



THE GOOD WORD
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June 2019

Sherri's Sharings

"Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the Lord."

Psalm 31:24

Dear Friends,

When you think of being strong, taking heart, and having hope in the Lord, do you think of dinosaurs? Probably not. But this summer that is what we are going to do. We are preparing for our Vacation Bible Camp and our theme verse is **Psalm 31:24**. Dinosaurs had many attributes. Some were strong while others were able to protect themselves and their families. Some could fight and others could soar. During our Vacation Bible Camp, "Dino-Might Jesus", we will discover that we have the same traits when we rely on God.

We will learn the story of David and Goliath and that God makes us strong. We will learn through the story of Daniel that God protects us. We will be with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego as we find that God fights for us. And we will learn through the story of Elijah that God's love makes us soar. Each lesson will move us closer to knowing how much Jesus loves us.

As we prepare for our Vacation Bible Camp, "Dino-Might Jesus," ask yourself..."How can I help?" We need 'all hands on deck' as we prepare for our Vacation Bible Camp. Can you lead a lesson? Can you help with a memory verse or a skit and puppet show? Can you help with crafts? Can you help with snacks? Can you help with decorations? Can you help with administration? Wherever you can help...we need you!

DINO-MIGHT JESUS VACATION BIBLE CAMP is July 15th through 19th, starting at 6:00 with a meal. Together we can be strong, take heart, and hope in the Lord! Join Us!!

If you are interested in helping one day or many days, please let the office know or sign up on the sheet in the back of the sanctuary. If you are unable to commit to help, you can pray! Please pray for those who will be serving during Vacation Bible Camp, those who are preparing for VBC, and most of all....the children who will be attending VBC.

Blessings in Christ,
Pastor Sherri

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS—11am

USHERS/GREETERS

June- Steve & Maria Novick
 July- Hearl & Sandy Wright

READERS

June- Dee Haines
 July- Jeff Taylor



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

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|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Ken Kruhm | 17 Kacey McConchie |
| 2 JD Iden | 19 June Maring |
| 4 Emily Smith | 21 Betty Carey |
| 6 Dani Hunter | 24 Sue Leppert |
| 9 John Schreiber | 25 Susan Maring |
| 10 Austin Flagler | 27 Dee Haines |
| 11 Shelly Laney | 30 Charlotte Calloway |
| 14 Barb Walton | |
| 15 Lewis Shankle | |

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

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|------------------------------|
| 1 Steve and Maria Novick |
| 12 Adam and Rebecca Linn |
| 20 Dave and Jennifer Tingley |
| 21 Doug and Kim Gorsuch |
| 30 Bill and Pat Bean |
| 30 Richard and Bea Wright |

If your Birthday or Anniversary is not listed in the Newsletter, please let the office know.



July/August Newsletter
 Deadline is:
June 24th



**Saturday,
 June 1st**

Join the Men for Breakfast

Leaving the church at 8:30am
 Going to Buttersburg Inn in
 Union Bridge, MD

You can give to
 Taylorsville
 electronically.....



No need to bring a
 checkbook every week.

If you would like to give your tithe or gifts
 through on-line banking, please set-up your
 automatic payment through your bank to:

PO Box 523

Mount Airy, MD 21771-0523

*If you need more information,
 please contact the church office.*

JUNE 2019

Taylorsville United Methodist Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Office Hours M, W, T 9:00 am - 2:30 pm						1 8:30 am Men's Breakfast
2 9:00 am Praise Service 9:50-10:50 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Service	3 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED 11:00 am Bible Study @ The Meadows	4	5 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	6 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	7	8
9 9:00 am Praise Service 9:50-10:50 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Service	10 11:00 am Bible Study @ The Meadows	11 7:00 pm Council Meeting	12	13	14	15
16 FATHER'S DAY 9:00 am Praise Service 9:50-10:50 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Service	17 11:00 am Bible Study @ The Meadows	18	19 12:00-2:00 pm J.O.Y. Potluck/Meeting	20	21	22 10:00 am UMW Meet at TUMC to car- pool to Therapeutic Riding Center
23 9:00 am Praise Service 9:50-10:50 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Service	24 11:00 am Bible Study @ The Meadows JULY/AUGUST NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	25	26	27	28	29
30 UNITED SERVICE 9:30 am United Service-NO POTLUCK						

Prayer Page

Please Remember in Prayer:

Lifting Our Hearts In...

