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THE NORTH COUNTY COOPERATIVE PARISH COMMUNITY VOICE

Community Worship Schedule

SATURDAY

4:00PM at LHUMC (Conversational)

SUNDAY

8:45AM at Harwood Park UMC

9:00AM at FUMC

9:00AM at LHUMC (Hybrid)

10:00 at Brooklyn Community UMC

11:00AM at Messiah UMC

11:00AM at LHUMC (Traditional)

Parish Churches

Linthicum Heights UMC

200 School Lane
Linthicum, MD 21090

Ferndale UMC

117 Ferndale Road
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

Harwood Park UMC

6635 Highland Avenue
Elkridge, MD 21075

Messiah UMC

7401 E. Furnace Branch Road
Glen Burnie, MD 21060

Brooklyn Community UMC

110 Townsend Avenue
Brooklyn Park, MD 21225

Our Pastors

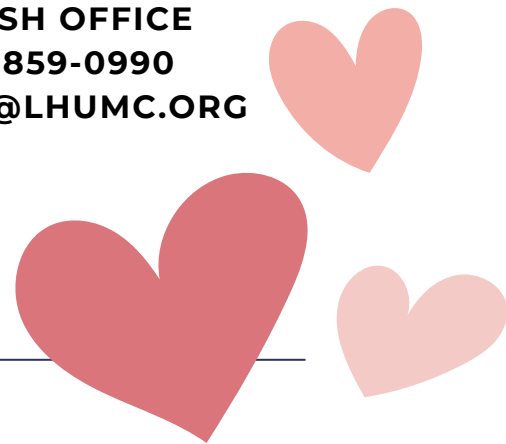
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A note from Pastor Kimberly

Dear Church Family,

I want to share with all of you that Bishop Easterling has appointed me to be the full-time pastor of Glenn Dale United Methodist Church effective July 1, 2025. I am humbled that the Bishop and the Cabinet feel I am ready for this next phase of ministry.

It has been such a great joy to step into ministry with the Community Parish! I love all of you and have been honored to pastor Ferndale and Messiah, and spend time at Linthicum Heights, Harwood Park, and Brooklyn Community.

We still have five months together, and I am looking forward to many wonderful moments with all of you!

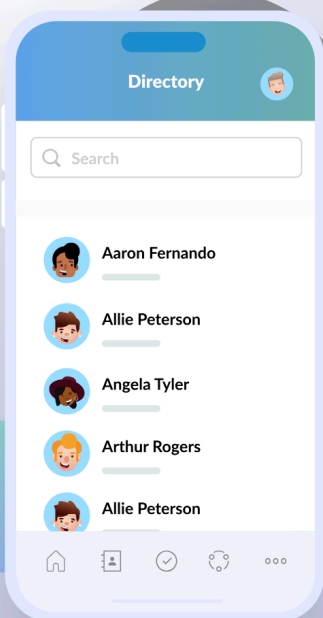
Good bless you all,
Pastor Kimberly



Digital Directory

Check your emails!

Rolling out next week
will be invites to our
new digital directory.



Make A Difference



ARUNDEL HOUSE OF HOPE

19th Annual
Bid for Hope
Live & Silent Auction

Sunday, 9 March 2025, 1-4 pm
Glen Burnie Elks Lodge #2266
878 Stevenson Road
Severn, MD 21144

Tickets **\$60**
Table of 8 **\$440**

Dinner Menu:
Pit Beef & Turkey, Country Smoked Ham, Pulled Pork BBQ, Baked Penne (Gluten Free/Vegetarian), Sauerkraut/Kielbasa, Jambalaya, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Coleslaw, Spaghetti Salad, Fresh Fruit/Veggies & Dip, Dessert, Soda, Iced Tea, Coffee

Extras:
Basket Raffle, 50/50, Wine Pull, Sports Memorabilia, Antiques, etc.

Auction Items:
Dawn Baskin
dbaskin@arundelhof.org

Sponsorships:
Katie Eyler
keeyler@yahoo.com

Tickets:
Jane Hudgins
bid4hope@comcast.net

To purchase tickets as a part of the NCCP group, reach out to Sherry Brown




All Proceeds go to Support the Homeless in our Community

We Are



HIS HANDS HIS FEET



COMING SOON

UMCOR CLEANING KIT PROJECT

STAY TUNED



SONSHINE CLOSET

Donate gently used or new clothing to those in need.

