

**Richardson Park
United Methodist Church
*Celebrating Over 100 Years of Ministry***

And He said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole creation."
Mark 16:15 NRSV



The mission of Richardson Park United Methodist Church is to help people experience the amazing love of God and develop a vital relationship with Jesus Christ.

RICHARDSON PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost – World Communion Sunday

October 6, 2018

10:30 a.m.

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/GREETING

*OPENING HYMN "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" UMH 277

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In the midst of struggle and strife, God is with us.

People: Praise be to God for God's steadfast presence.

Leader: Even though many things in life hurt and disappoint us,
God is with us.

**People: We seek God's mercy and grace to heal our
wounded souls.**

Leader: Come, bring your needs and wants to God, for God will
hear your cries and restore your souls.

People: Praise be to God for mercy, peace, and hope.

AMEN.

OPENING PRAYER

Lord, we come to you today with so many things on our hearts.
You call us to be in relationship of trust and love with you and you
offer healing to us for those portions of our lives that are broken
and injured. Help us to be open to your mercy and healing love.
For we ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

OLD TESTAMENT READING Job 1:1; 2:1-10

PSALTER

Psalm 26

Words on Screen

(We will sing in unison "I Love You, Lord" – TFWS 2068, one verse
before and one verse after reading the appointed Psalm.)

NEW TESTAMENT READING Hebrews 1:1-14; 2:5-12

*GRADUAL HYMN "Fairest Lord Jesus" UMH 189

Please stand, as you are able, for the Gospel Reading.

GOSPEL READING Mark 10:2-16 Pastor Carolyn

MESSAGE "Dream Small Part 1" Pastor Carolyn

OFFERING SCRIPTURE

"Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine." Exodus 19:5

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Come to the Upper Room" Joseph M. Martin
The Chancel Choir

*DOXOLOGY UMH 94

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below: Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING UMH Pg. 13

The Lord's Prayer (Sung in Unison)

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Hymn "One Bread, One Body" UMH 620

Prayer

*CLOSING HYMN "How Firm a Foundation" UMH 529

*BLESSING

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"Amen"

THE CHRIST LIGHT IS TAKEN INTO THE WORLD

POSTLUDE Improvisation on *FOUNDATION*

The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God and in honor of our anniversary and love of our family by Patricia A. and J. Franklin Pugh.

The flowers at the cross are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our sister, Linda Elaine Moffett, who passed away one year ago on October 3. Deeply missed by the Moffett family. Your memory is my keepsake, with which I'll never part, God has you in His keeping, I have you in my heart. Fran Tebutt



ALOHA!!

Come join us today immediately following the morning worship service for a Hawaiian Luau-themed luncheon.

We will be welcoming new members. It's also a great opportunity to get together and fellowship.

We will be featuring pulled pork and Hawaiian meatballs.

All are welcome!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW ADDRESS FOR JERRY TOY

Jerry Toy's current address is:
Brackenville Crossing
100 St. Claire Drive, Room 502
Hockessin, DE 19707
Main phone no.: 302-234-5420
(Route 7 and Brackenville Road)

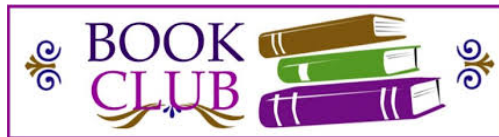
2018 CHARGE CONFERENCE - WILMINGTON DISTRICT **Saturday, October 27 9:30 AM** **Hillcrest-Bellefonte UMC, 400 Hillcrest Avenue**

All charge conferences are in a cluster now. We are in a cluster with the churches who participated in the revival. Our cluster is: Hillcrest-Bellefonte, Brandywine Community, Church of the Atonement, Holly Oak Calvary, Mt. Lebanon, Mt. Salem and RPUMC.

Koinonia Class

The Koinonia Class will meet at 11 AM on the following dates:

Saturday, October 20
Saturday, November 17
Saturday, December 15



At our September meeting, book club discussed "The first Phone Call from Heaven" by Mitch Albom. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 24 at 7 PM (date changed from October 10). At that meeting, we will discuss "Ordinary Grace" by William Kent Krueger. Our November book will be "The Man I Never Met" by Adam Schefter. Coming soon (November?) will be Beartown" by Fredrik Backman and "Mudbound" by Hillary Jordan.

If you see a book that you like or have one to suggest, or if you are in the mood for lively conversation and good fellowship, please join us at a future meeting. We would love to have you come out and share in our spirited discussions and friendly conversation.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 7

9:00 am	Adult Sunday School – Lounge
10:00 am	UMW Unit Meeting - Lounge
10:00 am	Fellowship Time - Extension
10:30 am	Worship and Children's Church
11:30 am	Missions Meeting - Lounge
11:30 am	Hawaiian Luau – Fellowship Hall
4:30 pm	Contemporary Worship – Fellowship Hall

Monday, October 8

6:30 pm	Girl Scouts – Extension
6:30 pm	Boy Scouts & Cub Scouts – Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, October 9

8:00 pm	AA Meeting – Fellowship Hall
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Wednesday, October 10

