



# Our Church Matters

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

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From the Pastor

Years ago, I fell in love with the liturgical calendar. It happened when I realized that it actually was a simple re-telling of Jesus' story – a kind of walking with Jesus through His life. It was like (and still is) I was there, experiencing the amazing story of salvation again and again. Each year we hear and participate in the old, old story.

As Lent begins during the week of Feb. 15, we have the opportunity to walk with Jesus through the crucifixion, all the way to resurrection as usual, experiencing the ups and downs with a very different perspective – that is, by linking the God Story to our personal story.

Small groups are forming to spend time discovering those links together, and each week's worship will reflect the theme of that week's small group theme.

The worship teams, United Methodist Women and the Education team are working together to see that every family has a devotional guide (which is the guide for the small groups). The study is organized around the "shape" of a great story or play: Introduction, Suspension of Disbelief, Rising Action, The Inciting Incident, Soundtrack, and Waiting for Resolution. Each week, I will provide a "meditation brief" for use during the service with some suggested conversation starters for use at home, especially written for use with young children. The guide book is easily used with teens, and probably with youth as young as 10 or 11.

My hope is to engage all of us in worship in our own life story, and I hope you will be open to both looking at and sharing your own life story, if only with those closest to you.

Rich and I will be taking a week of vacation, February 8 through 15. We will spend Feb 6-8 with the youth at ROCK and then head to Cape Cod for the week. If there is an emergency, please call Robine in the church office during the week or, if it is on the weekend, please call Sue Wright (410-833-6738) or George Hoffmann (410-526-6967), the lay leaders. They will be able to help you contact the pastor on call or provide help as the situation warrants.

Thank you for all of your prayers for my brother-in-law Glen and my sister Anita. The cancer he has is very aggressive, and he is truly suffering. We live in hope, praying for an end to the suffering and thanking God for the presence and comfort of Jesus.

Blessings on you,



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Maryland Sings  
presents  
*A Little Night Romance*  
An intimate evening of dinner and dancing

February 13th, 2015

6:30-9:00 pm

\$50 per couple

(deadline to purchase tickets ~Sunday, February 8th)

Asbury Hall Registerstown United Methodist Church  
246 Main Street  
Registerstown, MD 21136

For further information contact Lynda Stewart - 443.291.6593 or [lstewart1@comcast.net](mailto:lstewart1@comcast.net)

Tickets must be purchased in advanced. This is a benefit concert with all proceeds going towards the purchase of new audio equipment for Maryland Sings



### COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES:

We will be collecting items for college care packages until March 29<sup>th</sup> – boxes scheduled to be mailed March 30<sup>th</sup>. Items that are appreciated: Kit Kats, Skittles, and other Easter candy, small novelty items like Playdoh, nail polish, and gift cards of \$10 and \$25 to places such as Panera, Chipotle, Starbucks, Chick-Fil-A, Target, Wawa, and Walmart.

Please give items to Lani Hoffmann or contact her at 410-526-6967 or [lani05@verizon.net](mailto:lani05@verizon.net) to arrange for exchange. Thank you; the young adults really appreciate being remembered by their church family.

Tickets are available on Sunday mornings in the Music room. Bill Myers will be available after the 8:30 services and Lynda Stewart before and after the 10:30 service

### From the Food Pantry

In 2014, the food pantry handed out over 2,500 bags of food to over 600 families. This totaled over 68,000 lbs. of food. 68 volunteers donated over 1500 hours of service. Thank you all; those who worked, donated, shopped, picked up Wawa and Panera, ran food drives and more. A big thank you to the Eagle Swim Team, Proctor and Gamble, Northrup Grumman and Glyndon Methodist Church for their food drives.

February is red month. Donate something red to the food pantry: spaghetti sauce, tomato soup, red Jell-o, strawberry jelly, Tide detergent, Old Spice deodorant, V8 juice, strawberry pop tarts...be creative.

Our next community lunch will be February 7<sup>th</sup> from 11:30 to 1:00. Please call or email Lani if you would like to volunteer. We have many community members asking to help and we want to make sure we have activities for all who come. 410-526-6967 or [lani05@verizon.net](mailto:lani05@verizon.net).



