group Meeting	6:30-8:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Monday, May 21		
Handbell Choir Rehearsal	6:30-7:30 pm	Upper Narthex
Voices In Praise Rehearsals	6:30-8:30 pm	Music Room
Tabitha Circle Party	6:30-8:30 pm	Calvert Wine & Design
Finance Committee Meeting	7:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Tuesday, May 22		
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:15-8:45 pm	Music Room
Wednesday, May 23		
Seniors' Luncheon	12 noon	Fellowship Hall
Church Council Meeting	7:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Thursday, May 24		
Bible Study	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Sunday, May 27		
Health Information & Blood Pressure Screening	9:30 am & 12 noon	Fellowship Hall
Monday, May 28		
Memorial Day Remembrance	10:00 am	Ceder Grove UMC



## COOKOFF FOR A CURE - TODAY 12:00pm



Join us for good food going towards a great cause! We will have chili, cornbread, dessert, door prizes, and more! There will be a free will offering to support Relay for Life.

Here is a link to contribute directly to Friendship's

Team: [https://secure.acsevents.org/site/SPageServer/?pagename=relay\\_donate\\_now&PROXY\\_TYPE=22&PROXY\\_ID=2289956&FR\\_ID=88589](https://secure.acsevents.org/site/SPageServer/?pagename=relay_donate_now&PROXY_TYPE=22&PROXY_ID=2289956&FR_ID=88589)



It's not too late to join us for the Tabitha Circle pARTy  
on **May 21 (6:30 – 8:30 pm)** at  
**Calvert Wine & Design**  
9132 B Bay Avenue, North Beach  
**Cost:** \$35 paint fee  
**Note: You must register on-line and pre-pay for your items.**

What can I paint: **Set of Wine Glasses (see example on website)**  
**Note: You can choose to paint something different on your glasses than what it depicted in the photo on the website.**

**Guest Instructions:** You must register for the party at the Event URL:  
<https://www.wineanddesign.com/calendars/event.php?id=107568>  
**Private Event Code: Paint**

Questions: Karen Boyd at 202-253-7891 or [karen.d.boyd@verizon.com](mailto:karen.d.boyd@verizon.com)



You are cordially invited to attend the  
**Seniors' Luncheon May 23, 2018**  
*12 noon, Fellowship Hall*

Program: *"Pills, Pills, and More Pills:  
What Seniors Need to Know"*

presented by Dr. Michael Walls  
Call Bonnie Dean at the church (410-257-7133)  
by Tuesday, May 17 to make a reservation

## **"FUMC" BIBLE BITES**

Justifying Grace. Paul wrote to the church in Corinth: "in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them" (2Corinthians 5:19). This was one the verses that demonstrated the justifying grace of God. It pointed to reconciliation, pardon, and restoration. According to John Wesley, the image of God—which has been distorted by sin—is renewed within us through Christ's death.



## **Memorial Day Remembrance**

The Deale Area Historical Society invites you to  
attend a special Memorial Day Remembrance in  
honor of generations of local veterans on

**Monday, May 28, 2018 at 10:00 am**

At Cedar Grove United Methodist Church Veterans Memorial  
Deale, MD (*rain or shine*)

*(we would welcome photographs of any veterans to add to our annual display – Please see letter on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall for more info.)*



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](http://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.