

Easter is upon us and it is a wonderful occasion for all Christians. As we prepare for our celebration of this glorious day, let's be grateful together for God's amazing grace shown to us through His Son Jesus Christ.



As you all know, this is not just a day of colored eggs. It is the day that marks the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, after His crucifixion. Christ endured unimaginable suffering on the cross, sacrificing His life for ours. He was then resurrected as an example of His eternal life and we should all take heed of this powerful example.

Take this holiday to think about how you can rededicate yourself to God and your brothers and sisters in Christ. As Christ rose from His mortal tomb, we should always be searching for ways to rise above the things in life that hold us back from being the person God has intended us to be. Let His story be the inspiration for you to break free of the chains that bind you spiritually so that you may be closer in your walk with Him. Easter is a time of celebration of our Lord and what better way to rejoice in His gift than to renew ourselves as He renewed Himself?

We should never get tired of hearing the story of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. Jesus, a man who is God in the flesh, overcame sin and death and promises us that through him we also shall overcome sin and death. But as Easter people, we become overcomers only by God's grace and through faith.

So Easter people, raise your voices of praise to God for the victory we have in Christ Jesus! Let us celebrate Easter this year with a renewed sense of the greatness of our God and the redeemed nature of all those who love Him! Christ is Risen! He is risen indeed! Happy Easter!

Your brother in Christ,

Pastor Joe

Pastor Joe

**TRUSTEE REPORT
MARCH – APRIL 2015**

Suggest following items be placed on deferral. We are making no progress and there appears to be no urgency at this time.

1. Piano/Altar – We cannot reach an agreement. Shield done on balcony.
2. Driveway/Sump Pump/Water coming under wall from adjacent Wisemen property.
3. LED Sign – Deferred

Elevator repairs near complete, including final repair of replacing cylinders.

9/25/14	Repack	\$1,939.00
6/20/14	Compliance (2 yrs.)	300.00
4/16/14	Trouble call	130.00
6/3/14	Check pit for oil	50.00
6/10/14	Power washed pit	500.00
6/16/14	Pump out pit and dispose	1,680.00

Previous balance elevator fund was \$3,830.00, with a balance of \$398.00 before the last bill for repacking cylinder for \$1,939.00. We will have paid this in two payments - \$3,432.00 plus \$1,939.00 equals \$5,371.00. We recently paid an additional \$1,630.00 for a new pump.

We have a preventive maintenance contract. The cost of the annual contract is \$320.00 which has been paid. This contract is primarily for inspection and lubrication. Repair and parts are not included.

Anyone who can donate \$1.00 per month will be appreciated.

Stove in kitchen was blackening racks and pans placed in oven.

We had this repaired – not under warranty – Cost \$231.50 – Disputing w/CuliQuip.

Tax Exemption for 3736 Old Capitol Trail – Still Open

We have changed insurance carriers for an annual savings of approximately \$1,630.00 plus some improved coverage, i.e., litigation coverage for all officers and personnel

We received \$680.00 from Church Mutual for defective pump in elevator shaft (related to June's water problem). This was after our \$1,000.00 deductible.

Delaware Health Services inspected the kitchen and found mouse droppings. We had to have an exterminator which cost \$200.00 initial visit and \$60/month for monthly contract. This covers the entire church buildings for all pests.

Completed Jenkin's Memorial Garden – Approximately \$994.00 original cost – Balance is approximately \$900.00.

Billy Snyder and staff take care of minor items such as bulbs replaced, filters changed, etc.

Apartments are all rented.

We rented Fellowship Hall for a 75th Birthday Party (non-member) for \$200.00.

Our defibrillator was misplaced. Checked with Mill Creek Chief and the one we had needed updating and training for some of our congregation. The Chief's recommendation was not to purchase one unless we could make a commitment for people to be trained. We have three fire companies, any one of which can respond in 3-5 minutes.