**Baltimore Region**  
Baltimore Metropolitan &  
Suburban Districts

## School of Christian Growth

Welcome to the Baltimore Region School of Christian Growth. Please browse the attached 2015 training catalog, which features 13 locations throughout the Baltimore region. Classes are for everyone! This year, we have 26 studies, including four new studies; classes for youth and adults (lay and clergy); and a diverse teaching staff.

### **REGISTRATION**

Register for classes today so that the instructor can send your pre-coursework. Deadline dates and course fees are listed for each location/study. To register, forward the following information to Darlynn McCrae at [darmccrae@aol.com](mailto:darmccrae@aol.com). You will be contacted for payment. Feel free to register for more than one study.

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| 1. Full Name | 5. Church              |
| 2. Address   | 6. Pastor's Name       |
| 3. Email     | 7. Training Location # |
| 4. Phone     | 8. Study #             |

### **TEXTBOOKS**

Most of the textbooks may be ordered from Cokesbury. Contact - 800-672-1789; Mon–Fri: 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Central Time; Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Central Time; Sunday: Closed

If you register for a class after 2/28, then take advantage of this year's Leadership Day to purchase your textbook (s).

Some instructors will make available handouts for their class instead of requiring a textbook.

### **RECERTIFICATION for Lay Servants**

Please note --- if this is the year to meet your 3-year recertification, do not wait until September to register for classes. In order to be voted as a lay servant at your fall charge conference, course work must have been completed (cannot be in the middle of a training class). Also, classes will be canceled because of low or no registrations (which usually happens with fall classes).

Questions? Please contact Darlynn McCrae at 443-254-2083



**Shoppers cards** will be on sale Feb. 15 between services by the Fellowship Hall. Start the new year

and purchase these cards for your groceries, gasoline for your cars and eating out. RUMW makes a percentage on every cards we sell and that money is used for our Missions work. Thank you. Tammy & Lois



Cemetery Care

Please remove all Christmas items from the cemetery by the end of February so we can plan a clean up in March. Thank you. Cemetery Committee



**ASH WEDNESDAY  
SERVICE TIMES:  
February 18th**

**12:00 Noon**—Community Ash Wednesday Service

**7:00 pm**—RUMC Ash Wednesday service





**Date:** Saturday, February 28, 2015  
**Time:** 9 am – 4 pm  
**Location:** ConneXions School in Baltimore, 2801 N. Dukeland Ave, Baltimore, MD 21216  
**Registration:** Is now

open  
**Cost:** \$35 (Includes Light Breakfast and Lunch)

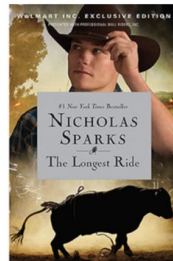
Dear Friends,  
We are excited this year to team up with the staff of the ConneXions School in Baltimore as hosts for the 2015 Baltimore Region Leadership Day. This year, it is our goal to equip you to be HANDS ON in the Baltimore Region! To do that we are offering more than 30 distinct classes geared to provide you the tools to be God's presence in your neighborhoods. We will also be joined by Jeanne Allert of The Samaritan Women who will deliver our keynote address and teach classes about Human Trafficking and what we can do to push back against this destructive force in our communities. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Christine Kumar at [ckumar@bwcumc.org](mailto:ckumar@bwcumc.org) or John Gauthier at [jgauthier@bwcumc.org](mailto:jgauthier@bwcumc.org). We look forward to seeing you in February!

REGISTER TODAY! Class descriptions are on the attached PDF. After making your selection for a morning and afternoon session, visit this link to register ...

<https://www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?EID=LEAD770E&TID=zsFLf7SQOoKucqROQ4oOQQ%3d%3d>

Please note that vendors will be present with district resources. Also, a Cokesbury table will be available. This is important if you plan to register for classes in the Baltimore Region School of Christian Growth. Textbooks can be purchased at this time, which will save shipping and handling when purchasing online. Another message will be sent with the School of Christian Growth catalog.

