

Navigating the seas of life together with Christ at the helm



Sunday, October 30, 2022 "The Importance of Witness" Gary Ringold Scripture: Acts 1:8

Family Service - 9:00 AM

Praise and Worship, Inspiration for All Generations, Optional Armor Activity for Ages 4-11

Traditional Service - 11:00 AM

Hymns, Scripture, Prayer, and Encouragement for All

View our live-streamed services
10 minutes before the start of the service
by logging on to our website.

Phone-In to Hear the Services
Call 302.500.5391 at 8:50 am and 10:50 am

If you would like to have a copy of the sermon notes, please contact the church office.

November 2022 Sermon Schedule

NOVEMBER 6 - ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

"The Riches of God's Glorious Inheritance"

Pastor Joe Ciccanti

Scripture: Ephesians 1:17-21

NOVEMBER 13 - VETERANS DAY

"What It Takes"

Communion Served

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: 2 Timothy 2:3-4

NOVEMBER 20

"Giving Thanks"

Mike Escow Gideon Speaker

Scripture: Mark 10:35-45 NOVEMBER 27- 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Coming to Our Senses at Christmas: See"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Luke 3:1-6







Dear brothers and sisters,
Honor those who are your
leaders in the Lord's work.
They work hard among you and
give you spiritual guidance.

Show them great respect and wholehearted love because of their work.

And live peacefully with each other.

1 Thessalonians 5:12-13



SUNDAY PRAISE & WORSHIP MUSIC For Sunday, October 30th

We are so thankful for the privilege and opportunity to lead and join you in the praise and worship part of our service.

May our humble offerings bless our amazing King & Savior as we sing together.

So that you may have the opportunity to prepare for this week's praise & worship music, we are offering clickable links to the songs below:

My Story (Big Daddy Weave)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=da64vJ5mGto

Testify To Love (Avalon)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Liy-nVyrn-E

My Jesus (Anne Wilson)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWLm6z42Gk8

Light of the World - Kids, VBS Cave Quest https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=el302Av7vSl

Our God (Chris Tomlin)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fKujofWMi 0

#156 I Love To Tell The Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aSd9hqT23CQ

#664 Sent Forth By God's Blessing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qEj72ZeRdTQ

Enjoy time singing God's praises and worshiping His holy name!

Peace & blessings in Christ! Love you all to life!



There is no practice for Kids ARMOR Christmas Program this weekend.

The next scheduled practice is Sunday, November 6 from 1-3 pm in the Sanctuary



Due to an issue with our database sort, some members did not receive their pledge cards.

Please stop in the church office and pick one up or call us at 302.539.9510 if you would like it mailed to you.



Honoring Our Veterans

We would like to display photos of the Veterans in your family at our service on Sunday, November 13.

The photos can be emailed in digital format to (visualtech@marinersbethel.org) or the original brought to the church office so that we can scan them for a slide show.

Please include the person's name, branch of the military, and the connection to Mariners, if necessary (brother, sister, father, mother, etc.).





Mondays at 10AM in the Hope Center Meeting Room (Next Class Oct. 31)

GriefShare is a Christian-based program designed to encourage and give hope to people who are grieving the death of loved ones.

If you, or someone you know, would like to attend, all are welcome.

Contact PastorJoe@MarinersBethel.org



FEED MY SHEEP CAFE

from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm





Menu for Tuesday, November 1:

*Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich

*Soups: Chicken Corn Chowder or Beef Vegetable

Takeout available



Listening Post Sessions

Sessions are held from 6:30-8:00 PM in the Sanctuary Everyone is welcome to attend in person or online.

Tuesday, November 1

Rev. Tom Pasmore Next Generation of the UMC

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dsj9FajibLQ

Monday, November 28

Rev. Bruce Rogers
Disaffiliation and the Independent Church
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QaNacS2x2bM

Following each guest presentation, questions will be asked of speaker(s) in an interview format with the moderator.

Questions may be emailed to the church in advance or submitted on index cards the night of the session.

For more information, contact Rev. Dr. Rebecca Collison at 302.539.9510 or pastorbecky@marinersbethel.org









Mariners Bethel

This is the annual conference to discuss the business of the church, including 2023 slate of church officers and 2023 proposed budget.

healing prayer

Sunday, November 13, 2022 at 6:30 PM A Service of Scripture, Song, and Healing

Walking and Talking With Jesus Testimony of Claire Seiber

Psalm 23: 1-4. The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Communion will be served and healing prayer available before, during and after the service.





UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

All women are invited to attend our monthly meeting on Monday, November 14 at 1:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.

You're sure to enjoy hearing from our speaker, **Sandy Metzger**.

Light refreshments will be available!

We hope to see you there.

THE SECRET OF SNOW PLANE. Response to a streemble Stable.

2022 ARMOR Christmas Production

Sunday, December 18th at 4PM.

Our title this year is "The Secret of Snowflake County!" – the ARMOR Kids will present their Christmas Production where the story is told in Snowflake County-a place where Christmas celebrations have become so extravagant, they threaten to overshadow the simplicity of Christmas' true meaning. It will take a series of crazy mishaps during the community's annual seasonal program before the noise stops and everyone realizes that Christmas isn't about how brightly lights and decorations shine-it's about Jesus, the light of the world.

Make sure you mark your calendar because we want to share this with everyone!

Register your kids to participate on Church Center https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1431586

We will be assigning parts at the second practice. The first practice we will listen to the entire program and hand out CDs for everyone to listen to start learning!

We ask those with parts commit to be at most practices. In November & December, we will practice songs during Kids Church so all children are welcome to be in the choir if they cannot attend practices.

Remaining Practice Schedule:

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Saturday, October 29th - 1-3 PM NO PRACTICE (CANCELED)

Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup> -NO PRACTICE - TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> - 1-3 PM (Sanctuary)

Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> - 1-3 PM (Sanctuary)

Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> - 1-3 PM (Sanctuary)

Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup> - 1-3 PM (Sanctuary)

Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup> - 4-6 PM (Sanctuary)

Sunday, December 11<sup>th</sup> - 1-3 PM (ARMOR ROOM)
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DRESS REHEARSAL:

Saturday, December 17th 10 AM - 2 PM (Sanctuary) (Dress Rehearsal ALL KIDS - lunch will be provided)

Sunday, December 18th – SHOW NIGHT – please arrive at 2PM for hair, makeup, wardrobe, etc. We will have snacks for the kids before and after show will have food/refreshments. We ask all parents to sign-up to bring something for after the show.

Volunteers and Helpers Needed:

There are many ways to be involved for these three months – it takes a team to put on a great production. From being at practices to help "Crowd Control" to being in charge of snack during practice, to helping with props & costumes to choreographing songs and dances – we need YOU if any of these sound like something you can help with. Register to Volunteer on Church Center - https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1431633

You can email kidschurch@marinersbethel.org or call Michelle at 302-236-6759.

Register Your Kids Here to Participate in the Secret of Snowflake County

Register Here to Volunteer for the Kids Christmas Production



1 lb pulled pork, 4 buns, sides of coleslaw and mac & cheese, and 4 cookies for \$35

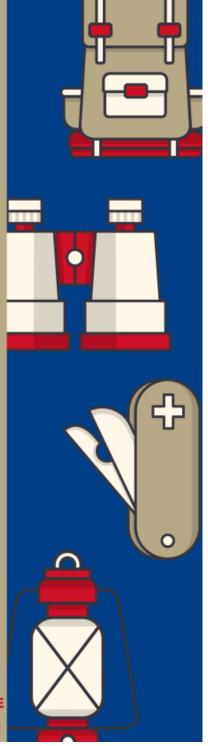
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AND PICK UP ON SUNDAY, 11/6/22
10AM - 2PM
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HOPE CENTER
81 CENTRAL AVENUE
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HTTPS://BSATROOP281.SQUARE.SITE

Questions? Email: FundraisingTroop281@gmail.com





Join Pastor Joe Ciccanti's Team from Mariners on Friday, November 4 from 8:30am - 3:00pm

Affordable housing is a key component of a strong, stable community
Sussex County Families need safe places to call home!

