

November 5, 2023

Parish Announcements and Events

Today

- Have a Blessed Day

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)

The Chosen Study – Session 2 of our Chosen Study group will be on Wednesday morning at 9am in the Elimsport choir room. We will also do Season 3 of the Chosen on Tuesday evening starting in January.

Our annual Charge Conference will be held on Sunday, November 19 at 3pm at St. Andrews UMC on Lower Market St. in Milton. It will be held as a Church Conference which means that all members of the Elimsport and St. John's churches can attend and vote on all matters before the Charge Conference. At minimum, we need to have a few persons from each church present.

There will be a Finance meeting at Elimsport UMC on November 6th at 10 am. This includes: Retta Moore, Frank Clever, Marti Anderson and Mary Moore.



FINANCE



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. **Please have information to me by Wednesday morning.**

In November we will be decorating our trees at both churches with items that we need for our Montgomery families that could use some help this Christmas season. Just pick a tag off of the tree and shop for that item and bring it into the church unwrapped. If you would like to help out but you don't like to shop just give a monetary donation to Deana or Sharon and we will do the shopping. We would like all gifts to be brought into the churches by December 3rd. Thank you in advance for your help, our parish always does an awesome job!



We will be making up college care packages to help our college kids know that we are thinking of them. We don't want to miss anyone so please give Christa or Sharon names. Any monetary donations would be appreciated. College care packages will be ready for pick-up on November 18th at each church.

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



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.

The Elimsport Christmas Village will be held on December 9, 2023 outside at the Elimsport church. The schedule of events will be posted at each church, so mark



your calendar! It will be like previous years, and a sign up sheet will be at each church in November. Any questions ask Christa McCormick. Don't miss this time of fellowship with your neighbors!

Elimsport Board of Trustees Meeting Scheduled for Monday, November 14th at 6:30 at the Elimsport Church. Board of Trustee members are: Lauren Bryson, Bobby Buss, Frank Cleaver, Teresa Flick, Christa McCormick and Chris Ulrich.



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 November 8th. Apple dumplings will be \$4.50. Pick up time will be from 1-3pm. Anybody that would like to help please talk to Gloria Burrows. We will be making them 11/7 and 11/8. There will be sign-up sheets at the back of both churches. Thanks for all your support!



St. John's has a 6 - 7 foot artificial Christmas tree that's free to a good home. If interested, contact Becky Burrows.

Dear St. John's Family,

Many thanks for the lovely card and the check I received last week. Your kindness is very much appreciated!



Joanne DeLand

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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