

December 15, 2019

Parish Announcements and Events

Today

- **Have a Blessed Day**

Christmas Eve services will be held on Tuesday, December 24th. St. John's service is at 6:30 p.m. and ElimSPORT service at 8:00 p.m.



We will be having communion in the pews on Sunday, December 29th at both churches.

As we close out the year, all treasurers are reminded to hand their books in to the auditing committee. Before doing so, please record your year end balances and any interest accumulated during the year, and give that figure to Pastor Mike for completing the conference year end reports. This speeds up the process and makes year end reports easier.



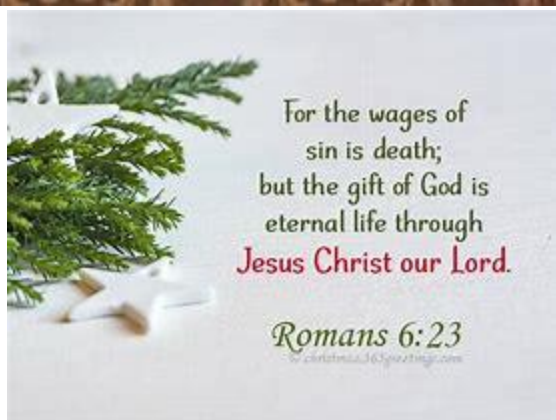
Parish Bible Study continues each Tuesday evening at 6:30 at the ElimSPORT church. We are studying the book of Psalms. All are invited. In case of inclement weather or questionable road conditions, Bible study is canceled.

Community Breakfast is held Wednesday mornings from 7:00 - 9:00 am at the ElimSPORT Church.

Shoppers: While out this season looking for bargains, keep an eye for GOOD quality BATHROOM HAND towels. Size 15"- 17" wide X 25"- 27" long.

Lewisburg District United Methodist is collecting them as their project for missions at Annual Conference in May. Boxes will be put in the churches sometime after the first of the year.

If there is any information that is needed to be put in the bulletin, please do not hesitate to contact Jackie, the church secretary at 570-547-7182 (before 8 pm) or by emailing the church at elimsportumc@gmail.com



Elimsport

Worship 9:00

Sunday School 10:30

Mission Statement at Elimsport UMC

We gather together as a community of Christian believers to worship, fellowship, and to learn more about God. By the unity of the Spirit and the support of each other, we are able to reach out to the community and the world.

Acolyte Schedule:

12/15	Jackson & Elizabeth
12/22	Samuel & Mallorie
12/29	Garett & Jackson



We are in need of someone to do snow removal and salting of our parking lot this winter. This job is paid by an hourly rate. Let Pastor Mike or Tom Taylor know if anyone is interested.

Elimsport Christmas pageant will be held Sunday, December 22nd during worship. Donut Day will follow.



Christmas Pageant

Greeters for December

Today	Retta Moore
December 22	Mary Moore
December 29	Tweet Flick



St. John's

Sunday School 9:15am

Worship 10:30am

Mission Statement of St. John's UMC

The purpose of St. John's is to both evangelize and nurture. We are called to show God's love in our world by giving aid and by spreading the Good News of Christ. We in turn provide an atmosphere for nurturing where Biblical truths are shared enabling people to become spiritually enriched. By providing this, people will learn and through learning, become more effective witnesses.

Helping Hands will be going caroling December 18th at 10:00 AM. Bus will be leaving the Elimsport Church parking lot by 9:45 AM. All are welcome to join us. Pack a lunch. Questions call Bonnie 570-547-6010.



We are in need of a pianist in 2020 and possibly the future. If anyone is interested or if you know of someone who might be interested, please let Pastor Mike know.

We are in need of someone to fill a position on Pastor Parish Relations Committee and someone to fill a position on the Parsonage Committee. These are 3 year terms. PPRC meets 4 times a year and parsonage committee meets as needed.



Visit the parish website at www.evpumc.org to view weekly announcements and the newsletter, or listen to today's sermon.

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