If you're willing to take part in this project sign up at the All Hands on Deck Table or

https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1484876

Contact Pastor Joe at 302-362-1129 or Pastor Joe@Mariners Bethel.org

Register for Pastor Joe's Team Here

Mariners Bethel Schedule Oct 30 - Nov 5, 2022

Sunday, October 30

8:00am - 8:45am
9:00am -10:00am
9:00am -10:00am
10:00am -10:50am
10:015am -11:15am
11:00am -12:00pm
4:00pm - 6:00pm

Open Doors Adult Sunday School (Hope Center #3)
Praise & Worship Service (Sanctuary/Online)
Kids Church (Sanctuary/ARMOR #221)
Joy Adult Sunday School (Martha #209/#211)
Young Adult Bible Study (Library #201)
Traditional Service (Sanctuary/Online)
Trunk-or-Treat (Parking Lot or Hope Center)

Monday, October 31

7:30am -12:00pm **FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)** 8:30am - 10:30am **Tuning up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)** 10:00am - 11:00am **Zumba with Women Central (Social Hall)** 10:00am - 12:00pm Page Turners Book Club (Martha #209/211) 10:00am - 12:00pm **Grief Share (Hope Center Meeting Room)** 10:00am - 12:00pm Alpha Small Group (Library #201) 10:30am - 1:30pm Building Maintenance (Hope Center Gym/#3-4) 12:00pm - 1:30pm AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)

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3:00pm - 5:00pm Taylor Better Together Small Group (Hope Center #5)

4:00pm - 5:30pm Milio Small Group (Hope Center #3/#4)

Tuesday, November 1

4:00am - 1:30pm **FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)** 8:30am - 10:00am **Worship Planning Meeting (Via Zoom)** 9:00am - 10:30am Men's Bible Study (Hope Center #5) 9:00am - 12:00pm FMS Food Box Packing (Social Hall) 9:45am - 11:45am Women's AA Meeting (ARMOR #221) 11:00am - 12:00pm **Weekly Prayer Meeting (Sanctuary)** 11:30am - 1:00pm Feed My Sheep Lunch Served (Hope Center Gym) 11:30am - 1:00pm **Prayer Room Open at the Hope Center** 1:00pm - 2:00pm Deaf Ministry ASL Class (Hope Center Meeting Room) 1:30pm - 3:00pm Better Together Small Group (Jonah #220) 2:30pm - 5:30pm Enrichment of Hope (Hope Center Gym, Garage & #5) 5:25pm - 6:45pm Taylor Handbell Choir (Social Hall) 6:30pm - 8:00pm Rooted Small Group (Conference Room #205) 6:30pm - 8:00pm **Listening Post Session #3 (Sanctuary)**

Mariners Bethel Schedule Oct 30- Nov 5, 2022

Wednesday, November 2

8:30am - 9:30am Garage Talk w/Pastor Becky (Hope Center Garage)

8:30am - 10:45am Tuning up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)

10:00am - 11:30am Women Central Fall Study - AM Session (Sanctuary, Jonah #220, Social Hall)

11:00am - 1:00pm Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)

2:30pm - 5:30pm Enrichment of Hope (Hope Center Gym, Garage & #5)

4:00pm - 6:00pm CBS Leaders Meeting (Martha #209/211)

5:00pm - 6:30pm **YOGA (ARMOR Room)**

CRASH Bible Study (Hope Center #3/4) 6:00pm - 7:30pm

7:00pm - 8:30pm Women Central Fall Study - PM Session (Sanctuary, Jonah #220, Library #201, Social Hall)

7:30pm - 9:30pm **Volleyball Ministry**

Thursday, November 3

4:00am - 3:00pm **FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)** 10:30am - 11:30am Food Pantry Pick Up (Vestibule)

2:30pm - 5:30pm Enrichment of Hope (Hope Center Gym, Garage & #5)

6:30pm - 7:30pm Weekly Prayer Meetings (Hope Center #5)

6:30pm - 7:30pm Garage Talk w/Pastor Becky (Hope Center Garage)

6:30pm - 8:00pm Choir Practice (ARMOR #221)

Community Bible Study (Social Hall; Nursery; Jonah #220; Library #201; Mtg Room #108)

6:30pm - 8:30pm 6:45pm - 8:30pm **Praise Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)** 6:45pm - 8:30 pm **Boy Scouts (Hope Center/Pavilion)**

Friday, November 4

8:30am - 10:45am **Tuning up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)**

11:00am - 12:30pm Comfort Group (Jonah #220) 11:00am - 1:00 pm Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)

7:00pm - 9:00pm Young Adult Small Group (Hope Center Garage)

Saturday, November 5

8:00am - 12:00pm **Building Maintenance (All Hope Center)**

7:00pm - 9:00pm **AA (ARMOR #221)**

7:00pm - 9:00pm Al Anon Meeting (Jonah #220)



Sunday, October 30 Birthdays: Lauren Nuttle, Eric Whitehead, and Ainsley Coller Anniversary: Chris & Lauri Weeks