**Feel free to share this message with others in your church, family and friends.**



## From the Shelves

Nicholas Sparks is one of our church library's most popular authors, and my book club recently read his latest novel. Called "The Longest Ride," it follows two love stories. So-

phia is a student at Wake Forest College who meets a professional bull rider named Luke. At the same time, widower Ira remembers his long marriage to Ruth. As different as these couples are, Sparks still finds a way to tie their stories together. The movie version of this novel will be coming to theaters in April, so this gives you a chance to check out the book before you see the movie. It's worth it.

-Beth Waters



**Book Club will meet on  
Wednesday, February 25, at 7:00 in  
the church library.**

We will discuss *Small Blessings* by Martha Woodroof. Tom Putnam, a professor at a women's college in Virginia, leads a quiet and unfulfilled life. He is tied down to his wife Marjory as well as his mother-in-law. Marjory has been a shut-in with many emotional problems ever since she discovered her husband's brief affair ten years ago. Life begins to change when they meet a new hire on campus and when Tom receives a letter telling him that he is the father of a ten-year old son.



### Library Log

1. We hope you are finding the newspapers helpful. Hopefully many of you reviewed the current affairs Pastor Vivian talked about in her sermons recently. We have been asked to keep the papers until mid-week in case someone needs to see them again and have been doing this since December.
2. Ladies, just a reminder and support for UMW, don't forget that we house the books for the UMW Reading Program. They can be found on 2 shelves to the right of our sliding door. Your list is due to Kelly Fairhurst in September so why not get started right away?

Dear Reisterstown United Methodist Church,  
I would like to thank you all for donating to the fall donation drive, which helps support our efforts here at the Domestic Violence Safe House of Carroll County! Your generous support has restocked our shelves packed with paper towels, toilet paper, kitchen trash bags, soap, laundry detergent, and more! In addition, we are very grateful for the gift cards to Home Depot to help with the upkeep and repairs our shelter needs. Since January 1, 2013 we have served 68 total residents; they too appreciate your continued support.

Yours Sincerely,

**Katelyn Slade, Program Coordinator ,Domestic Violence Safehouse**  
Human Services Programs of Carroll County, Inc.



**Scholarships available:** The Baltimore-Washington Conference is once again offering college scholarships for the Fall 2015 semester. Students can apply through March 5 using an online application system. Contact Cheryl Cook at 410-309-3446 with questions.

## CHRISTMAS OUTREACH TO SCHOOLS

Many thanks to all who helped with the gifts for children at Glyndon Elementary and Cedarmere Elementary by being Santa's Helpers. Thanks to Lani Hoffmann, Cathy and Tom Ritter and company, Amy Estes, Jenny Reed, Barb and Joe Rhodes, Kevin and Elizabeth Rhodes, Jason and Amy Kenlaw and families, Mark and Cara Norris, Circle of Friends, RUMC Nursery School, J.O.Y. Circle, The Quilting Bees, Scott and Linda Stewart, Susan Harry and the Youth Group and all of the Secret Santas who kept me busy adding gift tags to the Angel Tree! Together we provided gifts of toys, books, and clothes for 35 children. In addition, we provided bags of food and the gift cards that gave their families opportunities to purchase food, gas, and other essentials. Both guidance counselors reported that the parents were overcome by the generosity reflected in their rooms. Many shed tears of gratitude and one mother said that her daughter had asked if there really was a Santa. I have received thank you notes from the guidance counselors and some parents reflecting their appreciation. I think we answered that question.

Blessings on all of you!

Liz Livermore

## February BIRTHDAYS

2/17

Bill Myers  
320 Hedgepocket Way  
Reisterstown, MD 21136

2/24

Deloris Stark  
11725 Terrytown Drive  
Reisterstown, MD 21136

2/28

Margaret (Peggy) Eline  
130 Glyndon Trace Dr.  
Reisterstown, MD 21136



**WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDIES:**

We continue in our study of the Book of Proverbs study in the Youth Room of the 308 Building. No book is needed for this study, but a handout from the previous week's topic is available. Please note that the remaining weeks will all be topical, so you can jump in as you are able to attend. We encourage you to bring a copy of the hand-out

and your Bible if you are able, but extra Bibles and handouts will be available for your use.

We hope to see you there!

