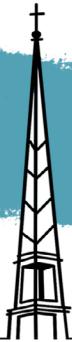


OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2019

# THE SPIRE

BEL AIR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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A NEWSLETTER FOR THE CONGREGATION AND FRIENDS OF BEL AIR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*We Gather Together*



*Join us for a time of*

# *Thanksgiving*

*Saturday, November 23, 2019*

*4 pm Dinner in McComas Hall*

*6 pm Worship Service in McComas Hall*

*Community Thanksgiving Celebration*

**Mark your calendars!!!**

“We Gather Together” is a time for us to share a church family Thanksgiving meal together and give thanks to the God, our Creator, Jesus our Savior and the Holy Spirit, our Sustainer. A gathering to share words, actions, music and love as a faith-focused family.

## *Message from the Pastor*

If I haven't said thank you in a while, please let me do it now. Thank you to all of you who have been faithful to God through our church. When we became members, we made a commitment... to be faithful to God through our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness. These are the vows of membership. These are the promises that we make as modern day disciples of Jesus Christ. Many of you take those vows very seriously. Many of you demonstrate those vows very faithfully in your lives. **THANK YOU!**

A church member once called me out on that. He said, "Why are you thanking us? We're not doing it for YOU. We're doing it for God." I understand that. I understand that you're doing it for God. But it still touches me personally to see faith in action. It still touches me personally to see how people respond to God through the life of our church. Since I'm the one who's frequently blessed to be able to call people to action, or call people to faith, or call people to love, then I am moved deeply and personally when I see people respond. You're an inspiration to me, and, I believe, an inspiration to others who wish that they could do more.

I pray that you have a wonderful October. I'm looking forward to this wonderful season of apples, pumpkins, changing leaves, crisp cool mornings, and harvest blessings. In every season of life, let us continue to "Love as Jesus Loves."

See you Sunday,

Byron

## CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

### Building Better Moms

Saturdays, October 12 and  
November 9  
5 pm - Community Room  
(Room 101)



We're going to make my intent word bracelets on October 12. We will discover our word for right now. Come and relax, make friends and Become a Better Mom!

### Third Grade Bible Commissioning October 13, 9:15 am Worship Hour

We will be giving our Third Graders their own Bibles. These gifts are from BAUMC and C4 Kids Ministry to encourage our Third Graders to read and delve into the Bible. Please email Deb at [lamptond@baumc.com](mailto:lamptond@baumc.com) to make sure your child is included in this milestone event.



### Battle

All Ages Welcome!  
October 5th in McComas Hall & other designated areas throughout the building from 2-4 p.m.



Fall Festival  
October 26th 4 – 6 p.m.  
McComas Hall

Life Sized CandyLand Game & Fun!  
C4 Kids and CCC (Children's Christian Center) are co-sponsoring our Fall Festival.  
Come in your costume or as your wonderful self.

# YOUTH MINISTRY

# OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2019

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### Middle School Sunday School

9:20 am - 10:30 am

Youth Center

Sundays, October 6, 13, 20 and 27

November 3, 10, 17 and 24

Middle School Sunday School open to all 6th to 8th grade middle school students. The class is taught by Ashley Sanders and Ginni Pippen.

### Youth Group (Grades 6 -12)

6 - 8 pm Outside By Gaga/Youth Center/ McComas

Sundays, October 6, 13, 20 and 27

November 3, 10, 17 and 24

All youth grades 6th-12th are invited to join us for youth group. We start with fellowship time, have some snacks, play group games, have a lesson and small group discussion time.

### Special Youth Group: Nailed It!

#### Cupcake Decorating Competition

Sunday, November 3 6-8pm

Youth will work in teams to re-create special cupcakes designs. All supplies are provided. Bring a friend!



(Grades 6 -12)

4 - 6 pm Choir Room 103

October 6, 13, 20 and 27

November 3, 10, 17 and 24

In addition to rehearsal, dinner will be provided.

For details, contact Kristen Brought at [kwbrought@yahoo.com](mailto:kwbrought@yahoo.com).

**BAUMC College Ministry** will be collecting items to send our beloved college students in early December to let them know they are cared for leading up to their final exams. There will be a bin in the lobby next to the Information desk for the entire month of November. Donations of gum, candy, popcorn, hot cocoa, crackers, individually packaged treats, etc. would be great. Thanks so much! Any questions, please contact Susan Hudson 443-752-1874 or Angela Robertson 443-417-8031.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### Confirmation Retreat

October 9

Youth Center

All confirmands are required to attend this day retreat. We will let youth explore what is involved with confirmation and get to know members of the class. Confirmands need to dress in closed-toed shoes.

