

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Mission of Faith United Methodist Church is

to honor God in worship, study, and prayer;

to be a nurturing, caring congregation;

to reach out to our community and world;

to celebrate the healing love of Christ in thought, word, and deed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS for February 11, 2018

WELCOME VISITORS! We are delighted to have you worship with us today.

Please fill out a yellow visitor card from the Friendship Book located at the end of your pew and place it in the offering plate later in the service. Please join us in Fellowship Hall downstairs for refreshments following worship.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BAGS are available in the Narthex and at the front of the Sanctuary outside the door near the pulpit.

NURSERY, INFANT & TODDLER CARE is available downstairs in Room 102 from 9:45am to 11:30am. Our caregivers will warmly welcome your children.

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES are available in the Narthex. These are worn over the ear and work with the sound system to increase one's ability to hear in the Sanctuary. Please ask an usher if you would like to try one.

If you had a recent change in contact information, please inform us by filling out a green information change card in the Friendship Book and placing it in the offering plate.

Line Dancing, Saturday February 17, 10:00am-12:00pm, Fellowship Hall

Back by popular demand. Beginners Line Dancing – no experience needed. All ages are welcome. Donna will be teaching at the Handbell Festival in March and would like some practice teaching. Come and be part of the practice group. Bring old socks to help with sliding. Sodas and water will be provided. More information: call Donna Wood 301 580-6173.



Ushers Needed

We need additional volunteers to serve as ushers at the 10:00am service. We have a new vacancy and need additional volunteers to fill out the teams. Currently there are eight teams who serve once every eight weeks. All that is required is to show up 10-15 minutes prior to the service and to stay 10-15 minutes after the service. This is one way you can be of service to the Faith community. If you can assist with ushering or would like to learn more about this opportunity, contact Jay Moore at 301-231-9124 or moorejay@verizon.net.

Shelter Meal Ministry

Faith is scheduled to provide a week of meals to the Interfaith Works women's shelter on Taft Court from April 15 through 21. This is the shelter formerly located on Wilkins Ave. Jane Rankin has single-handedly led this effort for the past five years or more, but is unable to do it this year. We are looking for one person or a few, who can help purchase beverages and breakfast items, paper goods, OTC meds and personal products needed by shelter; schedule meal providers; oversee the delivery and can do it. Please contact Carol Henley to volunteer. cahenley@comcast.net

Free Lenten Devotionals

Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, February 14th. Spend some focused time with God this Lenten season with readings and reflections. Choose from several Lenten devotionals located on the table in the Narthex (back of Sanctuary). Family Devotions are being handed out in Sunday School.

Washington & Lee University Singers at Faith, Thursday, February 22, 7:30 p.m.



The University Singers from Washington and Lee will present a concert at Faith in the

sanctuary, free and open to all. Donations received will defray the cost of serving this nearly 60-voice ensemble dinner before that program, and additional funds raised will support future music ministry endeavors. Pray for good weather and come for great music!

Missions- Help Wanted

Rebuilding Together's National Rebuilding Day is Saturday, April 28. Faith has



sponsored a site for many years, but we have lost our leader. We need a House Captain who can help choose a site with a reasonable scope of work for our skill level and to coordinate materials and volunteers to complete the work. You will have help from a House Ambassador, who is a liaison between the designated homeowner and our volunteer team. For more details, talk to Carol Henley, Warren Wright or Gary Clark. Click here to learn more about Rebuilding Together.

<https://rebuildingtogethermc.org/>

Young People's Gathering Tuesday, March 6, 7:30pm Panera Bread

Its time to get together as a community, away from the hecticness of life. Young peoples in their



20s to 40s will be meeting every other Tuesday night to focus on what is it to be a Christian in the 21st century. Meetings are free form in nature, based on questions brought by group members, Bible verses, and all around life together. Members will meet at 7:30pm every other Tuesday night beginning March 6 at Panera Bread on East Jefferson St in Rockville. For more information contact Office Manager Theresa Eggleston at teggleston@faithworkshere.com.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, February 11

8:45am-10:00am	The Apocrypha Study	Parlor
9:30am-10:00am	Fellowship Time	Fellowship Hall
10:00am-11:00am	Christian Education (children/youth)	Rooms 203,205,206,210
10:00am – 11:00am	Worship (Traditional)	Sanctuary
11:00am – 11:30am	Fellowship Time	Fellowship Hall
1:30pm-7:00pm	Mizo Worship & Fellowship	Sanctuary, F. Hall, Kitchen
2:00pm-4:00pm	Mizo Sunday School	Sanctuary, F. Hall, Kitchen
6:30pm-8:00pm	Youth Group	Room 205/206
7:30pm-8:30pm	Daniel Study	Online

