

Centreville United Methodist Church

SUNDAY WORSHIP
Contemporary – 8:40 a.m.
Traditional – 11:00 a.m.
Nursery Services Available

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Adults – 9:50 a.m.
Youth – 9:50 a.m.

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MESSENGER

Our Mission Is To Make Disciples For Jesus Christ!

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REVEREND'S REMARKS

If there is a quality we need in our lives, it is patience. You've probably heard the patience prayer: "Dear God give me patience, I want it NOW!" Of course, it seems every time I pray for patience God will immediately test that prayer.

Patience is the hardest quality for us to learn because everything has to be done so fast. We live in a time where a message can be sent across the world by the click of the mouse on your computer. By the push of a button you instantly enter into a fantasy game. Everything is available so quickly.

"I waited patiently and expectantly for the Lord; and He inclined to me and heard my cry." Psalm 40:1

God wants to develop a quality of patience in all of us. Someone defined patience as a holding pattern in the mind before it becomes an action. It is the power to see things through until the end. I believe this virtue is a quality dear to God's heart. God is a God of patience and forbearance.

With the fruit of patience one can have a great tolerance for criticism and irritations and is less likely to vanish when solutions are needed to problems. Patience is slow to anger. Patience waits its turn and does not seek to get even. In this day of instant gratification, some of the best things in life require years of prayer and patience. Patience does not disappoint.

"If I have ever made any valuable discoveries, it has been owing more to patient attention, than to any other talent." Isaac Newton

Pastor Mark

*"Giving no cause for offense in anything, so that the ministry will not be discredited, but in everything commending ourselves as *servants of God*, in much *endurance*, . . . in *purity*, in **KNOWLEDGE**, in **PATIENCE**, in *kindness*." 2 Corinthians 6:3-4, 6*

CHURCH OFFICE: SUMMER HOURS

Monday: 10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday — Thursday:

9 am - 3:30 p.m.

Friday: CLOSED



Middle and High School Students
each Sunday 5:30 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.

SUMMER BREAK—NO YOUTH GROUP

Centreville Youth Ministries (CYM) exists for the youth of Queen Anne's County, regardless of school, church, faith, or faith journey to praise God and Jesus.

CYM will do this with our fellowship together, our ministry to believers and non-believers, our missions and service for the community, and through our continued efforts to become stronger in our faith and better disciples.

CHURCH PICNIC

**August 7th Camp Pecometh
one worship service at 10:30
a.m.— No services at CUMC**

ACCOLYTE SCHEDULE

August 7th: Tabby L.

August 14th: Austin T.

August 21st: Jason T.

August 28th: Baylee W.

COAT DRIVE

CUMC's previous coat drive held two years ago was very well received with over 200 coats given away! Let's make this one just as successful.

Please donate your gently used, outgrown and otherwise cluttering your closet, coats. All coats may be placed in the 2nd Grade classroom across the hall from the Choir Room.

Distribution will be held sometime in late September. Thank you all so much! If you have any questions please contact Beth Covington at 410-758-2247.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The final relaxing days of summer are upon us, and Sunday School will soon be in session! Mark your calendars now as the whole family is invited to join us on Sunday, September 11 at 9:50 a.m. in the Sanctuary for the Opening of Sunday School.

Following the Opening, the children will go to their designated classrooms. During that time parents are invited to Fellowship Hall to register their children, enjoy light refreshments as well as the company of other parents. Children will be dismissed from Fellowship Hall.

RUN 4 SHELTER: CUMC Team

"But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint." Isaiah 40:31

Everyone is invited to join CUMC Screaming Eagles for Run 4 Shelter Half Marathon, 10K & 5K and Kids Fun Run on Saturday, September 10, 2011.

Learn more at www.run4shelter.net or contact Jennifer R. Hartless, CUMC Team Coordinator
email: jre_2k@yahoo.com

CHURCH LIBRARY NEWS..... Harriet Caporin

Last month I wrote about new children's books added to our collection. This month I am writing about a few adult items you might find interesting and helpful.

