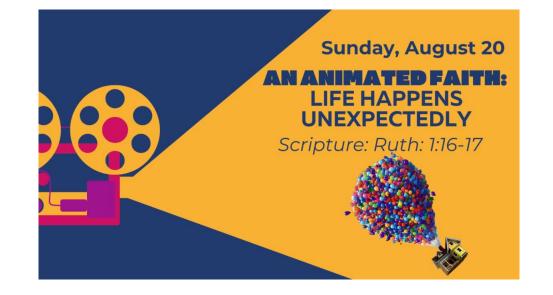


Navigating the seas of life together with Christ at the helm



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 5 minutes before the start of the service by logging on to our website.

Phone-In to Hear the Services Call 302.500.5391 at 8:55 am and 10:55 am

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



SUNDAY PRAISE & WORSHIP MUSIC August 20, 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

"Forever," by Michael W. Smith https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3IPdtggouCc

"I Will Follow," by Chris Tomlin https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1ohvhmGSfxl

"Holy Forever," by Chris Tomlin https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lkHgxKemCRk

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" (Kids) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sEL0WpeH088

"All Things Are Possible," Darlene Zschech & Hillsong https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EqYBXFYYsxc

<u>11:00 AM Service</u>

#344 - "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jFowd2qosdMI

Anthem: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" By J.S. Bach https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=caqr5qu37Ko

"Nothing Is Impossible," by Eugene L. Clark https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=riLy6pSeobo

August 2023 Sermon Schedule

AUGUST 6

An Animated Faith: It's Okay to Feel That Way

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Exodus 32:1-14 AUGUST 13

AUGUST 27

An Animated Faith: God's Not Done With You Communion Served

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Acts 9:26-27

AUGUST 20

An Animated Faith: Life Happens Unexpectedly

Pastor Becky Collison

Scripture: Ruth 1:16-17

Guest Pastor

Pastor David Zamora from Costa Rica

Scripture: TBD







Mariners Bethel Family Fun Trail Run

Proceeds to benefit our Family and Youth Ministries

Sunday, October 22, 2023 ~ 1:00 PM at Camp Barnes - Assawoman Wildlife Refuge

We are looking for volunteers to help with sponsorship and the silent auction.

Contact Brenda Kerber or sign up at the All Hands on Deck Table

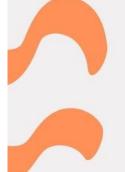
FEED MY SHEEP CAFE

Open from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm



Lunch menu for Tuesday. August 22

Sausage Cheeseburgers



Choice of Soups: Cheeseburger, Chicken Enchilada, or Cream of Broccoli

Chicken Pot Pie Coming Soon!

We make ~ You bake ~ Your Pan

Cost is \$25 using your baking dish

Orders must be placed by <u>Tuesday, August 22</u>, for pickup on <u>Tuesday, August 29th</u>

Call Fran Milio - <u>443-802-4601</u>



Feed My Sheep

We are looking for a few volunteers to help deliver meals each week.

Contact Fran Milio at <u>fmiliode@gmail.com</u> for further details.



Collection ends this Sunday, August 20th in the Narthex

2023 BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

Large backpacks Glue sticks Scissors Pencil boxes/Zippered pencil cases #2 Ticonderoga pencils Pink erasers Pencil cap erasers Black & white composition books (wide rule only) Crayons (24 count) Black or blue erase markers 2 pocket folders Ear buds for Chrome Books

Colored pencils (24 count)

Manual pencil sharpeners

Highlighters

Magic markers

Pens Rulers 3x3 Post-it notes

TEACHER'S BOX

Boxed tissues Antiseptic wipes Hand sanitizer/wipes Quart & gallon zip lock bags

Mariners Mission Team is collecting supplies for our local grammar schools in the Narthex from Sunday, August 6 - Sunday, August 20

Contact Jane McLaren at jmclaren@mchsi.com or 302-541-0271

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Team Assembling

to plan a fun event for families.....

sharing ways to celebrate



Planning Session

Sunday, August 27th 2nd Floor Conference Room Questions? Call Liz Heintzelman (302) 858-7101

Financial Peace

On Wednesdays ~ September 6 - November 1 at 6:30 PM Hope Center Classroom #5. Discounted rate available for a limited time. Register in our lobby today.

