



## Vacation Bible School (VBS)

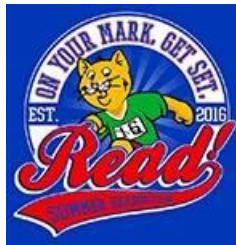
June 26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> \* 9:00 am. To 12:00 noon

For ages 3 through completion of 5<sup>th</sup> grade. This year's theme is Maker Fun Factory and will excite kids to learn about God through games, interactive Bible stories, music and more. If you have any questions, please contact or call Ev Klahr at: 443-550-3209. ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEER POSITIONS AND DONATION NEEDS HAVE BEEN FILLED!

**VBS REGISTRATION** appears to be having some technical difficulties and some children have not been entered into the system. There is a list in the Narthex and in the Fellowship Hall of children that have registered. If you don't see your child's name on the list, please contact Diane Alexander – [diane.fumc@hotmail.com](mailto:diane.fumc@hotmail.com).

Each year our Vacation Bible School chooses a mission project. This year, in conjunction with the Summer Breakfast Club (read more about this in the announcements), we will be collecting gently used and new children's books that will be distributed along with the breakfasts. There are collection boxes in the fellowship marked "Books".

**Summer Reading Camp South County** is for students struggling with skills. They may attend the public schools, or be home-schooled, or attend a private school. We as a community are only as strong as our weakest link, so helping struggling readers become proficient readers benefits us all. Helping these students changes their lives positively.



There is no expense to the students who attend camp. It costs about \$5,000 to \$6,000 to put on the camp and we exist on donations only—a cost of about \$200 per student.

**WE NEED YOUR HELP.** Our budget is low— you can make a donation to either the general camp fund, or to a specific area, or you can donate \$200 to sponsor a child. You will receive a receipt for your donation. Checks should be written to St. James' Parish with "Reading Camp Donation" on the memo line, and can be mailed to St. James Parish, 5757 Solomons Island Road, Lothian, MD 20711, with "Reading Camp" on the memo line. Contact Paula Davis at [southcounty.md.readingcamp@gmail.com](mailto:southcounty.md.readingcamp@gmail.com) with any questions or concerns.

## THE WEEK AND BEYOND AT A GLANCE

Sunday, June 18		
Morning Worship	8:30 am & 11:00 am	Sanctuary
Bible Study	9:45 am	Bishop Warman Room
Sunday School	9:45 am	Education Building
Monday, June 19		
Voices In Praise Rehearsals at SHS	5:00-9:00 pm	Southern High School
Private Voices Lessons	6:15 pm	Education Building
Tuesday, June 20		
SPRC Meeting	7:30 pm	Bishop Warman Room
Wednesday, June 21		
Voices In Praise Mini Tour	All Day	
Seniors Picnic Luncheon	12:00 noon	Fellowship Hall
Twin Beach Opioid Abuse Forum	6:30-8:30 pm	Northeast Community Ctr., Room A
Thursday, June 22		
Voices In Praise Mini Tour	All Day	
ASP Meeting	7:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Saturday, June 24		
Voices In Praise Spring Show	4:00 & 7:00 pm	Southern High School
Men's Softball v. First Lutheran Church	7:00 pm	DDP #3
Sunday, June 25		
Vacation Bible School Decorating	After 11:00 worship	Fellowship Hall, Sanctuary, etc.
Men's Softball v. Emmanuel Baptist Church	4:30 pm	DDP #3

**Welcome Bags for Our Visitors:** Welcome Friends! Friendship UMC is so glad that you are worshipping with us this morning! Please let an usher know if you are a new visitor - they have a welcome bag for you! Each bag contains information about the many programs and activities at FUMC, as well as special goodies. We hope you will visit with us and help us expand our circle of Friendship!

