

## THE WEEK AND BEYOND AT A GLANCE

Sunday, January 6		
Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Sunday School	9:45 am	Education Wing
Voices In Praise Epiphany Concert	7:00 pm	Sanctuary
Monday, January 7		
Voices In Praise Bring a Friend Night	6:30-8:30 pm	Fellowship Hall & Music Room
Tuesday, January 8		
Handbell Choir Rehearsal	6:15-7:15 pm	Upper Narthex
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:15-8:45 pm	Music Room
Wednesday, January 9		
Crafters & Friends Meeting	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
Communications Committee Mtg.	7:00 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Thursday, January 10		
Bible Study - 1 & 2 Timothy	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Saturday, January 12		
Navy Basketball Game	1:00 pm (meet)	Annapolis, MD (see Courtney)
Sunday, January 13		
Middle School Retreat Meeting	12:15 pm	Sanctuary
Monday, January 14		
Tabitha Circle Meeting	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall

### Our Service:

Ministers  
 Secretary  
 Music Team  
 Children & Youth Ministry Coord.  
 Custodian  
 8:30 Ushers  
 8:30 Sound Tech  
 11:00 Ushers  
 Friendship Time  
 Altar Guild for January  
 Stephen Ministry Coordinator  
 Pastor

All Members and Volunteers at Friendship  
 Bonnie Dean, [bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org)  
 Sandy Melson Griese, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley  
 Courtney Eversfield, [cymc@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:cymc@friendshipmethodist.org)  
 Jim Fowler  
 Harry Hill  
 John Wilson  
 Wheeler Green & Richard Chaney  
 Delilah Zone (Debbie Chaney)  
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 Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr.  
[revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org)

**Our Presence:** Worship Attendance Last Sunday 109 \* Average Weekly Worship 199

**Our Gifts:** Please strive to tithe! The Bible asks us to tithe 10% of our income to God. Many of our members are doing this already. How about you? You may give your offering electronically (EFT). Call the church office to set it up. *Stewardship is rather a way of life than an annual campaign. Thank You for your faithful stewardship!*

### Record of Giving (Funds Received by the Church)

	January-November 2018					
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Var %		
General Fund	\$302,759	\$325,713	(\$22,954)	-7%		
Missions Fund	\$22,097	\$21,550	\$547	3%		
P&I Fund	\$24,359	\$15,039	\$9,320	62%		
Building Fund	\$57,870	\$57,148	\$722	1%		
Kitchen Fund	\$26,295	\$9,160	\$17,135	187%		
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal	25	Other	0	YTD Cereal	1,346

\*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$142,515/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$278,494 as of November 30, 2018



Rev. Young can be reached at the church office, 410 257 7133; parsonage 443 646 5653; e-mail [revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:revtyoung@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 than not to get any at all.

Thanks, Tom Young

Deuteronomy is the fifth book in the old Testament. Moses explained that Deuteronomy means "Second" or "Repeated Law" and has been called the "Book of Remembrance". It covers a time frame of about one month.



# Voices in Praise Christmas Concert

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019 | 7PM  
FRIENDSHIP UMC  
22 W. FRIENDSHIP ROAD  
FRIENDSHIP, MD 20758



Handbell Choir rehearsal is moving to Tuesday evenings! Beginning January 8, 2019, the Handbell Choir will rehearse on Tuesdays from 6:15-7:15 pm in the Upper Narthex. The handbell choir needs a new ringer. Whether you are an experienced or inexperienced ringer please consider joining us. We are a fun group that enjoys making a joyful noise with handbells. Please contact Chrys Hill (410-257-7662) or any member of the handbell choir if interested.



## 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Herman Fletcher Memorial PRAYER BREAKFAST

8 am, Thursday, January 10, 2019

Trinity United Methodist Church, 1300 West Street, Annapolis, MD

RSVP: (410)222-4549 or (410)222-4937

[Brti.fletcher@goodnewsjail.org](mailto:Brti.fletcher@goodnewsjail.org) or [chase.wood@goodnewsjail.org](mailto:chase.wood@goodnewsjail.org)

*Join FUMC as we cheer on the Midshipmen!*

*Saturday 1/12*

*Meet at church at 1 pm to carpool*

*Purchase tickets at the stadium – CASH ONLY*

**Adults \$10, Youth (17 and under) \$5, Parking \$5 per vehicle**

*Info: Courtney Eversfield/cymc@friendshipmethodist.org*



**The deadline for submission of a completed Board of Trustees Scholarship Fund application for members of Friendship UMC, with a copy of your transcripts, is January 28, 2019.** Late and incomplete applications will not be considered. The award will be presented in February of each year to the qualifying student(s). For more information, see the Requirements and Application document, available from the church office during office hours.



## Bible Study



Rev. Tom is considering a daytime Bible Study at the church next year. Thoughts and feedback would be greatly appreciated. You can contact Rev. Tom by e-mail or by phone.

A Membership/Visitation Committee is being formed. The purpose of this committee is to review the membership list of Friendship UM Church, make contacts with members, formulate a new shut-in list, and make every effort to contact inactive members and those that contact with has been lost. This will include more communication about what it means to be a member and then visitations done in organized teams of two. If you are interested, please contact the church office. This committee will

Rev. Tom is considering the possibility of new worship experiences for different times on Sunday or different days of the week beginning next year. Your input would be appreciated. Contact Rev. Tom by e-mail or by phone.



We Want Your Thoughts

**Many thanks to all who donated to the Breakfast Club Christmas baskets. Friendship donated \$234.00 which helped to provide the 27 dinners given out to folks in the three mobile home estates which we serve. Thank you so much for your generosity!**