



The DPUMC Spirit

Sunday, November 14, 2021

Church Announcements for Sunday, November 14, 2021

8:30AM

GREETERS: Joy & George Grimm,
John Moxley & Cindy Davis

LITURGISTS: Terry Caudill

11:00AM

Donna Upton, Randi Carlisle
& Cindy Saylor

Keenan Hudson

Next Week (November 21)

GREETERS: Joy & George Grimm,
John Moxley & Cindy Davis

LITURGISTS: Joy Grimm

Donna Upton, Randi Carlisle
& Cindy Saylor

Patty Pagano

THANK YOU – Thanks to everyone who participated in last Sunday's Trunk or Treat, especially the volunteers! All the costumes were great! The kids and the adults were awesome! There was a lot of creative ideas on the table decorations that were loaded with treats! Fun was had by all! Jill & Melissa

THANK YOU - For all the thoughts & prayers & cards while I was in the hospital and at home recuperating. They were very beneficial to my recovery. I love my church family! It's good to be back! John Moxley

THANK YOU - With joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us, we thank you, our church family at Deer Park. Your support through prayers, cards, phone calls and all other communication ways is very much appreciated. With "You Tube" Sunday services, we do keep "in touch." All praise and thanks to God for His countless gifts of love. Ruth & Gene Myers

COFFEE & CHAT - There is a signup sheet in the narthex. If you would like to contribute and share, please bring your goodies in a separate wrapped sandwich bag or wrapped individually or you can make a donation. No open containers of food. Thanks for participating in this fellowship ministry. Thanks to Carol Ann Bryan and Gary Saylor for providing the coffee and setting up last week and in the weeks ahead. It's greatly appreciated!

BOX OF JOY - The Regina Caeli Academy Homeschoolers that meet here on Mondays & Thursdays have invited us to participate in their Christmas project, sending an underprivileged child a "Box of Joy". Boxes are in the narthex; the instructions are inside the box. **Due back Nov. 17.** Any questions see Pastor John or Cindy Saylor.

LOST & FOUND ITEMS - Please look over the items on the "Lost & Found" shelf, and the rack below, in the narthex; if there is something that belongs to you, please take it home. Items that are left will be disposed of after services on December 28.

ADOPTING A FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS - For the Angel Tree Program. We have adopted 2 children, boys ages 3 & 11. Gifts of food are provided by The Salvation Army. We have a list of suggested gifts. If you are interested in helping to provide Christmas joy for these children, see the paper on the table in the narthex or Cindy Saylor. Thank You!

CRAFTERS – All you 'crafty' folks out there, get your hands moving! We need homemade crafts to sell in the "Craft Room" at our Christmas Bazaar, Saturday, December 4. It will be here before we know it! Contact Bev Snyder, 443-789-0334. Thank You!

NEARLY NEW & SILENT AUCTION ITEMS – Do you have household items that you no longer need or want? How about donating them to the Nearly New Room or the Silent Auction for the Bazaar. No clothes or furniture (lamps & pictures are appropriate) for the New Nearly. Silent Auctions items should be new and valued at least \$10. All proceeds from these two activities benefit the church. Items can be dropped off when the church is open, place them in the Social Hall behind the curtain on the right side. Please mark items Nearly New or Silent Auction or Craft Room. Questions, Nearly New: Kathie Browning 410-627-4347 or Nancy Baker 443-564-0459. Silent Auction or Crafts: Bev Snyder 443-789-0334. Thanks in advance for your support!

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL COLLECTION – Now thru December 5. There is a donation box in the narthex. Items needed are listed on the flyer available in the narthex. NO GLASS ITEMS and must be new. NO wrapped gifts. Thank you! Janet Wallett

.....**THIS WEEK**

BIBLE STUDY - Wednesdays @ 1PM. No sign up, just show up! Contact is Pastor John.

.....**NEXT WEEK**

THANKSGIVING SERVICE - Tuesday, November 23 @ 7:00PM at Deer Park UMC. Hopefully, this allows the cooks and those who travel on Thanksgiving Eve, to worship with us. Trinity Lutheran & Sandy Mount UMC will be joining us. Please bring a non-perishable food item to support Carroll County Food Sunday.

