



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



Sunday, April 2, 2023 - Palm Sunday
"Giving Up Popularity"
Pastor Becky Collison
Scripture: Matthew 21:1-11

*Many thanks to Bill Lord and Lord's Landscaping
for the beautiful palms donated for this Sunday's service!*

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

April 2, 2023 - Palm Sunday

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

Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord (Godspell)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kuUI522_8jQ

Hosanna, Praise is Rising (Paul Baloche)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oAaQ5EEXidc>

Hosanna (Hillsong)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wX4PYXLo_2I

Hosanna Rock (Kids Song) (Yanci)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5582z642wFY>

Above All (MWS)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rVQqdMt0NNQ>

All Glory Laud & Honor (Bell Choir)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hErFnI85748>

11:00 AM Service

Hosanna Loud Hosanna, #278
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WrzZZkbLH6k>

(Anthem) Watch the Lamb, Ray Boltz
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hJjbgzg8xi8>

Go to Dark Gethsemane, #290
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8jY_qrAjFyM

April 2023 Sermon Schedule

APRIL 2 - PALM SUNDAY

"Giving Up Popularity"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Matt 21:1-11

APRIL 9 - EASTER SUNDAY

"Giving Up Death"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: John 20:1-18

APRIL 16

"Blessed Assurance: God Lives"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: 1 John 3:1-4

APRIL 23

"Blessed Assurance: God Loves"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: 1 John 3:16-24

APRIL 30

"Blessed Assurance: God Leads"

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: 1 John 4:7-19



Mariners Bethel
United Methodist Church Ocean View, Delaware

Easter Events 2023



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 - 10-12:00 & 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 30	Post-Easter Cantata in the Sanctuary at 4:00 pm



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CRASH Youth April Calendar

Sunday, April 2nd: Youth Group 4-6 PM
Wednesday, April 5th: Bible Study 6-7:30 PM
Thursday, April 6th: Maundy Thursday Service 6:30 PM
Friday, April 7th: Cross Walk to Bethany 10 AM
Sunday, April 9th: NO CRASH (Easter)
Wednesday, April 12th: No Bible Study
Sunday, April 16th: Youth Group 4-6 PM
Wednesday, April 19th: Bible Study 6-7:30 PM
Sunday, April 23rd: Youth Group 4-6 PM
Wednesday, April 26th: Bible Study 6-7:30 PM
Sunday, April 30th: Youth Group 4-6 PM

**Mariners littlest ones are looking for a few folks
to help in the Nursery on Sundays**

**We are now able to live stream the service
in the nursery
while you get to have some cute kid time!**

**Contact: Jessica King in the Nursery on Sundays
or email her at jking121307@yahoo.com
or call the Church Office**



WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT MARINERS BETHEL?

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

All Women are Invited!

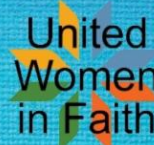
Join us for a

"Demonstration of the Church Center App"

Monday, April 3 at 1:00 PM
in Fellowship Hall

Guest Speaker: Liz Heintzelman

Contact Donna Gray: DLG55@verizon.net; 410.903.8557



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!

FEED MY SHEEP CAFE

Open from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm



Lunch menu for Tuesday, April 4

Sausage Cheeseburgers

Choice of Soups: Vegetable or Ham & Bean



Thursday, April 6 at 6:30 PM

Maundy Thursday service will begin in Fellowship Hall for hand washing and communion, and will then move into the Sanctuary for a very special service.

Please note that this will not be live-streamed.

Friday, April 7 Good Friday

Join us at the church on Friday morning for the Cross Walk to Bethany Beach. We will depart from the church at 10:00 AM.

We also will have self-guided Good Friday Prayer Stations set up in the Social Hall from 10:00 AM-Noon, and again from 4-6:00 PM.



healing prayer

Sunday, April 16, 2023 at 6:30 PM
A Service of Scripture, Song, and Healing

From Darkness to Light **Testimony of Pete Moore**

John 1:5

*The Light shines in the darkness and the
darkness has not overcome It.*

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



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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

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

**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.

A close-up photograph of a brown academic mortarboard with a gold tassel hanging from the center. The background is a soft, out-of-focus light color.

Do you have a graduate that you would like to be included in our Graduate Sunday on June 4th?

Please send their name, school, and program to
administrator@marinersbethel.org
by Friday, May 12th

A photograph of a coastal landscape featuring tall, golden-brown dune grass in the foreground, a sandy beach, and the ocean under a cloudy sky.

