

DPC Weekly Update
Darnestown Presbyterian Church
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Holy Week Schedule

Good Friday, March 30, 7:30 pm

Good Friday Service, **St. Nicholas Episcopal Church** (NO service at Boyds PC)

Sunday, April 1, EASTER SUNDAY

Sunrise Service, 6:45 am, East View, Sugarloaf Mt.

Worship 8:30 & 11:00 am

Brunch 9:30 am. No Sunday School

"All Are Welcome" Engagement and Giving Drive

Thanks to all who have responded so generously to the "All Are Welcome" Engagement and Giving Drive. We were not able to meet our stated goals for the drive - yet! During church services you have heard from a number of speakers about the impact of the building program to our future and our ability to be truly welcoming to our diverse community. If you missed any of these, please take the time to listen - all of the videos are on the Home Page of the website. Please be sure to take just a few minutes to review the materials sent home for the Drive before you make any final decisions about support for the effort. We're so close!

This Sunday, April 1, 2018 - EASTER SUNDAY

Join us this Sunday (8:30 & 11:00 a.m. services). Rev. Neill Morgan will lead the services, and his sermon title is "Mary, Harry, Rodriguez, and You," with scripture taken from Acts 10 and John 20.

Easter Brunch - April 1: The Board of Deacons invites you to join us for **Easter Brunch**, to be held **between services** in Fellowship Hall. Please bring your favorite Breakfast/Brunch dish to share. We would like to have a nice mix between savory and sweet choices in order to appeal to all diets and tastes. Beverages and an Easter cake will be provided. Contact Amy Jenkins if you have any questions (ahaasjenkins@gmail.com, 240-477-4204).

Germantown HELP Food Pantry

On the 1st Sunday every month at 1:00 p.m., we gather to package food boxes for the Germantown HELP Food Pantry. The next trip is **April 1**. If you can help or want more information, please contact Rob Garretson (rgarretson@gmail.com).

Church News

Men's Breakfast — Saturday, April 7

Our next Men's Breakfast is set for Saturday, April 7, at **8:00 am** in Fellowship Hall. **Tim Kurkjian will present the program — on baseball!** Mark the date, and we hope you will join us. Please RSVP to the church office if you can attend. *All men are welcome!*

Save the dates for the **Summer Mission Trip** from Sunday, July 29 through Saturday, August 4.

Volunteers needed for the Junior Church program during the late service - We are in need of volunteers to help with the Junior Church program during the 11:00 service every Sunday. **This is an invitation to ALL church members**, not only parents of children participating in this program. We hope to have enough volunteers so that each one will only need to help once or twice a year - **you will not volunteer alone**. Please see or email Kelvin Choi, kelvin.choi.tc@gmail.com, to sign up.

SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, April 28, 2018 8:30am to 12:30pm

SPRING GATHERING of Presbyterian Women of National Capital Presbytery hosted by women of Warner Memorial Presbyterian Church, 10123 Connecticut Avenue, Kensington, MD 20895 (one block north of I-495 Beltway Exit 33 North)

Theme: Building Bridges of Understanding.....reflections on the PW Global Exchange to Indonesia Barbara Allen, Maria Rumambi, Rev. Hennie Wattimena. (Please see the attachment for more information.)

Join the FUN at our Annual Talent Show on Sunday, April 29, at 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. **"Everything 80's"** is our theme this year. Please mark your calendars to participate, volunteer, or attend this wonderful evening of fellowship and the many talents we have to offer. Contact Shannon Marsh, Dale May, or Terrie May with questions or ways you can be in the "show" or volunteer during the show.

Welcome Bags are available in the Narthex each Sunday.