CLOTHES NEED TO BE IN GOOD CONDITION AND WASHED



FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED

FOR **NCEON & FERNDALE PANTRY**

SOCIAL SATURDAY AT FERNDALE

THE SECOND & FOURTH SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH 9AM-11AM

SONSHINE CLOSET
COFFEE & TREATS
FOOD PANTRY
CHILDREN'S CRAFTS & GAMES

VOUNTEERS CAN ARRIVE AT 8:30 AND SEE AMY DYE TO HELP

Join us Feb 4 at 7:00 @LHUMC for our next missions meeting



THE FERNDALE PANTRY



The need in our communities continues to grow. Each Social Saturday finds new families seeking support. Currently, we feed 20-30 families supporting approximately 60-70 people twice a month. On any given Saturday, we disperse:

- 10-15 jars of spaghetti sauce
- 10-15 boxes of cereal
- 10-15 boxes of pancake mix and syrup
- 10-15 packets of tuna
- 10-15 cans of tuna/chicken
- 10-15 cans of corn
- 6-8 bags of white/yellow rice
- 6-8 boxes of pop tarts
- 6-8 cans of peaches/mixed fruit
- 6-8 skillet meals
- 6-8 cans of vegetables
- 6-8 boxes of shelf-stable milk: whole, 2%, almond

Even though the holidays are over, we continue to need your donations of either funds or food. Though we may not see you every week to say thank you, your generous support is greatly appreciated. The relief in the eyes of parents and the smiles of the children assure us that your generosity is feeding both stomachs and souls. And remember, you are always welcome to join us in service or fellowship and experience the community we are building together. Thank you for all of your continued generosity!!!



Operation Christmas Child is a year-long project. LHUMC's goal for 2025 is 850 packed shoeboxes. We can achieve that goal with your help. We will be collecting items each month. January- hats scarves and mittens, February –Valentine novelty items & fashion accessories (hair bows, sun glasses, hair ties, necklaces, friendship bracelets, etc) March – St Patrick's novelty items, stuffed animals and plastic Easter eggs (need 63 dozen). Please placed donated items in the Christmas box in the narthex. Check out the display and the newsletter for future items.

If you have any of the following items on hand at home, consider donating them also. Did you craft using card stock and stampers and don't use them anymore. We have a purpose for them...making book marks. We will up-cycle the following into new items: hard eye glass cases, old T-shirts any color, plastic soda bottle caps, bottled water caps, old sweat shirts or sweat pants, pillow cases, colored or printed sheets, sewing notions-double fold bias tape, rick-rack, thread etc.

Additionally, we will begin meeting on February 6th and meet each Thursday from 6-8pm in the unity room (room 109) to make items for the shoe boxes. If you would like to participate but cannot attend at night, we have projects that can be done at home. Please contact Pat Renes or leave a message at the Parrish office. No craft experience is necessary. Please join us. There's something for everyone.

DESSERT AUCTION & DINNER

TO BENEFIT NCCP MISSIONS UMCOR CLEANING KIT PROJECT

FEBRUARY 22 - 5:30PM

A light dinner of sandwiches, chips and beverages at 5:30 pm. Followed by our famous dessert auction with our favorite returning auctioneer Christen Rintamaki.

Tickets are not required but monetary donations are accepted.

Contact Elsie Brewington or the parish office to RSVP
or sign up to bring a dessert.



Grow - Faith Formation

Pastor Kimberly and Mary Beth Wynne will be teaching a Lenten Bible Study beginning in March. More details will be forthcoming in the announcements but the times are below so you can hold your calendars.



Mondays 6:30 pm - Linthicum Heights - Mary Beth

Tuesdays 2:00 pm - Messiah - Pastor Kimberly

Tuesdays 6:00 pm - Ferndale - Pastor Kimberly

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Every Sunday at LHUMC:

Children's - 9am

(children are dismissed from worship)

High School & College Aged 10am

Adult's 10am

2nd & 4th Sunday at Messiah:

Children's - 11am

(children are dismissed from worship)

Messiah is looking for a Sunday School teacher on 2nd and 4th Sundays during the 11am service.

The number of students range from 1 -5 and are anywhere from 4-9 years old. The children start the service in the sanctuary before Pastor Kimberly gives a children's sermon and they leave with the teacher for 30-40 minutes and return to the service before the Benediction. Lessons are coordinated with Mary Beth Wynne. If you are interested, please contact Mary Beth, Pastor Kimberly or the office to apply

Grow - Family Faith Formation

R.A.M.P 456
FEBRUARY 2
4-5:30PM

PRETEENS IN 4-6TH GRADES ARE INVITED TO ARMOR UP AND JOIN OUR BATTLE. THEY WILL HAVE SO MUCH FUN, THEY MAY NOT EVEN KNOW THEY ARE LEARNING BIBLE TRUTHS.

Linthicum Heights United Methodist Church
Registration required, for more information contact
Mary Beth Wynne; MBWynne@LHUMC.org



R.A.M.P. 456 is for preteens in 4-6th grades. We meet the first Sunday of each month from 4-5:30pm at LHUMC. This ministry is open to all, preteens are encouraged to invite their friends. Each gathering includes fun and faith-building. To sign up for R.A.M.P. 456 go to LHUMC.org/RAMP

The NCCP youth group is for teens in 7th-12th grades and meets most Sunday evenings from 6-8pm at LHUMC. All teens are welcome and are encouraged to invite their friends. This week we will be having our annual NERF night which is sure to be filled with fun and laughter. For more information or to join our mailing list visit: LHUMC.org/youth-group

YOUTH GROUP  **NIGHT**
FEBRUARY 2, 6-8PM

ARMOR UP AND JOIN US FOR A FUN NIGHT OF ACTION-PACKED NERF BLASTER GAMES AND EXCITING CHALLENGES. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!!

Bring your own Blaster (or borrow one of ours), we will supply the darts (standard size) and eye protection.


