

March 25, 2018

Parish Announcements and Events

Today

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



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

Please send cards to: Max Furman
28 1D/Fires
APO, AE 09306

No personal hygiene products or toiletries.

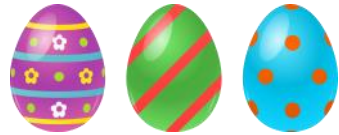
Calling all Superheroes interested in exploring epic adventures to discover their strength in God!!! VBS 2018 will be Sunday, July 29th thru Thursday, August 2nd from 6 to 8:30pm. Dinner will also be provided again this year. Closing Program and Carnival Friday, August 3rd at 6pm. Our Little Heroes will explore God's mission for their lives, encounter adventures alongside biblical heroes, as well discovering their own unique power and strength from God! Any Superhero Leader already helping or interested in helping please plan to attend! Any questions please contact, Captain Church (AKA) Pastor Mike or Wonder Women Taryn Myers and Andrea Hetner. Let us all Discover our Strength in God!

Parish Bible Study is Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm at the Elimsport church. All are invited. We will be studying how we got our Bible and its origins.

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 or by emailing the church at elimsportumc@gmail.com

Parsonage Committee will be meeting on Monday, April 16th at 7:00 pm at the Elimsport church: This includes: Mary Moore, Anne Finck, Jeremy Kennedy, Deanna Drick, Gary Taylor, Hal Drick & Bonnie Cromley.

The Easter Egg hunt will be on March 31 at 10am, at the church softball field.



The parish **Pastor Parish Relations Committee** is meeting on Monday, April 2nd at 6:30 pm at the Elimsport church. This includes: Retta Moore, Christa McCormick, Jeremy Kennedy, Deanna Drick, Lauren Bryson, Kay Showers, Julie Taylor, Bonnie Cromley & Charlie Ulrich.

Upcoming services:

Maundy Thursday Service with Communion will be on Thursday, March 29th at 6:30 pm at the Elimsport church.

Good Friday Service with Communion will be on Friday, March 30th at 7:00 pm at the Elimsport church.

Easter Sunrise Bonfire at Lutz's Pond on Rt. 44 North of Elimsport at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, April 1st weather permitting. Bring a lawn chair, and dress appropriately to be outdoors at a campfire.

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.

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

Thank you to everyone for your calls and cards after the loss of Aunt Alta Mae Whitmoyer. Thanks especially to Hilda and Bob for their thoughtfulness with food and Pastor Mike and Bisby for their support. We are so blessed in our Christian family.

God Bless,



Sandy & Larry Foresman

Confirmation class is tonight at 6:00 pm at the Elimsport church.

Greeters for March/April

Today	Joe & Lauren Bryson & Family
April 1	Bob & Hilda Sampsell
April 8	Monte Temple
April 15	Stu Seitzer
April 22	Jennifer Springman & Family
April 29	David & Jackie Klopp & 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.

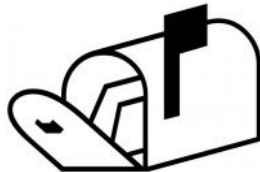
A special thanks to the [7] women and [2] college girls who shared their Wednesday afternoon, March 14, with me and Eleanor. It became a delightful, sunny day even with the wind howling. We enjoyed the lovely hymns, scripture reading, and a reading from different ladies. Also thanks to the lady who played the recorder. A special thanks to Patty Shaffer, who made the afghan given to me. The visit was a very nice gesture during this Easter Season. We are so thankful for all our Christian friends.

Fondly with Love,

Dick and Eleanor Taylor

Eleanor Hanley has moved in with her son. She can be reached at:

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Catawissa, PA. 17820



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