ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING begins this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Fellowship Hall. All council members should be present.

YOUTH gather in the Family Life Center at 4:30 p.m. today and again on Wednesday, May 1.

JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY at 6 p.m. this evening in the Fellowship Hall with Pastor Dale leading us in our study of the Book of Ephesians.

BE IN PRAYER about serving in the contemporary worship service. We need two people each Sunday to do the sound and multimedia. The service is projected to begin on June 2nd at 9 a.m.

FAMILY LIFE CENTER IS CLOSED all week for preparation of the UMW's Flea Market, Saturday, May 4, 8 a.m.—2 p.m.

KIDSPRING meets at 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 1st, in the Fellowship Hall.

THE HOME PRAYER GROUP invites you to join them on Thursday, April 25th, at 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Parsonage (285 Moon Circle), to commune with God in prayer.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (UMW) FLEA MARKET is Saturday, May 4, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Spring cleaning is a good time to collect items you no longer use or need and wish to donate to the UMW for their Flea Market. All proceeds from this sale go to support local missions. We hope you will participate again this year.

Drop off dates for donations (No Clothes) is:

- Tuesday, April 30: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 1: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Thursday, May 2: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Friday, May 3: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thank you for your donations!

MINISTRY TEAM meeting begins at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, May 5th in the Fellowship Hall. All team members should attend.

CORRECTION: Ann Winterberger's birthday was listed incorrectly in the Lamplighter. Her birthday is May 7th - not May 17th. Thank you, Ann, for notifying the church office, and please know the error is now corrected.

**NOTE:** This is not the full content of the page. It contains a summary of announcements and events for the week, including religious services, events, and community activities. The content is formatted in a way that is typical for a church bulletin, with sections for choir anthems, scripture lessons, worship leader announcements, and prayer requests.
When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.”

After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.

Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit.

If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came.

So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.”

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.”

Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.”

Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!”

Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.”

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book.

But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.