

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 September 9, 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 8:30am 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.

Welcome Picnic lunch for Pastor Wayne and Esther TODAY

Everyone is invited to a welcome Special Potluck lunch for Pastor Wayne and Esther **TODAY, after the 10am service**. Come down enjoy the fun and get to know Pastor Wayne & Esther!

Did you request a name tag?

If you have recently requested a name tag, please look in the first-floor hallway mail box next to the Church Office. If you still need a name tag, please write 'nametag' on the fellowship pad in the pew or contact the Church Office at Office@faithworkshere.com or call 301-881-1881.

Ushers Needed

We need additional volunteers to serve as ushers at the 10:00am service. We currently have three vacancies on the existing teams and need additional volunteers to maintain our eight teams. With eight teams usher duty only comes up every eight weeks. All that is required to be an usher is to show up 10-15 minutes prior to the service and to stay 10 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.

Last Chance! - Sign Up for the New Photo Directory

Time is running out to schedule your portrait sitting for the new directory. Don't be left out! There are 3 ways to sign up.

- 1.) Go to <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/ye58byb4/> and select a time to be photographed at the church on 9/13, 9/14, 9/15, or 9/25.
- 2.) Sign up at the table in the Fellowship Hall during the potluck today.
- 3.) Call the Church Office for assistance in signing up.

If you would like to have your photo taken at Asbury on 9/26 sign up in the Fellowship Hall or call the Church Office. All participants will receive a



complementary 8x10 photo as well as a new directory. Questions, call the Church Office.

Volunteers Needed to Serve as Check-in Hosts for Photo Sessions

Can you spend 2 hours checking people in for their photo sessions and asking them to review the contact information the church has on file? It's an easy, short-term opportunity to serve on either 9/13, 9/14, 9/15, 9/25 (at FUMC) or 9/26 (at Asbury). Please contact the church office to sign up for a shift.

Save the Date

Youth Group Cookout

Sunday September 16 5:30pm-7:30pm
Cookout at the Costlow- Moore family home. Come enjoy some food and fellowship.

Mission Auction 2018 Friday October 26, 2018

Collecting Donations Now

Join us for an evening of fun and fellowship while we raise funds to support local causes and world-wide disaster relief. The action starts at 6 p.m. with dinner and a silent auction. The live auction begins about 7 p.m. Cost is \$5/adult. Children are free. All are invited. Bring your friends and family. Children are welcome to participate in the auction. We will also have some special fun things to play with while they are here. Proceeds will benefit Montgomery County Coalition for the Homeless (MCCH) <https://mcch.net/> and UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) Disaster Relief. <https://www.umcor.org/UMCOR/Programs/Disaster-Response>

Most items auctioned are donated by fellow Faith folks -- gourmet dinners, fresh baked goods, weekend escapes, gift baskets, home services, restaurant gift cards, collectibles, handcrafts, home décor and much more (we encourage you to come up with creative new ideas!) **In addition to your attendance, we need your donations to make the event a success.** We will be collecting donations beginning TODAY and through Sundays in October during fellowship time.

To learn more or volunteer to help, contact Carol Henley, 301-787-8104 or cahenley@comcast.net.

Want to Ring the Bell?

Five minutes before the 10:00am worship service begins, our church bell is rung to let everyone know it's almost time to begin our worship service. Children (and youth) are welcome to ring the bell. Just meet Phil Dawson in the balcony.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, September 9

8:30am-11:30am	Nursery	Room 102
8:45am-9:30am	Holy Grounds casual worship	Room 205/206
8:45am-9:30am	Apocrypha Study	Parlor
10:00am-11:00am	Worship (Traditional)	Sanctuary
10:00am-11:00am	Christian Education (children & youth)	Rooms 105, 203, 205, 206
11:00am-11:30am	Fall Potluck	Fellowship Hall
1:30pm-7:00pm	Mizo Worship & Fellowship	Sanctuary, F. Hall, Kitchen
2:00pm-4:00pm	Mizo Sunday School	Sanctuary, F. Hall, Kitchen

Monday, September 10

9:00am-2:00pm	Preschool (Mon-Fri)	Rooms 102,104, 105
7:00pm-8:00pm	Trustees Meeting	Room 200

Tuesday, September 11

6:30pm-7:30pm	Susanna Wesley Circle	Fellowship Hall, Parlor
8:00pm-10:00pm	AA	Room 205/206

Wednesday, September 12

10:00am-11:00am	New Preschool Parent Meeting	Fellowship Hall
7:00pm-10:00pm	NBCC	Fellowship Hall
7:30pm-8:30pm	Finance Committee Meeting	Room 200
8:00pm-9:30pm	AA	Room 205

Thursday, September 13

1:00pm-9:00pm	Photo Directory Portraits	Rooms 205/206
12:00pm-1:00pm	OA	Room 200
7:00pm-8:00pm	Bells of Faith	Sanctuary
8:00pm-9:00pm	Chancel Choir	Sanctuary

Friday, September 14

1:00pm-9:00pm	Photo Directory Portraits	Rooms 205/206
7:30pm-9:00pm	Book Discussion, "The Line Becomes a River"	Parlor

Saturday, September 15

1:00pm-3:30pm	Photo Directory Portraits	Rooms 205/205
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SERVING US TODAY: Greeters: Dee & Owen Frisby; Fellowship Time: SPRC Welcome Picnic; Projection: Woody Machalek; Scripture Reader: Alisa Machalek; Security: Woody Machalek; Sound System: Brian Jones; Ushers: Bill Beisner, Tim Burke, Jane Rankin, Kathy King.

SERVING US FOR SEPTEMBER: Altar Guild: Nancy Skinner; Card Ministry: Pam Kessler

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

8:45am= 11 10:00am= 90 Total= 101

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: Amanda Curto, Bill Rall, Carl Swanson, Jane Rankin, 1st Lieut. Meredith S. Buel III (Trip); Sgt. John David Tomlinson (Pat Tomlinson's nephew) and others serving in the military.

Please pray for others dear to us: Don & Connie Howard (Kay McCarty's brother & sister in-law).

Pray for our nation and the world: The countries in this week's Ecumenical Prayer Cycle: Ghana, Nigeria. 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:

Sept 10 Kaylah Fonke

Sept 12 Charlotte Mangene, Larry Wolcott

Sept 13 Heather Benson, Nicholas Billingsley,
Tim Evans, Amelia Savell, Nancy
Sealover, Mary Frances Woods

Sept 15 Rachel Baptista, Lou Marlin

Please wish a Happy Anniversary to:

Sept 10 Phil & Gina Dawson

Sept 14 Theresa & Kyle Eggleston

FAITH UMC STAFF

Rev. Wayne Chung, Pastor, x 2005

Scott Roby, MTS, Director of Congregational Care

Robert Holder, Organist

André Coleman, Tenor Section Leader

Rosemarie Lapham, Director of Faith Preschool, x 3001

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

Tessa Ricketts, Nursery

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