

Fredericksburg United Methodist Church
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 October 26, 2014

WELCOME
 Guests & Members

Attendance 5:30 p.m. - 42 8:30 a.m. - 130 9:45 a.m. - 134 11:00 a.m. - 117 Total - 423

Christian Sympathy to Karen and Dwight Petersen on the death of her mother, Maxine Blair, on October 18.

MINISTRY NEWS

ALL SAINTS COMMUNITY CONCERT

sponsored by the Fredericksburg United Methodist Church Foundation
 November 2, 2014 (All Saints Day) ~ 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary
The Randolph-Macon College Concert Choir under the direction of Dr. Chris Ryder

CHILDREN'S PRAISE TEAM RETURNS

We will once again have the Children's Praise Team on Children's Sabbath. All children, 1st - 5th Grade, who are interested in participating should come to rehearsals on Wednesday, October 29th and November 5th, at 6:30 p.m. in Room 117. Questions - contact Spike Burton (spikeburton@fumcva.org) or Brian Lamb (brianlamb@fumcva.org).

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNERS

Sign up by Monday each week on the bulletin board outside the mailroom (105), in the Gathering Space or contact Lisa Earnesty at earnesty@verizon.net. Dinners are served from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m. Adults - \$6.00; Children - \$3.00 for ages 3-12 under 3 is free, Families - \$25.00. October 29 Menu: Vegetable Lasagna, Garlic Bread, Congealed Salad, Caesar Salad, and Dessert.

NEWCOMERS' CLASS

Are you new to FUMC or considering joining FUMC? Do you want to know more about the beliefs and ministries of FUMC? You are invited to the Newcomers' Class. You can sign up online at www.fumcva.org. There is also a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Desk in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Won Lee at (540) 373-9021, x15, or wonlee@fumcva.org.

Wednesday, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Room 210
 Nov. 5 - "What Does It Mean to Become United Methodist 1?"

UPWARD BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Registration for FUMC Upward Basketball continues. If you would like to sign up your K5-6th grade boy or girl, the easiest way to do it is through the Upward website (<http://registration.upward.org/UPW56509>). If you have questions or would like to join our team, please contact Mark Earnesty at (540) 891-8872 or earnesty316@netzero.com.

FOOD POUNDING

In this season of harvest, we count our blessings, and in joyful thanks strive to be a blessing to others. You may also participate by making a donation to purchase a turkey and/or ham. Make checks payable to FUMC, memo: Food Pounding.

Grocery List for Thanksgiving Food Offering
If possible, please use a re-usable grocery bag.

Grocery shopping schedule is:

- Oct. 11/12 Dressing Sunday, One Box of Bread Crumb Stuffing
- Oct. 18/19 Green Bean Sunday, Two 14.5 oz Cans of Green Beans
- Oct. 25/26 Mashed Potato Sunday, One Box Instant Mashed Potatoes
- Nov. 1/2 Cranberry Sunday, One 16 Ounce Can Cranberry Sauce
- Nov. 8/9 Cornbread Sunday, One Box of Cornbread Mix
- Nov. 15/16 Macaroni & Cheese Sunday, One Box Mac & Cheese
- Nov. 22/23 Food Offering Sunday (Bring your bag of groceries to worship)

2015 FLOWER CALENDAR

For your convenience, there are forms you may fill out for information on what you care to have printed in the bulletin and what you care to have done with your flower arrangement donation—leave both for shut-ins, take both, leave one for shut-ins and take one. It would be very much appreciated if you could fill out these forms and leave them in the envelope designated for the completed forms. The two arrangements are \$60.00. Thompsons Florist will bill you.

MERRY MAKERS

The Merry Makers are going to the Virginia Science Museum in Richmond on November 20. We will leave the parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and have time to explore and have lunch on our own before the 2:00 IMAX presentation, Rocky Mountain Express. Reserve your place by sending a check for \$17 to Ronda Worcester at 701 Cobblestone Blvd, #102, Fredericksburg, VA 22401. Call 479-6090 or email rondaworcester@yahoo.com with questions.

MICAH COLD WEATHER SHELTER

The Micah Cold Weather Shelter is looking for someone to cover 2-3 nights each week. Responsibilities include monitoring the shelter overnight, checking in any guests who come in after the initial check in, helping with clean up in the morning and getting everyone on the bus to go back to town by 7:30 a.m. The position pays about \$9.00 an hour for approximately 11 hour shifts. Email [Meghann Cotter](mailto:MeghannCotter@meghann@dolovewalk.net) at meghann@dolovewalk.net.

BOOK BUDDIES!

The United Methodist Women, once again, is collecting new or gently used children's books (ages birth-12) for disadvantaged children served by *The Salvation Army and The Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary* at Toyland. A collection box marked with *The Salvation Army* shield is located in the Mission Control area. The final day for collection will be Sunday, November 30.

