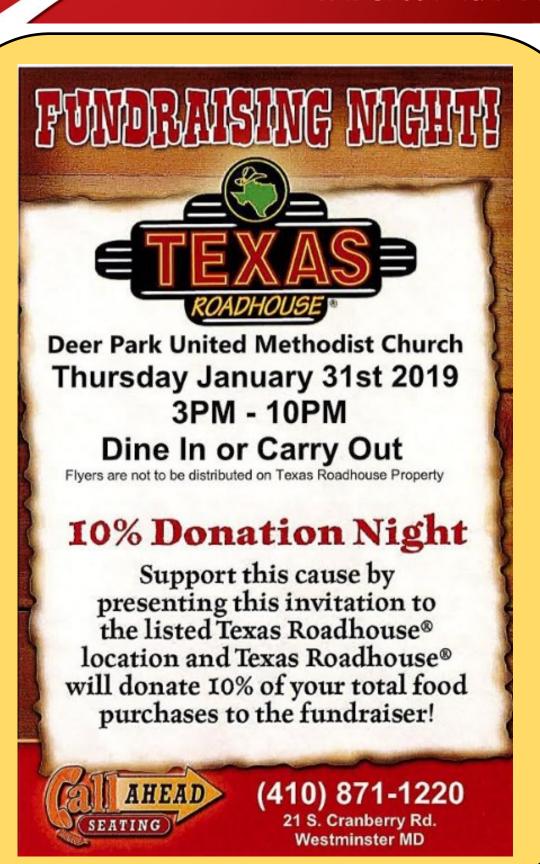
# The DPUMC Spirit

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AND UPCOMING EVENTS



#### **NEXT WEEK (FEBRUARY 3)**

**GREETERS:** John Moxley Donna Upton LITURGISTS: John Moxley Kim Jordan

COFFEE N' CHAT: Please sign-up! Please sign-up!

<u>THANK YOU</u> - I want to thank everyone for the cards and prayers for me and my family in the last few weeks. Special thanks to Ruth Myers and Keenan Hudson for singing "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" and Pastor John for a beautiful service at

Esther's funeral. Thanks to the UMW for the delicious luncheon for my family and friends. I really appreciate your kindness. Laszlo Trazkovich

**THANK YOU** – The Feed My Sheep, Deer Park Team is amazing! Every meal served includes friendly fellowship showing the love of Jesus with our neighbors in Eldersburg. Our guests leave delighted and satisfied. Praise God! Our thanks to Eileen Dix for sponsoring this lunch in memory of her husband, Maurice. May God bless this ministry outreach. Ruth Myers The next meal is Thursday, March 28.

"SOUPER" BOWL IX - 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Score: "Organ" Side: 164 / "Screen" Side: 114
Both sides are urged to go for a TOUCHDOWN by putting "SOUPER" BOWL on your shopping lists and bringing in soup (can or dry) and placing it on your side of the altar to help your team win! Remember all contributions go to CARROLL COUNTY FOOD SUNDAY to help provide warm food for our neighbors in need.

**2018 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** – Please pick-up your statement in the narthex following the service. Any questions see Ruth Myers, financial secretary.

**PRAYER BOOKLET** - Please pick up a booklet of suggested prayers for all to read in preparation for the World-Wide General Conference on February 23-26, which will be

held in St. Louis Missouri. Please pray for our pastor and the leadership of the church.

As 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 says: Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

<u>CAN YOU HELP?</u> - Even though Vacation Bible School is still months away, I'm looking for some items that will be used in the craft room. I need 70 caps off of laundry detergent bottles – like Tide, All, Gain, etc. I'm also looking for 15 men's button style shirts to be used to protect clothing while the children tie-dye. If you can help with any of these items, please leave them on the credenza in the Kids Club Room. Thanks so much. Nancy Baker

<u>LIBRARY NEWS</u> - Marik Youngblood left her Oklahoma hometown and the child she gave up for adoption to follow a career as an artist. Her father's death brought her back to a failing cattle ranch, a pile of debt and a haunting need to find the child she left behind. Read <u>The Wind Comes Sweeping</u> by Marcia Preston.

### ......THIS WEEK

**UMW MEETING** – Tuesday, January 29 @ 11:30AM at Mediterraneo Restaurant. Please let Janet Wallett know if you will be attending and if you need a ride, 410-861-8516.

**BIBLE STUDY** – "It's Not Supposed to Be This Way: finding unexpected strength *when* disappointments *leave* you shattered" by Lysa Terkeurst. Lysa is the president of Proverbs 31 Ministries. Wednesdays @ 1PM in the conference room through February 27. Contact is Pastor John.

**TEXAS ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER** – Thursday, January 31 from 4PM-10PM. Have dinner and the church receives 10% of your bill. Flyers available in the narthex. As part of the fundraiser we will have a **Bake Sale at the restaurant**. Please consider making a donation; cookies, brownies, cupcakes, candy, etc. Items can be dropped-off in the church office Thursday, Jan. 31, 11AM-3PM or at the restaurant after 4:00PM. Please have items wrapped for sale, with a suggested price and marked with your name. Ouestions see Bev Snyder or Ruth Horner.

## ......NEXT WEEK

<u>BLANKETS+ AND CHURCH WORLD SERVICE TOOLS</u> - February is the month to blanket the world with love. Your donation enables Church World Service to provide blankets, food, shelter, safe water and other tools of hope when disaster happens.