4-WEEK ADVENT STUDY – “Incarnation: Rediscovering the Significance of Christmas” by Adam Hamilton a video presentation. Two sessions:

- 1) Sundays beginning November 21 during the Seekers adult class @ 9:45AM in the conference room. Discussion leader is Joy Grimm.
- 2) Wednesdays beginning November 24 during Pastor’s weekly Bible study @ 1:00PM in the conference room. Contact is Pastor John.

SANCTUARY & CHURCH DECORATING - Saturday, November 27 beginning at 9AM to prepare for Advent. Please come if you can lend a helping hand. Please see the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Thank You! Cindy Saylor, Bazaar Chairperson

.....**LATER THIS MONTH & BEYOND**

ADVENT SUNDAYS

- 1st Sunday, Nov 28 Services 8:30 & 11AM.
- 2nd Sunday, Dec. 5 Services 8:30 & 11AM.
- 3rd Sunday, Dec. 12 Services 8:30 & 11AM.
- 4th Sunday, Dec. 19 One Service 10AM.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING - To shut-ins. Please see the sign-up sheet if you are interested in going. Any questions see Cindy Saylor.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE – Tuesday, Dec 7 at Calvary UMC from 2:00-7:30PM, 3939 Gamber Road, Finksburg. Please call to schedule your life saving donation to Gary Saylor 443-465-1023 or Dorothy Cotoia 443-522-2248, or go to redcrossblood.org/rapidpass. Thanks for saving a life!

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA –Saturday, December 18 @ 12noon. As of today we have reached our goal for this year. We have 208 wreaths assigned to Deer Park. 33 more than needed. Great job everyone! Mel Blizzard

.....**ONGOING**

WORSHIP SERVICES – The **8:30AM** & **11AM** worship services are now in **the sanctuary** (*until warmer weather returns*), both are live streamed on YouTube and available on our website later in the day. We are following CDC guidelines. An offering box is at the entrance of the sanctuary for your offering.

BUILDING USE - Regina Caeli Academy uses all the upstairs rooms on Mondays & Thursdays. All persons entering the church on those days need to check in at the office. Information about the school can be found @ <https://www.rcahybrid.org>.

VIDEO CAMERA TRAINING – We want to have as many people as possible trained.

If you have an interest in helping with our online ministry, please let Pastor John know.

DONATION BOXES - In the narthex for food items and socks & new underwear. Contact is Janet Wallett.

AMERICAN FLAGS - If you have a torn or worn American Flag to be discarded, please leave it in the church office. Carroll Hospice is collecting them for the "Stars for our Troops" program. Contact is Gary Saylor (443-465-1023). www.starsforourtroops.org.

CHURCH PROJECTS – We’ve done a lot & have more to do. *Would you like to make a donation towards a special project?* Just designate your donation. Funds needed for the **Media** system, **Social hall AC**, outside **Stairs** replacement and the **Driveway repair**. Thanks for your support.

BRING YOUR CAN TO CHURCH - Or box or plastic jar--of food! Let’s keep the grocery cart full with our donations for Carroll County Food Sunday by bringing at least one non-perishable item every Sunday. Donors are encouraged to give the kind of nutritious food they would serve their own families. The CCFS Wish List includes: Peanut Butter; Jelly; Hot & Cold Cereal; Canned Soup (non-tomato preferred); Beans (red & black); Pancake Mix; Pancake Syrup. Thanks to all for reaching out to our neighbors in need.

FEED MY SHEEP – Gary Saylor has taken on the leadership role for the Deer Park Team. If you want to help, contact Gary on 443-465-1023. Financial donations continue to help provide food and supplies. Checks can be made out to Wesley Freedom UMC and on the memo line put Feed My Sheep Cluster. Thanks.

ONE CALL NOW - We use this system to send out prayer requests and church information. If you are not receiving phone calls and/or emails contact Cindy Saylor.

HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT - Deer Park Lions Club loans wheelchairs, walkers, crutches canes & commodes, free of charge. Contact Deer Park Lion Ron @ 410-549-1095.

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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
Flag raising & lowering: Gary Saylor