



## The DPUMC Spirit

Sunday, April 3, 2022

### Church Announcements for Sunday, April 3, 2022

**8:30AM**

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

**LITURGISTS:** Mary Newcomb

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**11:00AM**

Randi Carlisle  
& Cindy Saylor

Keenan Hudson

#### Next Week (April 3)

Randi Carlisle  
& Cindy Saylor

Tina Nelson

The altar vases are filled with dry sticks instead of flowers to recognize the solemnity & repentance of the Lenten season. Lent began on Ash Wednesday, a season of reflection, repentance & preparation before the celebration of Easter. By observing the 40 days of Lent (*not counting Sundays*), Christians symbolically replicate Jesus Christ's sacrifice & withdrawal into the desert for 40 days. Lent is represented by purple (*which drapes our cross*) and is often marked by fasting from food & festivities or by 'giving up' our time or money in service to others. We look forward to Easter morning, when the altar will be filled with flowers and we celebrate Christ's glorious resurrection victory.

**EASTER LILY FORMS** - Order forms are available in the narthex. Due **TODAY, April 3!**

**CANDY FOR EASTER EGG HUNT** - On Easter Sunday during the Sunday School hour, we have our annual Easter Egg Hunt. All Children are invited. We need individually wrapped candy to go in the eggs. There is a box in the narthex for your donations.

We have the plastic eggs but we need some "Bunnies" to help hide them. Please contact Kathie Browning on 410-627-4347 if you can help. Thank you!

**SIGHT & SOUND THEATER** - Bus trip to see "*David*" on Saturday, June 25! We only have 2 openings left, so if you'd like to be added to the list, please let us know. Any questions, please see Cindy (410-375-5955) or Gary Saylor (443-465-1023).

#### .....**THIS WEEK**

**CHOIR** - Choir practice every Wednesday@ 7PM until Easter! We need your voices! We are working on special music for Palm Sunday & Easter Sunday. Won't you join us?

**SISTERHOOD MEETING** - Thursday April 7, 6-8PM @ Baugher's Restaurant. The plan is to eat dinner first and then have our meeting. All ladies are welcome! Please come with your thoughts and ideas of projects for our group. Please call or text Shirley Miller on 410-259-2971 with your name and let her know if you will be able to attend. Thanks!

#### .....**HOLY WEEK**

**PALM SUNDAY** - April 10 services @ 8:30 & 11:00AM.

**HOLY THURSDAY** - April 14 service @ 7:00PM in the sanctuary.

**GOOD FRIDAY** - April 15 service @ 7:00PM in the sanctuary.

**EASTER SUNDAY** - April 17

Sunrise Service 6:00AM in the Deer Park Pavilion.  
*includes Holy Communion (bring a flashlight).*

Sanctuary Services 8:30AM & 11:00AM.

***Easter Egg Hunt*** during children's Sunday School hour.

..... **ONGOING**

**WORSHIP SERVICES** – **8:30AM & 11AM** services are both in the sanctuary and are live streamed on YouTube and available on our website later in the day. We are following CDC guidelines. A box is at the entrance of the sanctuary for your offering.

**WEBSITE EFFORT:** We are updating and refreshing the website! Please visit, [www.dpumc.net](http://www.dpumc.net), and let us know if you like it, have updates, or ideas for improvement. George ([holysmoke1953@gmail.com](mailto:holysmoke1953@gmail.com)) and Jill ([jjanocha@yahoo.com](mailto:jjanocha@yahoo.com)).

**INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY** - A "ONE CALL NOW" message is sent by 7:00AM Sunday morning, if worship services are cancelled or changed. You can also check the church phone 410-848-2313 for an updated message.

**COFFEE & CHAT** - There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. If you want to contribute, please bring your goodies individually wrapped or in separate sandwich bags. No open containers of food. Donations are always welcome. Thanks for participating in this fellowship ministry. Thanks to Carol Ann Bryan & Gary Saylor for the coffee & setting up.

