



Mariners Bethel
United Methodist Church Ocean View, Delaware

*Navigating the seas of life together
with Christ at the helm*



Sunday, March 12, 2023
"Giving Up Superiority"
Pastor Becky Collison
Scripture: John 4:5-24

Family Service - 9:00 AM

*Praise and Worship, Inspiration for All Generations,
Optional ARMOR Kids Activity for Ages 4-11*

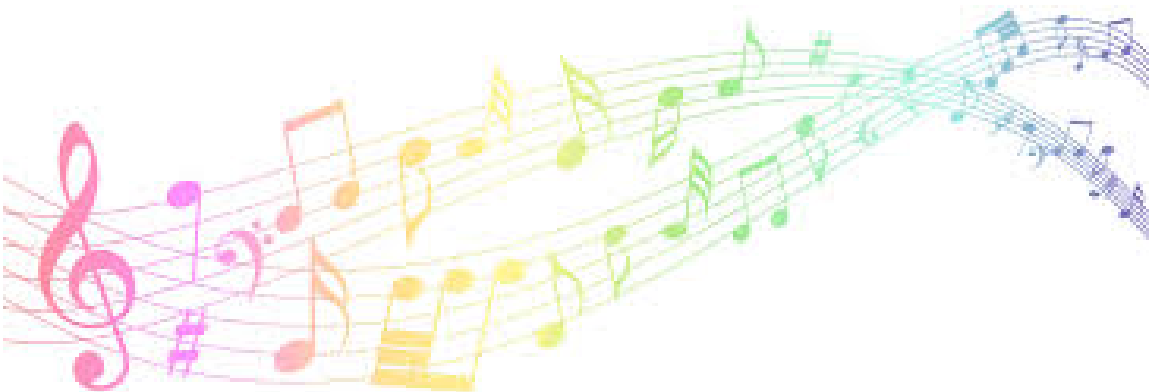
Traditional Service - 11:00 AM

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.



SUNDAY PRAISE & WORSHIP MUSIC

March 12, 2023

We are 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 music,
we are offering clickable links to the songs below:

9:00 AM Service

The Kingdom, Starfield

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=46F-z6vApX8>

Firm Foundation, John Chisum (Hosanna! Music)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Ixcw0lsYOY>

Here I Am to Worship, Chris Tomlin

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FaUTv1pXRyU>

You Forgive Me (Kids Song - Fun Maker Factory - VBS)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LO-2fm7IKcU>

Behold the Lamb

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JY-Lmt0K1LM>

Kyrie Eleison, Chris Tonlin

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HCeGBLmj9NU>

11:00 AM Service

To God Be the Glory, #98

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xd7sXFzIF-w>

Shall We Gather at the River, Robert Lowry, #723

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=plNyDfMRzF>

It Is Well With My Soul, #377

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6X25DaBMxxs>

March 2023 Sermon Schedule

MARCH 5

"Giving Up Expectations"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Gen. 12:1-4

MARCH 12

"Giving Up Superiority"

Communion Served

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: John 4:5-24

MARCH 19

"Giving Up Enemies"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Luke 19:37-44

MARCH 26

"Giving Up Our Lives"

Gary Ringold

Scripture: Mark 8:34-38



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Please join us!

PRAYER VIGIL

A 24-Hour Prayer Vigil for Mariners Bethel Church

Come pray for the future of our church!

Friday, March 10 beginning at 10 AM until Saturday March 11 at 10 AM

The Sanctuary will be open on Friday from 10:00 AM until 8:00 PM

There will be music, scripture, and corporate prayer
at various times during the Vigil.

Please sign up to pray at the All Hands on Deck Table in the lobby.



MEMBERS OF MARINERS

Saturday - March 11 at 10:00 AM

Doors will open at 9 AM

Tomorrow is an important date in Mariners' history as we will chart the course for our future. We are praying that all professing members come out to vote. Your participation is important. We hope to see you all at Mariners tomorrow morning.

OUR Future.
Voice.
Vote.

Remember to turn your clocks ahead
at 2 a.m. on Sunday, March 12,
or Saturday night before bed!



Path to the Vote

Ongoing - Discernment, Faith Formation & Prayer

Saturday, March 11, 2023 - Special Charge Conference at 10 AM to vote on whether or not to disaffiliate from the UMC; **members must be present to vote**. Following the vote, if the disaffiliation motion is passed, the DS will conclude and a separate vote will be held among the members present to determine if Mariners will be going with the Global Methodist Church upon completion of all requirements.

This event will not be live-streamed or recorded. In-person only.

Childcare will be available in the nursery!

