



Our Church Matters

Our Mission: Growing Together in Christ Through Worship, Fellowship, Witness and Service

Dear RUMC Family,

I've often heard people say that the resurrection is something that can't be proven; we just have to take it on faith. On one level, that's true. Because of the nature of the resurrection, we don't have any archaeological evidence we can point to. From an historical standpoint, though, and according to the witness of the Gospel writers, the Apostles most definitely believed in the resurrection. It became the center of their early proclamation, which led to the birth of the Church. That's why others have argued that the most compelling evidence of the resurrection is the continued existence of the Church itself.

Over the last two thousand years, the Church has endured theological debates, wars, famine, disease, clergy scandals and denominational splits—all things one might expect to lead to its undoing. How has this community of imperfect people with imperfect leaders managed to survive—and not just *survive*, but continue to change lives, touch communities, and transform various corners of our world? It's hard to explain, unless there is power greater than ourselves at work in our midst—One who is able to make all things new and raise us from the ashes.

Our own congregation has been in existence for 247 years, and over that time, we have no doubt encountered the power of our resurrecting God. On Sunday, May 5, we will mark 50 years of worship in our current sanctuary. As we gather that Sunday, we'll take the opportunity to give thanks for all of the ways people have encountered God's presence in that space; all the ways they've been changed by God's Word; and all the lives that have subsequently been touched because those disciples have gone out into the world and put God's Word into action. Those ripples of transformation showcase the power of the resurrection.

On April 14, we'll be starting a new sermon series focused precisely on this ripple effect. It will end with the May 5 celebration highlighting all the ripples that have been felt in *Continued on page 2*

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Reisterstown and beyond because of what God has been doing in our midst. Alongside *The Ripple Effect* series, we'll also take some time to focus on stewardship, because we've moved our annual stewardship cycle out of the very busy fall season. All of the gifts you have given over the years have also had a ripple effect. Some of those ripples are visible in ministries that continue to this day, while there are others we may never have the privilege to see. I hope you'll join us as we explore the far-reaching impact of the resurrection and the transforming power of God's grace.

Christ is risen!

Jen

An Evening of Music, Fun and Fellowship!

RUMC's United Women in Faith invite you to an evening of fun, fellowship and your favorite classic rock, country music and more, featuring the *Exit Strategy Band*. The band includes two of RUMC's own, Rick Harris and Tom Osborne. The date is **Friday, April 19, from 7:00 to 9:30 pm in the church fellowship hall**. The cost is \$10 per person and includes snacks and beverages. All proceeds benefit United Women in Faith mission projects. Tickets will be available at the door, and further information on advance tickets will be coming soon. Mark your calendars now as you don't want to miss this entertaining evening. For more information contact Sherry Osborne at 443 465-3231.

Nursery School Registration:



Do you have a child or grandchild that will be ages 2, 3, or 4 next fall?

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year has begun!

Classes fill up quickly so don't delay. We offer preschool (Preschool is ages 2, 3, and four both full and half day) from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm five days a week.

We also offer an early bird drop off starting at 7:30 a.m. and after care until 5:30 pm.

To receive your registration packet and arrange a tour of the classes, contact Lani Hoffmann at rumns234@gmail.com or leave a message on the school phone:443-546-0585.

Nursery School Summer Program Registration: We are registering ages three to pre-k five for the summer program. Please check out the preschool's website at: <https://www.rumns.com/> or call the preschool phone number 443-546-0585.

Donations wanted:

The nursery school is looking for gently used children's clothes, toys, books, and DVDs. Donated items will be placed on our Tot Spot consignment account. Proceeds from the sales benefit our Sandy Thawley Scholarship Fund. Items can be dropped off in the old kitchen (room 2) on Sunday mornings.

Please leave a note letting us know who made the donation. All items should be clean and ready for sale. Thank you.

FOOD PANTRY HOURS: The Food Pantry is only open on Saturday mornings from 8:30-11 am. No one is allowed in the Food Pantry. Volunteers will bring all the food out to the parking lot for clients. There will be no WaWa food available, however, Panera IS available, WaWa is NOT.

At this time we are NOT accepting donations of clothing or household items.

Food pantry immediate needs: 18 oz jars of Peanut Butter and boxes of Mac and Cheese.