Monday, February 12

9:00am-1:00pm	Preschool (Mon-Fri)	Rooms 102, 104, 105
1:00pm-2:30pm	Peace Mission Dance Group	Fellowship Hall
6:30pm-8:00pm	Girl Scout Meeting	Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, February 13

10:00am-12:00pm	Lydia Circle	Fellowship Hall
1:30pm-3:00pm	Montgomery Hospice Group	Room 200
7:00pm-8:00pm	Faith Foundation Meeting	Room 200
7:30pm-9:00pm	SPRC Meeting	Parlor
8:00pm-10:00pm	AA	Room 205/206

Wednesday, February 14

10:00am-12:00pm	Preschool Valentines Celebration	Fellowship Hall
11:30am-2:30pm	Conflict Resolution Center	Room 200
7:30pm-8:30pm	Ash Wednesday Service	Sanctuary
8:00pm – 9:30pm	AA	Room 206

Thursday, February 15

12:00pm – 1:00pm	OA	Room 200
7:00pm-8:00pm	Bells of Faith	Sanctuary
7:00pm-8:00pm	Sacred Rhythms Study	Room 206
8:00pm-9:00pm	Chancel Choir	Sanctuary

Friday, February 16

2:30pm-3:30pm	Peace Mission Dance Group	Fellowship Hall
4:30pm-7:00pm	Peace Mission Dance Group	Fellowship Hall
7:30pm-9:00pm	Book Discussion	Room 206

Saturday, February 17

10:00am- 12:00pm	Line Dancing	Fellowship Hall
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SERVING US TODAY: Acolyte: Laura Costlow; Fellowship Time: Ellen Stanley & Michael Wu; Greeters: Bill & Phyllis Warshauer; Scripture Reader: Janice Jones; Projection: Woody Machalek; Security: Gary Clark; Sound System: Chuck Spencer; Ushers: Bob Graves, George Graves, Jan Lafleur, Terrie Tuckman.

SERVING US FOR FEBRUARY: Altar Guild: Susan Jones; Card Ministry: Katie Cope

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY –FEBRUARY 4, 2018

Total= 95

PRAYER REQUESTS



To have the Prayer Chain pray for your request, please complete one of the Prayer Request Cards found on the pew backs and place it in the offering plate. You may also contact the Church Office at office@faithworkshere.com. The members of our Prayer Chain will be praying for you. To keep our prayer requests current, names will remain in the bulletin prayer list (below) for three weeks. Long-term prayer concerns will continue to be prayed for by the members of the Prayer Chain. Please keep the Office updated on your prayer requests.

Please pray for these members of the Faith UMC Community: Donna Muir, Jane Rankin.

Please pray for others dear to us: Hailey Perkins (Susan Keller's grand-daughter); Pam Settlege (friend of the Woodrows); Sara Bysshe (Carol Henley's friend); Gerald Bowles (Bob Bowles brother); Cathy Funk (Susan Costlow's friend); Amy Thomlinson (Bill Moore's niece); Terry Herndon (Jo Hopper's friend); Neil Tomlinson (Pat Tomlinson's cousin); Sgt. John David Tomlinson (Pat Tomlinson's nephew) and others serving in the military.

Pray for our nation and the world: The countries in this week's Ecumenical Prayer Cycle: Austria, Liechtenstein, Switzerland. For more information on the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle, go to www.oikoumene.org/en/resources/prayer-cycle.

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Please wish a Happy Birthday to:

Feb. 11 Bethany Kaye

Feb. 14 Jo Hopper

Feb. 13 Elaine Ayres, Kelsey Benjamin,
Bridget Buel, André Coleman,
Jacqueline Kelly

Feb. 16 Natalie Larkin

Feb. 17 Curt Ollayos

FAITH UMC STAFF

Rev. Dr. Kathryn T. Woodrow, Senior Pastor, x 2005

Scott Roby, MTS, Director of Congregational Care

JD Garris, Director of Youth Ministry, x 2007

Robert Holder, Organist

André Coleman, Tenor Section Leader

Jan Spencer, Financial Manager, x 2004

Theresa Eggleston, Office Manager, x 2001

Gina Dawson, Director of Christian Education, x 2006

Michael Wu, Director of Music

Rosemarie Lapham, Director of Faith Preschool, x 3001

Tessa Ricketts, Nursery