

# Welcome to Fredericksburg United Methodist Church

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**December 28, 2014**

**Attendance** 5:30 p.m.-43      8:30 a.m.-156      9:45 a.m.-187      11:00 a.m.-157      Total - 543

**Those known to be in the hospital:** Di Thompson (SRH); Anne Milby (MWH)

**Christian Sympathy** to Margaret Filler on the death of her husband, Byron.

**Christian Sympathy** to Sharon and Davis Bradshaw on the deaths of her two cousins.

**Christian Sympathy** to Linda and Joseph Conlin on the death of her father, Roy Jaynes.

## WHITE SOCKS FOR COLD NIGHT SHELTER

While shopping for Christmas, don't forget to pick up an extra bag of plain white socks for the guests at Micah's cold night shelter. They may be left in the Micah boxes in "Mission Control".

## CONFIRMATION 2015

If you are in the sixth grade (or older), you are invited to participate in Confirmation, which will begin in January. It is an exciting journey, and we look forward to having you onboard. Join us on Sunday, January 4<sup>th</sup>, for a Confirmation overview and orientation. Participants in the program and their parents should report to the Sanctuary at 9:45 a.m. Sixth-grade Sunday School will not take place that morning. For additional information, please contact Katherine Counsell at 471-8259 or [katcounsell@verizon.net](mailto:katcounsell@verizon.net).

## BAZAAR 2015

You are invited to a bazaar organizational meeting on Friday, January 2, 2015, at 10:30 a.m. at Janet Davis' house. Call 371-1045 for directions. There will be a pot luck lunch after the business meeting. Workshops will begin Monday, January 12, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Call Sharon Bradshaw, Chairman, at 373-8245, for more information. We look forward to seeing you and will keep everyone updated as this Church-wide event takes place next fall.

## WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNERS

Dinners will resume on January 7. Have a Happy New Year!

## YOUTH

**December 28 and January 4** - No UMYF. Enjoy time with your families during the Christmas Holidays.

**Youth Sabbath** is January 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. All youth in grades 6-12 are encouraged to contact Shirley at [shirley.patrick@comcast.net](mailto:shirley.patrick@comcast.net) about serving during one of our four worship services.

## 2015 FLOWER CALENDAR

Fill out the honor/memory information forms for the bulletin and the dispersal of the flowers (leave both for shut-ins, take both, leave one and take one). Put the completed form in the envelope. Thompsons Florist will bill you \$60 for the two arrangements.

## MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The Monday Morning Bible Study meets from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. in Room 210 on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of the month (unless the church is closed). Our study of *Women of the Bible - 52 Studies for Individuals & Groups* by Jean Syswerda continues. We will visit interesting, often little-known women of the New Testament and in the process, find they are not much different than us. God uses each of us in special ways. Each week is a fresh lesson, so join in whenever you can! Call Ann Braz at 710-6588 to order a book, arrange for babysitting or if you have questions. January 5<sup>th</sup> THE WOMAN OF SAMARIA will be our "guest."

## FIRST AID AND CPR CERTIFICATION

Monday, December 29, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Kobler Hall. Cost is \$30. Bring food and beverages for the day. Contact Stephie Maurer at [themidwife@zoho.com](mailto:themidwife@zoho.com) or call (540) 273-8790.

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## CALENDAR

Saturday, December 27

Community Dinner (Fellowship Hall)	4:00-6:00 p.m.
WORSHIP: Open Door Service (Kobler Hall)	5:30-6:30 p.m.
Meeting: AA Fred Chapter (Fellowship Hall)	7:30-9:30 p.m.
Micah Cold-Weather Pick Up	

Sunday, December 28

Worship: Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)	8:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship (Kobler Hall)	9:45 a.m.
Nursery (ages 0-5) provided at all services (Nursery, Room 37)	
Children's Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Primary (40, 48, 51, 53, 54, 56)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Rotation (117, 213-216, 220, 58, Chapel)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Youth Sunday School (Youth Room)	9:45 a.m.
7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School (207)	9:45 a.m.
Adult Sunday School	9:45 and 11:00 a.m.
Adventurers (201)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Browning (112)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Christian Family Life (210)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Christianity & Current Events SS (Parlor)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Faith and Fellowship (202)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Girlfriends (208)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Hough Forum (102)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Wayfarers (Fellowship Hall)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Wesley Forum (209)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Contemporary Adult (210)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Every Man a Warrior (112)	11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Living Water (236)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Ecumenical Centering Prayer Meeting (Parlor)	6:45-7:45 p.m.