**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 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 Gary Saylor (443-465-1023). [www.starsforourtroops.org](http://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 a sound upgrade to the **Media** system & the new **Heat Pump** for the office. 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, 443-465-1023. Financial donations continue to help provide food and supplies. Please mark your donation for Feed My Sheep. 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

# LEARN WITH US!

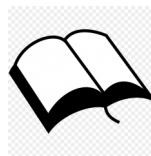
## Classes for children & adults



### CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL -

Sundays @ 9:45AM for children of all ages. We start in the sanctuary with music and then go to the classrooms for learning & crafts!

We also have a virtual option; if interested, just join: [meet.google.com/vtf-yeha-zrk](https://meet.google.com/vtf-yeha-zrk)

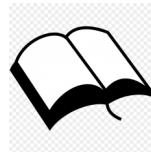


### *Seekers* – A STUDY GROUP FOR ADULTS

Sundays from 9:45-10:45AM in the Conference Room. We are currently reading and discussing Max Lucado's "Life Lessons from James." All are welcome, any morning! Study books are available.

Contact person: Joy Grimm <[joyg1@comcast.net](mailto:joyg1@comcast.net)>

NOTE: Seekers class will break for the summer on May 15 final class until Fall!



Wednesdays @ 1PM through April 13.

The book is "*EMBRACING THE UNCERTAIN*" by Magrey R. deVega.

No need to sign up, just show up!

Contact is Pastor John; Office: 410-848-2313



## Easter Lily Order Form

Easter lilies will be placed on the altar on Easter Sunday “*in memory of*” or “*in honor of*” a loved one and their name will be listed as part of the Easter bulletin. To purchase one or more lilies (\$12.00 each), please complete the form below and place it and your payment in an envelope which can be deposited in the collection plate.

*Orders must be received by April 3*

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### Sanctuary Lily Order Form

**Number of Lilies** \_\_\_\_\_ **Amount Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Honor of:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**In Memory of:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Given by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Deer Park UMC's Calendar

April 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>27</b></p> <p><a href="#">WORSHIP SERVICES</a> 8:30AM and 11:00AM Seekers Adult Bible Study 9:45AM</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>COUNCIL MEETING 7:00PM Conference Room <a href="#">WORSHIP TEAM MEETING 7:00pm</a></p>	<p><b>29</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>Lenten Bible Study 1:00pm EMBRACING THE UNCERTAIN</p>	<p><b>31</b></p>	<p><b>1</b></p>	<p><b>2</b></p>
<p><b>3</b></p> <p><a href="#">WORSHIP SERVICES</a> 8:30AM and 11:00AM Seekers Adult Bible Study 9:00AM</p>	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b></p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>Lenten Bible Study 1:00pm EMBRACING THE UNCERTAIN ***** <b>CHOIR PRACTICE 7:00pm</b></p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>SISTERHOOD MEETING Baugher's Restarant 6-8 PM</p>	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p>
<p><b>10</b></p> <p>9:45am Seekers Adult Sunday School Class <a href="#">WORSHIP SERVICES</a> <b>PALM SUNDAY</b></p>	<p><b>11</b></p>	<p><b>12</b></p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Lenten Bible Study 1:00pm EMBRACING THE UNCERTAIN ***** <b>CHOIR PRACTICE 7:00pm</b></p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p><b>HOLY THURSDAY SERVICE 7:00pm</b></p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p><b>GOOD FRIDAY TENEBRAE SERVICE 7:00PM</b></p>	<p><b>16</b></p>
<p><b>17</b></p> <p><b>EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES</b> Sunrise at 6:00AM in the outdoor Pavilion, 8:30 &amp; 11:00AM in the Sanctuary 9:45AM Seekers Adult Study Class 9:45AM Children's Easter Egg hunt</p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>19</b></p>	<p><b>20</b></p>	<p><b>21</b></p>	<p><b>22</b></p>	<p><b>23</b></p>
<p><b>24</b></p> <p><a href="#">WORSHIP SERVICES</a> 8:30AM and 11:00AM Seekers Adult Bible Study 9:45AM</p>	<p><b>25</b></p>	<p><b>26</b></p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b></p>	<p><b>29</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p>