**WINTER RETREAT AT PLEASANT GROVE UMC**

Please sign up for our Winter Retreat on February 7<sup>th</sup> if you have not already done so. We need an accurate head count for the retreat by the end of this month. The topic of the Winter Retreat will be "AHA: The God Moment that Changes Everything" by Kyle Idleman. In this video series, the Author outlines three key ingredients that draw you into a closer relationship with God and transform your life: **Awakening, Honesty and Action.** You may preview an introductory video to the video series at this [video link](#). Continental breakfast and the usual full course lunch will be provided. Sign up lists are at the welcome center near the church front door, and will also be circulated on Wednesday night. Carpooling will be provided as needed. Please notify one of our leaders if you need a ride.

**PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OTHER SCHEDULED 2015 EVENTS:**

- March 15<sup>th</sup> – Chili Cook-off (*Break out those Recipes...Details coming Soon!*)
- June 13<sup>th</sup> – Christian Brothers Breakfast
- July 10<sup>th</sup> – Annual BBQ
- Sept 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> – Fall Retreat at Camp Harmison

***Our Mission Statement:*** *The Men's Fellowship is a dynamic ministry whose purpose is to gather men in a supportive relationship on a spiritual journey of faith; learning together while nurturing an individual walk with Jesus Christ. We are a Christian community of men who desire to celebrate faith, serve God and spread the good news of the Gospel.*

*Proverbs 27: 17 "As iron sharpens iron, one man sharpens another." ESV*

*Reaching                      Learning                      Celebrating      Serving*

**WEST RIVER CAMP**

**Summer Camp:**

Live and play together, Learn and serve together, Make Friends for Life! The Baltimore-Washington Conference offers summer camp opportunities at West River and Manidokan. While at camp youth Swim, Climb, Fly on the Giant Swing/ Zip Line, Canoe, Tube, Raft, Kayak, Sail, Hike, Play Volleyball/ Basketball, create Crafts, and most importantly experience God's presence. Registration opens in February. For more information or to register visit [www.bwccampsandretreats.org](http://www.bwccampsandretreats.org).

To request financial assistance complete a Camper Assistance Request Form located on the welcome table. Submit completed request forms to Jill Wright no later than March 8th.

**CAMP MANIDOKAN**



## *Yellow Roses Girls Only Nights*

**What is Yellow Roses?** It's a bible study group and it's not dry and crusty. It's where God meets us in scripture. It's where girls can come together and talk about real life issues in a safe loving environment.

**What do you do at yellow roses?** We read the bible, we eat food, we are artsy & crafty, we laugh, we cry, we encourage one another, and we learn from one another, and we strengthen our relationship with Christ.

**Details:** Join us starting Wednesday February 25th at the Holsonbake's House from 6:30-8:15pm. This will be for 6 to 8 weeks.

2002 Conan Doyle Way, Eldersburg, MD 21787. H#410-552-5012

**This group is for girls in 6-12<sup>th</sup> grade.**

It does not matter if you participated in the last session. Join us anytime!

Friends are also welcome. **Dinner** provided.

**Please RSVP so we have enough food. Food & Drink Donations are welcomed.**

**For more information contact:** Janice Holsonbake,

443-398-5951, [jholsonb@comcast.net](mailto:jholsonb@comcast.net)

or Susan Harry, 410-245-7190, [gwtwsue2@comcast.net](mailto:gwtwsue2@comcast.net)

The Music Committee of Covenant UMC presents

### *FOLLOWING THE NINTH*

Tickets: \$10 in advance; \$12 at the door;

Children 12 and under \$5

Saturday Feb. 7th at 7:00 pm—Sanctuary

Sunday Feb 8th at noon—Sanctuary

Sunday's showing followed by a Skype session in the Fellowship Hall with the Director/Writer, Kerry Candaele with Q&A. refreshments will be served. Ticket holders from either showing will be admitted.

Proceeds will support the Music Ministry of CUMC

#### **Film Description:**

Beethoven's Ninth Symphony has had an enormous artistic, cultural, and political impact on the world. *Following the Ninth: In The Footsteps of Beethoven's Final Symphony* follows the global impact of Beethoven's Ninth across five continents and ten countries.

