

## WELCOME

Please complete and place in offering plate.

First Time Guest       Members  
 Second Time Guest     Attend regularly  
 Third Time Guest       Wish to Join  
 Out of Town Guest  
Guest Of: \_\_\_\_\_

Which service are you attending?

Sun. 8:30 AM       Sun. 11:00 AM  
 Sun. 9:45 AM       Sat. 5:30 PM

Names of those in attendance:

Adult(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Child(ren) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please add me to the Newsletter e-mail list.

Yes     No

## PRAYER/PRAISE

May we share your request with the congregation?  Yes     No

I ask prayers for:

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I praise God for:

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Attendance  
May 31, 2015

Saturday 5:30 PM – 40  
Sunday 8:30 AM – 135  
Sunday 9:45 AM – 143  
Sunday 11:00 AM – 123  
Total – 441

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## Children's Ministries

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - HOME TOWN NAZARETH

HAVE YOU REGISTERED YET? We are only one week away! Please register in advance so that we can finalize our classes. This year we are going back to Nazareth, where Jesus was a little boy! You can register on our church website or by paper. Forms are found in the gathering space, in front of the chapel, in the office, and on the Children's Ministry office door. We are asking for a \$10.00 fee per child. If you choose to register by paper, please send your registration form to the attention of Shannon Bolick. Remember to register for the grade you will have just COMPLETED.

We also have several donation needs to make this exciting marketplace adventure. A list of needed items is in the Mission Control room.

### Child Care Needed for MOPS

Summer is approaching and the Fredericksburg MOPS chapter (Mothers of Preschoolers) is preparing for another semester of ministering to mothers & children within our community. In order to make this happen, we need caring and energetic Moppets (childcare) volunteers. We meet on the first and third Fridays of the month at FUMC from 9:30 until 11:30, beginning in October. Please consider supporting this fun and meaningful ministry! Contact Allison Xanthopoulos at either [fmopssterning@gmail.com](mailto:fmopssterning@gmail.com) or Jillian Murray at [hintoflime5@gmail.com](mailto:hintoflime5@gmail.com) if interested.

### Different Colors on the Altar indicates the season being celebrated.

**White (or gold):** is used for festive, joyful occasions. You will see white when we celebrate Christ the King Sunday, Christmas, New Year's Day, the Epiphany of the Lord, Baptism of the Lord, Transfiguration Sunday, Easter and the Sundays that lead up to Pentecost. White is also used for funerals (in celebration of the Resurrection)

**Green:** is used to represent growth, life and hope. Green is used during most of the church year.

**Red:** is used on Palm Sunday, Pentecost, and for Confirmation. Red represents blood and fire.

**Purple:** is used during the seasons of Advent and Lent. The color represents repentance.

### HEARTWOOD CENTER SUMMER MINISTRIES

FUMC is committed to the Fredericksburg District initiative in which children who would otherwise have no means of obtaining regular summertime meals, will be fed by churches like ours. We have committed to packaging and distributing meals to the children on July 11 at Mary Walker Elementary. More information will be made available about the contents of the two-day breakfast and lunch packs that will be distributed. Contact Tony Schroth at [tonyschroth@ymail.com](mailto:tonyschroth@ymail.com).

## FREDERICKSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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June 7, 2015

In the Hospital this week: **Mary Alice Merchant, Bill Mabe**

### ANNUAL CONFERENCE

June 19-21, Berglund Center, Roanoke  
"From Members to Disciples"

Lay and clergy from nearly 1,200 churches in the Virginia Conference will be gathering in a few days to worship, pray, study and celebrate the ministry of the Church. We will be challenged to more fully understand what it means to follow Jesus. How does someone walking into the church discover the path to discipleship? Are there ways that FUMC can be more intentional in making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world?

### 2015 VIRGINIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OFFERING

Bishop Cho has announced the recipients of the 2015 Annual Conference Offering. The offering goal will be \$150,000.00.

- METHODIST MISSION IN CAMBODIA: \$50,000 for the purchase of property for new churches and expand their fast growing mission.
- UMCOR GLOBAL HEALTH MINISTRIES: \$50,000 to aid the Ebola ravaged countries.
- CHILDREN OUT OF POVERTY – VIRGINIA: \$50,000 to offer love and support to mission projects working with the poor in the Danville and Eastern Shore Districts; with particular concern and emphasis on children that are living in poverty.

Envelopes are available in the Gathering Space, the Narthex, and the Charlotte Street Entrance; or you can drop a check in the slot outside the financial secretary's office (be sure to put **ANNUAL CONFERENCE OFFERING** on the **MEMO LINE**).

### Live Streaming of Annual Conference

Sessions of the Annual Conference will be live streamed beginning at 10 a.m. Friday, June 19, at <http://livestream.com/VAUMC/AC2015>  
Watch on Saturday, June 20, 7:30 PM; Chris Watson will be licensed as a local pastor and Caitlin Proctor will be commissioned a deacon.