ADDED NOTES

Trustees voted to discontinue Scholarship Program.

ALARM SYSTEM

1. Alarm goes off
2. COPS calls in twice
3. CODE NEEDED – NO CODE, CALL THE FOLLOWING IN TURN
 - a. Church / Pastor
 - b. Betty Tull
 - c. Billy Snyder
 - d. Bill Binkley
 - e. Police – DECISION OF CHURCH TO CALL POLICE

God Bless You,
Betty Tull

Dollar Difference

“Have you ever gone to the grocery store and come up a little short on cash at the checkout? As a financially challenged graduate student (and Guideposts intern), I have! Sometimes being just a dollar short means having to put back something I need.

“A reader from Chattanooga, Tennessee, shared a charitable solution her husband, Steve came up with.

“One day an elderly woman in front of him in the grocery checkout line had to put back several items. When he asked the cashier if it happened often, she nodded and said she would sometimes pay the difference out of her own pocket.

“Steve bought a 20-dollar gift card and told the cashier to keep it on hand to use if customers came up short. He checks on the card's balance; when the funds run out, he buys a new one.

“It's a quiet but effective way to help our neighbors meet a basic need – and something I hope I can do after graduation.”

Stacy Wells
Editorial Intern – Guideposts (April, 2015)

MISSIONS REPORT

Family Promise

Our first two days this year of serving Family Promise families at St. James Episcopal Church will be Wednesday and Thursday April 8 and 9, 2015. We need people to prepare meals for around twenty people. This includes approximately 15 people in the Family Promise network, other Marshallton UMC or St. James folks participating, and yourself. We also need people to meet and greet the Family Promise families after the meal. This requires a commitment of around 1 to 2 hours after the meal. For many who participated last year interacting with the families after the meal was the more rewarding of the experiences with them.

In addition, we need two people each night who are willing to sleep overnight at St. James in the role of chaperone and in case of emergency. This is usually the easiest of the three roles one might support for these Family Promise activities. It involves sleeping on an air mattress overnight until around 6 a.m. At that point the families in the network are awakened to prepare their breakfast and head over to the Family Promise center next door to begin their day of seeking employment or going to new jobs until they can find residences and transportation.

The last need we have in support of the Family Promise families is for breakfast and lunch food items such as dry cereals and microwaveable lunches. We will have a more specific list of items needed as we near the April 8 and 9 dates.

If you miss this opportunity to serve, we will have four more opportunities to serve this year on June 24 and 25 and Aug 19 and 20. If you have not previously participated in this activity before, are willing, able, and available, please consider prayerfully being a part of this very worthy, meaningful, and rewarding mission.

Mission Team Meeting

The next meeting of the Mission Team is scheduled for Monday March 30th at 7:00 p.m. in the church Lounge. Even if you are not a member of the team and have an interest in our Mission activities you are invited to attend. We will be reviewing all of our missions and evaluating our year to date dollar equivalents. If you keep track of mission contributions for UMW or UMM, we would like for you or your representative to attend the meeting. If you keep track of or report on church financials and expenditures related to missions we need you or a representative to attend also.

We will be paying particular attention to the Food Closet and Family Promise. In addition, we will address a possible new Mission in support of the Missionaries going to serve in South Sudan, Matthew and Maggie Loftus who made their presentation to the congregation a few months ago. Please make every effort to attend. Missions always work best with a committed team effort.

In His name and in His service,
Tom Pesickey, Missions chair





SOME THOUGHTS FOR OUR YOUTH

Sometimes, Easter feels like a forgotten holiday. Sure, when we are younger, we looked forward to checking out what the Easter Bunny delivered in a basket, and we made every effort to attain a respectable “sugar high” before breakfast. But, as we get older, what’s so exciting about Easter? It helps if we take a look at the story of what happened on that first Easter Morning.

