

Navigating the seas of life together with Christ at the helm



Sunday, March 19, 2023 "Giving Up Enemies" Pastor Becky Collison Scripture: Luke 19:37-44

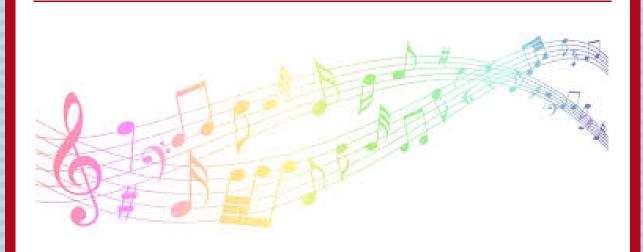
Family Service - 9:00 AM Praise and Worship, Inspiration for All Generations, Optional ARMOR Kids Activity for Ages 4-11

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 19, 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

There is Power in the Blood, Selah https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UrBcdFANJTc

This is Amazing Grace, Phil Wickham https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zPQKj2Zptr0

10,000 Reasons, Matt Redman https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=xKxR1gM64Ec

I have Decided to Follow Jesus (Kids Song), Group Publishing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sEL0WpeH088

To Live is Christ, Sidewalk Prophets https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pXL0dTzK5mc

11:00 AM Service

Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven, #66 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wtTbO_ID4e8

Blessed Assurance, #369 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g67LO5E6dJw

March 2023 Sermon Schedule

MARCH 5

MARCH 12

"Giving Up Expectations"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Gen. 12:1-4

"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





DID YOU KNOW?

Mariner's has 2 pantries?

Pantry Partners helps fill the shelves of needier churches in our area.

The Feed My Sheep pantry helps needy families with boxes of food, produce, and bakery items. - We fill 35-40 boxes per week.

- We give out 28 boxes every week in Frankford.

Our pantries rely on your donations to feed our community.





FEED MY SHEEP CAFE

Open from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm



Lunch menu for Tuesday, March 21 Meatloaf with gravy and mashed potatoes <u>Choice of Soups:</u> Beef and broccoli soup or Vegetable soup





Mariners Bethel

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 at VFW - 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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Sign up here to help with the Easter event!



Join us for our

NEW MEMBER LAUNCH

A recommended prerequisite to our **May 20th VOYAGE** (Membership Class)

April 2, 2023

Between Services - Upstairs in Room 205

Join us for a new Bible study!

RAISING CANE

Held the first Tuesday of the month Next Meeting: April 4, 2023 10:30am - 11:30am in Hope Center #3/4



Bring a Bible, a favorite verse, and a cane! A cane supports us, BUT we support God's word.

Understand, retain and apply God's word 1-hour a month for God Led by Claire Sieber

Register on Church Center or show up for a meeting!

South East Sussex Ministerium

Proceeds to benefit the SESM Emergency Fund

Multi-Ghurch 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

Mariners will have several tables at this Yard Sale and Bazaar offering baked goods to benefit the Ministerium's Emergency Fund.

RAINorshine

If you would like to bake something for the sale, please bring to the church office on Friday, April 21. Our CRASH kids will have hot dogs and popcorn for sale.

Please save your yard sale items for the CRASH Yard Sale at Mariners on Saturday, May 13th.

Questions? Call Cindy in the church office.



Ongoing - Discernment, Faith Formation & Prayer

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).



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!

Mariners Bethel Schedule: March 19-25, 2023

Sunday, March 19

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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)
10:15am - 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

Monday, March 20

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)
10:30am - 1:30pm	Building Maintenance (Hope Center)
12:00pm - 1:30pm	AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)
4:00pm - 5:30pm	Milio Small Group (Hope Center Meeting Room)
5:30pm - 7:00pm	Cub Scouts (ARMOR #221)
7:00pm - 8:30 pm	Rooted Bible Study (Conference Room #205)

Tuesday, March 21

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)
11:30am - 1:00pm	Deaf Ministry ASL Class (Hope Center #3/4)
11:30am - 1:00pm	Feed My Sheep Lunch Served (Hope Center Gym)
11:30am - 1:00pm	Prayer Room Open (Hope Center)
1:00pm - 3:30pm	FMS - Frankford Ministry (Hope Center Kitchen/Garage)
5:25pm - 6:45pm	Taylor Handbell Practice (Sanctuary)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Rooted Small Group (Conference Room #205)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Shepherding Council (Hope Center Meeting Room)