#### **Film Summary:**

*Following the Ninth: In The footsteps of Beethoven's Final Symphony* is a documentary film that takes us in a cinematic journey into the heart and soul of one of the world's greatest works of art. Beethoven's Ninth tells us what our hopes are and what we can become, like no other piece of art ever made.



CUMC—20301 Pleasant Ridge Drive, Montgomery Village, MD 20886

301-926-8920

# 'Shrove Tuesday'

## Pancake Dinner

*By the Reisterstown Kiwanis Club*



**Tuesday, February 17, 2015**

**4:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

**Everybody Is Welcome**

**Reisterstown United Methodist Church  
246 Main Street  
Fellowship Hall (Rear of Church)  
Reisterstown, Maryland**

### ***ALL YOU CAN EAT***

**Scrambled Eggs, Pancakes,  
Hahn's Sausage  
Juice. Milk. Coffee. Tea**



***Adults: \$6.00***

***Children 6-12: \$3.00***

***5 & Under: Free***



### OUR MEMBERS IN SENIOR COMMUNITIES

#### Augsburg Lutheran Village

Margaret Merkel

#### Carroll Lutheran Village -

Ann Garman, Francis Koenig

Louise Meyers, Elsie Smith

Nancy Welsh

#### Fairhaven

Marvin Chenoweth

Bernardine & Bob Walker

#### Lorien Center

Viola Evans

#### Mercy Ridge

LaRue Allewalt & Peggy Miller

#### Salony House

Sibyl Stevens & Edythe Hastings

#### Springwell Senior Living Community -

Frank Simmonds

#### Transitions Health Care

Bert Cooper

#### Tremont Place

Betty Flohr & Doris Matthews

### OUR MEMBERS AT HOME

Ethel Baker Betty Leppo Shirley Krause Doris Martin

Bill & Colleen Eysaman Mary Jane & Stewart Reed

### LOVED ONES SERVING OUR COUNTRY

**Joshua Coleman**, Rosemary Dragunas' nephew—

United States Air force, serving in Qatar

**Lindley Garcia**, Carol Judkins' friend —

USMC not currently deployed

**Elizabeth Haines Greenway**, Marion Yohn's grand-daughter, serving in the Army in NC

**Ryan Hirsch**, Lauren Trail's husband —

Army National Guard

**Jamal Jones**, friend of Rachel Brown—U.S.

Marines, deployed to Libya

**Wilber Kline**, Steve Marroulis brother-in-law, de-

ployed to Kuwait

**Steven Lee**, Carol & Danny Lee's son —Senior Chief, Navy, (21 years) not currently deployed

**Dennis Mack**, Thelma Mack's nephew— serving in the Army

**Allan Messenger**, Ruth Whitlock's grandson, being deployed to Kuwait

**Marcus Veney**, friend of Rachel Brown—U.S. Army, deployed to Egypt



### PLEASE PRAY FOR RUMC MEMBERS

**Steve Blessing**, Prayers for physical & emotional health

**Russell Clayton**, prayers for healing of cancer

**Mary Goodman**, pray the Lord soften her sister's heart in dealing with mother's wishes

**Yvonne Hudgins**, continued prayers for Yvonne and Family

**Christy Newcomer**, Healing after surgery

**Kathy Reedy**, job and strength & faith during the storm

**Michael Tambaoan**, Undergoing tests

**Jannell Trcka**, Cont. prayers for better communication with extended family

**Ronnell Went**, Continue pray for health issues

**Terry Williams and family**, Prayers for comfort on the passing of her mom, **Gladys Tenney** (Sister of Fred Tenney)

**Terry Zarzecki and family**, prayers for comfort on the passing of her dad **Louis Morgan Beall** and for strength and for the Lord to reunite the family