June 8-10, 2023 - Peninsula Delaware Annual Conference at location TBD/online viewing of proceeding will be offered. At the Conference, delegates will vote on the disaffiliation resolutions from churches in the conference. If passed by a simple majority vote, then churches will be considered no longer part of the UMC once all paperwork and payments have been made (by December 31, 2023 deadline).



healing prayer

SUNDAY March 12, 2023 at 6:30 PM

A Service of Scripture, Song, and Healing

**Healing our Lives, Healing our Church:
Part 2. Moving Forward in God's Love**



A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. John 13:34

The Lord's Supper will be served and healing prayer available before, during and after the service.



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WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT MARINERS BETHEL?

Join us for our

NEW MEMBER LAUNCH

A recommended prerequisite to our

May 20th VOYAGE
(Membership Class)

March 12 & April 2, 2023

Between Services - Upstairs in Room 205



Join us in
"Exploring Small Groups"

*All Women
are
Invited!*

Monday, March 13 at 1:00 PM
in Fellowship Hall

Guest Speaker: Dorothy Rader

Contact Mariam Corbett
MariamCorbett@gmail.com
302.546.9988

United
Women
in Faith

FEED MY SHEEP CAFE

Open from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

*There will be no lunch served on
Tuesday, March 14*

*You are welcome to come to the
Lenten Luncheon on
Wednesday, March 15
from 12-1:00 PM*





Order your Easter flowers now!

Orders due by Friday, March 24

*If you wish to purchase a flower
'in honor' or 'in memory' of a loved one, please
complete an order form for each person.*

\$9 each

Cash or check payable to
"MBUMC"

memo: Easter Flowers

*Choice of:
(Colors may vary)*



Lily



Tulip



Hyacinth



Daffodil

You may pick up an order form on the front office
window ledge and place your order
and payment in the donation box.



Mariners Bethel
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Lent & Easter Events 2023



Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 21, 2023 - 5-7:00 pm - Hope Center

Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - 6:30 pm - Sanctuary

Wednesday Lenten Prayer, Soup & Salad at 12:00 Noon

March 1 - Ocean View Presbyterian Church

March 8 - St. Martha's Church @ Bethany Beach
Christian Center

March 15 - Mariners Bethel United Methodist Church

March 22 - St. George's United Methodist Church

March 29 - St. Ann's Catholic Church



Sat. March 25	Community Easter Event for Kids - 2-4:00 pm
Sun. April 2	Palm Sunday Services at 9:00 and 11:00 am
Thurs. April 6	Maundy Thursday Service - 6:30 pm
Fri. April 7	Good Friday Cross Walk to Bethany 10:00 am
Fri. April 7	Stations of the Cross - 12-2:00 & 4-6:00 pm
Sun. April 9	Easter Sunrise Service - 6:30-7:00 am
Sun. April 9	Easter Sunday Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am
Sun. April 16	Healing Prayer Service at 6:30 pm
Sun. April 30	Easter Cantata in the Sanctuary at 4:00 pm



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FAMILY EASTER EVENT

Balloon
twister

SATURDAY MARCH 25TH

2:00 - 4:00 PM

MARINERS BETHEL CAMPUS

CRAFTS!



Glitter
Tattoos

DJ RANDY

STATIONS
OF THE
CROSS

AND MORE..



Help make this event even better by picking up
a bag of empty plastic eggs from the lobby
to fill and return by Sunday, March 19.

Individually wrapped candies only, please.

South East Sussex Ministerium

Proceeds to benefit the SESM Emergency Fund

Multi-Church Yard Sale and Bazaar

Saturday, April 22, 2023



9:00am - 12:00pm

Held on the grounds of Mariners Bethel

United Methodist Church

81 Central Avenue, Ocean View, DE 19970

For More Information:

302.539.9510

administrator@marinersbethel.org

RAIN or shine

If you would like to become a **MEMBER**
of Mariners Bethel UMC...

Register for our next

VOYAGE

through our Weekly Update or Church Center App

See our website for details

Saturday, May 20th
9am-3pm

CRASH Youth March Schedule

Wednesday (3/1) - ASL Camp/Bible Study 6-7:30 PM

Sunday (3/5) - CRASH Sunday 4-6 PM

Wednesday (3/8) - ASL Camp/Bible Study 6-7:30 PM

Sunday (3/12) - CRASH Sunday 4-6 PM

Wednesday (3/15) - Bible Study 6-7:30 PM

Sunday (3/19) - CRASH Sunday 4-6 PM

Wednesday (3/22) - Bible Study 6-7:30 PM

Sunday (3/26) - CRASH Sunday 4-6 PM

Wednesday (3/29) - Bible Study 6-7:30 PM

We hope to see you there!

