

THE WEEK AND BEYOND AT A GLANCE

Sunday, October 13		
Sunday Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Sunday School	9:45 am	Education Building
Flue Shot Clinic	12:00 noon	Older Adult Classroom
Youth Group Meeting	Fellowship Hall	Sanctuary
Monday, October 14		
Handbell Rehearsal	6:30-7:30 pm	Upper Narthex
Voices In Praise Rehearsals	6:30-8:30 pm	Music Room
Tabitha Circle Meeting	7:00-8:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Stephen Ministry Meeting	7:00 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Tuesday, October 15		
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:15-8:45 pm	Music Room
Thursday, October 17		
Morning Bible Study	10:30 am	Fellowship Hall
Evening Bible Study	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Sunday, October 20		
Sunday Morning Worship	8:30 & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
District Superintendent Installation	3:00 pm	St. Mark's, Hanover, MD

Our Service:

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean, bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org
Music Team	Sandy Melson Griese, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
Children & Youth Ministry	Courtney Eversfield, cymc@friendshipmethodist.org
8:30 Ushers	Bonnie Revell & Harry Hill
11:00 Ushers	Richard Chaney & Wheeler Green
11:00 Acolytes	Trent & Abby Doyle
Counters	Joyce Terry & Missy Zentz
Electronic Giving Counter	Larry Myers
Friendship Time	Psalm 19 Zone (Bonnie Dean)
Altar Guild for October	Renee Knopp 443-623-3796
Stephen Ministry Coord.	Paula Madden 443-262-2635 (C)
Pastor	Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr., revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org

Our Presence:	Worship Attendance Last Sunday	152
	Average Weekly Worship	170

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 - August 2019			
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Var %
General Fund	\$209,928	\$232,628	(\$22,700)	-10%
Missions Fund	\$16,623	\$15,342	\$1,281	8%
P&I Fund	\$11,248	\$18,653	(\$7,405)	-40%
Building Fund	\$35,480	\$45,021	(\$9,541)	-21%
Kitchen Fund	\$10,878	\$19,936	(\$9,058)	-45%
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal 35	YTD 1,125	Other 3	YTD 321

*Kitchen Fund Cash Balance = \$155,039/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$236,798 as of 8/31/2019



**Flu Vaccine Clinic at FUMC
TODAY at 12pm in the Older Adult Classroom
Walk-Ins Welcome! No Appointment Needed!
Ages 9 and up. High Dose available for age 65+**

What you need to know about Influenza...

Influenza (“the flu”) is a viral infection of the lungs and airways. The flu typically causes a fever, sore throat, and/or cough. Other signs of flu can include runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headache, and fatigue.

The flu tends to occur mostly in the fall and winter months in the United States. Many people get the flu each year. The flu can lead to hospitalization; the risk of hospitalization is highest for adults over 65 years, children under 5 years, and those with certain medical conditions.



Health Information Table and Blood Pressure Screenings

*Held on the 4th
Sunday of each
month*

**NEXT on Oct 27th
9:30am & 12pm
Fellowship Hall**

The flu is contagious. Most people are contagious from 1 day before showing symptoms to 5 to 7 days after symptoms begin. People who have the flu can spread the virus by sneezing or coughing. The droplets produced by a sneeze or cough can be inhaled by people who are nearby. People can also catch the flu by touching something with the virus on it, such as doorknobs or other surfaces.

Many people with the flu recover at home by resting, getting plenty of fluids, and taking an over-the-counter pain reliever as needed. There are prescription antiviral medications that can be used to treat the flu. These drugs can shorten the duration and lessen the severity of the illness; they are most effective when started soon after you are diagnosed with the flu. Your healthcare provider can determine if you should be treated with medication.

Prevention is the best protection against contracting the flu. Thorough and frequent handwashing, or use of an alcohol-based hand sanitizer, can reduce the germs that you are exposed to. Avoiding those sick with the flu can also reduce your risk of exposure. Receiving the influenza vaccine each fall can reduce your chances of contracting the flu. The vaccine is not effective against all strains of the flu virus. It is formulated each year to protect against the strains most likely to circulate that year.