12:00 pm	Ruth Circle - Lounge
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Thursday, October 11

9:00 am	The Shoppe at RPUMC
11:30 am	Free Lunch Ministry – Fellowship Hall
8:15 pm	AA Meeting – Fellowship Hall

Friday, October 12

10:00 am	Disciple – RPUMC – Lounge
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Saturday, October 13 Fellowship Hall Reserved

Sunday, October 14

9:00 am	Adult Sunday School – Lounge
10:00 am	Fellowship Time - Extension
10:30 am	Worship and Children's Church
11:30 am	SPRC Meeting - Lounge
4:30 pm	Contemporary Worship – Fellowship Hall



PRAYER REQUESTS

J. Franklin and Patricia A. Pugh and family, Vincent Pugh and family, the Noss family, the Page family, the Prior family, Shirl Snapp and Greg and Maria and family, Janice and Bill Richards, the United States and Israel, Ben Fay, Joan Stadelman, Barbara Sayles, JoAnn and Sam Guidry, Joe Tucker, Jerry Toy, Charlene Workman, Jerry and Mike Paoli and families, Colleen, Randy, Olivia and Gillian Ide, Gregg, Joy and Abbi Ide, Shirley Davis, Beca Baird, James Baird, Kim, John, Nick and John III Sagrati, Tyler and Becky Heatwole and Niko, Allie Heatwole, Al, Rob and Liz Heatwole, John Sagrati Sr., homeless animals, Amy Gould and family, Bernie Nowell and family, Karen Messick and family, Lisa Pugliese and family, Sister Morgan, Connie Pondok, Sean Short and Kim, Jessica Etter and family, Felicia Etter and family, Adele, Ed Ide, Julia Lynch, Shirley Delpizzo, Nancy Corrigan, Sharon, Mozes, Amanda, Steven, Tonja, Natalie, Hillary, Judge Kavanaugh and family, Ann Hague, Susan Cribb, Kelly Hynson, Randy Comegys, Jim Peel, Guy Campbell, Joyce, Darryl and Jeanne, John and Donna, Gene and Tracy, Mary, Pam, Amber, our armed forces, police, firefighters and emergency personnel, justice, liberty, Harry Williams, Quadaire Sadler, James Stewart, Nikki Sadler, Julian Sadler, Anyair Sadler, Nasir Wayman, Gloria Williams, Madison Stewart, the Moffett family, the Williams family, the Johnson family, our church family, Don McFarland, Pastor Carolyn, travel mercies, Neal Jr., Rose, Joan, Ryan, Dana, Daniel, Beth, Sarah, Janis and family, Roger and family, Nancy and family, Chuck, Dory, Emmett, Casey and Erin, Donna, Jeff and Makena, Aunt Maxine, Penny, Helen and Wilson, the Cathell family, the Norvell family, the Sisk family, Krys and Mario, Sharon, Jennifer, Gladys, Terri, Adam, Preston, the Ironside family, the Hayes family, the Madison family, Sal, the Dellinger family, Ed, Barbara, Jim Smith, Barbara Rhea, Wilbert Smith, Kathy and Richard Cravey, Valerie, Jeremy, Jenn, Nancy Motley, the Przywara family, Donald Trump and family, new Delaware politicians, all victims of crimes, Alvretta Crozier, Dot Scarborough, Anna Mae Shewbrooks, Scott Deaton and family, Elizabeth Keeth, Pat and Chris Rodenhiser, Brenda Williams, Susan and Ken Malone, Beth and John, Tamson and Veronicka and Constantin, Veda Boyer, Bob Ashton, Glenda Donnelly, Jim King, all those affected by floods, fires, earthquakes and volcanoes, the opioid crisis, all military families, all veterans, our government and jobs, Barbara and Bob, Carole, Sami and Jim, Samantha and Leo, Sue and Patty, Charlotte, Debbie, Tami, Wende, Jeff and Nancy, Bill Green.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Adult Sunday School.....9:00 A.M.
Fellowship Time.....10:00 A.M.
Worship and Children's Church.....10:30 A.M.
Contemporary Worship.....4:30 P.M.
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SERVING TODAY

LAY READER

Bob Collins

FLOWERS

Ruth Circle

GREETERS

Alvretta Crozier and

Neal Davis

MINISTERS

Everyone

PASTOR

Carolyn Williams

DIRECTOR, MUSIC MINISTRY

Donald H. McFarland

LAY LEADER

Kathy A. Rogers

ACOLYTES

Emmett Swanson and

Emma Warfel

SECRETARY

Harriet-Ann van Boven

Worship Attendance 9/30 AM

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Worship Attendance 9/30 PM

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Sunday School 9/30

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The first services were held under a large tree in 1907 at the corner of Belmont Avenue and DuPont Road. The first church building was completed in 1908 at Glenrich Avenue and Eureka Street. The church relocated to its current location in 1926, and the present sanctuary was built in 1950. Richardson Park United Methodist Church has had a long and distinguished ministry in the community dedicated to producing fruit that is pleasing to the Lord. This tradition continues today.