THIS WEEK AT DPUMC

FEED MY SHEEP – Thursday, May 26. Gary Saylor is the contact for the Deer Park Team. Any questions, contact Gary, 443-465-1023. Financial donations are needed to help provide food and supplies. Please mark your donation for Feed My Sheep.

They are in need of carryout containers. If you have any plastic tubs, like butter or lunchmeat size, please bring them in and give to Cindy or Gary Saylor. Thanks.

8:30AM <u>11:00AM</u>

GREETERS: Joy & George Grimm, Randi Carlisle

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<u>WORSHIP SERVICES</u> – Today, May 22 begins our **8:30AM service in the pavilion.** The **11AM service continues in the sanctuary**. Both services are live streamed on YouTube and then available on our website later in the day. We are following the CDC guidelines for safety. We are taking attendance. Masks are optional, but if you'd like one we do have them available. An offering box is available at both services.

<u>GRADUATES & RECOGNITION</u> - Do we have anyone graduating from High School or College this year? If you know of someone, please let Cindy Saylor know so she can give you a form to fill out. Recognition of the graduates will be on June 19 at both services.

..... Next Month

PENTECOST SUNDAY, JUNE 5 – Pentecost commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other believers, 50 days after Easter. As described in the Book of Acts, the Holy Spirit descended "like a strong wind" and "like wildfire" above the believers' heads. You are invited to **wear red** on this day to symbolize the Holy Spirit coming upon us as flames of fire!

COMBINED TRUSTEES & FINANCE – The scheduled meeting for Monday, June 6 has been **postponed**. We will let you know when rescheduled. Contact is Pastor John.

VBS 2022 – Monday – Friday, June 20-24, 6:00-8:15PM. A light meal is offered at 5:15PM each evening. This year's theme is "Knights of North Castle: *Quest for the King's Armor*". North Castle is hidden in a frozen land. The King's valiant Knights are on a quest in search of the King's Armor. But the armor isn't what they think it is. Children are invited to be strong in the Lord and in the strength of God's power by exploring how we put on the armor of God. Kids will take on the role of brave Knights. They'll explore Old & New Testament stories and discover different pieces of protective armor—the Belt of Truth, the Breastplate of Justice, the Shoes of Peace, the Shield of Faith and the Helmet of Salvation—at work in the lives of familiar Bible characters, and explore how that armor works in their own lives as they follow and serve God. VBS is for children 3 years old thru middle school. Registration is available on the website, or see Cindy Saylor for a form. Contact is Kathie Browning.

Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Ephesians 6:10

SIGHT & SOUND THEATER – Bus trip to see "David" on Saturday, June 25 is finalized! We are really looking forward to it! Any questions, please see Cindy (410-375-5955) or Gary Saylor (443-465-1023).

..... Ongoing

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

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 is on summer vacation, so the upstairs rooms are no longer in use. ABC Care's <u>Deer Park Adventure Camp</u> runs June 13 - August 31 (Mondays – Fridays from 7AM-6:15PM), they mostly use the pavilion, but depending on the weather they may also use the social hall. Any concerns please see Cindy Saylor.

VIDEO CAMERA TRAINING – We need people to operate the cameras for videoing of both services. We want to have as many people as possible trained. If you have an interest in helping with our online ministry, please see Pastor John or Keenan.

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.

<u>CHURCH PROJECTS</u> – 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.

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.

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

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Prayers of the People

Our prayers continue for the loved ones of the 13 people shot Saturday in Buffalo, NY -- victims of a horrific hate crime. We also devote ourselves to ending racism. "Until we stand united against hatred of any kind we are all enslaved, we are all imprisoned, we are all bound, we are all at risk. No one is free until we are all free. This is our common and corporate work," said Bishop LaTrelle Easterling. "This is our universal and uniting call. We cannot pretend this is someone else's responsibility -- it is OUR responsibility."

We pray for the person killed and the five others who were wounded when a gunman opened fire at **Geneva Presbyterian Church** in California on May 15.

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



Last day for children's classes is Sunday, May 22, 2022



Seekers – a study group for adults

Sundays from 9:45-10:45AM in the Conference Room.

May 15 was our last class before summer break. We will resume meeting in the Fall.

Contact person: Joy Grimm <joyg1@comcast.net>





Wednesdays @ 1PM
The book is "The Gospel of John."
No need to sign up, just show up!
Contact is Pastor John; Office: 410-848-2313



Dear Families,

We at Deer Park UM Church are excited to tell you about our upcoming Vacation Bible School program, so please mark June 20 - June 24, 2022 on your calendar. Our program is for ages 3 years through and including those entering 6th grade. You won't want your children to miss

the fun!