Drop off: Saturday mornings between 8:30am-11 am. Also, Sundays in the fellowship hall bin.



PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE DONATIONS OUTSIDE ANY CHURCH DOORS OR THE FOOD PANTRY

April 21st is Gift Card Sunday. (410) 833-5440



Update on Gift Card Program for RUMC Our March profit was \$111.00
Do you buy from Amazon? Our cards cost \$25. and we make a profit of \$.50 on each card. Do you shop at Weiss? Our cards cost \$25. and we make a profit of \$1.25. Do you go to Chipotle? Our cards cost \$25 and we make a profit of \$2.50. This program works, but we need your support. Great gifts for all ages!
April order date is April 21! JUST IN TIME TO ORDER FOR MOTHERS DAY!

RUMCOffice1777@gmail.com

Book Club



We will be reading the book: ***Someone Else's Shoes*** by Jojo Moyes. Book Club will meet on April 17th at 11 am or April 18th at 7 pm.

A story of mix-ups, mess-ups and making the most of second chances, this is the new novel from #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Jojo Moyes, author of *Me Before You* and *The Giver of Stars*.



Who are you when you are forced to walk in someone else's shoes?

Nisha Cantor lives the globetrotting life of the seriously wealthy, until her husband announces a divorce and cuts her off. Nisha is determined to hang onto her glamorous life. But in the meantime, she must scramble to cope--she doesn't even have the shoes she was, until a moment ago, standing in.

That's because Sam Kemp – in the bleakest point of her life – has accidentally taken Nisha's gym bag. But Sam hardly has time to worry about a lost gym bag--she's struggling to keep herself and her family afloat. When she tries on Nisha's six-inch high Christian Louboutin red crocodile shoes, the resulting jolt of confidence that makes her realize something must change—and that thing is herself.

Full of Jojo Moyes' signature humor, brilliant storytelling, and warmth, *Someone Else's Shoes* is a story about how just one little thing can suddenly change everything.

Calling All Women, Youth and Children!!

Looking to have some **FUN** on stage? Our Celebration of Women committee needs you to step up and volunteer for our banquet program. This year's theme is the Olympics. No experience necessary! Interested women and girls of all ages call Lois Burton at 410-833-5489 and leave a message. She'll get back to you. PLEASE help us to make our banquet another huge success this year!

RUMC Men's Fellowship Retreat is Back!

May 3 – 5, 2024

Camp Harmison - Berkley Springs, WV

Retreat Theme: *LIVING A HUMBLE LIFE*

Luke 14:11 For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.



\$75.00*/person covers cost of 2 nights of lodging and 5 meals
Register for the retreat by contacting Rick Fairhurst at
rifi45@yahoo.com or 410-680-2995.

Registration is limited to 24 individuals so register today!

** Sponsorships are available. Don't let cost keep you from attending.*

Draft Agenda

Friday

Arrival 5:00 – 6:00
6:00 Welcome Dinner
7:30 Worship Music
8:00 Session 1
9:00 Reflection

Saturday

7:00 Breakfast
7:30 Devotional
8:00 Worship Music
8:30 Session 2
9:30 Reflection
10:00 Worship Music
10:30 Session 3
11:30 Reflection
12:00 Lunch
1:00 Free Time
6:00 Dinner
7:00 Worship Music
7:30 Session 4
8:30 Reflection

Sunday

7:00 Breakfast
7:30 Devotional
8:00 Worship Music
8:30 Reflection
9:00 Pack-out
10:00 Worship Service,
First United Methodist
Berkley Springs
11:00 Travel Home



**You are invited to a Kairos
Outside of Maryland
Fundraiser!!**

**We are hosting a
Cookies and Canvas Event!**

When: Saturday April 27, 2024

Where: Reisterstown UMC, 246 Main St., Reisterstown, MD 21136

Time: 2:00-4:00 pm- located in Room 8

Donation: \$30.00 per person includes all painting supplies and cookies and drinks.

RSVP: Linda Eames -443-983-5084 phone or text for details.