<http://www.cdc.gov/flu>

<https://phpa.health.maryland.gov/influenza>

Health Questions? Information Requests?

Contact Sarah David, RN, BSN (Volunteer Health Ministry Coordinator)

Email: nurse@friendshipmethodist.org



The four Major Prophets are Isaiah, Ezekiel, Jeremiah and Daniel. The twelve Minor Prophets are Hosea, Obadiah, Nahum, Haggai, Joel, Jonah, Habakkuk, Zechariah, Amos, Micah, Zephaniah and Malachi. The book of Isaiah is larger than all the Minor Prophets combined. Jeremiah wrote two books.

The Annual Good News Jail and Prison Ministry annual golf tournament will be held on Thursday, October 17, 2019 at Compass Pointe Golf Course in Pasadena, MD. If you are interested in playing in this tournament, or would like more information, please contact Rob Sybert at 301-855-2479/robert.sybert@verison.net





Youth Group Friday

10/25

7:00pm -12:00am

Haunted house, scary movies, games, and more!
Meet at the church at 7:00pm to carpool to fairgrounds.
Bring \$15.00 if you want to go to the haunted house.
Boys bring a salty snack /Girls bring a sweet snack

Trunk or Treat

Saturday October 26

10am – 11:30am

Rain or Shine

Join us for our 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat!
We will have snacks, games, crafts, and more!
See you in your best costumes!!

If you are interested in signing up to bring a snack or participate in Trunk or Treat please let Courtney know!

Prize will be awarded to "Most Festive Trunk"!!!



The Tabitha Circle is collecting men's, women's and children's socks and underwear to benefit the Project ECHO Homeless Shelter in Prince Frederick. They are also in need of travel size items such as shampoo, conditioner, etc., the size you would get in hotels. Donations of such items can be placed in the box in the Fellowship Hall. The Tabitha Circle thanks you for helping to support the less fortunate in our Community this season.

Just a reminder that the Tabitha Circle continues to participate in the online fundraiser for RADA Knives and other products Updated catalogs can be found on the table under the Tabitha Circle's bulletin board. Feel free to place an online order for direct delivery to your home at any time ... just click on the link and select Friendship United Methodist Church.

<https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=1779114.8a239c>





VERY IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ AND NOTE!!!!

On Sunday, October 27th, our worship services, 8:30 & 11 a.m., will be centered around a celebration of God's Creation. The service will include a time of Blessing of The Animals. However, if you bring a pet, note, that this is a full worship service with singing, scripture readings, preaching, etc. It is encouraged that you bring a picture of your pet to be placed on a display table and picture board to be seen by everyone. If you want your individual pet blessed, there will be a time of just blessing of the animals at the end of the worship services, as well as 2 p.m. in the overflow parking lot for larger animals.



Come join us at our

Annual Fall

HAM & OYSTER SUPPER

Sat, Nov 2nd 3-5:30pm

Friendship United Methodist Church

22 W. Friendship Road, Friendship, MD
(located off Rt 2 on Rt 261 at circle)

Menu

Baked Ham, Hand Patted, Crispy Fried Oysters,
Homemade Potato Salad, Creamy Cole Slaw, Mashed Turnips,
Green Beans, Biscuits, Coffee, Iced Tea and Water

Prices

Adults (12 years & above) \$25.00
6 years-11 years \$10.00 * 5 years & under FREE
Carry-out available

**SAVE ROOM
FOR PIE!
\$2.00/SLICE**

For information call 410-257-7133 or
Visit our website - www.friendshipmethodist.org for more information

To Benefit - The Church Cemetery Fund



Board Game Tournament



Friday, November 8th
Fundraiser for FUMC Youth
\$10 Entry Fee (Competition)
\$5 Admission (Non-competition)
Prize awarded for 1st and 2nd place
Proceeds benefit the youth group!



Contact Courtney Eversfield (cymc@friendshipmethodist.org) with questions.