> Monday, October 31 **Birthdays: James Jewell** Anniversary: Billy & Kimberly Ratzel

Tuesday, November 1

Birthdays: Sarah Lydic, Brandon Wright, Kathy Deganich, Brady Morrison, and Isaac Andrew McClung Anniversaries: Mike & Kim Sasada and Terry & Karen Sanders

Wednesday, November 2

Birthdays: Arainia Henderson, Garrett Jones, and Atticus Lloyd

Thursday, November 3

Birthdays: Leigh Remy, John Pitman, Isabella Spangenbert, and Carson Ziviello Anniversary: James & Janet Freeman

Friday, November 4

Birthdays: Harrison Hinchcliff, Tierney Huff, Shane Truitt, Owen Christ, and Cheryl Trainor

> <u>Saturday, November 5</u> Birthdays: Charles Foskey and Carolyn Bacon

Opportunities

"Setting the Record Straight"

Town Hall Meeting



Below is a link to the recording of Bishop LaTrelle Easterling's Town Hall Meeting from September 28th. There is also a link to FAQ's.

To view the recording and see the FAQ's, click on the "View in browser" link

below:

View in browser

Southeast Sussex Ministerium

The Ministerium is sponsoring a five month project to feed the homeless and underserved in Frankford-Selbyville areas.

Mariners' role will be to cook the dinners and bag them for distribution.

Other churches in the Ministerium will supply the snacks and fruit, as well as deliver the meals.

Weekly on Tuesdays November ~ March from 1:30-3:00 pm

We need help to do prep work, bagging and dishwashing



Contact Fran Milio at fmiliode@gmail.com





Feed My Sheep needs your help filling our pantry

We distribute 30 pantry boxes weekly.

Many neighbors lose their seasonal jobs and the ability to meet family needs.

Won't you please help us by donating?

Protein: peanut butter, nuts, tuna, meat ravioli, beef stew, meat soups, Velveeta cheese

Carbohydrates: cereals, pasta, rice, barley, noodles, grits, pancake mix

Vegetables: any canned vegetable or fresh long shelf life like onions, potatoes, fall squash

Fruits: any canned fruit or fresh long shelf life such as apples and oranges

Sweets: cake or brownie mixes, muffin mixes, cookies, canned icing, boxed puddings, pancake syrup

Food is collected in the FMS bin in the church lobby, the Social Hall on Tuesday mornings, or the Hope Center on Monday, Tuesday, or Thursdays from 9-11am

THANK YOU!





Charting Our Course

Please take a moment to view Pastor Becky's video, "Charting Our Course."

Click on the link below or paste into your browser.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6ckzcsvhm0w



Volunteers Needed

We are currently looking for adult volunteers who can commit on a weekly or monthly basis for our after school program.

Program runs September 2022 - May 2023 Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday from 2:30-5:30 pm



- · Setting up
- Homework Help
- · Activities/games
- · Lessons (life skills/character)
- Kitchen Help (food prep/serving & clean up)
- · Clean up/dismissal

Do you have a special skill (Cooking, sewing, playing an instrument, etc.) and are interested in signing up for a day (or two!) of instruction? Please contact me.







Mariners is searching for a **Facilities Maintenance** person. This is a 20-hour per week job that takes responsibility for the maintenance of the buildings and grounds at Mariners. This person is responsible for the repair and upkeep of facilities and responds to requests from staff and pastors relating to issues with the building structure, electric, and plumbing.

Please direct inquiries to Dennis Rader at dennis.rader@gmail.com or check the link below for more details on the job description.

Facilities Maintenance Job Description

"Angels on the Go"

We are pleased that Gail Lewis will be restarting the Angels on the Go ministry.

If you have some time to spare, won't you please consider helping? Even if you're only able to drive occasionally, that would help greatly.



Contact Gail Lewis if you can help or if you need a ride. Please give as much notice as possible for ride requests. 443.614.1493



Mariners Lock-Up Team

Our church lock-up team is looking for a few folks to check the church buildings in the evening to be sure all doors and windows are locked and secure. If you would be willing to volunteer to do this for a week a few times during the year, contact Elliott Workman at: ceworkman@verizon.net

Send an Email to Elliott

We need some help with Mariners littlest kids during Sunday services! Sign up sheets are posted outside of the nursery.

Team up with a friend to work together or sign up to help as a substitute when you can.

Contact: Jessica King jking121307@yahoo.com

You'll have so much fun!