Praise

Mary Jane's granddaughter, Lilly graduated Towson, political science
 Linda's nephew graduated George Washington University, engineering
 JOY in the sermons thru music this past Sunday
 Mary Jane's talent for playing piano
 Steve & Maria's Aunt & Uncle visiting from England
 Warm beautiful weather

Prayer

Gary Cox—home from surgery, healing
 Mary Wood—heart decease, friend of Sharon Long
 Annual Conference this week
 Laura, Hearl's friend sick with cancer
 Pray for church
 Amy, friend of Kathy Cinnamond
 Healing: Cindy Watts, Bill Knill, Joe Gregor,
 Linda Lochstampfor's sister, Marlene improving—in remission—doing better
 Cindy Russell-friend of Sandi Mennerick
 Ministries at TUMC
 Rev. Bud Kibbe
 Lauren Logue
 Wanda Haddaway
 Bob & Phyllis Herbig
 John Hortie
 The Landerholm Family (missionaries in Unalaska)



Prayers for Service Persons

Sean Martini	serving in Afghanistan
Sean Grimes	(United States Navy) Bahrain

Mt. Airy Net

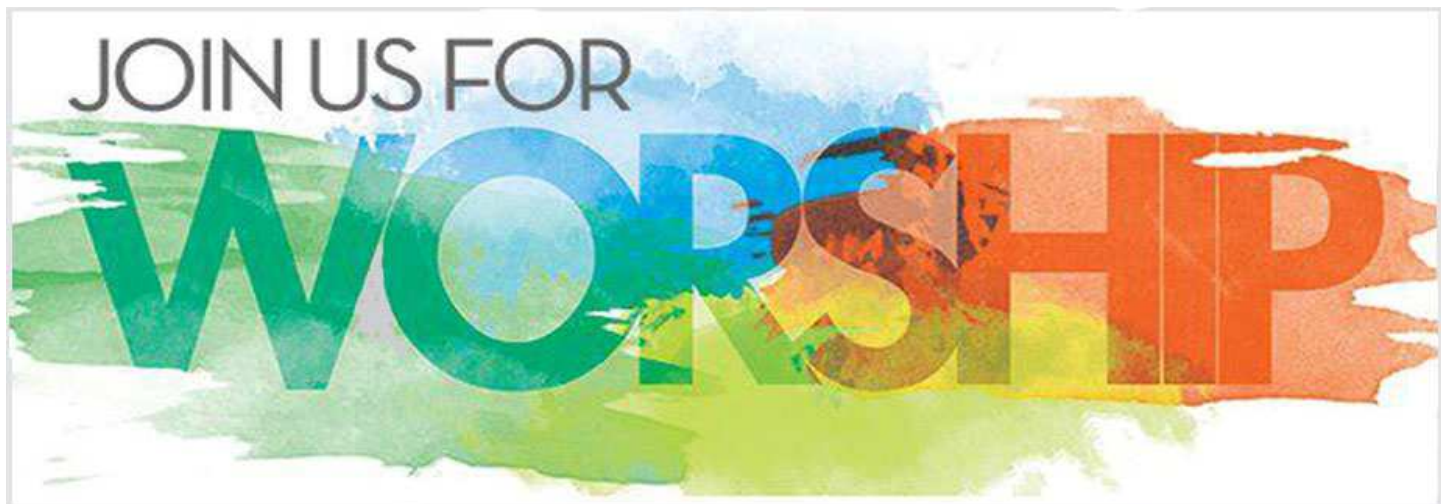
We will be collecting
Pancake & muffin mix,
cereal & oatmeal
 in **JUNE** for