- Creative Aging-Rethinking Retirement and Non-Retirement in a Changing World by Marjory Zoet Bankson. In a practical and useful way, Marjory Zoet Bankson explores the spiritual dimensions of retirement and aging. She offers creative ways for you to share your gifts and experience, particularly when retirement leaves you questioning who you are when you are no longer defined by your career. Drawing on stories of people who have reinvented their lives in their older years, Bankson explores the issues you need to address as you move into this generative period of life.
- Heaven is for Real by Todd Burpo. A Little Boy's Story of His Trip to Heaven and Back. When Colton Burpo made it through an emergency appendectomy, his family was overjoyed at his miraculous survival. What they weren't expecting though was the story that emerged in the months that followed—a story as beautiful as it was extraordinary, detailing their little boy's trip to heaven and back.

Author Sheila Walsh comments regarding the book, that it will not only make you love God more and fear death less, but it will help you understand that heaven is not a place where we just sit around for a thousand years singing Kumbaya; it's a place where we begin to live as we were always meant to live, before the fall. If heaven is something that intrigues you, or troubles you, if you wonder what our lives will be like, then she highly recommends this book.

- A DVD entitled "Plain Talk about Alzheimer's Disease" about Alzheimer's related dementia and wandering by Kimberly R. Kelly. Ask anyone who has been through it: seeing a friend or loved one deteriorate with Alzheimer's is one of the most painful experiences to behold. Here is help in understanding what is happening.

All of these items are available to check out and are on the portable shelving in the church foyer.

CPR/FIRST AID CLASSES

CUMC will be hosting a two-day CPR/First Aid class on Wednesday August 24 and Thursday August 25. For more information, and to sign-up, please contact the Church Office at 410.758.0868

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY

CUMC is excited to announce the launching of a weekly off-site small group bible study beginning September 14 at Sugar Magnolia Café from 7:00 a.m.—8:00 a.m. We look forward to seeing you there!

MEMBERSHIP CLASSES

Membership Classes for those interested in joining or transferring membership to CUMC will begin on September 23 and continue through October 23. For more information please contact the Church Office or visit CUMC's website.

CAMP PECOMETH

Camp Pecometh, in partnership with the Peninsula Delaware Conference of the UMC, will be hosting several day and overnight retreat. A few include:

- Seasons of Life Retreat for Senior Adults
- Worship Arts Retreat
- Yoga Prayer Retreat
- Monastic Days Apart

For a complete list and more information please visit their website: www.pecometh.org or call them at 410-556-6900.

FOOD PANTRY

Each Wednesday our Food Pantry serves many local families. The Pantry is always in need of food, but particularly at this time we are in need of the following donations:

- laundry detergent
- paper products
- canned meats
- baby food

Thank you for your help!

VIM FLEA MARKET/PANCAKE BREAKFAST/BAKE SALE

Saturday Sept. 17th from 8 AM to Noon, the Volunteers in Missions will once again be hosting a Flea Market. All spaces will be outside and are free! The church has a limited amount of tables available at a first come/first serve basis; please call or email Larisa Thomas to reserve a table or space. VIM will also be collecting items from anyone interested in donating. Collections times are: Sept. 15 & 16 from 6-8 PM.

There will also be a Pancake Breakfast from 8-10:30 AM. Come enjoy pancakes, eggs, and sausage while you take a break. Adults \$5 and Seniors/Children \$4. Or if you are just looking for something sweet to eat while you shop, there will also be a Bake Sale!

Proceeds will go to support the Missions work, which includes the Backpack Program. For more information or to reserve tables/spaces for the Flea Market, contact Larisa Thomas at 410-758-2144 or larisa.thomas@centreville-umc.com

VBS BEACH BASH SUCCESS



Thanks to all our volunteers and those who donated materials and funds our Beach Bash VBS was a huge success! We had 128 children take part in the program, not counting the over 40 volunteers who donated their time to make it happen. We learned that Jesus is

God's son, He is there for us when we are afraid, and He will forgive us when we mess up.

The children also collected items for the Backpack program as their mission work. They collected over \$347.46 in monetary donations and \$150 in goods. This was the amount that was needed for the migrant kid's Evenstart Summer Program in Sudlersville that CUMC supported. God does provide!

Also, VBS will be June 24th- 29th, 2012!

