

May 25, 2014

One step in a
lifelong
adventure of
faith



Eastport United Methodist Church
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Welcome to Eastport United Methodist Church

where we share our experiences of God's Kingdom with all,
through our faith, love, fellowship, and service.

Our vision is to have everyone actively involved in worship that enriches, ministries
that empower, and evangelism that embraces all.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 25, 2014

10:00 a.m.

Praise Songs

Revelation Song

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

I Will Call Upon the Lord – TFWS 2002

Prayer

Children's Time

Joys and Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

Praise Songs / Hymn of Illumination

Shine On Us

Cry of My Heart – TFWS 2165

***Scripture Reading**

John 14: 15-21

Witness to the Word

Pastor MaAn

[We will observe a minute of silence to reflect on the Word and its call and claim in our lives]



Confirmation

Brian David Cunningham, Jr.



Father: Brian David Cunningham, Sr.

Mother: Jerlyn Davidge

Grandmother and Mentor: Jackie Cunningham

Grandparents: Vicki & Mike Ciakowski

Baptism Godparents: Michael Supko and ?Stephanie Howard

Sharing of Gifts, Offertory Song and Prayer

Lay Up Your Treasures in Heaven

Pepper Choplin

[The Unified Budget and Heaven Cent Basket for Imagine No Malaria]

***Closing Praise**

My Life is in You, Lord – TFWS 2032

***Blessing**

*** Sharing God's Peace**

***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: **106**

Readings for Next Week

Acts 1:1-11; Psalm 47; Ephesians 1: 15-23; Luke 24:44-53

Consider using John Wesley's Three Simple Rules

in your daily prayer and meditation:

Do No Harm, Do Good, Stay in Love with God.

Copies of ***Our Daily Bread*** and ***The Upper Room***

Easter devotional materials:

"The Hope of Easter" and "Easter, Believing is Seeing"

are in Fellowship Hall.



**Altar flowers today are given
to honor Brian David Cunningham, Jr. on his Confirmation;
and in honor of Jackie Cunningham, young Brian's Grandma,
by Wendy & Eric Edstrom. We love you both.**

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

FOR OUR YOUTH WHO
PROFESS THEIR FAITH

State, Country & World

THOSE WHO NEED THE KNOWLEDGE
THAT GOD LOVES THEM

Our Homebound Members

Lois Bliss, Edna Catterton, Katherine Leitch, Esther Gannaway, Eloise Gleason,
Becky Dobrick, Gwynn Bowen, Neill Kinnamon, Mary Jones, Ernie Mutschler



May Prayer List**



**A new list will start on June 1st. Please use the yellow prayer cards
in the pews for your prayer requests, or call/email the church office.

Norman Jones (member)

Betty Tillack (member)

Margaret Terry (member)

Mary Jones (member)

Betty Storton (member)

Doris Belcher (Edgar Bowen's sister)

Jennie Kulesza (JoAnn's Mom)

Lois Bliss (Tammy Lesley's Mom)

Ray Fox (Malamphy's extended family)

Tom Scholdice (Pud Schultz's cousin)

Joe Andrucyk (friend of Bergsman-Devaris family)

Gary Kolb (friend of Steve & Pat Parks)

Bruce Trumball (Schultz's extended family)

Sheridan Family(friends of Joyce & Jeff Conley)

The U.S. Military (Berlyn Wheeler)

Zaiden Krewson (Conleys' infant friend)

Jamesen Boyd (Libby Cain's infant friend)

Nina Green (Barbara Schwarz's mother-in-law)

Donny Marco (Barbara Schwarz's nephew)

Prayers for the family of Barbara Puffenbarger, Joan Dove's sister,
who passed to the hands of the Lord this week.



Prayers for John Ann, Eddie Bussard, and Eddie Burns, whose
daughter, Gayle went home to the Lord on May 4, 2014.
They are longtime friends of Mary Jane Finkle.



Birthdays this Week

May 25 – Mike Keller

May 26 – Ashlyn Hughes

Frances DuPlayee

May 30 – Mitch Krebs

May 31 – Kathy Volz

Anniversaries this Week

May 27 – Valerie Devaris & Neil Bergsman

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Mon, May 26	Memorial Day- Office Closed; No Bells rehearsal
Tues, May 27	Homework & Reading 4pm
Wed, May 28	Jesus in the Gospels Final meeting 10:15am; Out to Lunch Bunch at Sammy's 12:15; Art for Children 4pm
Thu, May 29	Annual Conference in Baltimore – Thursday to Saturday Homework & Reading 4pm; No Choir rehearsal



The 230th Session of the BWCUMC, Annual Conference 2014, will be held Thursday, May 29, through Saturday, May 31, 2014. Please pray for the Bishop, all clergy, and all laity at this time. Thank you.

Calling all bakers! (not necessarily women ☺) Baked items are needed for our annual **Yard Sale Bake Table**, on June 14th. There will be a sign up sheet in Fellowship Hall today, so please see Audrey Howard and volunteer to help supply the table with goodies. The proceeds from this table are used as start-up funds for the Peach Festival. ~ Thanks so much. ~

Jars ! Jars ! Jars! – We still need pint and quart canning jars for beets. If you have any to donate, please bring them to church and put them in the kitchen. Thank you.



SPOTLIGHT BEHIND THE SCENES

Many thanks to Betty Tillack for donating two new beverage dispensers for the church.



Memorial Day Parade is tomorrow, May 26 and we really want to show our EUMC spirit with a large contingency! Please arrive no later than 9:30; the parade begins at 10 a.m. We'll line up on Amos Garrett Blvd. (exact location will be assigned that morning) and proceed down to City Dock). Wear your blue church polo shirt or red, white or blue shirt and bring a bottle of water. We have a supply of American flags to share. Please let Joyce Conley know if you plan on joining in the fun!

