

January 28, 2024

## *Parish Announcements and Events*

### Today

- Have a Blessed Day

### Various means to keep updated:

website: [evpumc.org](http://evpumc.org)

Face book: Elimsport United Methodist Parish

Electronic sign at Elimsport church

email Pastor Dave: [dshultz@susumc.org](mailto:dshultz@susumc.org)

email church: [elimsportumc@gmail.com](mailto:elimsportumc@gmail.com)

Call Pastor Dave: 570-547-1162

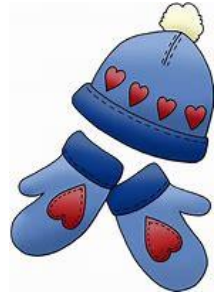
Text Pastor Dave: 570-439-0004 (please identify yourself when texting)

The Chosen Study Group will be meeting this Tuesday evening at 6:30pm in the Elimsport Fellowship Hall. We will be doing session 2. This is a great study on what it means for each of us to choose and to be shaped by the Way of Jesus. We will be watching the video for each episode and then going through the study book. The videos are around an hour, so you are welcome to bring a more comfortable chair. This will be an eight-session study. A study book is not required, but it will help to get more out of it as you can think on the questions and review the material ahead of time.



Wednesday morning breakfast at the Elimsport church is from **7:30 am to 9:30 am**.

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.**




**Blood  
Drive**

There will be a Blood Drive on Tuesday, January 30th at the fellowship hall.

Lenten Study – The UM churches in the Milton cluster, will be hosting a Lenten Study at Bethany UMC, 107 S. Front St., Milton. We will be doing Max Lucado's book, *He Chose The Nails*. It will be held Monday mornings at 10am, starting, February 19. Let Pastor Dave know if you are interested so that we can plan accordingly.

PPRC Committee Meeting Scheduled for Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30pm at the Elimsport Church.

PPRC Committee members are Lauren Bryson, Christa McCormick, Retta Moore, Jeremey Kennedy, Fred Kennedy and Donna Satteson.



*Wash me,  
and I shall be  
whiter than snow.*  
psalm 51:7

# 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.

A Turkey Dinner is scheduled for Saturday, February 24th. The proceeds for this dinner go toward the Parsonage Fund. We are in the planning stages and are offering everyone the opportunity to use their gifts to help out. If you are able help by donating toward the dinner, please check out the signup sheet in the back of the church, and/or if you are able to help the night of the dinner, any and all help would be greatly appreciated. Please see any of the folks involved with the planning if you have questions or can help with set-up and/or clean-up. "Teamwork makes the Dream Work" and our Parish is a great team!

Today is Donut Day! Please join us downstairs for donuts and fellowship. Also, we would appreciate having a few people stay behind to clean tables, run the vacuum, and take out the garbage.

Elimsport United Methodist Church,

Thank you for your donation to the Montgomery Christmas Committee. This year we provided 200 families with a food box and with the help of Toys for Tots, we gave 349 children a gift. This would not be possible without your donation. Again, Thank you for supporting the Montgomery Christmas Committee.

Virginia Hill

## 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 will be having another apple dumpling sale on Wednesday, February 14th. A perfect time to order one for your sweetheart for Valentine's day. Orders can be picked up between 11am-2pm. Apple dumplings are \$4.50 and there are sign up sheets at both churches. Anyone willing to help Feb 13th or 14th please let Gloria Burrows know. Thanks for your continued support, it is greatly appreciated! We are hoping to do one more sale in March if we are able to get apples.



Create in me a clean  
heart, O God;  
and renew a right spirit  
within me.

Psalm 51:10

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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