227th ANNUAL CONFERENCE..... Emily Parry and Barbara Meeks

Theme: *Live It!* University of Maryland Eastern Shore, Princess Anne, MD

Laity Session, Thursday June 9

About 300 laity members were welcomed by Betty Gooch, Conference Lay leader, followed by a hymn and scripture read by Demetrio Beach, Assistant Conference Lay Leader. Reports were given by:

- Luray McClung, Director of Lay Speaking
- Allen Toomis, President of UMM
- Ramona Anderson, President UMW
- Lawrence Pelham, discussed apportionment connectional giving and ministries

• Kevin Goodwin – reported on conference appeals for Thursday – Saturday

Our Bible Study was led by DeAngelo Johnson whose theme “*Stay in Your Lane*” encouraged us to complete the mission God has given each of us to do.

After a break, Bill Westbrook gave instructions for the balloting to be completed for lay delegates for the 2012 General and Jurisdictional Conference.

After lunch, Clergy and Laity met together. Rev. Dr. Sandra Steiner-Ball explained the reduction of staff at the conference level. Four new positions were developed and have been filled. We should keep all in prayer during this transition. The afternoon session began with music, scripture, prayer and a stirring message “Resurrection Hope – Get up and Live it” by Demetrio Beach. Bishop Johnson presided over Holy Communion.

Thursday evening, we were led in a teaching session by Bishop Robert Schnase, resident Bishop of the Missouri area. His subject was “Five Practices of Fruitful Congregations.”

He discussed Radical Hospitality (evangelism),

- Passionate Worship (Aflame –the most important hour of the week)
- Intentional Faith Development (study, - small groups)
- Risk Taking Missions and Service, (outward focus, making a difference in lives of others, moving out of comfort zone) and
- Extravagant Generosity (look at how we spend, give, and invest, goal of tithing).

Friday morning, June 10th, Bishop Schnase continued discussing how we as a church get things done, how we reach out, methods that do not work today, and how today’s culture has changed.

Friday afternoon, a **Celebration of Ministry** was held for the recognition of pastors (past and present) with 5 – 65 years of service. A DVD of retiring pastors’ reflections was enjoyed.

A general examination of Deacon and Elder was led by Christine Lee, Registrar, Board of Ordained Ministry. After questioning by Bishop Johnson, the candidates were proclaimed to be the newest Full Members of our annual conference. The impressive service closed with the “Passing of the Mantle” and “Sending Forth.”

Friday evening, the Service of Commissioning and Ordination began with a processional of clergy. We worshiped in song and prayer and enjoyed a selection by the Festival Clergy Choir. Bishop Woodie W. White gave the message. Bishop Johnson addressed the candidates, questioning them about their faith...*continued on next page*

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and calling. In turn each knelt before Bishop Johnson, was given authority to preach, received their stole and then was presented to the congregation. An invitation was extended to others believing they had received a call to the ministry to come forward. The service concluded with the recessional by clergy, families and the newly ordained to the singing of the Iglesia Metodista Unida Bethel Choir, Georgetown, Dover District.

Saturday, June 11th, Bishop Johnson had invited us to “walk with the Bishop” at 6 a.m. During the morning session, reports were given on church mergers, and church properties sold or abandoned. Rev. Bill Sterling, has been assigned to the Ocean Pines Community Church in Berlin, MD. Rev. Gary Moore will be the Easton District’s new D.S., and Rev. K. Wayne Grier will be the pastor at St. Mark’s. Betty Gooch, Conference Lay Leader, reported on the lay activities. Kevin Goodwin reported almost \$40,000 was given to the appeals for the Congo Partnership, the BOOM Scholarships, Imagine No Malaria, and Pension Fund. He encouraged special offerings in our own congregations for the appeals listed as well as from the **Advance**. The retired ministers in Africa are a very real concern. A report was given for the activities at Wesley College.

Rev. Jack Shitama from Camp Pecometh reported on the progress of the new retreat centers. Opening is scheduled for October of 2011!

Shane Hinderliter, our Youth Coordinator, reported on activities and opportunities for youth. The 2012 **Youth Rally**, 25th anniversary, will be held on January 6-8 with last year’s speaker (Reggie Debbs) and some musical groups returning. **The Well** will be held again this year, on October 15, at St. Thomas Moore Academy, in Magnolia, DE. Information is available now on sessions to be offered. Shane is partnering with 6 churches on how to begin young adult ministries and hopes to offer training in this area next year. An offering of \$1,800 was donated to the youth during the Friday lunch collection of trays.

A **Service of Remembrance** was held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday with song, prayer, and tolling of the bell for each of the clergy/spouses that had died this year. Bishop Johnson brought a message of “Blessed Comfort” and Marva Thomas from Centennial UMC, Smyrna, sang “To God Be the Glory” as a gift to the families of the deceased.