**Jim Barnes**, Cindy Dill's cousin, recovering from virus & is in long term rehab  
**Sandra Beall**, Terry Zarzecki's mom, at home from Cherrywood.  
**Mildred Blank**, Ann Roelecke's mom, in hospice, very sick, pray for peace and comfort  
**Ilsa Brown**, still working on issues with Honduras Embassy and Homeland Security to get final interview  
**Sally DeWitt co –worker of Jannell Trcka**, Pray for healing for heart and gall bladder  
**Cindy Dill**, prayers for patience  
**Jordon & Joshua Reed-Estes**, continue prayers for strength and guidance  
**Kathy Correll & David Keith Estes**, cont. prayers for health  
**George "Bake" Garman**, Peggy Merryman's brother, pancreatic cancer  
**Ed Garner**, In Hospice Care  
**Sharon Goldstein**, prayers for healing  
**Jonathan Green**, peace for uncle with stage 4 cancer  
**Ann Harden**—Multiple Myeloma  
**Jenna Hart-Hadar**, Friend of Kelly Rardon—marital problems  
**Charlene Harven**, Co-worker of Vicki Chitwood, aggressive cancer that has returned  
**Yollande Kayombo**. Cathy Kayombo's sister—surgery on 2/4/15  
**Arless Kesecker**, Uncle of Debbie Paris, in Hospice  
**Harold Larson**, Kelly Rardon's grandfather, guidance and wisdom  
**Gary Lenz**, Peggy Reter's son-in-law, has pancreatic surgery, pray for complete healing.  
**Mike & Heather Lundy**, William Lundy's brother and sister-in-law

**Maggie McFarlane**, stage 4 liver cancer, pray for healing and comfort  
**Garth Oakman**, Rose Oakman's brother-in-law, in stage 4 cancer, pray for healing  
**Kathy Reedy & Family**, prayers for healing  
**Walt Riddle**, Friend Nancy Welsh, heart issues  
**Inez Robinson**, William Lundy's cousin  
**Weston Rock**, classmate of Jan Montgomery's grandson, who is fighting cancer  
**Bri Russell**, Friend of Tracy Tambaoan—29 year old with aggressive form of breast cancer  
**Connie (Trent) Smith**, Kelly Fairhurst's mom—and her siblings as they go through a difficult situation.  
**Barb Stedding**, Friend of Judy Wright  
**Glen Stonbraker**, dble. pneumonia and return of cancer  
**Kelley Strandberg**, Linda Morrison's sister-in-law, who has stage 4 colon cancer  
**Fred Tenney**, Cora McCauley's brother, suffering with cancer and in a lot of pain.  
**Rex Wells**, prayers for healing after emergency surgery  
**Joan Wolff**, friend of Paris Family, breast cancer  
**Terry Zarzecki**, strength and for the Lord to reunite the family  
**Ashley—co-worker of William Lundy**, pray for healing after a car accident  
**Pray for those who are suffering from cancer and their loved ones; and for those suffering at the hands of addiction.**

## Three Month Calendar

### February

1	8:00 am	Joyful Noise Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	11:30 am	Farewell Reception for Eileen Newill	Fellowship Hall
	11:45 am	Youth Council meeting	Library
	6:00 pm	Youth Group	308
2		RUMC Anniversary	
3	7:00 am – 4:00 PM	Mission of Mercy	Fellowship Hall
6-8		ROCK Retreat – Ocean City	
8		RUMC Anniversary Sunday	
	4:30 pm	Table For Eight Kick-Off	Fellowship Hall
		NO YOUTH GROUP	
13	6:30 – 9:30 pm	MD Sings, “Middle of the Night Romance”	Fellowship Hall
14	6:00 pm	Washed Anew Coffee House	Fellowship Hall
15		Camping Sunday	
	Deadline for:	Newsletter, Gift Card Orders, RADA Knives Orders	
	9:00 am	Blood Pressure Screening	NSC Narthex
18	12:00 noon	Ash Wednesday Community Service	Sanctuary
	7:00 pm	RUMC Ash Wednesday Service	Sanctuary
	7:00 pm	Book Club	Library
21	8:00 am	Men’s Fellowship Breakfast	308
25		Yellows Roses	Holsonbake’s
		March	
1	11:45 am	Youth Council Meeting	Library
7		DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS – ADJUST CLOCKS TO SPRING FORWARD ONE HOUR TONIGHT!	
7	10 am – 1:00 pm	Community Kitchen	Fellowship Hall
10	6:30 pm	Trustees meeting	Library
14	4:00 – 8:30 pm	Youth Spaghetti Supper Fund Raise with Washed Anew	Fellowship Hall
15	Deadline for:	Newsletter, Gift Card Orders, RADA Knives Orders	
	9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Blood Pressure Screening	NSC Narthex
	11:45 am	Pot Luck – Chili with potato bar sponsored by RUMC Men	Fellowship Hall
23	6:00 pm	JOY Pretzel making	Kitchen
24	7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Mission of Mercy	Fellowship Hall
29		Palm Sunday – Begin Holy Week	
	9:30 am	JOY Cookie Walk with Pretzels	Fellowship Hall
		April	
2	7:00 pm	Holy Thursday Worship	Sanctuary
3	12:00 noon	Good Friday Community Service	Sanctuary
	7:00 pm	Good Friday Service	Sanctuary
4	10:00 am	Community Kitchen	Fellowship Hall
5		EASTER	
11	6:00 pm	Washed Anew Coffee House	Fellowship Hall
12	11:45 am	Youth Council Meeting	Library
14	6:30 pm	Finance Committee meeting	Library
18	7:00 pm	Line Dancing – sponsored by Health Ministry	Fellowship Hall
19	Deadline for:	Newsletter, Gift Card Orders, RADA Knives Orders	
	9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Blood Pressure Screening	NSC Narthex
20 - 24		Pastor Vivian away – study break	
25	8:00 pm	MD Sings – “Broadway on Main”	Fellowship Hall