Please leave items in the back of the
 Sanctuary

JUNE 2019 Prayer Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>30 Isaiah 55:8-11 Let us remember that your ways are higher than ours. Let our hearts grow in the lush vegetation of your word and forgiving love, God.</p>						<p>1 Psalm 104:10-28 When I think of all the wonders God has created, my heart sings with joy! Through my faith in Jesus Christ, life is in perfect harmony, with the earth and all creatures of my God and King.</p>
<p>2 Deuteronomy 11:18-21 Lord, keep your words always in my mind and in front of me, and indeed, all around me, for they will protect and guide me all the days of my life.</p>	<p>3 Psalm 16:1-11 Thank you for this beautiful day Lord. Your assurance is all I need to face the trials and tribulations that assail me daily. I know that you will hold me safely in your hand. Praise the Lord!</p>	<p>4 Luke 5:1-11 Lord, I listen for your call. Will I follow? I know that I can, Lord, and I know that you will give me the strength to be like James, John, and Peter and leave everything to follow you.</p>	<p>5 Psalm 139:1-10 God, you are so far beyond our comprehension. Even if we had knowledge of the entire universe, we still would not fully know you. Yet, day after day I am given intimate knowledge of you, just as you have intimate knowledge of me. Thank you, Lord!</p>	<p>6 Luke 9:12-17 Lord, you give abundantly. You give us more than we need for ourselves so that we may have something to share with others, especially those who lack what they need. You take the little we have and multiply it for the good of those around us. Help us trust in your provision for us and to share with others.</p>	<p>7 Matthew 25:35-40 Dear God, you call me to recognize you in all those who are in need. May my response be one of tangible and adoring service.</p>	<p>8 Hebrews 10:19-25 Lord, let us love and have outbursts of hope and worship instead of stress. Let us meet in fellowship with one another, knowing we can have confidence you will keep your promises and that one day you will return.</p>
<p>9 Psalm 121:1-8 Thank you, Jesus, for the promise that no matter what I go through, you are with me to guide and protect me. In a world that is so uncertain, I sometimes feel abandoned. During these difficult times, please help me to feel your presence and give me peace.</p>	<p>10 Ephesians 4:4-9 Dear God, let us turn away from a feeling of superiority. Let us not be impatient or resentful, but forgiving. Then the togetherness that you died to create will become real in the Church, and we will not bring any disrepute upon your kingdom.</p>	<p>11 Isaiah 48:12-19 Lord, let us remember we will not have peace unless we give our lives to you. Draw us to you, Lord. Let our hearts be refined and see your grace working in our lives. Let us remember to always give you praise as we change our ways to be your servant.</p>	<p>12 Psalm 52:8-9 Each of us is rooted in you, so nothing could bring us harm. Thank you, Lord, for your protection as we grow and prosper in your sanctuary.</p>	<p>13 John 21:4-12 Lord, even in the toils of darkness and turbulent times, you are the bright reflection of heaven. Help us remember your plan of watching and guiding us so we can make it through the difficult times.</p>	<p>14 2 Corinthians 4:7-15 Lord, there are many people here who are going through struggles and pressures and dangers and trials. May we learn that wonderful attitude of our Lord Jesus to go to and help them.</p>	<p>15 Mark 4:26-33 Lord, help us distinguish the path you have made for us and follow you wherever you will lead us. We praise you for the delight of your good news.</p>
<p>16 Isaiah 43:14-21 Dear God, you have helped us follow your lead. I pray we stay willing to trust you in our present and future, and to love you more deeply and faithfully than ever. Thank you, Lord.</p>	<p>17 Malachi 3:7-12 Dear Lord, I pray for the diligence and conviction to obey your commands, even in the midst of temptation. Help me to trust you in all things, Lord.</p>	<p>18 Exodus 13:3-5 Our belief in you, O God, helps us fear not and to stand firm in the grace you had to overcome death and the devil. Let us live in fear and love for you. Thank you for this salvation, Father.</p>	<p>19 Ephesians 6:18-19 There are so many ways to proclaim the gospel. Lord, help us find our own way to utilize the gifts you've given us to proclaim it clearly, concisely, and bravely.</p>	<p>20 Psalm 40:4-8 Lord God, we praise you! You are a trustworthy, faithful God. We see your hand in our lives and your desire for us to follow your plan. May we love like you, and live according to your will. Grace us with the strength and endurance to run the race you have marked out for us.</p>	<p>21 Revelations 21:1-7 We await the day when you welcome us to a new heaven and a new earth. We will experience the fullness of salvation in a new body in a world free from sin, sorrow, sickness, and death. Thank you, Jesus, for the promise of living with you throughout eternity.</p>	<p>22 Acts 20:20-24 Dear Lord, so many times we dodge the hard truths of your Word. Let us grow to understand the whole purpose of the gifts you have given to us and use our understanding to impart your Word to others.</p>
<p>23 John 8:1-11 Lord, please guide us along a path of forgiveness in light of overwhelming shame. Let us exercise this grace upon ourselves and our neighbors.</p>	<p>24 Genesis 1:20-25 Dear God, let us not surrender the purpose you gave to us through your creation. Let us reflect your glory in our faith, love and obedience.</p>	<p>25 Matthew 11:25-30 Jesus said, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." Thank you, Father, for those comforting words. They have deep, special meaning to those who have recently experienced the death of a loved one.</p>	<p>26 Psalm 27:1-6 Dear Lord, even in a changing society, let us be reminded that you are eternal, and the principles of your word are also eternal. We know that these principles will help us deal with whatever may come our way as well. Praise be to you, God!</p>	<p>27 Hebrews 6:9-12 Lord, help us devote ourselves to loving your name. Your name is the source of our service and let us remember the blessings your name bestowed upon us.</p>	<p>28 John 9:1-17 Father, we pray that you will indeed open our eyes to help us realize we are not enough without you. Bring us to a place of cleansing and open eyes and hearts, Lord.</p>	<p>29 Matthew 7:24-29 Jesus, you urge us to hear your words, but let us not stop there. Let us act up on your words. We all need you as our rock and foundation. Without the rock, we would all just roll away. Help us place our faith in you.</p>



