

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, October 23		
Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Bible Study	9:45-10:45 am	Bishop Warman Room
Monday, October 24		
Private Voice Lessons	5:45-6:30 pm	Sanctuary
Private Voices Lessons	6:30-7:15	Upstairs Classroom
Voices In Praise Rehearsals	6:30-8:30 pm	Music Room
Handbell Choir Rehearsal	6:30 pm	Upper Narthex
Finance Committee Meeting	7:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Tuesday, October 25		
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:15-8:45 pm	Music Room
Wednesday, October 26		
SPRC Meeting	7:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Thursday, October 27		
Bible Study	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Saturday, October 29		
Children's Halloween Party	10:00 – 11:30 am	Education Wing, Fellowship Hall
Sunday, October 30		
Bible Study	9:45-10:45 am	Bishop Warman Room
Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Blessing of the Animals	2:00 pm	Overflow Parking lot
Youth Group Halloween Party for Ages 11-18	6:00-8:00 pm	Fellowship Hall, etc.

We are looking for people that are interested in becoming members of Friendship United Methodist Church. Please see Pastor Wayne or contact the church office at 410-257-7133 if you are interested. If there is enough interest, we will hold three Tuesday evening membership classes this fall.



Calling all FUMC Senior High Youth and Friends!

Reserve your spot at ROCK 2017 now!

Date: February 3, 2017 - February 5, 2017

Ocean City Convention Center, Ocean City, MD

Featured Speaker: Preston Centuolo

Cost: \$80.00 (Checks to FUMC) - **\$50 Deposit DUE TODAY!**
(Cost covers registration, transportation, hotel, and breakfasts)

Permission Slips Available at Youth Group TONIGHT!

Contact - Donna Griffin (301) 873-7162 or dagriff@verizon.net
Peter Bray (301) 537-2864 or peterhbray@gmail.com



Halloween Party

Saturday, Oct. 29 * 10:00 - 11:30 am

Children and families are invited to a Halloween celebration! Come in costume for Halloween music, treats, and trick-or-treating throughout the Sunday School building. Costumes are encouraged, but please take care that your costume isn't too frightening for our youngest party-goers. We hope to see you on Halloween for a party that's brewing with fun and fellowship! Please contact Stacy Church at 410-991-1033 or Holly Lee at 301-728-1748 for more information.



THE BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Blessing of the Animals
October 30, 2016 at 2:00 pm
Overflow parking lot

Bring your well-behaved pet or pets for a special blessing!

YOUTH GROUP HALLOWEEN PARTY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

6:00-8:00 PM

AGES 11-18!



VIP Holiday Wreath & Greenery Sale

The Voices In Praise holiday wreath and greenery sale is going on now! Order a festive wreath, swag, or centerpieces through one of the singers or Director Holly Reynolds Lee. Items will arrive during the week after Thanksgiving and are guaranteed to last through the holiday season. Visit www.VoicesInPraise.com and follow the links to see our holiday greenery. For more information, please contact Holly (phone: 301-728-1748; email: hollyrlee@gmail.com). Thanks for supporting Friendship's youth choir!



UNICEF Missions Project

The Sunday School students are participating in the Trick or Treat for UNICEF project again this year. Students were given an orange collection box last Sunday with a goal of collecting at least \$2.50. Encouraging global citizenship, students learned that \$5 will provide immunizations for 13 children in needy countries around the world; \$13 will provide a year supply of clean water. Please encourage your son/daughter to participate. (Additional boxes are available in the Sunday school hallway.)

VIP is going GREEN ... again!

Help the VIP's earn cash (and help the environment as well) by participating in our recycling fundraiser.



GREAT NEWS ...There's nothing to buy!!!

From October 31 – December 4, 2016, VIP will be collecting the following items (working or not):

- Cell Phones
- Ink Jet Printer Cartridges
- Laptop Computers*
- Apple iPods
- Hand Held Games: Sony PSP Handheld, Nintendo DSi, Nintendo DS Lite, Nintendo DS Original, Nintendo Gameboy Advance, Nintendo Gameboy Color
- MP3 Players
- Digital Cameras
- Digital Video Cameras

Note: All donated laptops will have their hard drives removed and destroyed.

These items will be sold to be recycled in accordance with EPA regulations or refurbished and re-sold. **Please deposit your donations in the marked Bin located in Fellowship Hall.**

Thank you for supporting VIP and Turning your TRASH into VIP CASH!



There is an opening in our Sunday School for a teacher in 2nd/3rd grade. No previous experience needed! The curriculum is provided and you will be working with experienced teachers. All you need is a love of children. Please contact Mary Kauffman (Mary.Kauffman00@gmail.com, 301-855-8221) or Tricia Leighton (rtleighton@gmail.com or 410-798-8423) for more information. Thank you, in advance, for your thoughtful consideration of this important mission.