A final balloting was held for the Clergy Delegates to the 2012 General and Jurisdictional Conferences.

A **new activity** was held during the week of June 6 -10. Members of the Christian Service Team and local churches of the Pen-Del Conference along with other churches in the Princess Anne area began projects of clean-up, house repairs, and painting of homes in the Greenwood area as a way of investing in that community. We understand that some members of the Team planned to continue working the following week. Closing announcements were made and we were dismissed.

A special thank you to the cafeteria staff of UMES for the excellent meals. The dormitory facilities were adequate and cool. As always, the music, study, sermons, and the Service of Commissioning and Ordination were the highlights of Annual Conference. I would encourage attendance to the Commissioning and Ordination to experience a Holy Moment of praying for the new ministers as well as our own recommitment to Christ’s service.

SHOWCASE OF TALENTS..... Ann Harlan

September 24, 2011

Centreville United Methodist Church

7:00 p.m.— 9:00 p.m.

Come, participate, and enjoy this wonderful evening of music, delectable desserts, a showcase of community businesses, a silent auction, and fellowship. All proceeds from the silent auction and the evening's events go towards the food programs at CUMC. Our Food Pantry and Back Pack programs help feed the hungry in our community.

Your only fee for the two hour event is to donate a silent auction item. There will be no actual sales occurring during the evening. Each participant will be given a table space in one of the rooms throughout the church. Spaces will be provided on a first come first serve basis.

Advertising and promotion of the event will be continuous until the evening's festivities. Sign up now and help us and yourselves by spreading the word about your talents!!

To participate in the evening and showcase your talent, business, artwork, or craft please contact Ann Harlan at 410-758-4349 and/or apply using the below form and mail to Ann at:

515 White Marsh Road Centreville, Maryland 21617

SHOWCASE OF TALENTS APPLICATION

Form must be received on or before AUGUST 17th

Name: _____

Business, Trade/Craft, etc: _____

Company Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Silent Auction Donation: _____

CCFA TEAM CHALLENGE

Lee and Renee Karrh are participating in the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation's (CCFA) Team Challenge Cycle Program. There are 40 people around the country on 'the Team'. Our 16 week training program began May 31. And on September 18, 2011, we are riding in the Centurion Canada 50-mile bike race in the Blue Mountains, Ontario.

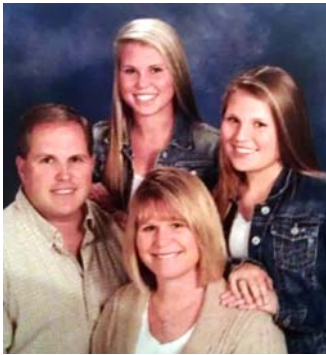
As part of the program, we are working to raise funds to help CCFA support kids with Crohn's and Colitis. 10% of patients are diagnosed before the age of 18! Crohn's can be especially hard on children. Kids can have growth delays because of compromised nutrition and often miss school and other activities due to illness, surgery or hospitalization. There is also the stigma of this illness- it can be very embarrassing for kids and teens to discuss their symptoms with peers, and their disease is an easy target for crude jokes and teasing. Medications can sometimes be used to keep symptoms under control or reduce them, but there is no cure.

Renee has Crohn's disease, and our daughters Erin and Lauren may have inherited the genes that can lead to Crohn's. When someone has a relative with the disease, her risk is about 10x greater than that of the general population. If that relative is a brother or sister, the risk is 30x greater. Lee's step-brother passed away at the age of 38 from complications of Crohn's disease.

For more information about Crohn's and CCFA you can visit www.CCFA.org/info/about/Crohns

If you would like to donate, please contact them at Renee.Lee.Karrh@gmail.com for a mail-in form; www.active.com/donate/cycle11national/Renee_Lee_Karrh

MEET YOUR CUMC FAMILY: The Faust Family



Bruce, originally from Butler, PA, and Nancy, originally from Gorton, MS, were married 21 years ago. They have resided in D.C.—where they met, and Arnold. Bruce received his Bachelor's degree from UMD and is currently a Deputy Fire Chief assigned as the Fire Marshall for Washington DC.