Have you ever lost something really important to you....and totally panicked? One day last week, I misplaced my glasses at work....without them, I wouldn’t have been able to drive home. When I found them, I felt such relief...but also joy! We all know the Easter story by heart...all the gruesome details of Jesus’ arrest, torture, crucifixion and death. But think about those around Him....his mother, his best friends...everyone who loved him. They had lost something more important than a pair of glasses. They had lost a best friend, a mentor....a son.

Realizing that Jesus was NOT gone, but was very much alive and would be going ahead of them to Galilee...and that they would SEE HIM there....that had to feel almost too good to be true! Just imagine their overwhelming joy! The time they had spent with him, the wonderful things he taught them...the love and friendship they shared...those times were not over.

So what does that mean to us? Sure, we can see how the people that knew Jesus would be overjoyed to see Him again...but what about us? Well, Jesus came back with an unbelievable gift for everyone. Easter wasn’t meant to be just for those who got to see Jesus again. It’s for us. For me. For you. Jesus wants us all to have the Easter experience. He INVITES us to be with Him, with each other and with the whole family of believers for eternity. Jesus forgives us all for everything, and opens the gates of heaven. So, when you think about it that way, even if you’ve heard the story before, it’s pretty exciting, isn’t it?

I challenge you to read Mark 16:1-8...and imagine yourself being one of the first to receive the news. Really FEEL the excitement. Happy Easter!

YOUTH GROUP AND CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We had a wonderful time at the 30 Hour Famine in February. We washed all of the toys in the toddler room of the school, collected canned goods for the food closet, made posters (which are still in Fellowship Hall....take a look if you haven’t seen them yet), made our own Famine T-shirts and watched the movie God’s Not Dead. We also collected \$1,050...enough to feed 30 children for a month...not bad! Our top fund raiser was Isaiah Carter, who raised \$210.

We have been continuing reading about Joseph and the twists and turns of his life...from being sold into slavery by his own brothers, being imprisoned, being promoted to second in command, and now in the position to help the very brothers that mistreated him so badly. We have been helping out the food closet team by putting away food donations each week.

Our Sunday morning Sunday School class has learned about Creation and about God's plan to "start over" with Noah and his family. Our reading has been supplemented with a video based curriculum called "What's In the Bible," by Phil Vischer (creator of the popular Veggie Tales). Sunday School takes place during the sermon time of the 9:00 AM worship and is open to any young children (ages 2+).

If you are in grades 6-12 and would like to learn more about our youth group, please contact me (cell 302-545-3961 or email sharon1960@hotmail.com) with any questions. Also, feel free to "like" our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/GTYMarshalltonUMC>). Also, if you are an adult, and would like to make a difference in the lives of our young members, I would love to hear from you.

God's blessings to all of you!

Sharon

MARSHALLTON UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

The United Methodist Women will be having their annual Spring Luncheon on Tuesday, May 5th at 12:00PM. Tickets are \$12.00 each. There will be ONE seating so you need to get your tickets early. See Carol Caward or any UMW member to purchase tickets. Carol's phone # is 540-2581. Great food, door prizes fun and fellowship!!! See you there.

Shelva Lewis, UMW President

MARSHALLTON / CEDARS UNITED METHODIST MEN

**THE FISH AND CHIPS DINNER THAT WAS SCHEDULED
FOR APRIL 4TH**

HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

God Bless and thanks for your continued help
Bob Tull





MUMS

MARSHALLTON UNITED METHODIST SCHOOL

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Well Spring has finally sprung!!! We have been taking advantage of this warm weather. The children are excited to be outside.

We are having our annual children's used clothing and toy sale. It will be on Friday April 24th 8am-1pm and Saturday April 25th 8am-1pm. It was rescheduled due to the weather.

We have started our enrollment for the summer and for the academic school year of 2015-2016. Summer is almost full and the school year is filling up fast!! If you know of anyone who is interested in MUMS for the school year have them give us a call. We are getting calls every day.