*Save the Date !*

### ROCK in Ocean City MD

February 7-9, 2020

Registration Opens October 1st.

<http://bit.ly/BelAirRock2020>

All youth (6th-12th grade) are invited to attend ROCK. Youth in 6th and 7th grade need a parent to chaperon. ROCK fees include the following: transportation, ticket into ROCK and breakout sessions, two nights in hotel, pizza Friday night, Saturday box lunch (new this year!), catered dinner Saturday and 2020 BAUMC ROCK Shirt. Youth will need to bring their own breakfast foods and money for lunch on Sunday.

### Registration Fees

|                  |           |                      |
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| Super Early Bird | 10/1-11/4 | \$150 (\$25 deposit) |
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| Early Bird | 11/5-1/5/2020 | \$175 (\$50 deposit) |
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| Regular Registration | 1/6/2020 -2/6/2020 | \$185 (\$100 deposit) |
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## ADVENT CONSPIRACY

**Tuesday, November 19 - December 10**  
**7 pm - 8:30 pm Library**

Are you tired of how consumerism has stolen the soul of Christmas? This study will show you how to substitute consumption with compassion by practicing four simple but powerful, countercultural concepts. Find out how to have a Christmas worth remembering. Christmas can still change the world when you, like Jesus, give what matters most.

Register on-line at the church website or by the parlor after worship, November 17. The pastors' Advent study will be announced in November.

### ON-GOING CLASSES

|                         |                            |   |                             |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Sunday                  | 07:30 AM<br>Room 115       | <b>John Packard Memorial Men's Bible Study</b> - Men of all ages come together to study God's Word  | Doug Dorer                  |
| Sunday                  | 09:20 AM<br>Library        | <b>Walking With God</b> - Biblical & topical studies are discussed challenging us to live as God's people in an ever-changing world                   | Mark Coughlin               |
| Monday                  | 09:30-11:00 AM<br>Room 202 | <b>Monday Morning Bible Study</b> - Participants come together in fellowship and study of God's Word as they grow in faith together                   | Sandy Gorrell & Betty Myers |
| Monday                  | 7:00-9:00 PM<br>Room 115   | <b>Women's Bible Study</b> - Women of all ages meet to study selected Bible topics while enjoying a time of fellowship together                       | Libby Horn                  |
| Wednesday               | 10:00-11:15 AM<br>Library  | <b>UMW Bible Study</b> - Sponsored by the United Methodist Women, the participants enjoy a time of study and fellowship and welcome men to join them! | Pastor Deb                  |
| Wednesday<br>(3rd Wed)  | 10:00 AM<br>BAUMC Parlor   | <b>UMW Esther Circle</b> - Women of all ages meet to study and serve together.  |                             |
| Thursday<br>(1st Thurs) | 10:00 AM<br>Library        | <b>UMW Mary Martha Circle</b> - Women of all ages meet to study and serve together.   |                             |
| Friday                  | 06:30 AM<br>Room 202       | <b>Friday Morning Bible Study</b> - This men's group has early risers who meet to start their day in God's Word                                       | Dave Walker                 |

## OCTOBER / NOVEMBER MILESTONES

### **Ethan Isaac Harris**

Son of Darlington Harris & Tetee Maximore

### **Arya Lynn Stran**

Daughter of Ryan & Jennifer Stran



# Happy Anniversary

Les & Johanna Adams - 50th anniversary on 10/04  
Isaac & Christina Alderman - 5th anniversary on 10/04  
Gary & Karen Davis - 25th anniversary on 10/08  
Garner & Lois Jones - 54th anniversary on 10/09  
Jon & Jill Johnson - 35th anniversary on 10/12  
Ron & Suzanne Badger - 35th anniversary on 10/13  
Andrew & Julie Heath - 15th anniversary on 10/16  
Don & Loretta Mahan - 35th anniversary on 10/20

Gary & Janet Teter - 45th anniversary on 10/27  
John & Sherri Tolley - 25th anniversary on 10/29  
Doug & Janet Dorer - 51st anniversary on 11/02  
Alan & Vicki Seitzinger - 25th anniversary on 11/05  
Charles & Dottie Goddard - 58th anniversary on 11/11  
Rich & Linda Erickson - 51st anniversary on 11/28  
Bill & Joan Stiffler - 51st anniversary on 11/29