United Worship Service

Sunday, June 30, 2019 9:30am

NO Potluck following the Service
There will only be one worship service this day.

Sunday, June 23, 2019 ~ 12 Noon Lunch

Join us for a special celebration to honor Mary Jane & David Frazier as they are preparing to move to their new home.

We especially want to thank Mary Jane for her gift of music to us for many years and even more years of teaching Sunday School.

Hope you can join us.



Adult Sunday
School



Class at 9:50am—social hall

Human relationships are built on interpersonal agreements formalized as contracts or covenants. Covenants promise that debts will be paid or services will be performed regardless of the situations in which the parties may find themselves after the contract is finalized.

At times, a party to a contract may be deemed a poor risk. That person they have a history that does not provide adequate assurance that he or she will be able to meet the obligations of a covenant. Situations such as these may require a guarantor or cosigner. The guarantor assumes the responsibility for terms of the covenant when the party defaults on the agreement.

During the summer quarter, we will develop a clearer understanding as to why our relationship with God through Christ is expressed as a covenant.

Let's face it: human beings have a dismal credit rating with God! Old Testament history illustrates that God's people defaulted on promises to their Creator time after time. How can a working relationship ever be forged between God and such unreliable signatories?

In June we focus on the role of Jesus as our guarantor. We come before God with a massive debt to him. A fair look at our spiritual finances would yield the inevitable conclusion that we have liabilities that we can never repay. But enter the guarantor!

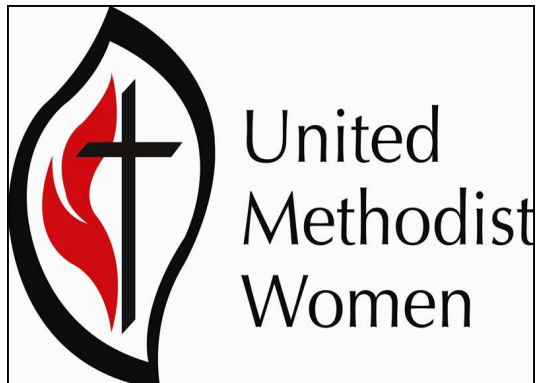
Gathering with his disciples on the last Passover they shared, Jesus used that reminder of the past to institute a covenant for the future. His very body and blood was to clear our sin-debt, making a relationship with God possible. While we must never assume that our duty to God is trivial or non-existent, we can know that our guarantor has done what animal sacrifices and ritual actions can never accomplish.

Please join us on Sunday mornings at 9:50 as we study these lessons.

Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study at 9:00 am

Will be taking a summer break during June, July, and August. We will gather at 9:00 a.m. again on Thursday September 5th. Hope you will join us then.





For our June UMW meeting we will be visiting a very special farm in Howard County. We will have a talk and a tour at Therapeutic Recreational Riding Center located at 3750 Shady Lane, Glenwood MD. The date is **Saturday, June 22, 2019**. We will carpool from the church parking lot at 10 a.m. Following our visit to TRRC we will have lunch at Becks Restaurant in Sykesville, MD. Please RSVP to Maria 410-549-5829. Hope to see you there!