Our program is called "Knights of North Castle: Quest for the King's Armor" and will be hosted by the Armorer and Sparky the Dragon Puppet who is very funny. Each evening they will use humor and fun to lay the foundation for the session's activities during the opening assembly and then reinforce what the children have learned from each session in the closing assembly. North Castle is hidden in a frozen land. The King's valiant knights are on a quest in search of the King's armor. The children will take on the role of brave knights and they will learn to be strong in the Lord and they will learn the strength of God's power. They'll explore Old and New Testament stories and discover different pieces of protective armor representing truth, justice, peace, faith and salvation. After a high-energy opening assembly time our knights will make their way through 3 stations Music, Crafts, and Story Telling and then back to their classrooms for Reflection Time. The evening will end up back where it started, in the sanctuary, for our closing assembly.

Please plan to join us from 5:15 to 5:45 PM in our social hall each evening for a free light supper to help minimize the evening rush. We do ask that all children be supervised by a parent and/or guardian until it is time for our "official" Vacation Bible School opening time of 6:00 PM. As always, there will be a DAILY Sign-in/Sign-out sheet with your child's classroom leader in the sanctuary that you will be asked to complete. We will be meeting and dismissing from the sanctuary daily to assure your child's safety. We do ask that parents accompany their children from the meal to the sanctuary. Please plan to sign your children in with their leaders between 5:45 and 6:00 PM. Please plan to return by 8:00 PM to share the daily closing with your children.

Each day your child will be invited to wear the color of the day and to participate in our mission for the week. Our mission will be to collect non-perishable food items for children in need in our area through Carroll County Food Sunday. The color of the day and daily food item is listed below.

<u>COLOR</u> <u>MISSION</u>

Monday: Red Complete Pancake Mix (requires only water), Syrup

Tuesday: Orange Macaroni & Cheese

Wednesday: Green Peanut Butter

Thursday: Blue Kids Cereal

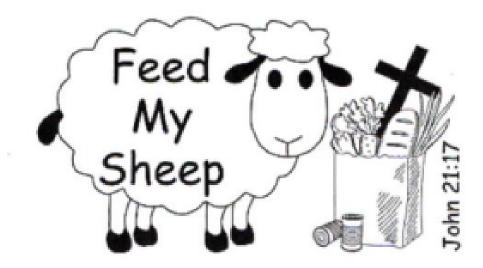
Friday: Purple Spaghetti, Spaghetti sauce

Deer Park UMC Presents: "The Knights of North Castle" For ages 3 years through those entering 6th grade June 20th – June 24th

Where: Deer Park UMC 2205 Sykesville Road Westminster MD 21157

Light Meal at 5:15 Vacation Bible School from 6—8:15 p.m.

Child's Name			
Address			
Birth DateAge	Last Grade Comp	leted	
Parent/Guardian			
Address (if different from ch	ild)		
Home Phone	Cell Phone		
Email address			
Emergency Contact (other tha	an parents who ma	y pick up your child)	
Name	Phone	Relation	
Allergies/Medical concerns: _			
I give permission to have my	child's picture tak	en (please circle) YES	NO
Each child will take home a d	lecorated T-Shirt, p	lease circle your child's s	size:
Child: small, medium, large	Adult: small, med	lium, large	
PARENT'S SIGNATURE		DATE	-
Completed forms can be enplease call the Church Office	•	- •	ve any questions



Free Lunch Available - Everyone is Welcome

Drop in to join us in the dining area for food and fellowship

Mondays, Thursdays & Fridays

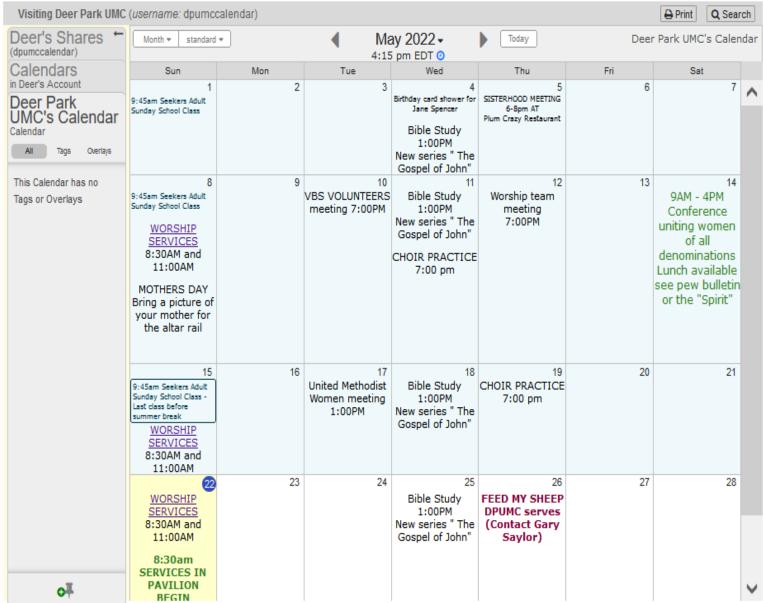
Serving at 12 Noon

Wesley Freedom United Methodist Church 961 Johnsville Road Eldersburg, MD 21784

> Offered through Feed My Sheep Program and support of multiple area church teams

Call 410-795-2777 For More Information

Please arrive promptly by 12 Noon to be guaranteed a meal Any leftover meals will be given out after meal is served



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