*Happy Anniversary! May you continue to love, cherish and honor one another for years to come.*

# Happy Birthday

10/01 - Dot Clark  
10/01 - Mattie DiCarlo  
10/03 - Ann Casey  
10/07 - Shirley MacLean  
10/09 - Annie Stearn  
10/13 - Betty Cooper  
10/14 - Helen Sanders  
10/15 - Jack Potter  
10/19 - Shirley Cooney  
10/19 - Joyce Humbert  
10/21 - Robert Norman



10/25 - Leora Hieber  
10/28 - Frances Warman  
10/30 - Fay Sigler  
10/31 - Dot Albizo  
11/05 - Lloyd Fry  
11/05 - Charles Goddard  
11/07 - Sue Gillette  
11/11 - Ed Leister  
11/13 - Audrey Coale  
11/16 - Marie Myers  
11/28 - Barb Kobler

*We are pleased to celebrate the birthdates of those who are at least 80 years young!*

# RECURRING WEEKLY EVENTS

## Monday

9:00 am Pass It On Ministry  
9:30 am Monday Morning Bible Study (202)  
9:30 am Friendship Garden Club (202) (2nd Monday)  
10:30 am Communion @ Brightview - 2nd Monday  
6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 777 (M, 103) or (CR 101, 103)  
6:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 2 (Room 127)  
6:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 340 (125)  
7:00 pm Monday Night Women's Bible Study (115)

## Tuesday

2:00 PM Communion @ Forest Hill Health & Rehab (2nd Tuesday)  
3:00 PM Communion @ Bel Air Health & Rehab (2nd Tuesday)  
7:00 pm 11am Band - Rehearsal (McComas Stage)  
7:00 pm AA / Sisters of Sobriety (127)  
7:00 pm Green Faith Bible Class  
7:00 pm GriefShare (115)

## Wednesday

10:00 am Wednesday Morning Bible Study (L)  
10:00 am Esther Circle (Parlor) (3rd Wednesday)  
11:30 am Manna House Soup Kitchen (M)  
12:00 pm Clergy Covenant Group (2nd Wednesday)(202)  
1:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry (P) (1st & 3rd Wednesday)  
6:00 pm AA - District 28 Meeting (3rd Wednesday) (202)  
6:30 pm Evening Prayer Meeting in the Prayer Chapel  
6:30 pm Grandparent Support Group (2nd Wednesday) (202)  
6:30 pm Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal (Rm 130)  
6:40 pm Faith Under Fire Rehearsal (M-Stage)  
6:30 pm Divorce Care Room 115  
7:00 pm Venture Crew 777 as scheduled (Library)  
7:00 pm NAMI/National Alliance on Mental Illness (127)  
(1st & 3rd Wed)  
7:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (AR 103)  
7:30 pm NA/Free At Last (CR 101)

## Thursday

10:00 am Mary Martha Circle (L) (1st Thursday)  
6:30 pm TOPS Chapter 412 (AR 103)  
6:30 pm Kingdom Affect Youth Band Practice (YC)  
7:00 pm Bible Study Fellowship (AR 103)  
7:30 pm AA / Came to Believe (CR 101)

## Friday

6:30 am Friday Morning Bible Study (Youth Center)  
8:00 am GAIN Meeting (CR 101) 2nd Friday

## Saturday

5:00 pm Building Better Moms (CR 101) (2nd Saturday)

## Sunday

7:30 am John Packard Men's Bible Study (115)  
9:00 am Morning Fellowship (202)  
9:15 am Middle School Sunday School (YC)  
9:20 am Walking with God Class (L)  
10:30 am PoP Small Group (115)  
10:30 am Children's Choir Musical Rehearsal (CR 101)  
4:00 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal (AR 103)  
6:00 pm AA / Attraction Rather Than Promotion (CR 101)  
6:00 pm Sunday Night Youth (M, L, YC, 202 115)



## Sunday Worship Services

**Bel Air UMC**  
(21 Linwood Avenue)

**Sanctuary**  
8:00 & 9:15 AM ~ Traditional

**McComas Hall**  
10:30 AM ~ Contemporary Worship

**Mt. Carmel Chapel**  
(Wheel & Old Emmorton Rds)  
5:00 PM ~ Traditional

## Sunday Christian Learning

**Bel Air UMC**  
(21 Linwood Avenue)

**C4 Kids**  
9:15 AM Infants-Grade 5

**Middle School Sunday School**  
9:15 AM 6th - 8th Grades

## Daylight Savings

time ends on

Sunday, November 3.

