SUNDAY, JANUARY 17TH, 2021 2ND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY COMBINED WORSHIP





CHESAPEAKE CITY UNITED METHODIST CHARGE

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THE MISSION OF THE CHESAPEAKE CITY UNITED METHODIST CHARGE: To Build Bridges by Growing with Christ, Uniting in Fellowship, and Serving Faithfully



Welcome! Whether you are with us today as a guest, a seeker, a member or a friend, we're glad you've joined us! It's our hope that you will experience God's love and blessings for you.



Sunday School classes/groups for all ages to learn, grow, share, and pray with others.

Children's Sunday School is being held virtually at this time. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Lisa Malin.

Adult Sunday School will continue meeting weekly on Zoom at 11:30 am. Contact Marian Harvey to join.

Check the bulletin or website for **other small groups** which meet during the week.

Sunday, January 17th, 2021 2nd Sunday after the Epiphany		Next Sunday: January 24th, 2021 3rd Sunday after the Epiphany	
10:00 amWorship LeaderLisa MalinBa		Barbara Lort	
CCEA FOOD DELIVERY		Todd & Marian Harvey	Servant Needed

Notes about CCEA Food Delivery:

- * CCUMC will be accepting food donations and Redner's Receipts only. The CCEA is not currently accepting donations of home goods or clothing.
- * At this time, the CCEA is open for deliveries only from 9:00 am to 10:30 am on Mondays and ask for a call in advance, preferably on the prior Friday, so that they know you are coming.
- * Sign-ups for the CCEA Food Delivery will be posted on the Volunteers bulletin board in the main entrance at Trinity.

ATTENDANCE		STEWARDS	HIP
Estimated Last Week	100	Estimated Last Week	\$ 2,724.96
52-Week Average	75	Weekly Offering Needed	\$ 2,980.77
+/- attendance	+ 25	Estimated Weekly +/-	- \$ 255.81
		2021 +/-	+ \$ 70.92

YOUR REGULAR OFFERINGS ARE IMPORTANT FOR US TO SUSTAIN OUR MINISTRIES AND MISSIONS.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO JOIN US ONLINE DURING THIS TIME, PLEASE REMEMBER THE CHURCH WITH YOUR PRAYERS AND CONTRIBUTIONS.

ONLINE GIVING IS FAST, SAFE & SIMPLE! VISIT WWW.CHESAPEAKECITYUMC.COM/ONLINE-GIVING

Combined Worship Online January 17th, 2021 Second Sunday After the Epiphany



GATHERING MUSIC AFTON KREUSH		
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCER	Welcome and Announcements Pastor Sam	
FINANCE MISSION MOMENT JOHN BART		JOHN BARTELD
OPENING PRAYER		LISA MALIN
OPENING PRAISE		AFTON KREUSH
Scripture Reading	Рѕаім 139:1-6, 13-18 Јони 1:43-51	Lisa Malin
SERMON "WHAT GOOD	CAN COME OUT OF CHESAPEAKE CITY?	" Pastor Sam
Responsive Praise		PRAISE BAND
OFFERTORY PRAYER PASTOR S		Pastor Sam
HOLY COMMUNION		
Sending Forth		
CLOSING SONG		Afton Kreush

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: Tuesday through Thursday - 10:00 am to 2:00 pm



The UPS truck pulled up in our driveway yesterday. I went out to greet the driver and get the package I was expecting. As he was handing it to me, he asked, "Do you recognize me?" I looked at him for a second and realized that I did!

He had been a student at the Generation Station Youth Center some time ago. He graduated from Bo Manor in 2007. I recall that he was one of those kids that could've gone either way. He wasn't a bad kid, but he was pretty squirrelly.

I found out that he had been working for UPS for two years. He and his wife have owned a home for the last five years, and they have a six-year-old child. I have no idea what the Generation Station played in this young man becoming a responsible adult, but I just felt good that he was doing so well.

This year has been the most challenging in our 20-year history. When schools went allvirtual in March, we ceased operating. Since then we have struggled to figure out how we can serve area youth and their families. Our staff has delivered goodie bags with snacks and activities and kept in touch with the parents to try to determine their needs.

When school began this fall, we decided that we would try to help kids who were having trouble learning virtually, as well as those who were doing in-person learning and needing extra help. However, just about the time that we thought we might be ready to resume, schools went back to all-virtual learning.

One of the big considerations for us was not putting the ministry in a position where we would be operating but didn't have the financial resources to sustain the program. So we have been biding our time and waiting for the right moment.

Fortunately, the State of Maryland is offering an emergency grant to help serve families affected by the pandemic. We applied for this through the Cecil County Local Management Board. We received preliminary notice that our application will be approved. This means that we can be assured of continued funding throughout 2021. Once we receive final confirmation, we will prepare to open as soon as possible.

We are encouraged by this development, but also will welcome your continued support. The grant covers many expenses, but not all. Thank you as always for your prayers and support for this ministry. When you meet young adults like my UPS driver, you realize how important it is.

-Jack & Jodi Shitama

For More Information: *Visit Generation Station* on the web!

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Wednesday Evenings - 6:00 pm

Pastor's Video Bible Study has begun with videos being posted on Facebook on Wednesday evenings by 6 pm.

For more information, contact Pastor Sam.

Adult Sunday School

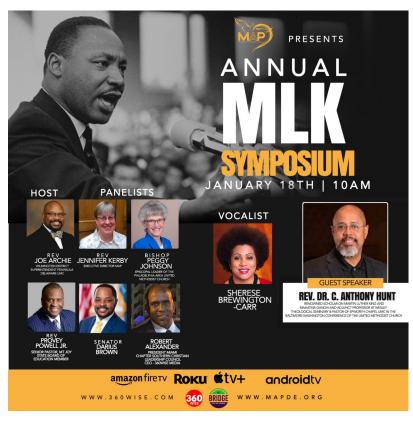
Our Adult Sunday School is meeting virtually using ZOOM on Sunday mornings beginning at 11:30 am and invites all to join us!

