

Valley Views



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Thank God for Mother's Love – Anonymous

There is no love, like a mother's love,
no stronger bond on earth...
like the precious bond that comes from God,
to a mother, when she gives birth.

A mother's love is forever strong,
never changing for all time...
and when her children need her most,
a mother's love will shine.

God bless these special mothers,
God bless them every one...
for all the tears and heartache,
and for the special work they've done.

When her days on earth are over,
a mother's love lives on...
through many generations,
with God's blessings on each one.

Be thankful for our mothers,
for they love with a higher love...
from the power God has given,
and the strength from up above.



It's that time of year again for VBS 2024! Yay! This year's theme is Scuba! Let's help our kids dive deep into an amazing under sea adventure full of fun, music, crafts, and imagination! At Scuba, kids will explore what it means to have a friendship that will last forever....a FRIENDSHIP with GOD!!! VBS will be held Sunday, July 7th through Thursday, July 11th from 6-8:30pm. Dinner will be provided each evening. Friday, July 12th will be our closing program and carnival at 6pm. All children preschool thru 7th grade are welcome! If you are interested in helping or donating to this community outreach program please contact Taryn Myers, Christa McCormick, or Sharon Heintzelman. Let's plan to dive into wonderful FRIENDSHIP with GOD. Our first meeting will be Sunday, April 14th at 3pm, here at Elimsport. Let's plan to dive deep into this exciting ocean adventure!!!



The Parsonage Committee will be meeting on Tuesday, May 21st, at 6:30 Elimsport UMC. Please make every effort to attend as we will be looking at the status of repairs for the parsonage and reviewing the budget.



Various means to keep updated:

website: evpumc.org

Face book: Elimsport United

Methodist Parish

Electronic sign at Elimsport church

email Pastor Dave: dshultz@susumc.org

email church: elimsportumc@gmail.com

Call Pastor Dave: 570-547-1162

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

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

Please be sure to check the church website evpumc.org and Elimsport United Methodist Parish face book for up to date church news.

If you would like to have the monthly newsletter emailed to you, please let us know by putting your name and email address on the sheet on the table at the back of the Sanctuary.

Church News

- Items for June's newsletter are due May **20th**.
- Items for the weekly bulletin's need to be to the church office by **Wednesday morning** each week.

(Items received after these dates are not guaranteed to be printed.)

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



Elimsport Ad Council meets the second Monday of the month at 6:30.



St. John's Ad Council meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:30.

Kid's Corner

Happy
Mother's Day



ELIMSPORT VALLEY UNITED METHODIST PARISH

Worship Schedule:

Elimsport UMC

Worship 9:00 am
Sunday School 10:30 am

St. John's UMC

Sunday School 9:15 am
Worship 10:30 am

Parish Youth Group

Check weekly Bulletin for current schedule and events
(at Elimsport)

Parish Bible Study

Varies according to the season.

Parish Office:

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Our 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.

Our Mission Statement at 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.