### DEDICATION OF UMCOR KITS

Our United Methodist Women would like to help FUMC deliver UMCOR Kits to the VA Annual Conference again this year. Dedication of these Kits is TODAY during Worship. Recent disasters have shown us how important these kits are in times of crisis.

**Bazaar Committee Thank You:** The Bazaar ladies would like to thank everyone who donated items for our yard sale. God blessed us with good weather and lots of help. We made \$891.00 to add to the Bazaar proceeds for use with missions and projects for the church.

**Bazaar Workshop Update:** Our next workshop will be on July 13<sup>th</sup> and then from there on we will meet every Monday until the Bazaar in November. Everyone is invited to these workshops in the Fellowship Hall from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM.

**New items needed:** old jeans and sweaters  
**Items still needed:** old or broken jewelry or beads, paper napkins, and printed tissue paper (all seasons), left over 4" x 4" ceramic tiles, metal book ends, old sleds, and old ice skates. – put them in the Bazaar Bin in Mission Control.  
 Contact Sharon Bradshaw 373-8245 if you have any questions or ideas.

**SCHOOL DRESSING DAYS**

The School Dressing Days bin in Mission Control is ready to receive your donations of items to help children who need a little help getting ready for school in the fall. A partial list of items needed: deodorant, toothpaste, bar soap; large girls socks/women's socks, colorful, low-cut; boys/ teens socks in all sizes, boy's and men's underwear – boxers or boxer-briefs. A more comprehensive list can be found on the bulletin board in Mission Control. (Thanks for the items that appeared last week.) POC: Jean Himmel, 540-368-9541.

**Fredericksburg District**  
**El Salvador VIM Trip 2016**  
**March 28 – April 3, 2016**

- Applications will be available on June 5, 2015.
- Cost: \$1950 per person.
- Scholarship available of \$400 to persons 30 & under.
- Application & Deposit Deadline: \$200 due November 27<sup>th</sup>.
- Full Final Payment Due: December 4<sup>th</sup>.
- 2016 Team meetings (mandatory attendance) will take place at Wright's Chapel UMC on Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>, and Mar. 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Deposit is Nonrefundable**

Please contact DS Ted Smith with any questions or to sign up at [fredericksburgdistrict@vaumc.org](mailto:fredericksburgdistrict@vaumc.org) or 804-448-8326.

**YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

**All current youth (students that during the 2014 – 2015 school year were in grades 6 – 12) will meet in our basement classroom for Bible study and fun.**



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW**

**For Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**At 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary**  
**FUMC will be Hosting the**  
**Minnesota Boy Choir**  
**In memory of Bob Bonshire,**  
 former statewide director

**WANTED**

**VOLUNTEERS FOR RECEPTIONS**

We are looking for additional volunteers to help in our 3 teams that provide food and serve following funerals. This is a wonderful way we can reach out to those in our church family who have experienced a loss in their families. Please contact Alice Blain at 373-1070 if you think you might be interested – we really need you!

**SOKS CAMP**

Are you or your group looking for a way to serve our community? Please join us for SOKS Camp this summer! Please consider committing to volunteer – this is an opportunity to serve in our own back yard! Contact Fanya Morton (FUMC point of contact) at 371-0208 or [Morton\\_family@cox.net](mailto:Morton_family@cox.net).

**CHURCH-WIDE FUMC SPRING CLEAN-UP**

WANTED! We still can use volunteers for the June 20<sup>th</sup> (make-up date) Spring Clean-up Day. Talent in minor carpentry, drywall installation and repair, painting walls and outside furniture, gardening, and sandwich preparation to feed the loyal volunteers is needed. You do not need to be an expert in any area since we will be working in teams so that we can help one another. It's easy to volunteer: sign-up here; on the Sign-up sheets at the reception desks at the Charlotte Street entrance or the Gathering space outside Kobler Hall; or on the Church Web Site.

**VBS**

**Volunteers**

**Needed**



**REFRESHMENTS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**The kitchen staff needs a vacation so if we want to continue refreshments between services we need VOLUNTEERS to sign up and help serve coffee and snacks.**

**The coffee is provided the snacks need to be provided by those volunteering.**

**Please sign on the tear-off portion of your announcement sheet.**

**Questions: contact Mary Jordon (540)-303-2281**

SIGN-UP FOR

**CHURCH-WIDE SPRING CLEAN-UP**

June 20, 2015  
 From 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

\_\_\_\_\_ I plan to attend!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Child care will be available upon request.

**VBS Volunteers Needed**

- \_\_\_\_\_ preschool helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ rising kindergarten helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ kindergarten helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ first grade helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ fishing boat helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ barnyard animals
- \_\_\_\_\_ farmer's field helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ wool shop helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ dye shop helpers
- \_\_\_\_\_ have a tarp style canopy to lend

**Refreshment Volunteers**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No: \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU!**