Each session has a scripture focus, lively discussion and a post lesson reflection to study during the week.

If you would like to join our group, please contact Marian Harvey prior to Sunday at <u>mariantoddharvey@gmail.com</u>

You will need to share your email address with her and you will need to download the Zoom.us app.

Come along with us on our faith journey!



Topic: MLK Symposium Time: Tuesday, January 18th @ 10:00 AM EST

Anyone can watch via this link on <u>360wise.com</u> via link or 360wise via ROKU, Apple TV, Android TV, Fire TV

Link for 360wise https://360wise.com/thebridge/

Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82188 074773?pwd=RDI5SExubFR2ZFd EV3hJMTFFWGtlZz09

> Meeting ID: 821 8807 4773 Passcode: mlk

If you have any questions you can contact Travis Smith directly at 508-982-7055.

The link is also on the District website:

www.wilmingtondistrict.org/

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1/12/2021	CCEA FOOD PANTRY NEEDS
Donation Hours:	Mondays for donors-by appointment 9:00a to 11:00a
	Tuesdays for clients by pre-scheduled appointment only.
To Our	Donors and clients are asked to call 410-885-3244 on Thursday or Friday mornings (9:00a to Noon) to schedule an appointment to drop off donations the following Monday (for donors) or Tuesdays to pick up a pantry box. Since we operate solely with volunteers, appointments enable us to deter- mine how many volunteers and how many hours are needed each week.
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Donors: Thank You To Our	Keep the Redner's receipts coming! Rebates from those receipts help pay for food that we purchase to support pantry needs. Please do not alter the receipts and please remember to use your REWARDS CARD with every purchase. Receipts that do not show a "Save-a-Tape" total cannot be redeemed by our agency for cash credits.
	Please check our website at www.ccea4u.com or Facebook page for the
guests: We look forward to saying hello	scheduled donor days and targeted donor items being accepted in our Clothing/Home Pantry each month. A list is also published in our monthly newsletter available on our website and Facebook.
and greeting you during curb-side deliveries	Donations may be made payable to The CCEA and mailed to PO Box 244, Chesapeake City, MD 21915. On-line donations can be made by checking in at our website and clicking onto the Donor button. All donations are tax deductible.
In the weeks ahead, we anticipate an increase in calls for "emergency funds" as the rent & utility moratoriums are lifted. Financial donations towards "Emergency Funds" are greatly appreciated at this time in preparation for what we believe will be an onslaught of need over the next couple of months.	
Complete Meals (canned or boxed)	Any of the "Helper" line of meals; pizza &/or taco kits; Ravioli; Beef Stew, Chicken Stew, Chicken & dumplings,
Drinks	Shelf-stable milk (aisle 5A-Redner Market); tea bags; coffee; sweetener/sugar (packets only please)
Jelly	Any flavors of jellies—PLEASE NO SUPERSIZE JARS
Personal Care/ Home Care	Laundry Detergent; Home cleaners; Dish detergent; paper towels, Kleenex & aspirins



<u>Sunday - January 17, 2021</u>

UPPER ROOM READING: .. LAMENTATIONS 3:19-26

- 10:00 AM COMBINED WORSHIP ONLINE ON FACEBOOK AND WWW.CHESAPEAKECITYUMC.COM/PASTORS-PAGE
- 10:30 AM CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTUBE
- 11:30 AM ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ZOOM
- 3:00 PM CUB PACK 336 MEETING TOWN POINT

Monday - January 18, 2021

* Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday * Upper Room Reading: Psalm 145:13-21

7:00 PM WEBELOS DEN MEETING TOWN POINT

TUESDAY - JANUARY 19, 2021

UPPER Ro	оом Reading: Luke 13:6-9	
7:00 рм	CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING ZOOM	

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 20, 2021

UPPER H	COOM READING:	ROMANS 10:1-15
6:00 рм	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY	Online

THURSDAY - JANUARY 21, 2021

Upper Room Reading: Psalm 16:5-11		
11:00 AM	CHURCH NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE	
6:00 PM	FOLLOWING JESUS TOWN POINT	

FRIDAY - JANUARY 22, 2021

UPPER ROOM READING: ECCLESIASTES 3:1-12

SATURDAY - JANUARY 23, 2021

UPPER ROOM READING: ROMANS 8:18-31



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: Tues through Fri: 10:00 am to 2:00 pm Pastor Sam will be in the office or community this week and available by appointment anytime Sunday through Thursday

Fridays are Pastor Sam's sabbath days, but please call with any emergencies on Fridays or Saturdays

Pastor Sam can be reached at: (302) 448-0367 or via email to: PastorSam@ChesapeakeCityUMC.com



YOU CAN HAVE NEW & ABUNDANT LIFE!

Jesus said, "The time has come. . .The kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the good news!" (Mark 1:15 NIV)

And again, *"I have come so that they may have life, and have it more abundantly."* (John 10:10)

That includes you!

As recorded in John 3:16, "For God so loved the world, he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life."

To have that abundant and eternal life simply, "Repent" or "turn" to God and believe the good news of Jesus Christ. You can do this in your heart by asking God's forgiveness of your sins (thoughts and actions which separate you from God's love and holiness).

A suggested prayer is: "Dear Jesus, forgive my sins and come into my heart. I receive you as my Savior and Lord." If you have said such a prayer, you are encouraged to join in further fellowship and learning as a follower of Jesus. Speak with Pastor Sam or others for more ways to connect.