*Sharon West, (540) 891-9230
Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary*

REMINDER

Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour next Saturday night, November 1, as we return to standard time.

ANGEL CHOIR

If you have little ones, 3-year olds to Kindergarten, who love to sing, then have them join us! Rehearsals are Wednesdays from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. in the Pre-School Music Room.

NEW COPIER

There is a new copier in Room 105. The copier is intended for church business use only. If you need to make copies for your ministry area, please see Mona Lamb, Office Manager, for a code.

HELP NEEDED

SHORT-TERM VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

FUMC is in the process of purchasing and installing a Church Management Software system that will provide for electronic check-in for worship, improved member communications, and data base management of all church functions and activities. We are seeking a team of 3-4 volunteers to assist with the launch of this new system over a three-month period. If you feel led to volunteer for this exciting ministry opportunity, please contact Dr. Biler (brendabiler@fumcva.org).

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR

Christine Schroth, FUMC's Financial Administrator has announced retirement at the end of 2014 after 14 years of service. We wish Christine well in her retirement and give thanks for her dedicated service. If you are interested in the Financial Administrator position, place your resume in the Staff Parish Committee box in the work room (105) or send it to the Chairman at prewitt5@cox.net. The position is 30-35 hours per week and requires knowledge of General Ledger operation, payroll preparation, accounts payable and most general accounting requirements.

CALENDAR

Saturday, October 25		
Rehearsal:	Praise Team (Kobler Hall)	3:15-5:30 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.

Sunday, October 26		
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.
	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.
	Serving from the Heart (209)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
	Contemporary Adult Serving from the Heart (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)	10:45-11:30 a.m.
	Youth Choir (Choir Room and Sanctuary)	4:00-5:00 p.m.
	Chapel Ringers (118)	5:30-6:30 p.m.
	Birthday Celebration (Kobler Hall)	5:00-7:00 p.m.
	UMYF (207, 209, 213, 219, Fellowship, Youth Room, Green)	4:00-7:00 p.m.
	Ecumenical Centering Prayer Meeting (Parlor)	6:45-7:45 p.m.

Monday, October 27		
	Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meetings:	Step Virginia (Kobler Hall)	6:30-8:30 p.m.
	NA (Fellowship)	7:00-8:30 p.m.
	Advisory Team (210)	7:00-9:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 28		
	Micah Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)	7:30-8:30 a.m.
	Merry Makers Trip	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
	Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meeting:	Cub Scouts (207-210, Green)	5:00-8:00 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00-9:00 p.m.
Education:	Tuesday Bible Study (Library)	6:00-7:30 p.m.
	Serving from the Heart (236)	6:30-7:30 p.m.
	Pre-School Board (202)	7:00-9:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 29		
	Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Worship:	Wednesday Chapel (Chapel)	11:00-11:30 a.m.
Meeting:	Boy Scouts Troop 170 (208, Fellowship Hall, Youth Room)	6:00-10:00 p.m.
	AA Fred Chapter (201)	7:30-9:30 p.m.
	Wednesday Night Dinner (Kobler Hall)	5:00-6:30 p.m.
Education:	Women's Bible Study (209, 37)	9:15-11:45 a.m.
	Disciple "Fast Track" Bible Study (209)	6:30-8:00 p.m.
	Disciple IV Bible Study (202)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Serving from the Heart (210)	6:00-7:00 p.m.
	Kids with Purpose (214, 48, 50-51, 53-54, 56-58, Cmns)	6:30-7:30 p.m.
	Every Man a Warrior (112)	7:00-8:30 p.m.
	AA Fred Chapter (201)	7:30-9:30 p.m.
Rehearsal:	Children's Choir (117, Sanctuary)	5:45-6:30 p.m.
	Angel Choir (40)	6:00-6:30 p.m.
	Children's Praise Team (117)	6:30-7:00 p.m.
	Praise Team (115)	7:00-10:00 p.m.
	Sanctuary Choir (Choir Room)	7:00-9:15 p.m.

Thursday, October 30		
	Preschool (Preschool Rooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Education:	Serving from the Heart (210)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meeting:	ASK After School Program (209, 210, 2313)	3:30-6:00 p.m.
	Boy Scout Troop 170 Patrol/ASM (208, 210)	6:00-10:00 p.m.
	Missions (Library)	7:00-9:00 p.m.
	Men's Basketball (Kobler Hall)	6:00-9:00 p.m.

Friday, October 31		
	Preschool (Preschool Classrooms)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meeting:	NA (Fellowship Hall)	6:30-9:00 p.m. & 9:30-11:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 1		
	Boy Scout Troop 170 - Scouting for Food (133)	8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Education:	Co-Parent Education Class (SPARE) (201)	8:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Rehearsal:	Praise Team (Kobler Hall)	3:15-5:30 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.

Sunday, November 2 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS		
Worship:	Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)	8:30 and 11:00 a.m.
	Contemporary Worship (Kobler Hall)	9:45 a.m.
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