Warning VBS Construction Zone Ahead

ALL children are invited to gear up for VBS - Workshop of Wonders: Imagine and Build with God. Kids ages 5 to 12 years old will have fun singing, watching bible stories, designing cool crafts, eating delicious snacks, and playing great games. Call the church office to sign up your child, grandchild, niece, nephew, or anyone who wants to come. It's free! VBS runs June 23rd to the 27th from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Volunteers are also very much needed! Come be a part of all the excitement at Workshop of Wonders. For more information contact Lisa Parrish at 410-280-2611.



GRADUATE INFORMATION is requested for the June Spire and for the bulletin. If you have a family member graduating from high school or above, please give the names and pertinent information to the church office or to Eunice at corseec@msn.com



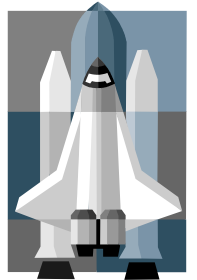
Attention Graduates: The EUMC Scholarship Team is pleased to announce that they are accepting scholarship applications for the coming year. Applicants should be congregation members for five years. Forms are now available in the church office and must be returned by July 6, 2014. Eligible students (full or part-time) are encouraged to apply. Be sure to check online with the Baltimore-Washington Conference for more scholarship opportunities. Information may be found at the following link: http://www.bwcumc.org/news/scholarships_available_bwc

~Anne Owen, Scholarship Team

Save these Dates

- June 8 Celebration of Pastor MaAn's and Vern's time at EUMC at the covered dish lunch immediately after worship (hosted by Trustees and Garden Team)
- June 9 Start bringing your treasures to church for Saturday Yard Sale 10 am to 2 pm Monday thru Thursday
- June 14 EUMC Yard Sale 9 to noon
- June 20 Peach jam making. We will start at 9 am.
- June 23 Vacation Bible School, Monday to Friday, 9:30 to 11:30 am

UMM Field Trip. The Eastport United Methodist Men are organizing a field trip to the National Air and Space Museum (Steven F. Udvar Hazy Center) at Washington Dulles International Airport on Saturday, May 31. The Museum displays thousands of aviation and space exhibits including the space shuttle Discovery and features hands-on simulators and discovery stations. There is an IMAX theater and a planetarium. A car



pool will leave the church at 8:30 a.m. on that date. All men, women and youth of the church, and their friends, are invited to participate. If you are interested, please speak with Jim Wilcox or call him at 410-268-7458.



The Annapolis District of the United Methodist Church is sponsoring an outing to see the Bowie Baysox play the Binghamton Mets on Friday, June 20 beginning at 6:35 p.m. There will be a buffet (featuring hot dogs, hamburgers, chicken barbeque sandwiches, baked beans, potato salad, slaw and more) at the stadium's picnic pavilion starting at 6 p.m. and available until the 8th inning of the game. There also will be a fireworks exhibition after the game. The church in the Annapolis District that pledges the most money to the Imagine No Malaria campaign will get to select someone from its congregation to throw out the first pitch at the game.

Cost for those ages 6 and above is \$30 if tickets are reserved by May 30 and \$34 between May 31 and June 15. Men and women, old and young are all invited. Registration must be through the Annapolis District. If there is sufficient interest in attending, there will be car pooling to the game from the church. For registration information, see Mike Keller or contact him at 410-263-7409 or mjkeller@att.net.

The Reverend MaAn H. Barcelo, *Pastor*
 Nicole Hughes, *Junior Choir Director* Margie Hughes, *Heavenly Bells Director*
 JoAnn Kulesza, *Music Director & Organist*
 Bill Riggs, Sherrie Little, Sally Hight, Mike Keller, *Lay Speakers*
 JoAnn Kulesza & Jill Peddicord, *Worship Team Leaders*
 Sally & Kevin Hight, Eric Smaridge, Brady Duckett, *PowerPoint Presenters*
 Shirley Owen, *Ushers Coordinator* Audrey Howard, *Greeters Coordinator*
 Jeff Conley, *Bell Ringer* Kevin, Eric S, Brady, *The Treats Dudes*

THOSE SERVING TODAY
May 25, 2014

Greeters: Margie & Richard Hughes
 Prayer Leader: Sally Hight
 Liturgist: N/A
 Reader: Eric Edstrom
 Ushers: Sonny & Shirley Owen
 Children's Time: Paulette Schwallenberg
 Nursery: Margie & Richard Hughes
 Counters: Jackie Cunningham
 Ruth Gibbons, Audrey Howard

Fellowship Time
 Jackie Cunningham & Friends

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK
June 1, 2014

Greeters: Audrey Howard, Ginny Davidson
 Prayer Leader: Joan Dove
 Liturgist: Tammy Lesley
 Reader: Paulette Schwallenberg
 Ushers: Neil Bergsman, Jeff Bauckman
 Children's Time: Lisa Parrish
 Nursery: Jacqueline & Steve Ploof
 Counters: Art & Annabelle King

Fellowship Time
 We need volunteers

You may contact Worship Ministry Team Leaders and Pastor MaAn
 through the church office, 410.263.5490.

Pastor MaAn may also be reached via email: pastormaan2005@gmail.com
 EUMC e-mail: eastportumc@verizon.net

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This month of May we celebrated Mother's Day to show our love to each and everyone. We will also remember and honor the American flag on May 26th. All of us have been requested to proudly fly our American flag. Ask your families and friends to join us on this important day in honor of all those who gave their lives and all who served. We are counting on you to celebrate and remember those who served. Thank you. ~Neill Kinnamon