### Children's Message Volunteer

Do you love working with FUMC's youngest members? If so, here is an opportunity just for you! Volunteers are sought to assist with the presentation of the Children's message. Please sign up on the sheet located in the Narthex or see Pastor Wayne. The only requirements are a heart for children and a desire to share easy Bible lessons with them!

### The Twin Beach Opioid Abuse Awareness Committee Presents: "End Addiction Forum Series & Prescription Drop-Offs"

June 21, 2017 6:30-8:30 pm (more dates to come)

End Addition Forum: Stigma & Statistics

Each forum will consist of qualified speakers as well as a question and answer portion.

Individual Naloxone trainings will also be available for those interested.

Light refreshments will be served.

**Northeast Community Center, Room A**

Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>

12:00 noon

Friendship UMC Fellowship Hall

SENIORS LUNCHEON



Our Volunteer Parish Nurse, Sarah David,  
will present "Healthy Living for Seniors"

RSVP to Bonnie Dean 410-257-7133/[bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org](mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org)



### Next Sunday is "Nametag Sunday"

Be sure to pick up a nametag from one of our Communications Committee members as you enter the Narthex next Sunday, write your name down, and prepare to meet and greet some new faces!

### ZIM VIM 2017 (Zimbabwe Volunteers in Mission)

Help support the ZIM VIM 2017 Team that leaves on July 24<sup>th</sup>. Pick up a copy of the brochure "The Highway to Hanwa" in the Narthex to see how you can help make a difference today!

### 2017 Friendship UMC Graduates

If you are a 2017 graduate of high school, college, or some other program (or if you know one) please contact Bonnie Dean in the office with your information ([bsuedean@friendshipmethodsit.org](mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodsit.org) – name, where you graduated from, future plans, etc. We would like to honor our 2017 graduates in an upcoming service!



South County Faith Network

### Annual Jug Bay 5K

Saturday, June 24 \* 8:30 am

Course includes Glendening Nature Preserve Trails and Wrighton Road & Plummer Lane for more information and registration:

Info: [socofaith@gmail.com](mailto:socofaith@gmail.com)

[www.Jugbay5k.com](http://www.Jugbay5k.com)

410.206.1762

Serving God



By Serving Others



## Voices In Praise

**IT'S ALMOST HERE!!!** Voices In Praise will present *Sentimental Journey: A Celebration of Swing* on Saturday, June 24 at 4pm and 7pm at Southern High School in Harwood, Maryland. This concert and **silent auction** event will be a swingin' good time for everyone! **Voices In Praise is looking for event sponsors (individuals or businesses), as well as items for our silent auction.** If you can help, please contact Tina Wilkerson ([rtwilk92@yahoo.com](mailto:rtwilk92@yahoo.com) or 410-257-6396) or Holly Reynolds Lee ([HollyRLee@gmail.com](mailto:HollyRLee@gmail.com) or 301-728-1748). Thank you!

*Auction Opens at 3pm – closes at 7pm once 2nd show starts*

### Here is a sneak peek at some of the items in auction:

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| Dutch Wonderland tickets   | Movie Tickets           |
| Date night baskets         | Essential Oil Basket    |
| Baltimore Orioles tickets  | Babe Ruth Museum        |
| Nationals Baseball tickets | Baysox                  |
| Blue Crabs baseball        | Giant gift card         |
| Moon Bounce Rental         | FitBit                  |
| Spa gift certificate       | Handmade jewelry        |
| Quilted items              | Luray Caverns           |
| Babysitting packages       | Car wash package        |
| Go-Kart tickets            | Ski packages            |
| Roundtop adventure         | Art Work                |
| Newseum passes             | Ocean City condo rental |
| Laser Tag adventures       | Sweet Frog              |
| Ukulele                    | Kitchen items           |
| Panera Bread               | Rips gift certificate   |
| Sights & Sound theatre     | Washington Capitals     |
| Drone package              | Ledo pizza              |
| MD International raceway   | Several themed baskets  |
| AND MORE!!!                |                         |