> Contact Carol Lewis: (443) 745-4616 stantonlewis155@gmail.com

Financial Peace University

This culture is *designed* to take you down. Credit cards, car loans, student loans... they'll keep you paying way too much money for way too long. But, there's one way out of the mess of debt, and it starts right here with *you*. You can change your future today by joining the Financial Peace University class. You'll learn to pay off debt fast, save more money, and build lasting wealth.

Join our FPU class which starts on Wednesday, September 6 through November 1 at 6:30 PM, in the Hope Center Classroom #5.

Register at the All Hands on Deck Table in the church lobby, or call the church office during business hours and we will help you to sign up.





Community Bible Study

Our next session begins Thursday, September 7 through May 2 from 6:30 - 8:30 PM at Mariners.

We will be studying the Books of Ruth, 1&2 Samuel, and Ephesians.

To register online please use the QR code on the left, which will take you to their registration site...

> or click on the button below to take you to the CBS registration page.

This study is offered to the community for men, women, children and youth!

For questions contact: Marty Quillen 302-542-1959 Email: <u>martyquillen@mediacombb.net</u>

Register here for CBS class!





Mariners Bethel invites our members to save the date!

All Aboard Celebration Dinner!

Saturday, September 30, 2023 at 4:00 PM *in the Hope Center*



Sunday, August 20

8:00am -	8:45am
9:00am -	10:00am
9:00am -	10:00am
10:15am -	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) Exploring the Word Bible Study (Library #201) Traditional Service (Sanctuary/Online) CRASH Youth (Hope Center Gym)

Monday, August 21

7:00am - 12:00pm	FMS
8:30am - 10:30am	Tunii
10:00am - 11:00am	Zum
10:00am - 11:00am	Scho
10:30am - 1:30pm	Build
12:00pm - 1:30pm	AAN
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Trust

FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen) Funing Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym) Zumba with Women Central (Social Hall) School Supply Assembly Team (Lobby) Building Maintenance (Hope Center) AA Meeting (ARMOR #221) Frustees Monthly Meeting (Social Hall)

Tuesday, August 22

7:00am - 11:0	0am	FMS Food Pantry Distribution (Social Hall/Kitchen
8:30am - 2:00	0pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen)
9:00am - 10:3	0am	Men's Bible Study (Hope Center #5)
9:45am - 11:4	5am	Women's AA Meeting (ARMOR #221)
10:00am- 11:3	0am	Chapter by Chapter (Jonah #220)
10:00am - 12:0	0pm	Dorcas Circle (Martha #209/211)
11:30am - 1:0	0pm	Feed My Sheep Lunch Served (Hope Center Gym)
11:30am - 1:0	0pm	Prayer Room Open (Hope Center)
11:30am - 1:0	0pm	Deaf Shalom (Hope Center #5)
1:30pm - 3:0	0pm	Better Together Bible Study (Jonah #220)
4:00pm - 5:3	Opm	Taylor Small Group (Pavilion)
6:30pm - 8:3		Shepherding Council (Social Hall)
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Mariners Bethel Schedule:

August 20-26, 2023

Wednesday, August 23

8:30am -	10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
10:00am -	12:00pm	SPRC Meeting (Conference Room #205)
11:00am -	1:00pm	Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)
1:00pm	3:00pm	Small Group Meeting (Hope Center)
5:00pm -	6:30pm	YOGA (ARMOR #221)
5:00pm -	8:00pm	CRASH Service Project (Off-Site)
7:00pm -	9:00pm	Women Central Planning Mtg. (Social Hall)