Sunday, March 12

8:00am - 8:45am	Open Doors Adult Sunday School (Hope Center #3)
9:00am - 10:00am	Praise & Worship Service (Sanctuary/Online)
9:00am - 10:00am	Kids Church (Sanctuary/ARMOR #221)
10:00am - 10:50am	Joy Adult Sunday School (Martha #209/211)
10:00am - 11:00am	New Member Launch (Conference Room #205)
10:15am - 11:15am	Young Adult Bible Study (Library #201)
11:00am - 12:00pm	Traditional Service (Sanctuary/Online)
4:00pm - 6:00pm	CRASH Youth (Hope Center Gym)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Healing Prayer Service (Sanctuary)

Monday, March 13

7:00am - 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 - 2:00pm	Finance Committee (Conference Room #205)
10:30am - 1:30pm	Building Maintenance (Hope Center)
12:00pm - 1:30pm	AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)
1:00pm - 3:00pm	United Women in Faith (Social Hall)
4:00pm - 5:30pm	Milio Small Group (Hope Center Meeting Room)
7:00pm - 8:30 pm	Rooted Bible Study (Conference Room #205)
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Trustees Monthly Meeting (Hope Center Meeting Room)

Tuesday, March 14

8:00am - 10:30am	FMS Food Pantry Distribution (Social Hall /Kitchen)
8:30am - 10:00am	Worship Planning Meeting (Zoom)
8:30am - 2:00pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)
9:00am - 10:30am	Men's Bible Study (Hope Center #5)
9:45am - 11:45am	Women's AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)
10:00am - 11:30am	Revelations Small Group Bible Study (Jonah #220)
10:00am - 11:30am	Lay Leaders Meeting (Room #108)
10:00am - 12:00pm	Dorcas Circle (Martha #209/211)
11:30am - 1:00pm	Deaf Ministry ASL Class (Hope Center #3/4)
1:00pm - 3:30pm	FMS - Frankford Ministry (Hope Center Kitchen/Garage)
5:25pm - 6:45pm	Taylor Handbell Practice (Sanctuary)
6:00pm - 9:00pm	Volleyball Team Game & Pizza (Hope Center Gym & Garage)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Rooted Small Group (Conference Room #205)
6:30pm - 8:30pm	SPRC (Martha #209/11)

Mariners Bethel Schedule:

March 12-18, 2023

Wednesday, March 15

7:00am - 2:30pm	Lenten Lunch Prep & Clean Up (Hope Center)
8:30am - 10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
10:00am - 11:30am	Women Central Spring Study (Sanctuary, Social Hall, Jonah #220)
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Lenten Lunch Served in the Hope Center
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Prayer Room Open at Hope Center
4:00pm - 7:00pm	CBS Leaders Meeting (Martha #209/211)
5:00pm - 6:30pm	YOGA (ARMOR #211)
6:00pm - 7:30pm	CRASH Bible Study (Hope Center #3/4)
7:00pm - 8:30pm	Women Central Spring Study (Sanctuary, various rooms)
7:30pm - 9:30pm	Volleyball Ministry (Hope Center Gym)

Thursday, March 16

5:00am - 12:30pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen/Garage)
10:30am - 11:30am	FMS Food Pantry Pick Up (Vestibule)
6:00pm - 7:30pm	Girl Scouts (Martha #209/211)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Choir Practice (ARMOR #221)
6:30pm - 8:30pm	Community Bible Study (Various Rooms)
6:45pm - 8:30pm	Boy Scouts (Hope Center/Pavilion)
6:45pm - 8:30pm	Praise Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Friday, March 17

8:30am - 10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
9:45am - 12:00 pm	Co-Eds for Christ (Martha #209/211)
11:00am - 12:30pm	Comfort Group (Conference Room #205)
11:00am - 1:00 pm	Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)

Saturday, March 18

8:00am - 12:00pm	Building Maintenance (Hope Center)
7:00pm - 9:00pm	AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)
7:00pm - 9:00pm	AL-ANON Meeting (Jonah #220)



Sunday, March 12

Happy Birthday: Debra Kishel, Jessica Ewers,
and Madalyn Ziviello

Monday, March 13

Happy Birthday: Michael Lord, Russel Rudakiwicz
and Hoyt Kapp

Tuesday, March 14

Happy Birthday: Elodie Nein, Megan Smith,
Sophia Staehle, Charlie Zurkeide,
Mia Pennypacker, Hannah Howell,
Thomas Daly and Robert Keenan

Happy Anniversary: Anthony & Faith Foxwell

Wednesday, March 15

Happy Birthday: Kevin Sasada, Roberta Shoff,
Maddy Fox and Maren Nein

Happy Anniversary: Robert & Janice Shaeffer

Thursday, March 16

Happy Birthday: Jamie Mershon, Patricia Giffen,
Benjamin Walters,
Patricia Schlauch, and Emilee Sudduth