****Our artist will make sure you have a good time, provide instruction, allow for creativity, and guarantee you leave with an original masterpiece. You may choose from two designs(or create your own painting) and personalize it with your name or wording!**

****Come help support the Kairos Outside Ministry!!!**



THE CHARIOT JUBILEE

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Arreon Harley-Emerson



BALTIMORE CONCERT
Sunday, April 28 at 4pm

Towson United Methodist Church
501 Hampton Ln, Baltimore, MD 21286

Tickets: Adults; \$20, Senior; \$15,
Student/Youth; \$10,
5 and under are free.

www.deercreekchorale.org
info@deercreekchorale.org

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Thursday April 11th @ 7 pm
Location: RUMC Fellowship Hall

Puzzle!



PLANT, WATER, GROW

Building a faith community takes work. How did the church in Corinth come to be?

Directions: Use the code to fill in the words and complete a teaching of the apostle Paul.

KEY



I _____ the _____, Apollos _____ it,

but _____ has been making it _____.

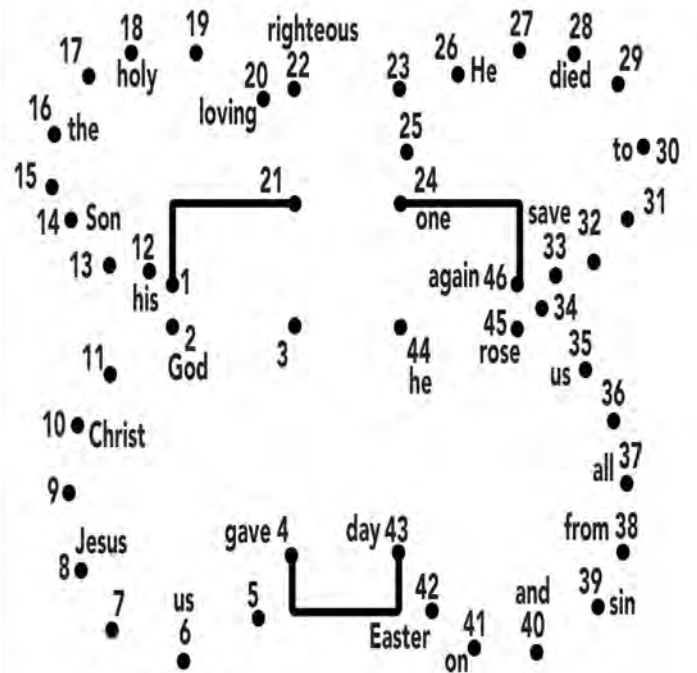
So neither the _____ who plants nor the _____

_____ who waters is _____.

but _____, who makes things _____.

1 Corinthians 3:6-7, NIV

Connect the dots to find two symbols of Easter. Then write the words in the correct blanks to complete an Easter poem.



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| 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 |
| 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | | |
| 26 | 28 | 30 | 33 | 35 | 37 | 38 |
| 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 |

Answer: God gave us Jesus Christ, his Son, the holy, loving, righteous one. He died to save us all from sin, and on Easter day he rose again.

Answer: planted, seed, watered, God, grow, one, anything, only, God, grow

Letters of Support for Our Confirmands

Our latest Confirmation class began this winter, and over the weekend of April 19-21, we will be taking our two Confirmands—Sammi Brown and Mae Norris—on a retreat to West River. There we'll have the opportunity to explore the meaning of baptism, what it says about our identities, and how it incorporates us into a family much bigger than our own—the Church.

We would like to show Sammi and Mae what it means to have the support of a church family, and we plan to do this by showering them with supportive notes or letters from the congregation (a surprise—shh!).

You might be thinking, **“What should I write? What if I don't know them?”** Here are a few things that make for a good letter, even if you don't know them personally.

Express your prayers for their faith journey, for their future, for their experience in Confirmation, etc. Share what your faith has meant to you. What have you learned or experienced that you hope they will also learn/experience?

Express your support. As a congregation, we are here for them—no matter what life throws their way.

At their baptisms, we promised to surround them with a community of love and forgiveness.

Affirm them. If you know them personally, share what gifts and graces you see in them.

