

January 31, 2016

## *Parish Announcements and Events*

### Today

- **Have a blessed day**
- **Today is Donut Sunday**

Bible Study will be this Tuesday, February 2nd at 6:30 pm at the Elimsport church. All are invited to attend. We are studying the book of Isaiah.



If there is any information that is needed to be put in the newsletter or bulletin, please do not hesitate to contact Jackie, the church secretary at (570) 547-7182.

There will be a Blood Drive at the Elimsport Church Wednesday, February 3rd from 2:00 - 7:00 pm. Please come and donate.



### Announcements for the week of January 31st, 2016

Special Lenten services will again be held until Easter.  
Schedule:

- Wednesday, February 10th, Ash Wednesday service at St. John's at 7:00 pm
  - Tuesday, February 16th & 23rd, Lenten Service at St. John's at 7:00 pm
  - Tuesday, March 1st, Lenten Service at St. John's 7:00 pm
  - Tuesday, March 8th & 15th, Lenten service at Elimsport at 7:00 pm
  - Thursday, March 24th, Seder Meal at Elimsport at 6:00 pm
  - Friday, March 25th, Good Friday service at Elimsport at 7:00 pm
  - Sunday, March 27th, Easter Sunrise Service at Lutz's Pond at 6:00 am (Weather Permitting)
- Regular Services at each church on Easter Sunday.

# YOUTH GROUP

## Youth Fellowship Happenings

February 7th - Souper Bowl Sunday - Collections go to Son Light House and Footprints of Montgomery

February 14th - Youth Sunday at both churches

February 21st - meet at the church at 6:30 pm

February 28th - meet at the church at 6:30 pm

Call or email Tweet with any questions.

**Please see any member of the Youth Group to purchase a 2016 calendar. Cost is \$7.00. This is a great way to help support our Youth!**

The Youth will be having Fundraisers at Wendy's in Muncy on the following dates:

March 15th

June 21st

September 20th

December 13th



All times are 5:00 - 8:00 pm.

Come and help support our Youth!

Call or email Tweet with any questions.

# Elimsport

Worship 9:00

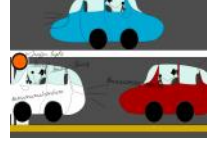
Sunday School 10:30

## 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

All children up to Kindergarten age (5) are invited to come to the nursery after the children's chat, during the hymn.

We will be moving forward with improvements to the sidewalks and the parking lot this Spring. The improvements include repairing cracked and deteriorated sidewalk slabs and eliminating high curbs with new paving. This major project will make us more in ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) compliant. The projected budget is estimated to cost \$28,000. We encourage you to prayerfully consider designating funds toward this project.



Any children wanting to be an acolyte and help light the candles on Sunday mornings during worship, please contact Pastor Mike. We're having a training class next Sunday, February 7th at 3:00 pm at the Church.

Administrative Council will meet Monday, February 8th at 6:30 pm.



## Greeters for January/February

Jan 31st	Anderson Family
Feb 7th	Larry & Sandy Foresman
Feb 14th	Joe & Lauren Bryson & Family
Feb 21st	Mike & Lori Wallis
Feb 28th	Stu Seitzer



## 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.



We are taking a special offering today to help offset the cost of heating oil for the church. Any donation is greatly appreciated.

St. John's will be having a fundraising event at Hoss's in Williamsport on Sunday, February 21st from open till close. This will benefit both churches. You will need a ticket for your family. There are tickets on the back tables at both churches or you can call Marie at (570) 547-1772 if you need tickets.



Church Family,  
Thank you for my finals care package. It made studying a bit sweeter. Thank you for your support throughout the years.

Much Thanks,

Katie Scarborough

Apple Dumplings will be made February 17th. Please place your orders by Sunday, February 14th.



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

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