Thursday, August 24

5:00am -	12:30pm	FMS Food Prep (Hope Center Kitchen/Garage)
10:00am -	12:00pm	FMS Food Pantry Distribution (Vestibule/Social Hall)
6:45pm -	8:30pm	Boy Scouts (Pavilion/Hope Center)
6:45pm -	8:30pm	Praise Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Friday, August 25

8:30am -	10:30am	Tuning Up the Temple (Hope Center Gym)
11:00am -	12:30pm	Comfort Group (Conference Room #205)
11:00am -	1:00pm	Pickleball (Hope Center Gym)

Saturday, August 26

8:00am -	12:00pm	
7:00pm -	9:00pm	
7:00pm -	9:00pm	

Building Maintenance (Hope Center) AA Meeting (ARMOR #221) AL-ANON Meeting (Jonah #220)



Sunday, August 20 Happy Birthday: Jody Sweetman and Luray McClung

> Monday, August 21 Happy Birthday: Kira Buck, AJ Kelley, Anne Gude, and Judith Matsko

Tuesday, August 22 Happy Birthday: Tyler Valliant and Adrianna Bendistis

Wednesday, August 23 Happy Birthday: Timothy Young Happy Anniversary: Michael & Jennica Kwiecien and Alex & Melva Slonin

> <u>Thursday, August 24</u> Happy Birthday: Jan Parsons Happy Anniversary: Karl & Anne Gude

Friday, August 25 Happy Birthday: Frank Lee, Marjorie Biasotto, Jane Layton, Sandra Palmer, and Bella Fox

Saturday, August 26 Happy Birthday: Dennis Drenner Happy Anniversary: Earl & Faith Chamberlin and Stewart & Carolyn McGinnes

If we missed your birthday or anniversary, please send an email to administrator@marinersbethel.org. You may also log into Church Center and update your own record with birthday and anniversary dates.

Opportunities

Men's Bible Study The Men's Tuesday Morning Bible Study Group meets weekly from 9:00-10:30 AM in The Hope Center #5. Now reading... "The Book of Job" by Francis Chan

CLEAN MY SHEEP



Please consider donating any NEW (unopened or used) hotel toiletries / personal care items to those less fortunate.

Donations will be delivered to "Shepherd's Office" in Georgetown, DE on a monthly basis.

Kindly contact Diana Ohtersen with any questions or concerns you have. Diana can be reached at <u>dtohtersen@gmail.com</u> or 302-542-1476.

Thank you for your consideration and generosity.



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



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

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.



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 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 June 30, 2023 :

 Annual Budget:
 \$1,250,006

 YTD Contributions:
 \$489,808

 YTD Expenses:
 \$519,703

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.

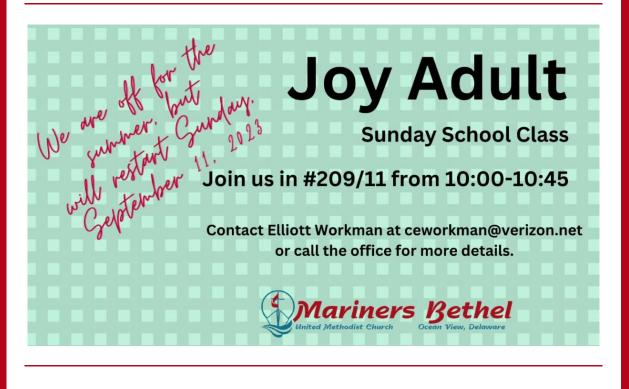
Adult Sunday School Opportunities

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

> > Mariners Bethel



Exploring the Word

Sunday School Class

between Worship Services

Off for the Summer Until August 13 - New Series!

ACTS WITH LOU GIGLIO

UPSTAIRS IN THE LIBRARY - THIS CLASS IS OPEN FOR ALL ADULTS

ATHE OF THE APOSTLES

Need Prayer?



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 United Methodist Church 81 Central Avenue Ocean View, DE 19970 302.539.9510 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 8:55 and 10:55 on Facebook and YouTube 8:55 & 10:55am Phone-In 302-500-5391

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