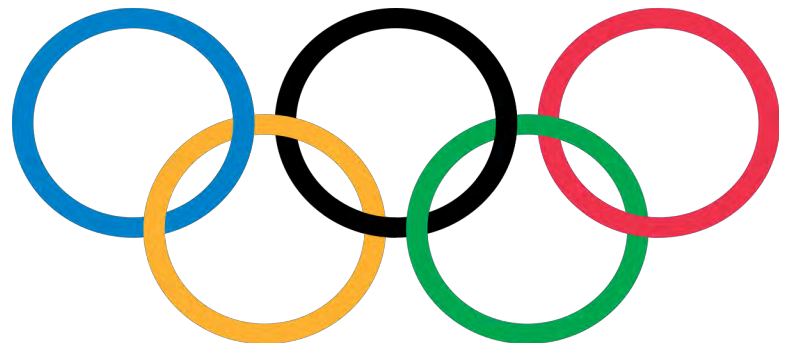
Let them know you're glad they're part of the church!

You can use your own stationary to do this, or pick up a blank card from the Narthex. If you wish to include faith-themed stickers, bookmarks or prayer cards as a bonus, you are welcome to (but it's not the expectation). You can drop your notes and letters off any time between April 7 and April 18 in the box labeled “Letters.”

Thank you for being the Church for these young people!

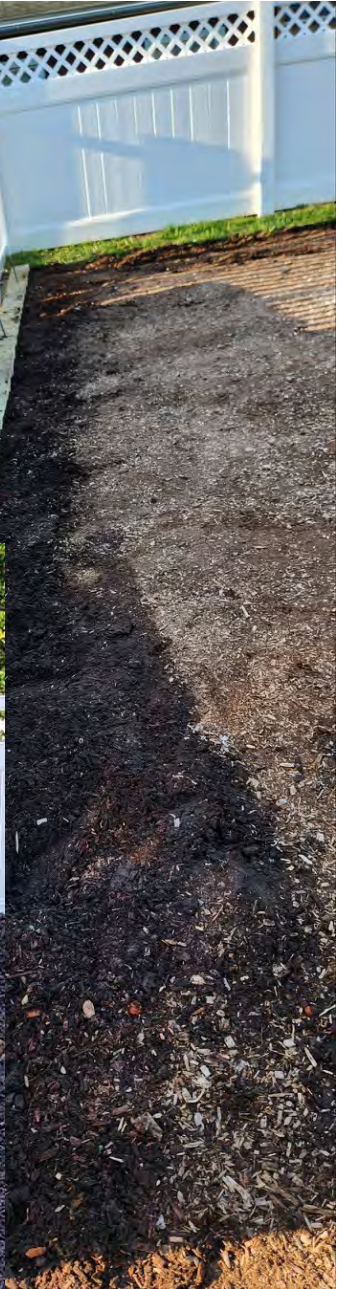
Pastor Jen

The Women's Banquet will be held on Thursday, May 9th at 6:30. Tickets are \$17 for adults and \$9 for children 2-11, children under 2 are free. There will be a vegetarian option. Tickets will be on sale on Sunday April 21st and 28th.



A huge thank you to Jayven Quedit from Scout Troop 143!

Jayven wanted his Eagle Scout project to support an RUMC ministry, and over the past few weeks he has worked hard to give our playground a facelift. He and several of his fellow troop members replaced the old playground border with fresh timber and laid a new bed of mulch, making the playground a safer place to play. The playground is used multiple times each day by students in our Nursery School, and it's also available to Sunday School students and their families on Sunday mornings. Thank you, Jayven, for all of your planning and hard work!



LAST DAY TO ORDER IS APRIL 7TH!

RUMC

Circle of Friends

Order Only Plant Sale Fundraiser

Pick Up Friday, May 10th, 4 p.m. ~ 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall



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| Name: | | | Phone #: | |
| Type of Plant | | Quantity | Price per Plant | Total |
| Flowering Hanging Baskets 10" Pot | | | | |
| Geranium | | | \$25 | |
| Petunia | | | \$25 | |
| Red Begonia | | | \$25 | |
| Mixed Annuals | | | \$25 | |
| Edibles, Herb, and Veggie 4" Pot | | | | |
| Herbs | Basil | | \$4 | |
| | Parsley | | | |
| | Dill | | | |
| | Oregano | | | |
| | Chives | | | |
| | Thyme | | | |
| Tomatoes | Red Slicing Better Boy | | \$4 | |
| | Cherry Sweet 100 | | | |
| | Italian Roma | | | |
| Peppers | Sweet Bell | | \$4 | |
| | Sweet Banana | | | |
| | Hot Jalapeno | | | |
| Flowering Geraniums 4 1/2" Pot | | | | |
| Red | | | \$6 | |
| White | | | \$6 | |
| Pink | | | \$6 | |
| Flowering Annual 4" Pot in bloom | | | | |
| Assorted varieties | | | \$3 | |
| Garden 4 Plant Market Packs | | | | |
| Red Wax Begonias | | | \$4 | |
| French Dwarf Marigolds: | Yellow | Mixed Colors | \$4 | |
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| Impatiens: | Red | White | \$4 | |
| | | Mixed Colors | | |
| Tomato: | Red Slicing Better Boy | | \$4 | |
| Order Total | | | | \$ |

Orders due by **April 7th**, Make checks payable to COF

Order Forms to go in **Pink Box** in Narthex

Questions: Call or text Tammy Nash @ 410-239-8394



Franklin Middle School Shopping list and QR code for the School Store
 Please consider supporting Franklin Middle School Students by donating an item from this Amazon Wish List to their school store!
 Thank you!



B07T9DD6HGTURNMEON 30 Pack LED Bracelets Light Up Toys Birthday Gifts Party Supplies, 6 Color Glow Sticks Bracelets Glow In the Dark Party Favors Boys Girls Classroom Prizes Toys, Goodie Bags Stuffers Offered by Hamag.\$21.99

B08V94Z9M4StikBot Zing, Set of 8 Clear Collectable Action Figures and Mobile Phone Tripod, Create Stop Motion Animation, Great for Kids Ages 4 and Up Offered by The Zing Store.\$39.99



B0CBMJP39SYeaqee 300 Pcs Bulk Lanyards Colorful Flat Lanyards for ID Badges Assorted Colors Safety Clasp Lanyards with Wide Plastic No Twist Hook for Office Worker, Student, Teacher, 0.6" Wide Offered by QeeQing.\$26.99

B0B292D822Chivao 50 Pack Flashing LED Light up Rings Colorful Bumpy Jelly Rubber Rings Glow in the Dark Rings for Kids Party Favors Gifts Concert Shows Raves Eggs Filler Offered by miwoduimeizi.\$26.99 up



B09ZV37MNVSumind 40 Pieces Light Yo Yo Ball Bulk, LED Responsive Ball Colorful Plastic Light up Party Favors for Kids Birthday Classroom Bag Fillers Carnival Prizes Valentine's Day Gift Offered by Funrung US.\$28.99



B095XGL3SWStress Balls Set - 18 Pack - Stress Balls Fidget for Adults - Squishy Balls, Anxiety Relief Calming Tool - Fidget Stress Products for Autism & ADD/ADHD Offered by Beyond Innoventions.\$17.50



B0CFM7TJ79Trends International Marvel Spider-Man 12-Pack Poster Collage Poster Collage 12 Pack Offered by Amazon.com.\$7.99



B0C68NLH8JZNXZXP Kids Earbuds Bulk 30 Pack for Classroom School Library, Classroom Headphones for Kids Children Boys Girls Toddler Adult (6 Mixed Colors) Offered by ZNXZXP.\$12.89



B08Q226BHXCreative Kids Make Your Own Bouncy Ball Kit - 12 Individual Packs - DIY Science Party Favors & Goody Bag Stuffers - Bulk Craft Bouncy Ball Making Kit - Ideal Valentines Gifts for Classroom Offered by Creative Kids Brands.\$19.99



B07MW8WC62GTLZLZ Wrist Coil Wrist Keychain Colorful Stretch Wristband Key Chain for Gym, Pool, ID Badge 10PCS We don't know when or if this item will be back in stock..