### Every Monday

10 am to 12 pm — AA  
7 to 8:30 pm NA

### Every Tuesday

10:30 am – Staff Meeting (with FULL staff quarterly)

### Every Tuesday

6:30 to 8 pm Washed Anew Rehearsal

### Every Wednesday

10 am to noon – Library Commit-tee  
6 to 8 pm – Food Pantry Open  
7:00 to 8:30 pm Praise Band

### Every Thursday

7 to 9 pm - Adult Choir

7:30 to 9 pm – Nueva Jerusalem

### Every Friday

8 to 10 pm NA

### Every Saturday

9 to Noon – Food Pantry Open 9 am to 2 pm Maryland Sings  
9:30 to 11:30 am AA

### Most Sundays

11:30 to 12:30 – Joyful Noise Handbell Rehearsal

### Every Sunday

6 to 8 pm – Youth Group

1st Monday – Worship Design Team (7 pm)

1st Tuesday – Worship (7 pm)

1st Wednesday – Evangelism (5 pm)

1st Saturday – Community Kitchen

1st Thursday – UMW (7 pm)

2nd & 4th Mondays – History & Records (9:30 am)

2nd Tuesday—even months Finance (6:30)

2nd Tuesday—odd months— Trustees (6:30)

3rd Sunday – Newsletter Dead-line and Gift Card orders

3rd Sunday – Blood Pressure Screening

3rd Tuesday – SPRC (7 pm)

3rd Tuesday—Quilting Bees (7 pm)

3rd Wednesday – 7 pm – Missions

4th Tuesday – 7 pm—Church Council

**NOTE: the current and updated every time we up-date it in the office calendar is available online at:**

[https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rumcoffice1777%](https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rumcoffice1777%40gmail.com&ctz=America/New_York)

[40gmail.com&ctz=America/](https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rumcoffice1777%40gmail.com&ctz=America/New_York)

[New\\_York](https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rumcoffice1777%40gmail.com&ctz=America/New_York) (Just copy and paste into your web browser if it doesn't open.)



**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS ARE NEEDED YEAR ROUND:**

- Canned vegetables
- soup and crackers
- peanut butter and jelly
- Toiletry items
- Deodorant
- liquid dish soap
- Canned fruit/applesauce
- Macaroni and cheese
- Pasta and Spaghetti sauce
- Stuffing & Mashed potatoes
- toothpaste
- Tuna
- cranberry sauce
- cereal
- gravy
- shampoo

February is red month. Donate something red to the food pantry: spaghetti sauce, tomato soup, red Jell-O, strawberry jelly, Tide detergent, old spice deodorant, V8 juice, strawberry pop tarts...be creative.



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**WORSHIP TIMES**

- 8:30 am Praise Service**
- 9:30 am Grow Hour (Sunday School)**
- 10:30 am Spirited Traditional Service**

Cribbery available during all times for infants through toddlers.