Nancy obtained her Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Trinity College in Washington DC. She has been employed with AAMC for 17 years, and after working as a Case Manager with the mentally ill she pursued her degree in Nursing. Currently she is working in the role of Clinical Educator for the ER but hopes to one day return to working with Hospice where she states she has personally witnessed the work of the Holy Spirit.

Their oldest daughter Meagan, 16 years old, is a junior at QACHS. Abby, 13 years old, will be a freshman. Both girls enjoy spending time with their friends and playing soccer and lacrosse. Abby also plays basketball. They received a third addition to their family 2 years ago—a Golden Retriever puppy named Kobie. She too is a lacrosse girl and loves to play with her lacrosse balls that she acquires from Meagan and Abby.

The Faust Family moved to Centreville from Queenstown almost six years ago. Shortly after moving they transferred their membership to CUMC from Carmichael United Methodist Church. Despite desires to sleep in, the Faust Family generally attend the Praise Service mostly due to Meagan and Abby's insistence.

Nancy currently chairs the Staff Parish Relations Committee (SPRC). Part of the job of SPRC is to assist the church members with issues and concerns regarding the church staff. She feels fortunate that there are very few issues that require SPRC's attention, but she encourages anyone to please contact her or SPRC with any questions or concerns.

in our prayers

“And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well” James 5:15

BRENDA ABEL
NICK BOZMAN
FRED CHEW
ANN COMEGYS-ANTHONY
BILL BAKER
TAMMY BLACK
LEE DYE
ROBERT FARNELL
HENRY HARTLESS
AGNES JEWELL
CAROLYN MILLER

DON MILLER
LORRETTA MILLER
MYREDA O'BRIEN
NED POE
ROBIN PILLI
LEN RENKENBERGER
JOHN SEWELL
ELMER WHITBY
JASON WILSON
ROBERT WOLCOTT
THE U.S. MILITARY

*Names and prayers are published with the permission of family members.

PRAYER THOUGHTS..... Bonnie English

REDEEMED HUMANITY

But only the redeemed will walk there, and the ransomed of the LORD will return. They will enter Zion with singing; everlasting joy will crown their heads. Gladness and joy will overtake them, and sorrow and sighing will flee away. Isaiah 35:9-10

What a glorious picture Isaiah presents! The redeemed people of God, following the Lord on His great Highway of Holiness, enter into the city of God with gladness, joy and singing. Although heaven immediately comes to mind, we should not confine this glorious scene to heaven alone. The Scripture also reflects a picture of redeemed humanity as we experience the glory of God in this life. The author of Hebrews writes, **“But you have come to Mount Zion.”**

When the glory (presence) of God comes in revival, we will find ourselves in the midst of this glorious procession of worship and praise. To see and experience such a glorious occurrence is worth pouring out our lives in prayer for revival.

O Lord, what glories await us when You come in power! We tremble in anticipation of seeing Your glory fall upon Your people. We eagerly wait for the time when millions who are now in darkness will be drawn to the light of Your presence. Help Your people, Lord, to “press in” with fervent intercession. Grant us that spirit of prayer that we may continue to cry out until we see Your glory come down! Give us perseverance and strength. Grant us joy in Your house of prayer.

Prayer Points

Praise the Lord Jesus, who will be **“revealed from heaven in blazing fire with his powerful angels”** (2 Thess. 1:7). Thank Him that He will come to restore justice and righteousness in the earth. Confess the times when you have not lived in awareness of Christ’s coming again in power and judgment. Ask Him to help you desire and look forward to His coming, and commit yourself to preparing yourself and others for **“the day he comes to be glorified in his holy people and to be marveled at among all who have believed”** (1:10).

Ask the Spirit to give the churches in your community a sense of urgency in bringing the good news of Jesus’ death and resurrection to the unchurched and unbelieving in their neighborhoods.

Source: www.harvestprayer.com/devotions; visit them online for your email subscription

NANCY'S NOTES.....Nancy Cook



*O come, let us sing unto the Lord.
Praise Him with trumpet sound.
Praise Him with lute and harp.
Let everything that breathes
Praise the Lord!*

Psalms 150 and 95

The church is people, animate, growing, and vital; the church is not a building. But we here at Centreville United Methodist Church are fortunate to have both—people and a building through which we may become involved in meeting the needs of the community and spreading God’s Word.