B09NVZ4VZZ 30 Pieces Badge Reel Pen Retractable Shuttle Pens Clip with Mini Highlighter Nurse Pens Neon Marker Pen LED Keychain Flashlight Key Ring Nursing Keychain Clip for Nurse (Classic Style) Offered by Ongeriage.\$14.99



B004T0GJDO Purell Advanced Hand Sanitizer Refreshing Gel, Clean Scent, 1 Fl Oz Travel Size Flip-Cap Bottle with Display Bowl (Pack of 36), 3901-36-BWL Offered by Amazon.com.\$39.99



B0C8HS79NQMifoci 20 Pieces Water Bottle Bulk 17 Oz Plastic Water Bottles Bulk Gym Sports Adults Kids Reusable Large Water Bottles with Leak Proof Flip Top for Party Outdoor School Classroom Fitness(Colorful) Offered by flowwil.\$38.79



Prayer List— PLEASE PRAY FOR RUMC FAMILY, FRIENDS, & NEIGHBORS

Ongoing Prayers for Healing from Cancer
 Taylor Angus; Frank Banz; Jacob Barford;
 Pat Barton; Beth Bolin; Bruce Bond;
 Marilyn Brathwaite; Renee Brooksbank;
 Jean Chambers; Benjamin Dapper; Steve Diehl;
 Sandy Engle; Megan Evans; Jacque Eyler;
 Ryan Gardner; Sondra Hadden; Mary Hanlon;
 Jason Harris; Ken Harry;
 Jerry Hilton— Kathy Bogert's brother;
 Mike Hockstad; Debbie Johnson; Lisa Johnson;
 Denny Johnson; Eddie Jones; Rita Jones;
 Mary Lewis; Roger Lipp; Tyler Llewellyn;

Alfred Luginger; Pat MacLeer; Vikki McAdory;
 Tina Meeks; Ronald Metz; Don Mills;
 Aaliyah Parker; Darlene Parlette; Dottie Payne;
 Molly Ruppert; Les Schafferman; Marge Shaw;
 Rebecca Sloan; Sean Staley; Melanie Stierhoff;
 Mary Telchi; Jenna Thornton; Patty G. Walsh;
 Dave Weinstein; Lynn Whitter; Mike Wright;
 Cindy; Ann; Deb; Jim; Ken; Makenna;
 Nicholas; Rachel; Shannon

*Those battling cancer will be kept on the prayer list—names only.
 Please inform the office of any changes or updates.*

LOVED ONES SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Davey Brickman, Ruth Withlock's granddaughter's husband—National Guard back home from overseas
Eldridge Brown, Jr., Serving in the Army
Joshua Coleman, Rosemary Dragunas' nephew—United States Air Force, deployed to Qatar, SW Asia
Michael Edmondson, Friend of the Tambaoan's, US Marines
Christian Evans, Thelma Mack's nephew, serving in the US Army stationed in Texas
Lindley Garcia, Carol Judkin's friend — USMC not currently deployed
Elizabeth Haines Greenway, Army Staff Sgt., Marion Yohn's granddaughter—deployed to Poland
Jeremy Hadden, Pat Dinsmore's grandson, Air Force, stationed at Edwards AFB in California
Luke Hoyman, Lynn Owings Grand daughter's husband, serving in the Air Force, stationed at Andrews Air Force Base
Steven Lee, Carol & Danny Lee's son—has been promoted to Command Master Chief, has served in the US Navy for 25+ years and is stationed in Virginia Beach VA
Fred Linborn, Friend of the Tambaoan family—serving in the Army
Vance Listwan, Son of Rachel & Mark Utterback—serving in the Air Force, stateside in Texas
Dennis Mack, Thelma Mack's nephew—serving in the Army is stationed in North Carolina
Allen Messinger, Ruth Whitlock's grandson — Serving in the Army at Fort Bragg, NC
Isaac Shroll, Tracy Tambaoan's cousin—serving in the Army

OUR MEMBERS AT HOME

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|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Barb Bonicker | Gerry Lewis |
| Ann Clayton | Thelma Mack |
| Lorna & Gordon Dix | Jean Moss |
| Ginger Gelwicks | Christie Newcomer |
| Velvia & Howard Goodrich | Betty Pulse |
| Mary Jane Huffman | Gill Seal |
| Barbara Kehne | Judith Wetzel |
| Shirley Krause | |