The MUMS staff is going to be making chocolate covered Easter eggs to sell. We will have them available until we run out. They are half pound eggs; butter cream, peanut butter and coconut cream. The cost of the eggs is \$8.00 and they are worth every penny.

Tashia Charles (Director)

MEMORIES BY AUNT VICTORIA

I think back to when I had my youth, it seemed like such a treat
To go in town for shopping in a place on Market Street.

I think of all the shops and stores on both sides of the street
And sometimes as you went along a friend you'd surely meet.

There was Crosby's and Kennards and Braunsteins and Arthur's, too,
And quite a few big Five & Tens with things just right for you.

There were hat stores and shoe stores and some shops for men,
And stores full of dishes in the old Crockery Den.



Cedars, Christ and Marshallton UMCs Circuit Leadership Meeting #2

February 22, 2015

Summary

Objective: To begin planning together events and programs we would like to “combine” in 2015. 24 attended, including folks from all 3 congregations. .

Spiritual Gifts Inventory Summary So Far. 14 Returned. Continue to complete and submit to Deacon Kymm. The objective is to know our gifts and use the information in finding ways to serve God.

- MUMC collectively ranked high in knowledge and teaching
- Christ collectively ranked high in healing and helping
- Clergy are strong in prophesy, teaching & shepherding.
 - Unique to Joe: evangelism & exhortation
 - Unique to Kymm: administration & leadership
 - Ray TBD

Congregational Survey Summary. 55 Responded so far. Continue to take on line or on paper and return to Deacon Kymm.

- No problems reported on circuit preaching, visitation, discipleship or outreach. (Same or better!)
- Of the 4 proposed common missions, 3 are of general interest: Urban Promise, Food Closet, OCC. Limited interest in Family Promise. (but those interested- passionate.) Will plan to educate folks on Family Promise and Urban Promise.
- Combine the Cantata and VBS. Can combine news with work. Split on prayer.
- Strong support for Alpha program and the summer outside concert
- Supportive of ACT (Technology linking Generations) but only a handful of “doers”.
- Very supportive of the option of contemporary worship at Christ, but most will continue to attend traditional worship themselves.

(Full 19-page summary report is available from Deacon Kymm.)

Circuit Ministry Planning Discussions. Most of the meeting time was spent in table groups discussing and planning upcoming circuit-wide events or ministries coming up. Summary notes follow:

Combined Cantata Proposal: Singers from all 3 churches will combined into one choir, professional musical staff will work together to select the music. Location could be at Christ if we only do it once, or once at Christ and once at Marshallton if we do it twice. TBD

Outdoor contemporary music concert at Christ UMC on Sunday May 31, 2-5 (tentative time): Initial Planning Team: Ray Eck, Bill Taylor, Kymm Hockman, along with reps from participating musical groups (Harps to Halos, Cedars group, Steve Temple, Ray Seemans.) Picnic area – bring your own chair. Consider indoor bathrooms or port-a-potties & stage/ sound equipment needs, possible hot-dog /drink give-away & Security (Boy Scouts and their leaders), clean-up committee. Rain - move inside?

Alpha Program: Will begin Monday April 6th, running 10 weeks from 6-8pm at Christ UMC, with a full day retreat in the middle. Led by Sharon O'Connor. Goal of at least 25-50 to take this program. Outreach – New people into church. Rotate who “hosts” the evening at Christ? (provides meals). Repeat the program a second time at MUMC. Join planning team (publicity, child care, menu planning, discussion leaders) by calling Sharon O'Connor at 302-545-3961 or emailing her at sharon1960@hotmail.com.

Combined Summer Vacation Bible School was discussed but little planning yet. Sharon O'Connor will start planning and recruiting well in advance.