One of those opportunities for involvement is becoming part of the music ministry of the church - your talents and your time are needed. Won’t you become a participant rather than a spectator, as our various music programs resume? The following music groups and their rehearsals will be offered:

Cherub Choir —ages 2 through grade 2
Rehearsal will be on **Sundays** during the
Contemporary Service (after Chalk Talk)
Barabara and Katie Meeks – Co-directors

Carol Choir —Grades 3 through Grade 8
Rehearsal will be on **Sundays** at 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Tintinnabulators —Intergenerational Handbell Choir
Rehearsal – **Thursdays** - 6:00 p.m.- 6:45 p.m.

Joy Ringers—Advanced Handbell Choir
Rehearsal - **Thursdays** – 6:50 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

Chancel Choir—High School Juniors and up
Rehearsal – **Thursdays** – 7:45 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

We would love to have a **Youth Choir** – Grades 9 – 12
Are there any young people who would like to participate?
Please contact Ms. Nancy of any interest.

The **Adult Praise Team** and the **Youth Praise Team**, who play for the Contemporary Services, are an integral part of the music ministry. At this time there are no vacancies within the groups, but “stay tuned” for participation as the year progresses.

ALL CHOIR AND HANDBELL REHEARSALS BEGIN SEPTEMBER 8.

MEET YOUR CUMC FAMILY: Emily Parry



Emily was born in Cambridge, MD and has lived in Maryland for most of her life. She became a member of CUMC in 1979 after marrying Edward Parry. Before that she was a member of Immanuel Methodist Church in Grasonville, working with choirs and Sunday School. Emily's involvement at CUMC over the years includes chancel choir, children's choir, Praise Team, UMW, SPRC, coordinating the monthly services at Corsica Hills, and intercessory prayer team.

She was employed by the Board of Education of Queen Anne's County for 31 years, working at Stevensville Middle School, QAC High School, and Human Resources at the central office.

Emily enjoys traveling, reading, sewing, playing the piano and singing, spending time with her children and grandchildren. She has been to Ireland twice, and just last summer visited her daughter in Costa Rica.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN..... Barbara Erickson

We missed you last month, but we were busy and still are! All women of the church are encouraged to participate with us on Tuesday mornings in the "Red Room" located in the Sunday School wing. Currently we are completing a special craft project for Hospice, and then we will begin working on additional Chrismons. UMW ongoing projects continue to be blankets, bibs and bags. Additionally we have been crafting up chemo turbins, 'fidget aprons' and pillow cases for pediatric units.

To date UMW has supplied Volunteers in Mission with 70 assorted washcloths, 63 totes and 49 baby quilts. We have ministered to Corsica Hills residents providing them with: 5 shawls, 22 bibs, 20 wheelchair totes and 3 walker totes. UMW has also distributed 7 chemo turbins and 3 fidget aprons. We gifted 8 bean bag chairs to our own church nursery.

Our busyness does not end there! UMW had worked diligently to donate the following items to the Migrant School Program: 109 totes, 18 baby quilts, swim suit, 6 pairs of flip flops and 3 large bags of clothing.

Although we were unable to participate in this year's UMW Conference School of Christian Mission we continue to plan new and exciting opportunities. New 'circles' are underway and in the plan for Fall! Stay tuned for these announcements! UMW is also looking forward to participating in the church-wide Fall Pumpkin Festival! And we continue to plan for the Children's Shopping scheduled for December 10th— with Santa and Mrs. Claus joining us this year!

Lastly, please assist us in the cleaning task of the kitchen, refrigerator and freezer by removing your items. Your immediate consideration and attention to this will ease our load, and we thank you in advance for your help!



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Volunteers In Mission
Larisa Thomas

Worship
Will Covington

Visitation
Robyn Brown

AUGUST AT A GLANCE

August 7~ Church Picnic: Camp Pecometh **NO SERVICES** at CUMC

August 14~ ASP Presentation (both services)

August 20~ Worship Workshop

August 22~ Finance Committee Meeting

August 24 & 25~ First Aid and CPR Classes

*Sept. 5~ Church Office Closed

*All dates are subject to change. Please confirm with the Calendar, Church Office or Ministry Chair.



Above: BJ McClae at Piano; Right: 2011 Youth ASP Group



Centreville United Methodist Church strives to be a Christian Fellowship where Jesus is LORD and the Gospel is proclaimed. We welcome all who seek the love of Christ in their lives. We will nurture all through Spirit-led ministries of worship, teaching, caring and support.