OUR MEMBERS IN SENIOR COMMUNITIES

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| Carroll Lutheran Village Nancy Welsh Cherrywood- Reisterstown Kerrie Flanagan Lorien—Harmony Hall in Columbia Jeanne Knight | Lorien Center— Taneytown Monte Hatcher Janet Porter |
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**CELEBRATING ALL OF OUR
Under 25 AND Over 70 MEMBERS
April Birthdays**

Denise Trail

4/1

2517 Appaloosa Way
Finksburg, MD 21048

Gary Owings

4/2

14627 Hanover Pike
Upperco, MD 21155-9732

Geraldine Lewis

4/4

22 Caraway Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Quinn Mayer

4/5

2428 Appaloosa Way
Finksburg, MD 21048

Pat Caltrider

4/7

35 S Lake Way
Reisterstown, MD 21136

William Cresswell

4/7

1301 Nicodemus Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Lynne Erb

4/9

231 Northway Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Garrett Boerner

4/11

1715 Garrett Rd
Manchester, MD 21102

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4/11

1715 Garrett Rd
Manchester, MD 21102

Peggy Merryman

4/12

605 Piper Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Danny Lee

4/15

2860 Chauncey Hill Dr
Manchester, MD 21102

Gae Ray

4/15

241 Highmeadow Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Nancy Gelwicks

4/16

400 Homevale Ct
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Bud Porter

4/21

PO Box 124
Glyndon, MD 21071-0124

Steve Ames

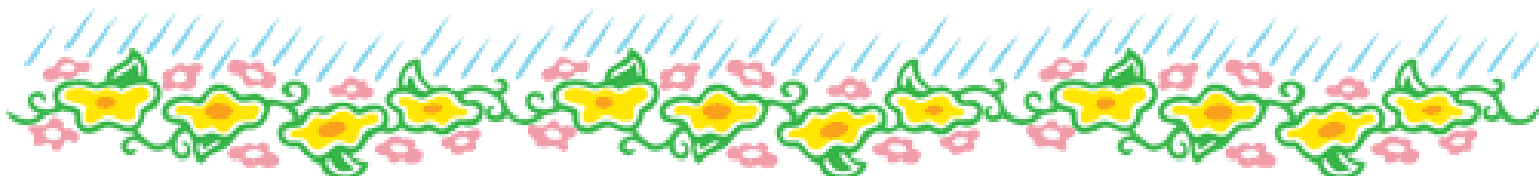
4/23

3035 Liberty Rd
New Windsor, MD 21776

Gene Will

4/30

505 Sunbrook Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136



Three Month Calendar

APRIL

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|-----|-----------------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | All Day | RUMNS & Offices Closed | Easter Monday |
| 2-5 | Robine Vacation | —office open Tues-Thur 9-noon, Bonnie L. covering | |
| 7 | All Day | COF Plant Sale Orders Due | |
| 9 | 8-4 | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |
| 11 | 7-8:30 pm | The Power of Play | Fellowship Hall |
| 19 | 7-9:30 pm | UMiF Fundraiser—The Exit Strategy Band | FH |
| 21 | 9:30 am | Blood Pressure Screening | 246 Conference Room |
| | All Day | Gift Card & Shopping Cards Order due | |
| | | Newsletter Articles due | |
| 23 | 8-4 | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |
| 27 | 1-5 pm | Kairos Outside MD Paint Nite | Fellowship Hall |

MAY

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| 9 | 5pm | Celebration of Women Banquet | Fellowship Hall |
| 10 | 4-7pm | Circle of Friends Plant Sale-pick up | Fellowship Hall |
| 12 | All day | Mother's Day | |
| 14 | 8-4pm | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |
| 19 | 9:30 am | Blood Pressure Screening | 246 Conference Room |
| | All day | Gift Card & Shopping Cards Orders due | |
| | All day | Newsletter Articles due | |
| 27 | All day | Offices Closed for Memorial Day | |
| | | NA Spiritual Breakfast | Fellowship Hall |
| 28 | 8-4 pm | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |
| 29-31 | | BWC Annual Conference—Hilton Hotel, Baltimore | |