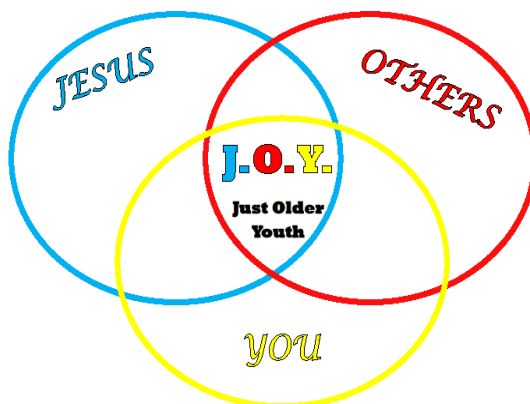
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Taylorsville Cemetery, Inc.
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Cindy Harris, President
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cindylouharris@comcast.net



ACTS OF GOD

The Unexpected Acts of God

- June 2: Part Six:
An Ironic Escape
- June 9: Part Seven:
Pentecost:
The Ultimate Surprise Party



...for the joy of the Lord
is your strength.
Nehemiah 8:10

J.O.Y. potluck and meeting will be on **Wednesday, June 19th** from 12pm - 2pm. We invite all to attend our hymn sing, with Mary Jane Frazier on piano. This will be a special time for us, since she will be moving shortly afterwards. All ages are welcome! Invite a friend!

**BELIEVE IT OR NOT
CHRISTMAS BAZAAR ONLY 5 MONTHS AWAY!**

Please start your planning! We need baked goods, crafts, gift baskets, re-gifting items, plants.....you name it!

Note: Also, there is a dish missing that I put in the bazaar room in the Ed Building; a very old bright yellow oval shaped dish with a bird sitting on the end of it. The person who donated it packed it in the wrong box and would like it returned.

Vacation Bible Camp:

Dates are July 15—19, 2019

DINO-MIGHT JESUS!! VBC is fast approaching and I need your help!

VBC this year will be July 15th-19th and the theme this year is..... DINOSAURS!!!!!! .



Currently I am trying to put together my team for VBC, and I would love to have all of you on it. This year for VBC, we decided to create our own curriculum as opposed to using the kits you can buy online. I'm super excited because this gives us so much creative freedom, and that is AWESOME for this year's theme!

I need team members willing to assist with cooking meals everyday for VBC, assisting with crafts, leading bible study, arts and crafts, as well as people willing to be floaters for the week. If you are interested in being a team member, please email me at ermanco0@frostburg.edu or give me a call at 443-821-5547!

There is a flyer and registration form on the next pages you can print and give out to your friends and neighbors. We will also have them in the back of the sanctuary.

I look forward to hearing back from everyone, and I can't WAIT to have a roaring good time at VBC.

From the Uzzo Family:

THANK YOU



Pastor Sherri r Taylorsville United Methodist Church,

Thank you so much for welcoming our family into the church and thank you for baptizing our sweet mikenzie. And thanks for the blanket and books for all the kiddos. It was so very thoughtful of you. We are looking forward to seeing you again.

~ Uzzo Family

Please help us get the word out about Vacation Bible Camp. Print this flyer to hand out or get a flyer from the back of the sanctuary.

PRESENTING



Dino-might Jesus!

VACATION BIBLE CAMP

WHEN: JULY 15-19 + CHURCH ON 21ST

TIME: 6-8:30

AGES: PRE-K-5TH

LOCATION: 4356 RIDGE RD. MOUNT AIRY, MD 21771



**Register NOW
For
DINO-MIGHT JESUS
Evening Vacation Bible Camp
July 15-July 19, 2019**

Join us for DINO-MIGHT JESUS Vacation Bible Camp where your children will learn the story of David and Goliath and that God makes us strong. We will learn through the story of Daniel that God protects us. We will be with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego as we find that God fights for us. And we will learn through the story of Elijah that God’s love makes us soar. Each lesson will move us closer to knowing how much Jesus loves us.

