

SUNDAY, March 24, 2019

The DPUMC Spirit

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AND UPCOMING EVENTS

GREETERS:

John Moxley and Bill & Wilma Welling

LITURGIST:

Gary Saylor / Joy Grimm

COFFEE N' CHAT:

Please sign up!

MARCH 31 - ONE SERVICE @ 10AM

THE VOICES OF LENT - During the Sundays of Lent, a Wreath of Thorns is at the front of the sanctuary, with six purple candles and a white Christ candle in the center. Each week there will be a monolog by a different biblical character whose life was changed by meeting Jesus. At the conclusion of the monolog, a candle is snuffed out until all candles are extinguished, save the Christ candle alone, which will be extinguished during the Good Friday service. On Easter Sunday, there will be a short presentation and all candles will be relit in celebration of the Christ Light that will never die.

EASTER BASKETS - Each year *The Shepherd's Staff* distributes baskets to celebrate the Easter message for children. A list of suggested items is in the narthex. To donate, purchase items of your choice and place them in the "Shepherd's Staff Easter Basket" box in the narthex. If you choose to assemble your own basket, be sure to mark it with the gender (Boy/Girl) & age (0-13). Baskets will be delivered the week of April 8.

EASTER LILIES - Order forms on the table in the narthex. Due Sunday, April 7.

YARD SALE INFO - Saturday, May 18 (7AM-2PM) is the 8th Annual Yard Sale. This huge fundraiser needs lots of helpers. There will be a Pancake Breakfast, Bake Table, Church Yard Sale Table (donations needed) and Lunch. Please contact Bill Aldridge or Cindy Saylor to see how you can help. Thanks.

..... THIS WEEK

SAVE THE DATE - The Children's Ministry team is proud to announce "*The Mad Hatter's Tea*" on Sunday, April 28 @ 2PM in the church's social hall. Good fun, food, flavored teas, fellowship and fabulous entertainment by Justin and Gina! Tickets go on sale **TODAY** between the services. The cost is \$10.00. **EVERYONE** is welcome. Proceeds go toward the cost of the 2019 VBS. Contacts Kathie Browning or Nancy Baker.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE - Monday, March 25 at Deer Park UMC from 2PM-7PM, in the social hall. Please call the American Red Cross 800-733-2767 to schedule your life saving donation or Gary Saylor 443-465-1023. Thanks for saving a life!

SPRC MEETING - Monday, March 25 @ 7PM in the conference room.

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY - Tuesday, March 26 @ 7PM or Wednesday, March 27 @ 1PM. The book is "Lent: The Gift of Creation" by Thomas Ehrich. Contact is Pastor John.

FEED MY SHEEP LUNCH - Thursday, March 28, 10AM-2PM at Wesley Freedom UMC Eldersburg. Meal served at 12 noon. All are welcome. This month's meal is sponsored by Eileen Dix in memory of her son, Timothy E. Dix. Questions contact Ruth Myers.

..... NEXT WEEK

SUNDAY, MARCH 31 - A fifth Sunday, one service @ 10AM. Sunday school at 8:45AM.

CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOS - FINAL CALL: any family photos not yet submitted, must be given to Cindy Saylor no later than March 31. A make-up picture for SPRC from 2018, will be taken right after the 10AM worship service Sunday, March 31.

UMCOR SUNDAY - March 31 is a Church-wide Special Sunday (*formerly One Great Hour of Sharing*). Your gifts lay the foundation for the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) to share God's love with communities everywhere. This special offering underwrites UMCOR's "costs of doing business." Allowing UMCOR to keep the promise that 100% of a gift to a specific UMCOR project goes to that project, not administrative costs. Donations accepted for the next several weeks. Thanks for your support.

TRUSTEES MEETING - Monday, April 1 @ 7PM.

DPUMC MEN'S BREAKFAST - Thursday, April 4, at Bob Evan's, beginning @ 7AM. Please bring a Bible or your electronic device. Pastor John.

SISTERHOOD MEETING - Thursday, April 4 @ 7:00PM in the conference room.

We will be making Easter baskets for Shepherd's Staff. All ladies are invited to join us. Contact is Shirley Miller, President.

WOMEN'S RETREAT "Living the Sweet Life" - Sandy Mount UMC, Saturday, April 6, 9:00AM-3:00PM, cost \$25 per person. If interested see flyer in narthex

..... **SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK 2019**

PALM SUNDAY - April 14, services @ 8:30 & 11:00AM.

HOLY THURSDAY - April 18, service @ 7:30PM in the sanctuary.

Soup & Bread Meal @ 6:00 in the social hall.

GOOD FRIDAY - April 19, service @ 7:30PM in the sanctuary.

EASTER SUNDAY - April 21

Sunrise Service @ 6:00AM in the Deer Park Pavilion with Trinity Lutheran,
includes Holy Communion (bring a flashlight).

Sanctuary Services 8:30AM & 11:00AM

Easter Party & Egg Hunt during Sunday School hour (9:45-10:45AM)

..... **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 - Collection boxes in the narthex for food items and socks & new underwear. Contacts Ginny Weaver & Janet Walleth.

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.

CARDS - 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.

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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: Cindy Saylor -- Flag raising & lowering: Gary Saylor



The Conrads Church Planting in Hong Kong, China

Immediate Requests

- Praise the Lord we received
permanent residence!

Ongoing Requests

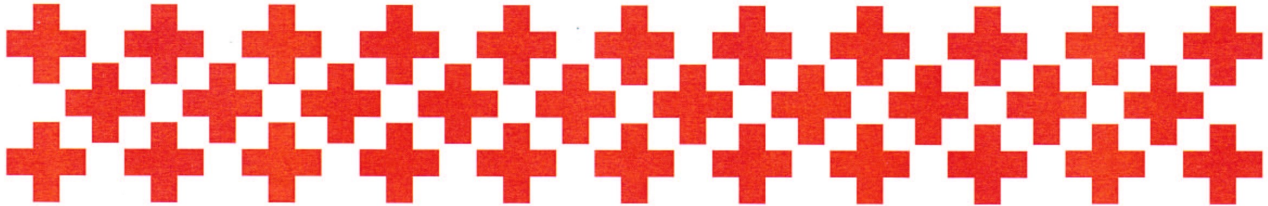
- Pray that God will raise up **Chinese**
young men to mentor to serve

Please pray for Joy Grimm's nephew, Matthew Conrad and Family,

Missionaries to Hong Kong

American Red Cross

Give blood. Help save lives.



Blood Drive
Deer Park United
Methodist Church

Church Hall
2205 Sykesville Road
Westminster, MD 21157

Monday, March 25, 2019
2:00 PM to 6:30 PM

Please call 1 800 RED CROSS (800-733-2767) to schedule your life saving appointment time.



Scan to schedule
an appointment.

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

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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 CLASSESSundays, 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

Pastor: Pastor John Dean -- Phone: 240-285-5965 Email: jdpredacher@outlook.com

Director of Music: Justin Klaverweiden Email: bringme2life927@aol.com

Administrative Assistant: Cindy Saylor Email: csaylor@dpumc.net

Nursery Care Provider: Randi Carlisle

Church Office Hours: Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays 11AM-3PM

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.

WWW.DPUMC.NET

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