



The Webster Word

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A community of faith in Havre de Grace

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29 • Birthday, Coffee Talk 10:30 AM	30	31 • Bible Study 11:00 AM (Zoom)	1 Think Group 5:30-6:30 PM	2 Just Us Guys 5:30-6:30 PM	3	4
5 • Pentecost Sunday, Communion, Coffee Talk 10:30 AM	6	7 • Bible Study 11:00 AM (Zoom) • Grace Place 10:30 AM (dessert) • Translance Mtg. 7-9 PM	8 Think Group 5:30-6:30 PM	9 Just Us Guys 5:30-6:30 PM	10	11
12 • Sunday Service, Baptism, Cake & Punch 10:30 AM	13	14 • Bible Study 11:00 AM (Zoom) • Official Board 7PM	15 Think Group 5:30-6:30 PM	16 • Just Us Guys 5:30-6:30 PM	17	18
19 • Father's Day, Graduation Sunday, Coffee Talk 10:30AM	20	21 • Bible Study 11:00 AM (Zoom)	22 Think Group 5:30-6:30 PM	23 • Just Us Guys 5:30-6:30 PM	24	25 60th Anniversary of the UCC
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Bible Study notice:

Bible Study will meet via Zoom at 11 AM on Tuesdays. Each week in Bible Study, we investigate and study the scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday. Those who attend have commented that they gain greater insight into the sermon (which always focuses on the scripture reading) each week. Email or call Pastor Jim if you are interested in joining us so you can get the contact information.

NOTES FROM THE DEACONS

June is the month when we celebrate Father's Day. I am very proud to be a father and grandpa. I was very lucky I had a great father who taught me many good lessons in fathering and left my siblings and I a great example of fatherly love. Now that I live with my son and his family, I get to see my grandchildren every day. One of the things I try to remember is that there are many men, though not having children of their own, have done much fathering. I have a very close friend named Bruce who when Andrew wanted to hunt (not my talent) taught Andy to hunt safely and took him hunting. (Now he always told Andy, many, many times that someday his mother and I would buy him a Red Corvette and we get that request at least once a year since).

I found these quotes about fathers; I got a chuckle out of them, and I hope you do too.

- “Dad: A son's first hero, a daughter's first love.” —Unknown
- “The power of a dad in a child's life is unmatched.” —Justin Ricklefs
- “It is a wise father that knows his own child.” —William Shakespeare
- “A father's smile has been known to light up a child's entire day.” —Susan Gale
- “A father doesn't tell you that he loves you. He shows you.” —Dimitri the Stoneheart
- “The older I get, the smarter my father seems to get.” —Tim Russert
- “A father carries pictures where his money used to be.” —Steve Martin
- “When my father didn't have my hand, he had my back.” —Linda Poindexter
- “A father is someone you look up to no matter how tall you grow.” —Unknown
- “The greatest mark of a father is how he treats his children when no one is looking.” —Dan Pearce

Our worship calendar for June is below. Hope to see you there or on Zoom:

- 6/5 Communion/Coffee Talk (Pentecost-wear red)
- 6/12 Worship and Coffee Talk
- 6/19 Worship and Coffee Talk
- 6/26 Worship and Coffee Talk
- All Worship will continue on Zoom and in the sanctuary

The deacons wish you a great summer and travel safely. Please remember we are available to hear your concerns and suggestions (or just a chat if you need to).

Tony Dooley, Deacon

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR JUNE:

June 5 – Acts 2:1-21 or Gen. 11:1-9; Psalm 104:24-34; Romans 8:14-17 or Acts 2:1-21; John 14:8-17 (25-27)

June 12 – Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 and Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

June 19 – 1 Kings 19:1-4 (5-7), 8-15a and Psalms 42 and 43; Isaiah 65:1-9 and Psalm 22:19-28;
Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

June 26 – 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 and Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20; 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21 and Psalm 16;
Galatians 5:1, 13-25; Luke 9:51-62

SCCW – Society of Congregational Christian Women

The SCCW ladies for their Mother's Day outreach project provided a bag of personal care items and chocolates for the 19 mothers at Harford Family House in Aberdeen. Thank you to everyone who helped us with this project.

In May the SCCW was finally able to complete an event that was originally planned before the pandemic. After a bag lunch and a brief meeting at Webster Church we traveled to downtown Havre de Grace to the Havre de Grace Colored School Museum and Cultural Center for a tour of the school and the memorial tribute in honor of the life and legacy of the late George T. Stansbury, M.D. Dr. Stansbury attended and graduated from the Colored School and became a doctor who returned to Havre de Grace to practice. He was the first African American granted privileges at Harford Memorial Hospital. However black patients were limited to the segregated areas of the hospital. He could treat white patients at his office, but if they went to the hospital, they were reassigned to a white doctor.

A quote from his tribute read:

“No disease was too painful or difficult.
No patient was too poor and no amount of
time was too great for Dr. Stanbury to give
his knowledge, medical skills, and of himself
to make others comfortable and well”

The June SCCW meeting is Monday, June 13, at 11:30 AM, at the home of Libby Copes. All ladies are welcome.

Doris Lyttle, President



Those celebrating June birthdays are:

**James Norrie
Judith Haverstick
Susan Cohen
Gretchen Roeder
Vilma Duffy**

**Jocelyn Greimel
Linda Placzankis
Carol Greimel
Peter Carls**

CLERK’S REPORT

Things Happening at Webster Church

Baptism of Michael Anthony Isaiah Dooley

- **Our new tenant, Ron Mitchell, has moved into the Parish House.**
- **The piping for the drainage pipes has been completed**
- **Join us for Coffee Talk after the Sunday service.**
- **June Official Board meeting is June 14 at 7 PM.**

Scripture Readers:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>READER</u>	
June 5	Angie Jones	Communion
June 12	Hugh Nash	
June 19	Bonnie Burden	
June 26	Judi Haverstick	

BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK

Thank you!! Thank you!! Thank you to the congregation of Webster Church for your generous support during the World Hunger Campaign for Blessings in a Backpack. Your contribution and the contributions of your family and friends will make it possible to continue to feed at least 75 students on the weekends at Havre de Grace Elementary School in the 2022-2023 school year. Your generosity is greatly appreciated by the children we serve.

To contribute to the Blessings in a Backpack Havre de Grace Elementary fund, send your contribution to.

Blessing in a Backpack Bank Lockbox
P.O. Box 950291
Louisville, KY 40295

Remember to write Havre de Grace Elementary on the memo line.

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