Boys and Girls from ages 4 thru (entering) Grade 5
Mommy (or Daddy) & me for 3 year olds (Parent is required to stay)

July 15-July 19, 2019 / Family dinner @ 6:00 p.m. / Vacation Bible Camp 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Child’s Name _____ Age _____ Grade Completed _____ Shirt Size _____

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Allergies (Food, etc.)/Health Issue(s) _____

Additional Information _____

Parent’s Name _____ Cell phone _____

Parent’s Email: _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

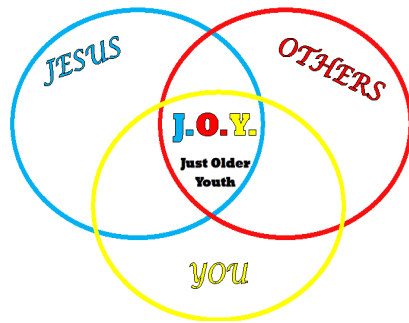
Other Adults authorized to pick-up my child _____

In case of emergency (other than parent) contact _____

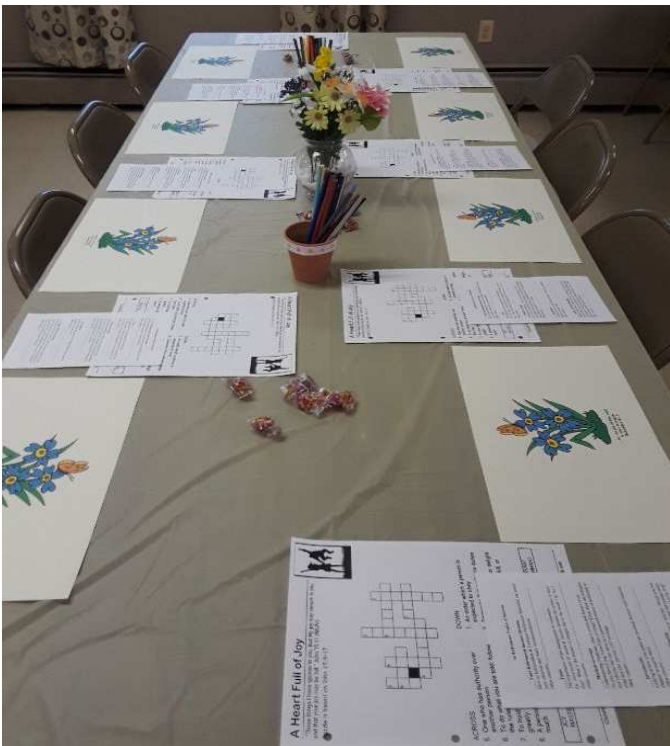
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Church Clean-up / Work Day May 4, 2019





May 15th J.O.Y. potluck/meeting had 11 in attendance. Our Speaker was Fire Chief Mark Davis from Winfield Volunteer Fire Department who provided a 50-minute presentation on home fire safety. Thank you to our speaker and all who attended.



Kicking Off A Recipe Section this Month...



**Taste and See that
the Lord is Good!**

Each month we will feature one or two recipes from our TUMC family. Submit your recipe by the newsletter deadline to be featured in an upcoming Newsletter.

Pineapple Fluff ~ submitted by: Anna
 1 small package sugar free fat free vanilla instant pudding (dry powder)
 1 small can crushed pineapple
 1 8 oz. thawed fat free or lite cool whip
 1 8 oz. fat free vanilla yogurt

Mix all ingredients together and enjoy!
 Yummy!

Hot Chicken Salad ~ submitted by Dee

2 - 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup cooked diced chicken breasts
 1 8 oz. can water chestnuts, drained/sliced
 $\frac{1}{2}$ c slivered almonds, toasted in 1 T margarine
 $\frac{1}{2}$ c sliced mushrooms
 1 T water; 1 T lemon juice
 1/2c mayonnaise
 Salt and pepper to taste
 2 c grated cheddar cheese
 1 can French fried onions

Combine all ingredients except 1 cup cheese and onions.

Place in buttered 2 qt. casserole; top with remaining cheese & onions

Bake @ 350 degrees for 20 minutes or until golden



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Our Mission of Purpose

We of Taylorville UMC are a community of faith who believe in Jesus Christ and who value Bible study, prayer, mission and growing in discipleship. We will connect with our unchurched neighbors through small groups that present opportunities to share our faith and worship God together.

We're on the Web!
www.taylorvilleumc.org



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