JUNE

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| 9 | All Day | PreSchool Sunday | |
| 11 | 8-4 | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |
| 13 | 11 am | RUMNS 4's Graduation | Sanctuary |
| | 12:00 pm | RUMNS School Picnic | |
| 14 | All Day | Flag Day | |
| 16 | All Day | Gift Card Orders due | |
| | | Newsletter Articles Due | |
| | | Father's Day | |
| | 9:30 am | Blood Pressure Readings | 246 Conference Room |
| 19 | All day | Juneteenth | |
| 25 | 8-4 | Mission of Mercy | Fellowship Hall |

Entire RUMC Calendar is available on the church website and is updated frequently—check it out: www.rumcweb.org

Food Pantry—Open Saturday mornings from 8:30 to 11 am—In person inside still to be determined. For donations—Let the volunteer know you are dropping off, not picking up. If you can pop your trunk from inside your car, place the donation in your trunk. If you cannot open from inside your car, put in your back seat—Volunteers will take it out of your car for you.

MONDAYS

10 am to 12 pm—AA, 308
3 to 7 pm—Artist Music, 308
7 to 8:30 pm—AA, 308

TUESDAYS

7am—4pm: Mission of Mercy (2nd and 4th Tues.)
10:30 am – Staff Meeting
2-6pm “Thrive” After school Program for Franklin Middle
3-9pm— Artist Music, 308
7:00 pm—Sisterhood, 246 Conference Room (Aug.-June)
7:00 pm—Cristos Iglesias Service, NSC
7:30 pm—Refuge Dharma, 308

WEDNESDAYS

10 am to noon – Library Committee
8:30 am – 3:00 pm—Infants & Toddlers, 308
2:30 pm—Junction After School Program
6:30 pm – NA, Fellowship Hall
7 to 9 pm—Adult Choir, choir room (End of Aug. ~ May)
7:00 pm—Men's Fellowship, 308

THURSDAYS

8:30 am—1:30 pm – Infants & Toddlers, 308
3-7 pm—Artist Music, 308
7 to 9 pm—Boy Scouts, Fellowship Hall

FRIDAYS

8:30 am—1:30 pm – Infants & Toddlers, 308
2-6pm “Thrive” After school Program for Franklin Middle
3-7 pm—Artist Music, 308
7:00 pm—Cristos Iglesias Band Rehearsal, NSC

SATURDAYS

6 am—Cristos Iglesias—Prayer and Cleaning NSC
8:30 to 11:00 am—Food Pantry Open
9:30 to 11:30 am—AA, 308
11-5—Artist Music, 308
4 pm—Cristos Iglesia Band Rehearsal, NSC
7:00 pm—Cristos Iglesias Service, NSC

LAST SATURDAY OF MONTH

10 pm—Cristos Iglesias Prayer Service, NSC

MOST SUNDAYS

11:30 to 12:30 – Joyful Noise Handbell Rehearsal (End of Aug. thru May)

EVERY SUNDAY

Noon—Cristos Iglesias Service, NSC
6 to 8 pm—Youth Group (End of Aug. thru May)

EVERY WEDNESDAY (End of Aug. thru May) Choir Rehearsals

CHURCH COMMITTEE MEETING DATES

1st Thurs.— UMW (7 pm) Library
2nd Mon.— Circle of Friends, Library (No meeting Dec.)
2nd Tues.— Even months— Finance (6:30 pm) Library
2nd Tues.— Odd months — Trustees (6:30 pm) Library
3rd Sun.— Newsletter Deadline and Gift Card orders Due
3rd Mon.— Missions (7 pm), 246 Conference Room
3rd Tues.— SPRC (7 pm) Library
4th Mon.—JOY Circle (11:00 am) Parlor (no meetings in the Summer)
4th Tues.—Church Council (6:30 pm) Library

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We are gathering for Sunday morning worship at 10 am in the sanctuary and online.

We now have several ways to join us virtually, including Zoom, Facebook Live, and a livestream that appears at the bottom of our worship page: <http://rumcweb.org/event/2021-05-23-1000-am-service/> This is the easiest way to view the service and also provides the highest quality viewing experience - especially for those with low internet speeds.

We also have YouTube account - https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzltzPeTDuFxeJv_EJpgjgQ for our services if you miss one, you can pull it up at this link.

ZOOM Link for Sunday Morning Worship

Topic: Sunday Worship

Time: 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86822778412?pwd=THZCN0pkZXIsWG1DVWN5Sis0T1VNQT09>

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