

February 23, 2020

## Parish Announcements and Events

### Today

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



## Confirmation

We are forming a confirmation class for any youth 12 - 18 yrs. old who has turned 12 or older in 2019. This class we be choosing a mentor to journey with them through the confirmation journey. The journey will begin and we will be presenting the students and their mentors on Palm Sunday, April 5th during worship at each church. Confirmation Sunday will tentatively be Sunday, November 22nd. If anyone is interested, please contact Pastor Mike.

Weather permitting, Parish Bible Study is on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 at the Elimsport church. We are continuing in the Book of Psalms.

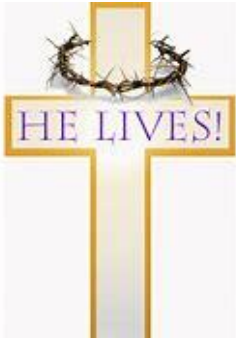


Ash Wednesday service will be at St. John's church on Wednesday, February 26th at 7:00 with the imposition of ashes. All are welcome.

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 [elimsportumc@gmail.com](mailto:elimsportumc@gmail.com). **Please have information to me by Wednesday morning.**



As we prepare for our Easter celebration, we welcome any ideas to make our services special. This includes Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Sunrise Service, and Easter Sunday services. If you have any suggestions, please let Pastor Mike know.

As the season of lent is approaching, so is the preparation for the annual Easter Egg Hunt. This year, the Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled for April 11th at



10am on the church softball field. If anybody would like to donate their time stuffing eggs, we will be doing this after church. We will gladly accept monetary donations or even candy. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jenn Springman at (570) 412-6141 or [jenntay76@hotmail.com](mailto:jenntay76@hotmail.com) Thank you in advance!



# 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:

- 2/23 Garrett & Elizabeth
- 3/1 Mitchell & Mallorie
- 3/8 Jackson & Samuel
- 3/15 Elizabeth & Mitchell
- 3/22 Mallorie & Garrett
- 3/29 Jackson & Samuel



Pot  
Luck  
Supper

The Christian Crusaders will meet at 1pm on Friday, February 28th in the fellowship hall. Please bring a dish to share and your own table service.

### Greeters for February/March

- Feb. 23 Monte Temple
- March 1 Bob & Hilda Sampsell
- March 8 Joe & Lauren Bryson & family
- March 15 Jennifer Springman & family
- March 22 Deb Salvatori



## 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.

There will be a fundraiser at Hoss's today, Sunday, February 23rd. There are cards on the back table at each church.



*Be strong and take heart,  
all you who hope in the Lord.  
Psalm 31:24*

Visit the parish website at [www.evpumc.org](http://www.evpumc.org) to view weekly announcements and the newsletter, or listen to today's sermon.

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