Food Closet: We will add Cedars and Christ worship information in handout sheet included in bags of food dispensed. To contribute food stuffs, can drop them off at MUMC any day 9-5, or collect at your church location and Deacon Kymm or Susan Bessel will take to MUMC. To physically assist in dispensing food to participating families, contact Bob Tull to be assigned to a Thursday night Food closet team 302-388-9637. Arrive at UMC at 6:15 P.M. on your assigned Thursday and participate as needed until 7:30. For monetary contribution,

- Write check to home church; memo line marked "Food Closet" Or make cash contribution to home church in envelope marked "Food Closet".
- Home Church financial Secretary record/posts to designated F. C. account
- Financial secretary writes check to purchase bank debit card when account reaches \$50 or \$100.
- Card conveyed to Food Closet committee at MUMC
- Debit Card recorded and given to food shopper
- Shopper buys goods and stocks MUMC food closet

Family Promise: Deacon Kymm will schedule and give informative presentation to combined meeting of UMW members from all three churches. Request Shelva Lewis and Charlotte Wolfe to organize meeting / Tea Meeting.

Urban Promise: Request Urban promise leader Rob Prestowitz give presentation to Cedars and Marshallton members. (at next circuit-wide meeting?)

How can we use technology to spread the gospel outside our walls? Sermons on-line, Weekly bulletin on-line, Sermon-only CD ready at the end of the service, You-Tube sermons, Log-on paid pop-up advertising. Circuit ACT team is working on this.

Create 1 combined newsletter. Need committee to make this happen. Lots of good ideas generated.

All were energized and enjoyed productive planning time. Next circuit-wide meeting is planned for May/June timeframe.

"Our Thinking vs. God's Promises"

We think: "It's impossible"; God says: "All things are possible" (Luke 18:27)

We think: "I'm too tired"; God says: "I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28-30)

We think: "Nobody really loves me"; God says: "I love you" (John 3:16 & 13:34)

We think: "I can't go on"; God says: "My grace is sufficient for you"

(II Corinthians 12:9 & Psalm 91:15)

We think: "I can't figure things out"; God says: "I will direct your steps" (Proverbs 3:5-6)

We think: "I can't do it"; God says: "You can do all things" (Philippians 4:13)

We think: "I'm not able"; "God says: I am able" (II Corinthians 9:8)

We think: "It's not worth it"; "God says: It will be worth it" (Romans 8:28)

We think: "I can't forgive myself"; God says: "I forgive you" (I John 1:9 & Romans 8:1)

THANK YOU

I want to thank you all, my Church Family, for the outpouring of love and support you've shown to my family and I at the recent death of my husband, Ernie. Your cards, calls, visits, food, prayers and caring words of condolence have meant more to me than I can ever express. I am very humbled by, but so appreciative of, everything you've done. A special thank you to Pastor Archie and Pastor Godwin for a wonderful service; to Betty Tull for getting the fire hall for the luncheon, and to those amazing United Methodist Women for the delicious meal they prepared and served. I am so blessed and grateful to be a part of such a caring and loving church family.

Shelva Lewis and family


Thanks to everyone for the help you have given the men with past events so far this year!

Bob Tull, President
Marshallton/Cedars United Methodist Men

Thanks again for bringing in your stamps.
June has packaged and I have mailed three boxes so far.
Keep them coming. We're happy to take care of handling them.

With Love and Many Thanks,
Kappy

My senior mind is overtaxed!
I have loaned a Billy Graham DVD set to someone and can't
remember who. If you are the one, please call me.
Thanks, Kappy



May the special blessings
of this joyful Easter
fill your heart
with gladness.

Free Tutoring

For Middle School Students

Sunday afternoons 4:30-5:30

Tutors:

Sharon, Kymm, Rick, Ed, Patrick, Pam, Britnee, and others with combined backgrounds...

Certified Secondary Ed English, Youth Director, PhD in Math /Statistics, Finance, Engineering, works (and teaches) at DuPont, varied levels of teaching experience, University of DE Students.