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

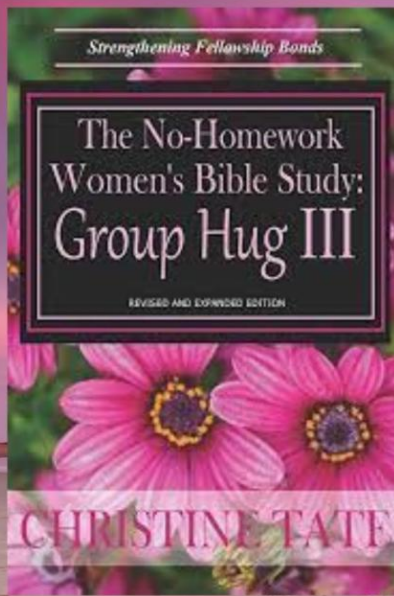
Register for our next

VOYAGE

through our Weekly Update or Church Center App

See our website for details

Saturday, May 20th
9am-3pm



WOMEN CENTRAL

Wednesday Mornings

No-Homework ~ 8-Week Beach Study
Meet at 2nd Street in Bethany Beach

June 7 - July 26, 2023 - 8:30 - 9:45 AM

Contact Joanne Trois at jtrois53@gmail.com

Books will be available for \$5.00 each



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).



Sunday, April 2 - Palm Sunday

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 - 10:45am	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)

Monday, April 3

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)
1:00pm - 3:00pm	United Women in Faith (Social Hall)
4:00pm - 5:00pm	NUHNA Development Committee (Hope Center #5)
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, April 4

8:00am - 10:30am	FMS Food Pantry Distribution (Social Hall /Kitchen)
8:30am - 2:00pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)
8:30am - 10:30am	Worship Planning Meeting (Via Zoom)
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)
10:30am - 11:30pm	Raising Cane Bible Study (Hope Center Meeting Room)
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	Staff Meeting (Social Hall)

Mariners Bethel Schedule:

April 2-8, 2023

Wednesday, April 5

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)

Thursday, April 6 - Maundy Thursday

5:00am - 12:30pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen/Garage)
10:30am - 11:30am	FMS Food Pantry Distribution (Vestibule)
6:00pm - 7:30pm	Girl Scouts (Martha #209/211)
6:30pm - 8:00pm	Choir Practice (ARMOR #221)
6:30pm - 7:30pm	Maundy Thursday Service (Social Hall/Sanctuary)
7:30pm - 8:30pm	Set up Social Hall for Good Friday Stations of the Cross
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, April 7 - Good Friday

8:30am - 10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
9:45am - 12:00 pm	Co-Eds for Christ (Martha #209/211)
10:00am - 12:00pm	Cross Walk to Bethany Beach
10:00am - 12:00pm	Stations of the Cross (Social Hall)
11:00am - 12:30pm	Comfort Group (Conference Room #205)
11:00am - 1:00 pm	Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)
4:00pm - 6:00pm	Stations of the Cross (Social Hall)

Saturday, April 8

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, April 2

Happy Birthday: Robert Kues

Monday, April 3

Happy Birthday: Avery Walter and Michael Recker, Jr.

Tuesday, April 4

Happy Birthday: Kerri Travalini, Liam Wolfe,
and Alexandria Pearson
Happy Anniversary: Scott & Michele Chandler
Dennis & Ruth Anne Jacobs

Wednesday, April 5

Happy Birthday: Bradley Clark, Louis Gomlick,
Samantha Feld, Lindie Joachimowski,
Alexis Pase, Mary Stokes, Chole Irish, and Riley Harris

Thursday, April 6

Happy Birthday: Ryan Walters, Teri Wilkinson,
Lucas Brazill, Blue Kelly, and Alaina Gambino

Friday, April 7

Happy Birthday: Jessica Gude, Calvin Nuttle,
Debi Galdun, Linda St. Clair, and Jaidyn Craiger
Happy Anniversary: Lewis & Kim Kester

Saturday, April 8

Happy Birthday: Lauren Gardoski, Callan McCowan,
Sara Romans, Keith Brothers, Susan Ash, and
Athena Gerhart
Happy Anniversary: Matthew & Jessica Tingle

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

Opportunities

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.**



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](#)



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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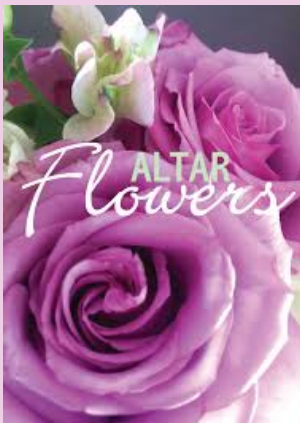


Miscellaneous

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 February 28 :

Annual Budget: \$1,250,006
YTD Contributions: \$167,126
YTD Expenses: \$178,629

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?



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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Rev. Dr. Rebecca Collison
Senior Pastor

Sunday Services

9:00 am in the Sanctuary
11:00 am in the Sanctuary

Livestream begins at 8:55 and 10:55
Facebook and YouTube
8:55 & 10:55am Phone-In 302-500-5391

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