**TRUSTEES** - NO meeting in February.

**DPUMC MEN'S BREAKFAST** – Thursday, February 7, at Bob Evan's, beginning @ 7AM. Please bring a Bible or your electronic device. Pastor John

<u>SISTERHOOD MEETING</u> – Thursday, February 7 @ 7PM in the conference room. We will be making Valentine's Day cards for the Veterans at Loch Raven VA Medical Center in Baltimore. All ladies are invited to join us. Contact is Shirley Miller, President

## .....NEXT MONTH

<u>VALENTINE CARDS FOR VETERANS</u> –Due Sunday, February 10. To send a Valentine greeting, place your cards in the basket located in the narthex. No candy! Please address your envelopes "To a Veteran" and sign your name. Cards will be hand-delivered to the Loch Raven VA Hospital in Baltimore. Questions see anyone from the Sisterhood.

**WOMEN'S RETREAT: "Boundless Compassion"** - We have been invited! Westminster United Methodist Church, Saturday, February 16 from 9:30AM-2:30PM, cost \$10 (snow date Feb. 23). If interested see flyer in narthex. Contact is Ruth Myers, 410-386-0888.

## ...... ONGOING

**INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY** - If worship services are cancelled or changed a "ONE CALL NOW" message will be sent by 7:00AM. You can also check the church phone 410-848-2313 for an updated message or our website www.dpumc.net and also on Facebook.

**WESTMINSTER COLD WEATHER SHELTER** - A collection box is in the narthex for donations of socks & new underwear. Any questions see Ginny Weaver or Gene Myers.

**ONLINE GIVING** – To give electronically visit the church's website and select "About Us". You can make a one-time contribution or set up a recurring giving schedule.

If you have any questions or need assistance please contact Ruth Horner, Treasurer.

**PENNIES FOR MISSIONS** – The children collect change following the Children's Message. Please bring some change to make a change in the world! Thanks for your support!

**KIDZ CLUBHOUSE** - Helpers are needed. See Kathie Browning. Thanks.

<u>CARDS</u> – Bring your used birthday/holiday cards to church, to be taken to ARC, where they use them to make tags, etc. Look for the pink & blue gingham box in the narthex.

"WEEKLY PLANNER"/EVENTS CALENDAR - If you have a church-related event that you would like to appear in the Carroll County Times, information must be submitted at least two Sunday's prior to the desired appearance date. Please send to Joy Grimm at joyg1@comcast.net or leave in the Communications mailbox in the church office.

Please submit bulletin announcements by Thursday, 11:00AM to the Office Prayer Chain: Shirley Miller (Coordinator) 410-861-8292
Chain I Kate Gorsuch 410-876-2745 / Chain II Brenda Six 410-756-2507

Bulletin Copying: Donna Gayhardt -- Flag raising & lowering: Gary Saylor

## "SOUPER" BOWL IX 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Update

At the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter, the score is "Organ" side: 164 / "Screen" side: 114. What a quarter, the soup "poured in" from both sides, but the "Organ" side jumped out to take the lead. Unfortunately with the no show snow 1<sup>st</sup> quarter the numbers are slightly lower than previous years, but this reporter has heard that anything is possible with God and fully expects to see a high scoring 3<sup>rd</sup>& 4<sup>th</sup> quarter. As for a prediction of which side will have the most containers of soup it's definitely too early to call. But we do know who the real winners will be – the folks at Carroll County Food Sunday. In fact we heard them sending up cheers for both sides this past week. Remember let's go for those TOUCHDOWNS by putting "SOUPER" BOWL on your shopping list and bringing in as many containers of soup as you can. Tune in Sunday, January 27 for continuing coverage of the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of "SOUPER" BOWL IX.

This update brought to you by Deer Park Soup Central. (All contributions go to Carroll County Food Sunday)

#### Deer Park Welcomes Guests!

#### Worship Services @ 8:30 & 11:00 AM

Fifth Sundays: One service @ 10:00AM (Sunday School @ 8:45AM)

If you are here for the first time today, you are welcomed by the God who welcomes us all. Please help us become acquainted with you by filling out a pew guest card and placing it in the offering plate or handing it to an usher, a greeter or the pastor. (Carnations for visitors are provided alternate weeks by Bowman's Home & Garden Center). Children are welcome and encouraged to share in worship. There is nursery care available during both worship services for children ages 5 and under. Or you may enjoy the service with your child in our Sanctuary Observation Room, which looks directly into the sanctuary. This space is equipped with soft lighting and rockers. Speakers ensure you will not miss any of the service. Please don't hesitate to ask an usher for help.

Nursery care is also available during the Sunday school hour for children under 3. The Nursery is located through the double doors off the foyer, a short distance down the hallway on the left. During the 8:30 worship service, all children Kindergarten thru 3rd grade are welcome to participate in our Kidz Clubhouse, which meets immediately after the Children's Message.

Restrooms are located in the hallway to the left of the Deer Park Road entrance. A baby changing station is located in both the women's and men's restrooms.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ...... ..Sundays, 9:45 to 10:45AM

Children's Classes meet in the Sunday School Wing.

Pastor's Class meets in the room next to the library.

The Seekers' Class meet in the Conference Room.

CHOIR PRACTICE ...... .... Wednesdays, 7-8:30PM — All are welcome. Questions see Justin.

#### DEER PARK STAFF

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Church Office Phone: 410-848-2313

Building use calendar website is http://calendar.yahoo.com/dpumccalender. To schedule an event, please contact Cindy Saylor at the church office.

Look for Deer Park UMC on FACEBOOK. Any questions or to add something add contact Frank Pereira; FPereira@aol.com or 410-857-9467.

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