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COME CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER WITH US

Due to the safety protocols required as well as personal safety concerns amidst the Covid-19 pandemic, the Lord's Supper will be offered in a more "private setting" at both 8am and 10am on the following Sundays: (these times are pre-service times and in between services) – **TODAY** - Sept. 12th, Oct.10th, Nov.14th, and Dec.12th. Pre-packaged elements will be used. The full Communion liturgy will be shared.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY ... CONTINUED!

You are invited to join Pastor Kim as we continue our in-depth Bible Study on the familiar Psalm 23. Learn all about the history and the spirituality of this beloved Psalm! Our **evening** session has **ended** due to the startup of our Wednesday Fellowship Nights, but our Wednesday **morning** session will **continue!** Please join us at 10:30am every Wednesday in the Parlor.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE-TOMORROW!!!

Monday, Sept. 13th from 2pm – 7pm in Asbury Hall, LUMC will host our next blood drive! The American Red Cross recently issued news of a severe blood shortage as the number of trauma cases, organ transplants, and elective surgeries rise – radically depleting the nation's blood inventory. So please sign up today online at www.redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code: lexingtonumc. Thank you!

DID YOU KNOW?

Descriptions of all of our LUMC Church Council Leadership positions are on our LUMC website? Go to the drop down box and click on "spiritual life". Then click on "detailed ministry descriptions". If you see an area where you feel called to serve, please contact Pastor Kim, Chair of our Nominations/Lay Leadership Committee. We'd LOVE to get you on board for our 2022 Church Council leadership year!

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL BE DURING THE CHILDREN'S TIME DURING THE 11AM WORSHIP SERVICES!

Children 3k (toilet trained) through 5th grade are invited to join us following the in-service children's moment. We will follow this format for the Fall quarter (September through November). We will continue to monitor with hopes that we may resume 10am Sunday school times beginning in December. We are still looking for assistants during this time. Youth over 15 can assist as well. [Sign up here](#) to volunteer during Children's Church time. *Volunteers and children will continue to be required to wear a mask since the children in this age group cannot yet be vaccinated.*



SAVE THE DATE! TRUNK OR TREAT will be Sunday, October 24th from 5-7pm. Sign up [here](#) for a trunk! Candy/treat donations accepted beginning Sunday, September 12th or donate via our [Amazon Wish List](#). Bins will be located by the church office and entrance to Wesley Hall.

OUR 4TH & 5TH GRADE BREAKOUT ROOM

is being relocated AND getting an exciting facelift! Here are some ways to help:

- [Amazon Wish List](#) – A HUGE thank you to those who have already donated!
- Volunteer to help paint, decorate, move furniture, etc. [Sign Up Here](#) *note that there are signups specifically to help lift/carry*

SIGN UP TO [ACOLYTE HERE](#) AND TO BECOME A [NURSERY VOLUNTEER HERE](#). *Volunteers and children will continue to be required to wear a mask since the children in this age group cannot yet be vaccinated.*

CHILDREN & YOUTH WEDNESDAY NIGHT UPDATE:

The families of children and youth are invited from 6:15-7:15pm the 1st and 3rd Wednesday (**beginning this Wednesday, September 15th**) in Wesley Hall to participate in an Interactive Family Worship Experience. This is an opportunity for all ages to share in a Bible lesson, games, and more! We hope to see you there!

BLESSING BOX NEWS!

We are in need of ALL food items AND water for our Blessing Box Ministry. Please donate supplies as soon AND as often as you can! We NOW have a new addition to our Fort Street Blessing Box – a PET FOOD section! We need "people food" and pet food on a regular basis for BOTH our Fort Street Blessing Box and our Whiteknoll High School Blessing Box. Thank you for your donations!

DON'T FORGET EPWORTH CHILDREN'S HOME TODAY!

Today our church will receive the annual Epworth Work Day offering to invest in the comprehensive care we are called by God to provide for the children at Epworth Children's Home. Please find additional information about Epworth and the Work Day offering on the bulletin insert. Epworth does NOT receive apportionment dollars from the United Methodist Conference, so this offering is our opportunity to support this vital ministry. Please give generously by using the envelope provided for you in the bulletin. And for more information about Epworth Children's Home, visit www.epworthchildrenshome.org.



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POPCORN ANYONE!?!?

Cub Scout Pack 507 will be selling popcorn **TODAY**, Sept. 12th after all three worship services. Our Scouts will have tables set up at various locations around the LUMC campus so please purchase some popcorn from the Scouts to help with the advancement of Scouting!

CHURCH SECRETARY NEEDED

LUMC is in search of a part time front office secretary. If you would like to see the job description, or to apply, please contact a member of the LUMC Staff Parish Relations Committee. Hours are: 8:30am-12:30pm, five days a week.