Remember to turn

your clocks back one

hour before retiring on Saturday evening,  
November 2nd.



## HIGHLIGHT EVENTS

### Thursday, October 3

7:00 pm Harford County Christian Jail Ministry Library

### Saturday, October 5

2:00 pm Nerf Battle

### Sunday, October 6

#### New Members Sunday

10:30 am PoP Small Group (115)

### Monday, October 7

6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 777 Court of Honor McComas Hall

6:30 pm Russian Outreach Committee Parlor

### Wednesday, October 9

10:00 am Confirmation Day Retreat Youth Center

### Saturday, October 12

5:00 pm Building Better Moms CR 101

### Sunday, October 13

#### 3rd Grade Bibles

### Monday, October 14

7:00 pm Board of Trustees Library

7:00 pm Staff-Parish Relations Committee Pastor Byron's Office

### Saturday, October 19

9:00 am Family Food Distribution McComas Hall

### Sunday, October 20

#### Laity Sunday

3:30 pm Blessing of the Animals @ Mt. Carmel Chapel

### Monday, October 21

7:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting Pastor Byron's Office

### Thursday, October 24

6:30 pm FCCAU Homeless Shelter Meeting Rm 115

### Saturday, October 26

12:00 pm Harford County Humane Society  
4:00 pm Fall Festival McComas Hall & Parking Lot

### Sunday, October 27

5:30 pm Serve Dinner @ the Welcome One Homeless Shelter

### Monday, October 28

11:30 am NARFE Chapter #1770 CR 101

### Thursday, October 31

9:00 am Senior Food Distribution McComas Hall

### Friday, November 1 - November 25

#### TOY WORKSHOP COLLECTION

### Saturday, November 2

10:00 am Tiny Tots School Open House

### Sunday, November 3

#### All Saints Sunday

### Monday, November 4

6:30 pm Russian Outreach Committee Parlor

### Saturday, November 9

5:00 pm Building Better Moms CR 101

### Sunday, November 10

#### VIM Soup Sale

### Monday, November 11

9:30 am Blood Drive McComas Hall

7:00 pm Board of Trustees Library

7:00 pm Staff-Parish Relations Committee Pastor Byron's Office

### Saturday, November 16

9:00 am Family Food Distribution McComas Hall

### Monday, November 18

7:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting Pastor Byron's Office

### Tuesday, November 19

#### Green Faith Workshop

### Thursday, November 21

9:00 am Senior Food Distribution McComas Hall

6:30 pm FCCAU Homeless Shelter Meeting Rm 115

### Saturday, November 23

4:00 pm Church Thanksgiving Celebration

### Monday, November 25

7:00 pm Ad Council Library

### Tuesday, November 26

#### Green Faith Workshop

### Wednesday, November 27

5:30 pm Serve Dinner @ the Welcome One Homeless Shelter

### Friday, November 29 - 30 (9 am - 5 pm )

Church will be open for TOY WORKSHOP PREP

**Church Office Hours Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm**  
**CHURCH CLOSED THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, ON NOVEMBER 28 & 29**  
**IN OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING**

## HIGHLIGHT EVENTS

### Welcome Jeffery Beyers

Jeff is excited to join the BAUMC staff. He holds a Master's of Music degree in Choral Conducting from Temple University and both Master's and Bachelor's degrees in Piano Performance from the Peabody Institute of the Johns Hopkins University.

Currently, Jeff teaches vocal music at The Patapsco High School and Center for the Arts in Baltimore County where he directs various choral groups. He lives in Bel Air with his wife Nicole and three children Luke, Noah and Julia. When Jeff is not working, he enjoys hiking, biking, golfing and table tennis.



**Manna House Volunteers Needed – Manna House** is looking for a few volunteers to work on Wednesdays from 11am – 2pm. If you are able and willing to help out, please email Greg LaCour at [food.services@baumc.com](mailto:food.services@baumc.com).