We also need large boxes!!



FIRST FRIDAY FAMILY FUN NIGHT
Pancakes & Pajamas
FEBRUARY 7
5-7PM

Children and their grown ups are invited to wear their favorite PJ's to a playful evening packed with a pancake smorgasbord and a fun scavenger hunt.

RSVP to MBWynne@LHUMC.org



February's First Friday Family Fun Night will be fantastic festive fun as we celebrate with feast and frolic from 5-7pm. Children and their grown ups are invited to wear their favorite PJ's to a playful evening packed with a pancake smorgasbord and a fun scavenger hunt. An RSVP is required; Contact Mary Beth Wynne; MBWynne@LHUMC.org

Kid's Night Out is a drop-off event for pre-k - elementary aged children. They will enjoy dinner, games, and fun. Registration is required, visit LHUMC.org/Kidsnightout A \$2 donation per child is appreciated.

Volunteers are needed! For more information or to volunteer contact Mary Beth Wynne: MBWynne@LHUMC.org

KIDS' NIGHT
OUT

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 4PM - 6PM

Do your kids need a break from hanging out with you?

Then leave them with us!

We will have games, pizza, snacks, and a movie.

For ages 3 years - 5th grade.

\$2 per child -cash at the door.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED - SPACE IS LIMITED!

REGISTER ONLINE: LHUMC.org/KIDSNIghtout

Mother's Lunch & Devotional

Saturday March 1st 11:00-1:30

LHUMC Unity Room

This event is for school-age moms. RSVP is required
Email: ShilohScott84@gmail.com or Text: 443-939-7400
Adults only, childcare available upon request

Camp lasts for a week, but the memories last a lifetime.

Registration for the Baltimore Washington UMC summer camps opens soon. We are excited that we have children from our parish who plan to attend West River's Discovery camp this summer. Ideally, all of our children will attend the same week, July 27 - Aug 1, at West River, and Mrs. Mary Beth will join them as a counselor.

However, your child can attend any week.

If you are interested in having your child attend a BWC Summer camp, please reach out to Mary Beth Wynne: MBWynne@LHUMC.org. Don't delay, registration opens soon and spots fill up quickly.

Overnight Programs registration to begin Feb. 5th 9am

Day Camps registration to begin Feb. 17th 9am

www.bwccampsandretreats.com



We hope to raise scholarship funds to send our children to camp at little or no cost. Stay tuned to hear how you can help.



Linthicum Heights United Methodist Church

Enhanced Learning Center

To provide an enrichment program of love, learning and fun for children 3 and 4 years old. Our program has a developmentally appropriate curriculum of structured and unstructured activities designed to meet the spiritual, emotional, physical and cognitive needs of a preschool aged child.



Preschool Programs

Extended Care Available

- Pre-K3: Monday-Friday 9am-12pm
- Pre-K4: Half Day: Monday-Friday 9am-12pm
- Pre-K4: Full Day: Monday-Friday 9am-3pm.

Our child initiated/teacher directed curriculum offers wide and varied experiences in art, music, language skills (writing, listening and speaking) phonics, math, the natural and physical sciences, community life, and computer skills.

Register Now!

- Contact Us 410-850-0778 Preschool@LHUMC.org
- Visit Our Website www.LHUMC.org/Preschool
- Our Location 200 School Lane Linthicum, MD

Messiah United Methodist Preschool

At Messiah Preschool we learn through play! All of our classes include play-based learning and hands-on activities with an appropriate increase of academic rigor as the students advance in age/class. Our curriculum is theme-based and changes monthly.



- 2s- T, TH 8:30am-11:30am
- 3s- M, W, F 8:30am-11:30am
- 4s- (half day): M-F 8:30am-11:30am



To learn more about our programs or schedule a tour visit www.messiahumpreschool.com or email messiahumpreschool@gmail.com

7401 E Furnace Branch Rd, Glen Burnie MD

LHUMC Summer Camp 2025

Crafts, Games, Water Fun and Field Trips!

8:00am - 5:00pm

6 weeks

June 16-July 25

Finishing grades K-5th

REGISTER

NOW

Contact Preschool@LHUMC.org or Office at LHUMC.org



Thank you for reading!

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 9:00-3:30
Wednesday: 9:00-1:30
Friday: 9:00-3:30

Email is checked often
OFFICE@LHUMC.ORG

A graphic with a teal and blue geometric background. It features a purple sticky note with a blue paperclip. A woman with brown hair, wearing a yellow shirt, is waving from the bottom left. The text is in a clean, sans-serif font.

DON'T MISS OUT!
SIGN UP FOR
EMAILS

Stay up to date with
announcements, worship times
and fun events!

A graphic with a crumpled paper background. It features a megaphone icon and a small arrow pointing to the right. The text is in a bold, sans-serif font. There are also some small starburst icons.

SUNDAY MORNING SLIDES AND ANNOUNCEMENT VIDEOS ARE COMPLETED ON TUESDAYS. THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS MONDAYS.

THE DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES IS THE 25TH OF EACH MONTH. PLEASE SEND SUBMISSIONS TO THE PARISH OFFICE.
