

March 20, 2022

Parish Announcements and Events

Today

- Have a Blessed Day
- Today is the first day of Spring!



Various means to keep updated:

website: evpumc.org

Face book: Elimsport United Methodist Parish

Electronic sign at Elimsport church

email Pastor Mike: hjebm@comcast.net

email church: elimsportumc@gmail.com

Call Pastor Mike: 570-547-1386

Text Pastor Mike: 570-974-8590 (please identify yourself when texting)

Be pro-active in getting the word out to others in the church.

Our Parish Lenten Mission will be a food drive for Footprints of Montgomery. You may bring donations to each church during Lent or drop off at Elimsport UMC Pavilion on April 3, 2022 from 1:00-4:00. Suggestions for this drive are personal care items.

Some ideas may be bath soaps, toothpastes, toothbrushes, shampoo/hair products, dish detergent, laundry supplies, razors. They also always need canned goods such as canned and creamed corn, red beets, canned potatoes, canned vegetables, canned soups, and bottled juices not needing refrigeration. Of course any donations will be accepted, but remember to make sure it is unopened and not expired. Thank you for supporting this important ministry in our area!



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. **Do not call or text Pastor Mike. Please have information to me by Wednesday morning.**



The Susquehanna Conference has appointed a new pastor to serve the Elimsport Parish. Pastor David Shultz will begin service July 1st, 2022. He is an Ordained Elder, has a Bachelor of Science from Lock Haven University and Master of Divinity from the United Theological Seminary. He has served at the Liberty United Methodist Church, West Milton United Methodist Church, Chaplain for Soldiers/Sailors Hospital in Wellsboro, Pine Creek Valley, Witmers and most recently the Winterstown United Methodist Church. Messages can be sent to Pastor David Shultz at 12184 Winterstown Road, Felton PA 17322 or via email at dshultz@susumc.org.

Greetings to all of you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Jean and I are looking forward to meeting all of you, joining in worship with you, and to beginning a very special time of ministry together. This is going to be a new endeavor for all of us and I sense that God has something special in store. In our many years of ministry, we have seen people grow in their relationship to God and embrace the gift of their identity in Christ. Both of us have grown up not too far away from here and in many ways it feels as though we are coming home. We are pleased to know that we will become a part of your lives and you are part of ours. Blessings to you and we will see you in July, David & Jean Shultz

Elimsport

Worship 9:00

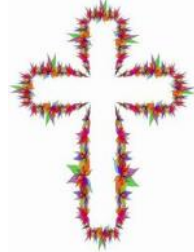
Sunday School 10:30

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:

3/20/22 Elizabeth & Jackson
3/27/22 Mitchell & Mallorie
4/03/22 Samuel & Garrett
4/10/22 Elizabeth & Mitchell



There will be a blood drive on Tuesday, April 12th from 2-7 in the Fellowship Hall.

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



The PPRC Committee asks for continued prayers for Pastor Mike and his family and Pastor Dave and his family during the transition. Contact a PPRC member with any questions, PPRC Committee members are Lauren Bryson, EUMC; Christa McCormick, EUMC; Retta Moore, EUMC; Jeremy Kennedy, EUMC; Charlie Ulrich (St. John's UMC); and Gary Taylor (St. John's UMC).

Anyone interested in mowing the softball field for this coming season should contact Tom Taylor or Frank Cleaver. Elimsport United Methodist Church hopes to hire the person by April 4, 2022.

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 special offering taken up today, March 20th to help offset the high cost of heating oil. Any donation is greatly appreciated.



Tithes and offerings

Anyone leaving items on the back pew please label where the items are to go. (Footprints of Montgomery, Son Light House, etc)



Lenten Services:

LENT

Good Friday Service at Elimsport on April 15th at 7:00

Easter Sunrise to be announced

Easter Services at each church during normal worship time

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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