Kids Church Volunteers are Needed on Sundays during the 9:00 Service

You can sign up for one week or for as many as you are able. Volunteers guide the kids upstairs to the ARMOR Room once they are dismissed from the service. They assist with the crafts and games upstairs. Sign-ups are created through the end of this year for now.

Click the link below to register.



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Yoga & Exercise Classes

Yoga Classes: Wednesdays from **5:00-6:00 pm** in the ARMOR Room in the Faith Center. There is a \$5 dropin fee.

Tuning Up The Temple fitness classes meet three times a week from 9:00-10:30 am in the Hope Center, on Monday-Wednesday and Friday. Pre-registration is required for Tuning Up the Temple fitness classes only.

Contact Carol Lynch for more details: cklynch03@gmail.com



Mission Outreach



Join us for coffee & fellowship

Stop in the Social Hall after services on Sundays to share conversation and coffee with others! It's an opportunity to meet new folks and greet old friends.



Clean My Sheep



Please consider donating any unused/unopened hotel toiletries or personal care items, which will be distributed to The Pyle Center and other groups that help the homeless and those in need, on a monthly basis. Collection area in Fellowship Hall.



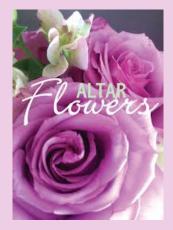
Miscellaneous

Hearing Difficulties?

We have devices available that can assist.

Please ask one of the Red Vests for a "Personal PA Receiver" to use during services in the Sanctuary.





Altar Flowers

Altar Flower Sign-Up Sheets are posted on the bulletin board in the mail room.

The cost is \$15 per arrangement and you may designate in honor or in memory of a loved one. You may keep the arrangement after Sunday's service, or we will deliver them to someone who is homebound.

Finance Information

2022 Financial Status:

Annual Budget: \$1,329,448
YTD Contributions: \$858,659
YTD Expenses: \$984,046

There are several ways you can give to Mariners

Banking Online – Have a check mailed to Mariners through your bank.

Online with Church Center - Online giving provides you with a quick and effortless way to donate to Mariners on a one-time or recurring basis. Set up is simple: download the Church Center App on your phone or access the Church Center on your personal computer. There is a small fee for processing your donations through this method, but you will be given the opportunity to donate funds to cover the fee. Below is the QR code or link to set up your giving account.



Register for Church Center Giving Here

By Text - Send a text to 84321. Placing a dollar amount in the text area with no words will apply the donation to the current expenses of the Church, the dollar amount followed by the word "gap" will go to the Stand in the Gap – Hope Center Fund to pay down the debt of the building.

Cash or Check - Checks made out to Mariners Bethel United Methodist Church can be mailed directly to 81 Central Ave., Ocean View, DE 19970. Cash or checks may be dropped off at the church and placed into the locked collection box located outside of the front office or placed into the church collections during services.

Throughout the year you can monitor and track your donations by visiting the Church Center located at https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/giving.

Have a question on your donations on Church Center? Marty Quillen, our Financial Secretary, will be glad to help you and can be reached by calling the church or at the following email address financialsec@marinersbethel.org.

Thank you for your generosity. It enables us to keep the church operating, supports the Ministries of the church, and allows us to continue to grow and spread the word of God.

Adult Sunday School





The Joy Adult Sunday School is back!

Join us in #209/11 on Sunday mornings from 10:00 - 10:45!

Contact Elliott Workman ceworkman@verizon.net or call the office for more details.

Young Adult Bible Study

Share, encourage and grow in faith in a small group setting

This Bible study is geared to 20-somethings up to pre-retirement adults
Contact Bret Shue 717.676.8713
bretshue@carolina.rr.com

Join us on Sundays

from 10:15-11:15 AM in the Library Bible Study formerly called Basic 2:42

Need Prayer?

How Can We Pray for You?



Prayer Cards are located on the back of the pew.

The FRONT is Confidential. The back is NOT Confidential.

OR Call (302) 381-0850

Mariners Bethel **Sunday Services United Methodist Church** 81 Central Avenue 9:00 am in the Sanctuary Ocean View, DE 19970 11:00 am in the Sanctuary 302.539.9510 Office Hours: 9AM-3PM Livestream begins at 8:50 and 10:50 Facebook and YouTube Rev. Dr. Rebecca Collison 8:50 & 10:50am Phone-In 302-500-5391 **Senior Pastor** STAY CONNECTED Visit our website

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