All have completed background check and follow "Safe Sanctuary" practices

Subjects:

General study skills most any subject and
Help with homework completion

(Sorry, no specific foreign language skills at present.)

Location:

Marshallton United Methodist Church
1105 Stanton Road (and Old Capital Trail)
Wilmington, DE 19808

302-994-7466 (Church Office)

Contact person: Sharon O'Connor

RSVP at 302-994-7466 to let us know you're coming!

Spring Luncheon

**Where: Marshallton United Methodist Church
1105 Stanton Rd
Marshallton**

When: Tuesday, May 5th, 2015

ONE Seating ONLY at 12:00 NOON.

TICKETS ARE LIMITED.



Tickets \$12.00



DOOR PRIZES!

For more info, call Church Office 994-7466



CAN YOU PLEASE HELP?

A Hero's Welcome Delaware Chapter are collecting items to help the Delaware Center for Homeless Veterans in Northern Delaware (DCHV). We are preparing Welcome Bags which will be handed out to the vets when they move to the DCHV.

Currently there are 20 veterans residing in the shelter and many waiting to come in from the COLD. This is a transitional residence for these vets to save for an apartment, get job training, get counseling or whatever is needed and generally to get their life together. Since it is transitional there is always a need for a welcome package for them.

We are in need of these types of new items: **shampoo, soap, deodorant, shaving cream, toothpaste, toothbrushes, dental floss, wash cloths, etc....)**

The #1 request from our veterans is **SOCKS** and baseball caps!!!

The Dollar Stores are a great source. If you or someone you know travels please bring home some of the hotel toiletries if available.

Any donations are greatly appreciated. There will be a marked collection box to the right of the elevator on the ground floor where you may deposit your donation.

Thank you in advance,

Judi

Judi Enright

PS - I volunteer at A Hero's Welcome. We are the organization that gave out the Stars on Veteran's Day at both the 1st and 2nd service. Visit us at www.aheros-welcome.org



DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR APRIL, 2015

GOD'S HOPEFUL WORD

Day	Book	Chapter	Day	Book	Chapter
1	John	18:1-24	15	1 Peter	4:1-19
Maundy Thursday			16	1 Peter	5:1-14
2	John	18:25-40	17	2 Peter	1:1-21
Good Friday			18	2 Peter	2:1-22
3	John	19:1-30	19	2 Peter	3:1-18
4	John	19:31-42	20	Jude	1-25
Easter Sunday			21	Revelation	5:1-14
5	John	20:1-18	22	Revelation	21:1-27
6	John	20:19-31	23	Revelation	22:1-21
7	John	21:1-25	24	Romans	1:1-17
8	Colossians	1:1-23	25	Romans	3:19-31
9	Colossians	1:24-2:19	26	Romans	4:1-25
10	Colossians	2:20-3:17	27	Romans	5:1-21
11	Colossians	4:2-18	28	Romans	6:1-23
12	1 Peter	1:1-25	29	Romans	7:1-25
13	1 Peter	2:1-25	30	Romans	15:1-13
14	1 Peter	3:1-22			

BIRTHDAYS / ANNIVERSARIES FOR APRIL, 2015



BELETED HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO
KAREN JAMES WHO CELEBRATED ON MARCH 26TH

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

<i>APRIL</i>				<i>MAY</i>	
1	Sharon Hayden	19	Kerri Lenker	1	Nigel Raman
3	Sherron Long	20	Samuel Hayden	15	Ron Caldwell
4	Cheryl Jackson	21	Pastor Hayden		
8	Matthew Howell	22	Kappy Stevens		
9	Anna Kuhar		Beverly Wright		
10	Randall Johns	23	Mavis Posey		
16	April Archie	27	Lynne Barnett		
	Niyah Archie		Tom Pesickey		
17	Ruth Ann Cope		Patty Powell		
18	Margaret Godwin	30	Patty Caldwell		