The BAUMC Safety & Security Team is continuing to work to provide a safe and secure place for all to worship, to fellowship with one another and for our children to learn of God's love. The team is currently looking for additional volunteers to help with this ministry. You do not have to commit to being available every Sunday, you can serve as your schedule allows. If you have experience, current or retired, as a nurse, EMT, law enforcement, fire, military or just someone interested in serving in this important ministry, please contact [kyle.torster@gmail.com](mailto:kyle.torster@gmail.com) for additional information.

### Volunteers in Mission (VIM) Soup Sale - November 10

between services.



*Thank You!*

I would sincerely like to thank my church family at Bel Air United Methodist for your thoughts, prayers, cards, emails, dinners, food deliveries and other kind gestures during my very difficult year of breast cancer battle...8/31/18 - 8/31/19. The Lord has been with me all along on this challenge and so have you! Thank you for your heartfelt caring. My radiation oncologist said my CT scan looks good, so I pray this is now behind me. I will have to have follow ups with both chemo and radiation oncologists, but the hard part is behind me. The Lord heard your prayers!

"By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have LOVE for one another" (John 13:35)  
THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH FOR YOUR KINDNESS and COMPASSIONATE SUPPORT. It has been most appreciated! Blessings to all...Debbie Englar



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Thank you for all the Special People who did the Special Music during the Summer Worship. Logan Dubel, Kate, Calvert, Summer Choir - Kristen Brought, Director, Kathy Frawley, Kim Evans, Janet Dorer, Dan Lampton, Debbie Englar, Emily Schmidt, Amy Adkins, Kyle Bittle, Ashleigh Schmidt, Rev. Deb Lampton and Devonna Rowe.

## HIGHLIGHT EVENTS



- ♥ September Results ... Our September Blood Drive netted 64 units of blood, which will benefit up to 192 patients. On behalf of all of them, we express our heart felt appreciation to every person who came out in support of the Blood Drive.
- ♥ The next (and final) Blood Drive for 2019 ... Monday, November 11. Since this drive occurs on Veterans Day, please consider donating (if you are eligible) as a tribute to the many sacrifices given by our veterans.

Hurricane Dorian Relief Efforts- Looking for ways to help? UMCOR needs cleaning bucket kits or monetary donations. A list of items used to make a kit are available at the Welcome and Information Center. To make a monetary donation, please go to UMCOR's website: <http://www.umc.org/how-we-serve/responding-to-disaster>. And, remember animal rescue organizations are in need too.

The Prayer Shawl Ministry needs 235 hats for the adopt-a-family ministry by November. If anyone is interested in knitting or crocheting hats, please call Cathy Bowden at 443-504-4707.

*Sunday, October 20, 2019*

*Blessing of the Animals at  
Mt. Carmel Chapel at 3:30 pm*



### Harford County Humane Society Visit

**2208 Connolly Road in Fallston**

**Saturday, October 26 at 2 pm**

You are invited to bring your favorite book to read to the dogs on Saturday, October 26 at 2:00 pm. If you can share 30 minutes of your time with our canine friends, they would appreciate it. The outreach is for all ages. Please email Debbie if you are interested at [atteberryd@baumc.com](mailto:atteberryd@baumc.com)

### Supplies Needed for Our Harford County Humane Society Visit

We are asking our generous congregation to donate items for the Humane Society which we will take there on our visit. Donations include: canned wet dog food, creamy peanut butter, canned kitten food, canned wet cat food, empty toilet paper and paper towel rolls, Dawn dish detergent, sponges, glue sticks, white-out, rubbing alcohol or gift cards to Staples, Walmart, PetSmart, Target, Home Depot, Lowe's, The Mill or Wawa (gas). Please place your donations in the box marked "Humane Society" next to the Welcome and Information Center.

# Toy Collection starts November 1

The Toy Workshop's Mission is to collect, check, clean and repair toys. We also put together gift baskets for mom, dad and teens; baby sets; and stockings which are all given to those in need at Christmas.

Our 2nd mission is to support those groups helping these children such as their families, teachers, guidance counselors and social service agencies.

Our 3rd mission is to recycle used toys and give the opportunity for others to pass on their gifts for baskets, baby sets, dress up clothes, etc.

Our 4th Mission is to bring people of our church and the community together to join together for a worthwhile, needed and fun project.



It is time to start collecting your new, nearly new or repairable toys for the **Toy Workshop**.

You may drop off your toys at the entrance to McComas Hall beginning November 1.

Toy Collection ends Monday, November 25th.

