

December 2, 2018

Parish Announcements and Events

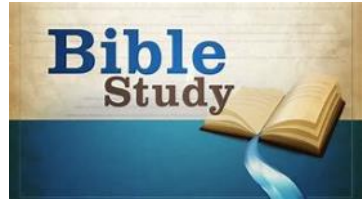
Today

- **Have a Blessed Day**
- **Today is Mission Sunday**



We have a mission for the Advent season: It is for the Christmas committee. They have asked that we collect cans of soup to help out the needy families. The Christmas committee hands out over 220 boxes of food to needy families in the Montgomery School district and also supplies a Christmas meal for each family and gives out toys for around 300 kids. So please help this important mission by bringing cans of soup into the churches by December 16th.

Parish Bible Study will be starting up on Tuesday, January 8th at 6:00 at the Elimsport church. All are welcome.



Spreading Christmas Cheer throughout Elimsport Valley on Wednesday, December 5th. Tune up your voice and join in, as we sing and pass out treats. Bus is leaving the Elimsport U.

M. parking lot at 9:45 AM.

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





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 elimsportmc@gmail.com

Today, December 2nd, will be the last day to take a tag off the tree or donate money towards a gift for a child in the Montgomery School District. All gifts are due, unwrapped and with the tag attached, next Sunday, December 9th. See Deanna Drick with any questions.



Thank you so much for the awesome college care package! It was very much appreciated. I'm so glad I belong to such a caring church family!

Thanks again,

Ben Klopp

Ad council for Elimsport is coming up on Monday, December 10th at 6:30.



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 for Elimsport UMC:

December

- 12/2 Elizabeth and Mallorie
- 12/9 Mitchell and Garrett
- 12/16 Jackson and Samuel
- 12/23 Elizabeth and Mitchell
- 12/24 Mallorie and Mitchell
- 12/30 Mallorie and Garrett

January

- 1/6 Jackson and Mitchell
- 1/13 Samuel and Elizabeth
- 1/20 Mallorie and Garrett
- 1/27 Jackson and Samuel

February

- 2/3 Elizabeth and Garrett
- 2/10 Samuel and Mallorie
- 2/17 Mitchell and Jackson
- 2/24 Garrett and Samuel

ACOLYTES



Greeters for December

Today	Bob & Hilda Sampsell
December 9	Frank Clever
December 16	Jennifer Springman & Family
December 23	Joann Stainbrook
December 30	Jeremy & Joann Kennedy & Family



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.

St John's Christmas play will be Sunday, December 16th during the morning worship service at 10:30am. Please come and support our youth as they tell the Christmas Story. Please stay for some cookies afterwards!



Dear Church Family,
Thank you for the care package that was full of snacks and goodies! I am very thankful that I have a church family who cares about and supports its members.

Amy Drick



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