Mariners Bethel Schedule:

March 19-25, 2023

Wednesday, March 22

8:30am -	10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
10:00am -	11:30am	Women Central Spring Study (Sanctuary, Social Hall, Jonah #220)
11:00am -	1:00pm	Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)
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 23

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 24

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

Saturday, March 25

8:00am -	12:00pm
10:00am -	12:00pm
2:00pm -	4:00pm
5:00pm -	7:00pm
7:00pm -	9:00pm
7:00pm -	9:00pm

Building Maintenance (Hope Center) Set-up for Special Meeting (Social Hall) Family Easter Event (Hope Center) AA Special Meeting (Social Hall/Kitchen) AA Meeting (ARMOR #221) AL-ANON Meeting (Jonah #220)



Sunday, March 19 Happy Birthday: Gail Knight, Nancy Lueckel, Joann Hearne, and Josie Hall Happy Anniversary: Luke & Caroline Hevner, and **Russ & Deb Richards**

Monday, March 20

Happy Birthday: Amy Biddinger, Claire Edmunds, Gavin Workman, Christopher Whitehead, Emily Lyons, and Ashleigh White

Tuesday, March 21

Happy Birthday: Bradlee Hitch, Lauren Wright, Selena Porcelli, and West Choi

Wednesday, March 22

Happy Birthday: Courtney Shaw, Kristie VanZee, Lucas Jaeger, Jessica White, and Dean Wolfe

Thursday, March 23

Happy Birthday: Timothy Berzins, Donna Dennis, Alison Wolfe, Charles Deganich, and Allen Baker

Friday, March 24

Happy Birthday: Derek Good, Hayden Jenkins, Thomas Weeks, Bill McCowan, Daniel Orendorf, and Quinn Koeser

Saturday, March 25

Happy Birthday: Meghan Feagans, Christopher Fecko, and Brayden Joy

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: ceworkman@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! 🔶



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

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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!

Contact: Suzanne Evans, 302-539-7515

devans911@yahoo.com

Here's a list of items needed:



Pasta & Spaghetti Sauce **Canned Fruits & Vegetables** (no corn or green beans)

Macaroni & Cheese Hamburger Helper **Tuna & Canned Meats**

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.



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:\$1,250,006YTD Contributions:\$81,273YTD 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 <u>https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/giving</u>.

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 <u>financialsec@marinersbethel.org</u>.

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





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.

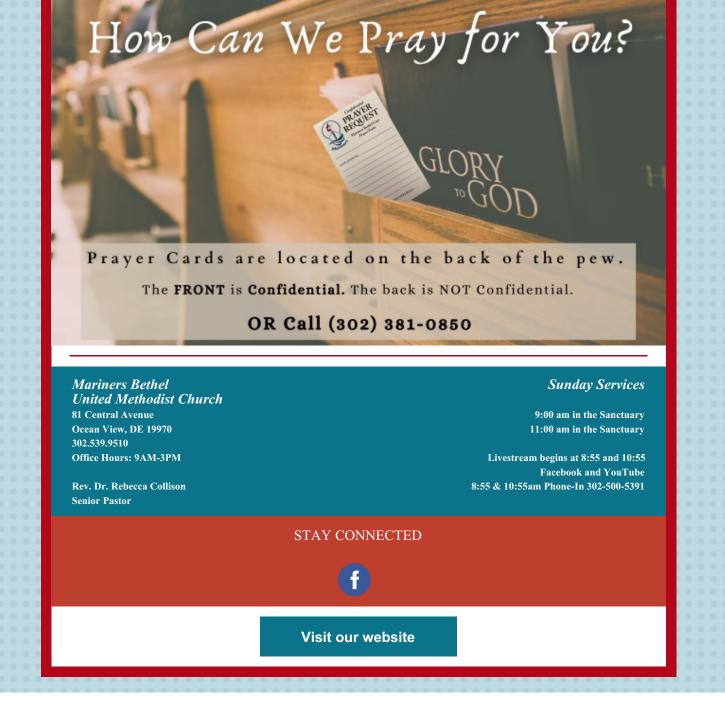
Young Adult Bible Study Share, encourage and grow in faith in a small group setting

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?



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