Friday, March 17

Happy Birthday: Kevin Lelsey and Rebecca Brewer

Happy Anniversary: Jim & Ada Carr

Saturday, March 18

Happy Birthday: William Mills, Logan Phillips,
James Hovan, Pamela Weinhardt,
and Maddie Verlenden

Happy Anniversary: Scott & Jennifer Carey

*If we missed your birthday or anniversary, please
send an email to administrator@marinersbethel.org*

Opportunities

Altar Guild

Mariners is looking for a leader
to take over the altar guild ministry.

This ministry is made up of a group of volunteers who fill the
altar candles and periodically polish the brass candlesticks.

There are occasional changes in the table linens
reflecting liturgical colors.

This is a way that you can serve our Lord by assisting the
clergy in preparing for the worship of Almighty God.

Contact: Cynthia Tetzloff in the church office
OfficeAsst@MarinersBethel.org

Volunteers Needed

We need a few people to join the counting team!

CONTACT BRENDA AT
TREASURER@MARINERSBETHEL.ORG

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Tuesday Morning Bible Study group will be starting a new series beginning February 21, 2023 from 9:00-10:30 AM in the Hope Center. All men are welcome to attend.

The Beatitudes by Matt Chandler

"Angels on the Go"

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



We could use a few more team members for evening lock-up...

Our church lock-up team is looking for a few



more folks to secure the church buildings in the evening after events have ended (usually by 9PM).

If you're willing to help with this task for a week several times a year, contact Elliott Workman at: cworkman@verizon.net

Email to Volunteer

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

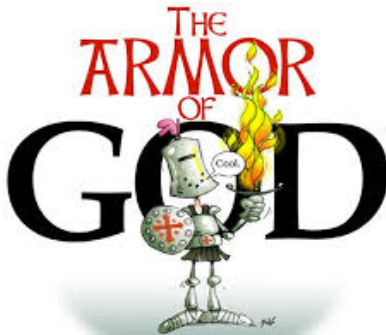
Team up with a friend to work together
or sign up to help as a substitute when you can.

Contact: Jessica King
jking121307@yahoo.com

You'll have so much fun! ★



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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.

Contact Michelle Christopher at kidschurch@marinersbethel.org

Mariners Bethel UMC

Fit for Christ

Tuning Up the Temple
(Pre-registration required)

Monday-Wednesday-Friday
from 9-10:30 AM in the Hope Center Gym

Yoga

(\$5 drop in fee) in the ARMOR Room
Wednesday from 5-6 PM

Contact Carol Lynch to pre-register
and for more details:
cklynch03@gmail.com



Mission Outreach

HAPPY SPRING FROM PANTRY PARTNERS!

Here's a list of items needed:

Peanut Butter & Jelly
Pasta & Spaghetti Sauce
Canned Fruits & Vegetables
(no corn or green beans)

Macaroni & Cheese
Hamburger Helper
Tuna & Canned Meats

Contact:
Suzanne Evans, 302-539-7515
devans911@yahoo.com

*Financial contributions are always appreciated.
Please note "Pantry Partners" in the memo section*

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.



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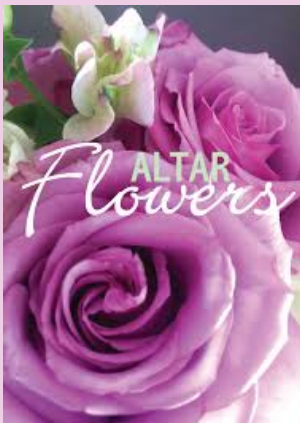


Miscellaneous

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 \$20 per arrangement (or \$40 for both arrangements) 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

2023 Financial Status as of January 31 :

Annual Budget: \$1,250,006
YTD Contributions: \$81,273
YTD Expenses: \$93,936

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

Open Doors Sunday School Class

Meets at 8am Sunday Morning
in the Hope Center
@Mariners Bethel UMC

Contact Jack O'Day or the Church Office
for more information





Joy Adult Sunday School

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?



GLORY
TO GOD

Prayer Cards are located on the back of the pew.

The **FRONT** is **Confidential**. The back is **NOT Confidential**.

OR Call (302) 381-0850

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Office Hours: 9AM-3PM

Rev. Dr. Rebecca Collison
Senior Pastor

Sunday Services

9:00 am in the Sanctuary

11:00 am in the Sanctuary

Livestream begins at 8:50 and 10:50

Facebook and YouTube

8:50 & 10:50am Phone-In 302-500-5391

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