Monday, December 29

1 <sup>st</sup> Aid/CPR Training (Kobler Hall)	8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Meeting: NA (Fellowship)	7:00-8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 30

Micah Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)	7:30-8:30 a.m.
Funeral (Sanctuary) and Reception (Fellowship Hall)	2:00-5:00 p.m.
Meeting: Staff Meeting (202)	9:30-11:00 a.m.
AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00-9:00 p.m.
Girl Scout Dinner (Kobler Hall)	6:00-9:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 31

Worship: Wednesday Chapel (Chapel)	11:00-11:30 a.m.
Education: Disciple "Fast Track" Bible Study (209)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
Disciple IV Bible Study (202)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
Every Man a Warrior (112)	7:00-8:30 p.m.
Rehearsal: Praise Team (115)	7:00-10:00 p.m.
Meeting: AA Fred Chapter (201)	7:00-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 1

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Church Offices Closed

Friday, January 2

Meeting: NA (Fellowship Hall)	6:30-9:00 p.m. & 9:30-11:30 p.m.
Micah Cold-Weather Pick Up.	

Saturday, January 3

Education: Co-Parent "SPARE" (201)	8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
Rehearsal: Open Door Praise (Kobler Hall)	3:00-5:15 p.m.

Community Dinner (Fellowship Hall)

4:00-6:00 p.m.

Worship: Open Door Service (Kobler Hall)

5:30-6:30 p.m.

Meeting: AA Fred Chapter (Fellowship Hall)

7:30-9:30 p.m.

Micah Cold-Weather Pick Up

Sunday, January 4

Worship: Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)	8:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship (Kobler Hall)	9:45 a.m.
Nursery (ages 0-5) provided at all services (Nursery, Room 37)	
Children's Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Primary (40, 48, 51, 53, 54, 56)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Rotation (117, 213-216, 220, 58, Chapel)	9:45-10:45 a.m.
Youth Sunday School (Youth Room)	9:45 a.m.
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Contemporary Adult (210)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Living Water (236)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Every Man a Warrior (112)	11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Rehearsal: Wesley Ringers (118)	10:45-11:45 a.m.
Youth Choir (Choir Room)	4:00-5:00 p.m.
Chapel Ringers (118)	5:30-6:30 p.m.
Ecumenical Centering Prayer Meeting (Parlor)	6:45-7:45 p.m.

Monday, January 5

Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Monday Morning Bible Study (210)	10:00-11:30 a.m.
Meeting: NA (Fellowship)	7:00-8:30 p.m.
Upward Basketball Practice (Kobler Hall, 236)	5:00-9:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 6

Micah Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)	7:30-8:30 a.m.
Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meeting: Staff Meeting (202)	9:30-11:00 a.m.
Cub Scouts (207)	5:00-8:00 p.m.
AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00-9:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 7

Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Worship: Wednesday Chapel (Chapel)	11:00-11:30 a.m.
Wednesday Dinner (Kobler Hall)	5:00-6:30 p.m.
Education: Women's Bible Study (209)	9:15-11:45 a.m.
Disciple "Fast Track" Bible Study (209)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
Disciple IV Bible Study (202)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
Grade Level Study Program (213)	6:30-7:30 p.m.
Rehearsal: Children's Choir (117)	5:45-6:30 p.m.
Angel Choir (40)	6:00-6:30 p.m.
Praise Band (115)	7:00-10:00 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir (Choir Room)	7:00-9:15 p.m.
Meeting: AA Fred Chapter (201)	7:00-8:30 p.m.