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OREMS BEACON

Orems United Methodist Church June 2022

Vacation Bible School is returning to Orems. Come join **the Food Truck Party** on

**July 11th to 14th
from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.**

Our men of MOO have pledged they will help feed us each night from our "Food Truck" and we will gather to share how God provides our Daily Bread. Want to help? Join us for a planning meeting on June 9th at 2 p.m.

Let's make this a great event for families to learn together.



Faith Boost
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**Worship on-
Wednesdays
at
12 PM**

Join us each Wednesday (Hump Day) for a faith-based booster shot of Worship to get you through the week. Bring your own lunch and beverage and meet in Room 100. Desserts will be provided. Or eat at home and join us for the worship service. Worship begins at 12:30 p.m.

*Our Mission Statement is:
"To love God and to love our neighbors as ourselves."*



Pentecost Sunday is June 5th .
We will gather for worship and celebrate Communion at 10 a.m.

MEN OF OREMS

The Men of Orem's will be selling Burgers and Brauts on June 4th from 9:30 to 12 noon and their monthly meeting is on June 30th at 7 p.m. They also will meet for breakfast on June 30th at 9:30 a.m. at Essex Diner.



KEENAGERS (fellowship group for those 50 and over)

Please join us for lunch and devotions on June 2nd at 11:30 a.m. in Room 100. We will bring our picnic items and enjoy Hot dogs and all the great sides for a picnic. If you don't remember what you signed up for contact me or the church office. We would love to have any new members join us at any of our meetings. It is open to anyone age 50 and older. I am looking forward to seeing you all in June. It is a great time of fellowship for our Christian brothers & sisters. Hope to see you there! Judy Tolbert

The July/August Newsletter deadline is June 15th. Please drop off your information at the church office or send an email to oremsumc@verizon.net



Special Sunday on June 12th

Peace with Justice Sunday is a faithful expression of shalom in the Bible. It calls the church to strengthen its capacity to advocate publicly in communities and nations throughout the world. The offering is administered by the General Board of Church and Society and benefits peace with justice ministries in the annual conferences and around the world. Half of our gifts stay with local ministries in this conference and half support the work of Church and Society globally.

We empower people and communities through systemic change in ways that bring true and lasting peace with justice. Please give generously. HOW TO GIVE: Write a check to your local church and write "Peace with Justice offering" in the memo line.

Christian Tea Travelers April 29th at Bella's

Our group of 14 had a wonderful time at Bella's Tea Room in Harve De Grace in April. Thanks to Pat Collins for making the arrangements for our Christian Tea Travelers.



United Methodist Women

Our next meeting is Wednesday, June 1st at 7:00 p.m. Please join us as we continue to plan for our missions and ministries.

OUR PURPOSE: *To know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ, To develop a creative supportive fellowship and To expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church."*

Food Pantry needs

Spaghetti noodles and sauce, Cereal, Jelly, Canned peaches and pears, Tuna, Canned hams, canned beef, Manwich, Beef stew, Rice a Roni, Minuet Rice, and Mashed potatoes.

Also we can use \$15 gift cards to Weis, or Food Lion.

Thank you for your support of our pantry.

Pixie Faulkner

Disciples of Yarn

Our latest
Prayer Shawl
blessing on
May 8 in-
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freshly made shawls and two baby blankets. At the end of the service, two of the shawls were provided to church members. The needs of the congregation continue to be met as the faithful member of the Disciples of Yarn continue to supply symbols of God's love. Many thanks to those who support our mission with their talent, material, and monetary contributions.

Please continue to keep our mission in your prayers as we continue throughout the rest of the year. If you crochet or knit, or would like to learn, please join us at the next Needlebees meeting.

Our meeting times are Tuesday June 14th and 28th at 6:30 p.m. on Room 100.

Blessings, Dottie Daiger



If you have a graduate in your family—pre- K to Masters , we want to know. Let us celebrate with you. Contact the church office with the name of student, school, degree, any honors or special certificates and future plans.



A Graduate's Prayer

Dear Lord,

As I look toward the future
Bright hope conducts this prayer,
For I know the plans You have for me
Were wrought with divine care.

Holy Spirit, lead me.

Let me run at Your command,
Yet be still and know that You are God
When trouble is close at hand.

Your **Word** will be a lamp for me,
A guide to light my way,
A solid place to set my feet,
A compass when I stray. Amen.

SHOEBOX MINISTRY In the months of June and July we will begin collecting items for Samaritan Purse Packing party in November. We will be collecting Socks, small toys, pocket size Kleenex, flashlights and batteries and Fun printed bandaids. As the summer months progress we will change the items we collect. Thanks for your help with this project. The box will be outside the Church office.



THE 250TH ANNIVERSARY OF OREMS CHURCH

September 13, 1773 – September 13, 2023

Next year, we will be 250 years young. One can hardly imagine the river of Saints that has flowed through Orem's over all this time. Well, that river still flows and we're in it. When this date rolls around, we will be celebrating in various and sundry ways.

We will be including articles about our formation and history in the Beacon. Folks, we survived the British invasion in 1776, the coronavirus in 2020-2021 and everything in between. If you would like to be part of the Anniversary Planning committee, contact the church office ASAP!

"90 and Over"

The Elite Group celebrates Jacob Conn's birthday on June 15th. Remember him in your prayers and give him Birthday wishes when you see him. I don't want to exclude anyone, and I don't know the birthdate of all the members of Orem's church. If you know of a member who is 89 and approaching 90, or has been missed on the "90 and over" list; please let me know. Also if you want to have a birthday for anyone acknowledged in church let the church office know by Tuesday to include it in our announcements. We no longer will be asking for folks birthdays in our worship service.



Thanks, Vicki Borreson, Church office

Help Our Mission!

The Center for Pregnan- cy Concerns



The United Methodist Women continue to support *The Center for Pregnancy Concerns*.

This Center is reaching out to women who are in a time of their lives when they are vulnerable and in great need of support.

Linda Hall has baby bottles that can be filled with spare change and then returned to her to donate to the center. This is a great way to clear your pockets and help a worthy cause. This Center does not take Government funding but relies solely on donations from good folks like YOU.

*The Center accepts donations of Maternity Clothing, Baby clothes up to size 4 T, and other items a mother to be may need. You may drop off the donations at the Center at Mars Hills Baptist Church located at 1400 Old Eastern Ave, Essex, MD 21221 on Mondays. The office is in the back. **(Please have them marked For CPC or Center for Pregnancy)** Thank you for helping with this mission.*

Family Night at Orem's sponsored by the Fresh Expressions Family Ministry team on the Second Friday of each month. Family friendly dinner and a craft for the family to make together. We will also offer a non-perishable Food basket for each family that attends. **If you would like to invite a family**, and we hope that you are thinking about folks to invite, please give them the information for our next event on **Friday June 10th at 6 p.m.** A fellowship night is a great way to introduce them to your church. Remember to please call the office with a headcount **by Tuesday June 7th.** Let's be the friendly neighbor.

Graduation information should be sent to the church office for inclusion in the next newsletter. We need Student name, school name, any honors or awards earned and future plans. Graduation is pre-K to College! Help us congratulate the Graduates of 2022!



Summer is here and you may be planning to go away— unfortunately our bills do not take a vacation. Please remember to keep up your offering to the church. We understand that finances are shakey this year. They are for your church as well. Let's put this in God's hands. Pray for stability and a plan to meet our needs. God put Orem's here in Middle River in 1773. It is up to us to keep working for His Glory in 2022.