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

<i>APRIL</i>		<i>MAY</i>			
11	Mary Jane & Charles Graham	1	Lester & Lisa Carlisle, Sr.	13	Roosevelt & Carolina Rowsey

APRIL, 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7:00pm - Disc. Bible Study	2 1:30pm - Disc. Bible Study 6:30-7:30PM - Food Closet Open	3	4
5 EASTER SUNDAY 6:00am - Sunrise Service 9:00am- Contemporary Service 11:00am-Traditional Service	6 6:00-8:00pm - ALPHA	7 6:30pm - Praise Team 7:45pm - Chancel Choir	8 10:30am - Marian Rowe Circle Mtg. 7:00pm - Disc. Bible Study	9 1:30pm - Disc. Bible Study 6:30-7:30PM - Food Closet Open	10	11
12 9:00am- Praise & Worship 11:00am- Worship Service 4:30PM - Tutoring	13 7:00PM - Finance Committee Mtg. 6:00-8:00pm - ALPHA	14 10:30am - Alice Ball Circle Mtg. 6:30pm - Praise Team 7:45pm - Chancel Choir	15 7:00pm - Disc. Bible Study	15 1:30pm - Disc. Bible Study 6:30-7:30PM - Food Closet Open	17	18
19 9:00am- Praise & Worship 11:00am- Worship Service 4:30PM - Tutoring	20 6:30pm - Trustees Mtg. 6:00-8:00pm - ALPHA	21 6:30pm - Praise Team 7:00 - Rebekah Circle 7:45pm - Chancel Choir	22 7:00pm - Disc. Bible Study	23 1:30pm - Disc. Bible Study 6:30-7:30PM - Food Closet Open	24 9:00AM - 2:00PM - MUMS Children's Clothing Sale	25 8:00AM - 1:00PM - MUMS Children's Clothing Sale
26 9:00am- Praise & Worship 11:00am- Worship Service 4:30PM - Tutoring	27 6:30pm - Church Council Mtg. 6:00-8:00pm - ALPHA	28 6:30pm - Praise Team 7:45pm - Chancel Choir	29 7:00pm - Disc. Bible Study	30 1:30pm - Disc. Bible Study 6:30-7:30PM - Food Closet Open		25
MAY EVENTS	MAY 12 UMW SPRING LUNCHEON					

HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Marshallton/Christ/Cedars Circuit



ALL ARE WELCOME!

*Palm Sunday: March 29 * "Jesus' Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem"*

- 9:00 a.m. Worship at Cedars UMC – Traditional service
- 9:00 a.m. Worship at Marshallton UMC – Contemporary service
- 11:00 a.m. Worship at Christ & Marshallton UMCs – Traditional services

*Maundy Thursday: April 2 * "Do This in Remembrance of Me"*

- 7:00 p.m. Holy Communion Services at Cedars & Marshallton UMCs commemorating the Last Supper of our Lord

*Good Friday: April 3 * "Jesus Died for Our Sins"*

- 12:00 p.m. Millcreek Ministerium Service Meditation on the Seven Last Words at St. James Episcopal Church
(Homemade Hot Cross Buns will be served following the service)

*Easter Sunday: April 5 * "Celebrating the Resurrection"*

- 6:30 a.m. Sunrise Worship Services at Marshallton & Christ UMCs
- 9:00 a.m. Festival Worship Services at Cedars & Marshallton UMC's
- 11:00 a.m. Festival Worship Services at Marshallton & Christ UMCs

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HE IS
Risen!



GOT QUESTIONS ABOUT LIFE? TRY ALPHA!

Alpha is a series of discussions on some important life topics held in a friendly, relaxed environment. Meetings will be held on Monday evenings from 6:00 – 8:00 PM beginning April 6, and continuing for ten weeks. Held at Christ United Methodist Church (6 N. Clifton Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19805), each evening will include a free dinner and childcare. Please join us! RSVP by calling 302-545-3961.