Toys of all kinds  
Cars & trucks  
Kitchen sets  
Batteries  
Dolls & clothes

Barbies & clothes  
Build a Bears & clothes  
Bikes  
Books  
Games

Dress up clothes  
Electronics  
Art/crafts sets

Please include DIRECTIONS and BAG TOGETHER PARTS for toys or games.

The following is a list of items needed to make GIFT BASKETS for mom, dad, teen girl, teen boy.

BASKETS

Hats

Gloves

Scarves

Socks

2020 calendars

pens small games

mugs (no logos)

Shampoo

Body Wash

Deodorant

Body Lotion

Toothpaste

Toothbrushes

Make-up

Nail polish

Shaving cream

Small gifts



BABY BASKETS - receiving blankets, small toys, floor play mats, books, blankets

Please save your leftover Halloween candy to be used in the stockings!



## TOY WORKSHOP

Please join us to help provide toys and gifts for children at Christmas, to join in the fun and fellowship with us and to accomplish a huge recycling project.

We check, clean and repair toys and add batteries. We fill stockings, make gift baskets, repair bikes and much more.

WORKSHOP IS OPEN on November 29 & 30 (9am - 5 pm) (the two days after Thanksgiving) and the week of December 2 - December 7 (9am - 10pm).

Questions? Coming as a group? Email Elaine Ziegler at [elainezig1@yahoo.com](mailto:elainezig1@yahoo.com)



### Joy to the World

American Music Theater  
Thursday, December 5th.

Tickets are \$61.00 which includes a seat on the bus and snacks. Bus will depart at 1:00 pm and will return by 6:00 pm. A \$30.00 per person deposit is needed by Sunday, October 13th; the balance is due by November 3rd. For more information, please contact Cheryl Firth at 443-242-2441 or firthc@baumc.com.

### Bel Air United Methodist Food Ministries Holiday in a Box Order Form

Hunger is a growing issue in Harford County. Our Food Ministries provide a hot meal and a bag of groceries each week for 70-100 families through Manna House, deliver food to over 250 Seniors in Harford County and provide supplemental groceries, meats and produce to over 275 families once a month to those in need of food assistance at Saturday Family Food Ministry.



For those struggling, having a Holiday dinner with family and friends offers a sense of normalcy. Our food ministries has a tremendous opportunity for you to provide a complete meal to 200 families for \$10 per family.

When you sponsor a family they will receive a turkey, vegetables, stuffing, bread and a dessert, everything you need to enjoy a Holiday meal. **Families will receive the Holiday boxes during our December 14th Family Food Distribution and one Wednesday in December through Manna House. To sponsor a family, complete the form below or go to <http://bit.ly/BAUMC2019HolidayBox>**

Make checks payable to BAUMC Food Ministries, 21 Linwood Ave. Bel Air, MD 21014 Attn: Food Ministries

Sponsor name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ family (s) at \$10 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



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District Superintendent - Rev. Ann Laprade

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Rev. Deb Lampton  
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Director of Music/Chancel Choir Director -  
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### SUBMISSIONS FOR DECEMBER'S NEWSLETTER

Do you have an event or article you'd like to see in **DECEMBER'S** edition of the SPIRE? Send them to [wolf1@baumc.com](mailto:wolf1@baumc.com) and [atteberryd@baumc.com](mailto:atteberryd@baumc.com) by **12 noon, Tuesday, NOVEMBER 19th.**

If you are picking up the Spire at Church but would like to see the SPIRE newsletter in color, please send Lisa Wolf your e-mail address to [wolf1@baumc.com](mailto:wolf1@baumc.com) or visit our web-site

[www.belairumc.org](http://www.belairumc.org)

and click on the **red** tab on the left labeled "SPIRE Newsletter."

Current addressee or

LAITY SUNDAY  
2019

THEREFORE, GO!  
WITH HOPE THROUGH  
**Purpose**

*Nurture persons in Christian living through worship, the sacraments, spiritual disciplines, and other means of grace, such as Wesley's Christian Conferencing.*

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES  
The United Methodist Church



**Invite your Family and Friends for Laity Sunday on  
October 20, 2019**

Laity Sunday is a special Sunday established by the General Conference to be observed on the third Sunday of October. Laity Sunday focuses on the celebration of the ministry of all lay Christians. This year's theme is "Therefore, Go! With HOPE Through Purpose".

Hospitality  
Offering Christ  
Purpose  
Engagement