Ushers are needed for the months of November and December. Please consider this act of stewardship to help our worship service flow smoothly! A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

ASP dates for 2017 are July 2nd through July 8th. We need adult leaders by Nov 1st or we won't be able to be able to take the youth next summer. We need at least 3 adult male leaders and 3 adult female leaders (committed by Nov. 1st) to be able to take 3 teams of youth to the 2017 summer program. ASP requires ½ of the summer fee by Nov 1st to reserve our place next summer. Currently we have no leaders signed up to take the youth. With 6 leaders we would be able to take 18 youth (3 teams of 6 youth and 2 adults).



Please consider how you can help sustain this important part of our youth service experience by giving up one week this summer to make this mission possible. Please contact Chuck Muller 301-938-6964 chuck.muller@ngc.com

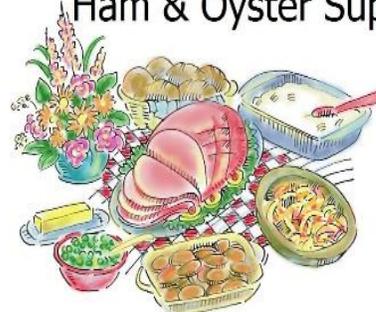


The Stephen Ministry bulletin board (above the coffee station in Fellowship Hall) has been updated and we'd love you to visit and "Share a Prayer" of Thanksgiving!

Saturday, November 5, 2015 * 3-6 pm
to benefit the church cemetery fund

Ham & Oyster Supper

Menu: baked ham, crispy fried oysters, homemade potato salad, creamy cole slaw, mashed turnips, green beans, biscuits/Coffee, iced tea, and water



Prices: Adults (12 years & above) \$20/6-11 years \$10/5 years & under FREE
CARRY-OUT AVAILABLE!

For information call 410-257-7133 or visit our website –
www.friendshipmethodistchurch.org

Help is needed on Thursday and Friday to cut and cook turnips and potatoes, Saturday morning to help "pat" oysters, and we need people to donate pies for our dessert table!

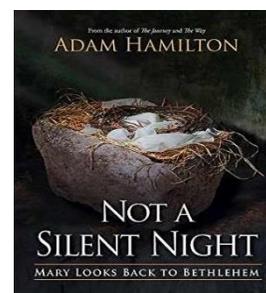
Advent Study: "Not A Silent Night"

Thursdays – November 10, 17

December 1, 8, 15

7:00 pm, Fellowship Hall

Rev. Oden Warman, a retired United Methodist pastor and member of our congregation will lead our Advent Study on the book "Not a Silent Night: Mary looks back to Christmas", by Rev. Adam Hamilton. Rev. Hamilton is the senior pastor of The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection in Leawood, Kansas. We will explore Advent and the meaning of Christmas by focusing on Mary's perspective of her son, Jesus from the crucifixion back to his birth in Bethlehem. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall – please sign up so we can order books for the study!



"Meet and greet new leader of the Baltimore-Washington Conference, Bishop LaTrelle Easterling. The new Episcopal leader is coming to visit and meet with laity and clergy of Annapolis District, [Saturday, Nov. 12, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Eastport UMC, 926 Bay Ridge Ave. in Annapolis.](#) Lunch is provided. Everyone is welcome to come and join this time of worship and fellowship!"



Holiday Bazaar Time!
Saturday, November 19th – 9 am til 2 pm
Friendship UMC Fellowship Hall

Table rental is open to the public at a cost of \$25.00 (\$30.00 for electrical access). For more information or to reserve a table call Bonnie Revell at 410-741-5268.



SCAN food pantry, located at St. James Episcopal Church, is looking for volunteers willing to help one Saturday or Thursday morning per month. If you are interested and available, please contact Trish Pumphrey (SCAN food pantry volunteer coordinator) at richardpumphrey@comcast.net for more information.



Christmas In April



The Christmas in April program at FUMC is seeking new leadership. This program is very important to help improve the condition of people's houses in the area and it also helps bring the people of the church together. I have led the program over the last 7 years but I am giving up the role as coordinator. We need 1 or 2 people to attend 2 meetings, organize volunteers, and complete the material list for each job. I am available to answer any questions and help in any way. Please contact Chuck Muller or Ray Wilkerson if you are interested in this important job.

THE NEXT MEN'S BREAKFAST WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2016 AT 8:00 AM AT DOCKSIDE RESTAURANT, 421 DEALE ROAD, TRACY'S LANDING. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!



November 6, 2016 4:00 pm (doors open at 3:30 pm)
Chesapeake Christian Fellowship, 377 W. Central Avenue, Davidsonville
FREE ADMISSION

2016 BENEFIT CONCERT featuring
Cedar Grove UM Praise Team, CCF Worship Team, DiVine of Annapolis,
Judah Temple Ministries Choir of Shady Side, **Voices In Praise Youth**
Choir of Friendship UMC
Free Will Offering

For more information, contact www.goodnewsjail.org/410-222-4937