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Summit United Methodist Church

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United Methodist Foundation Presentation - April 10 at 6:30 PM

All members and friends of the Summit United Methodist Congregation are invited to a presentation by the United Methodist Foundation of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, April 10th, at 6:30 PM. A representative of the Foundation will provide an explanation and update on our endowment account with the Foundation and discuss future opportunities for planned giving to support the church's ministries.

From their web site <https://www.umfoundation.org/>

The Foundation's mission is "Building a foundation for thriving and faithful United Methodist churches and agencies in our region."

"The Foundation's role is to complement and reinforce the stewardship ministries of the churches, agencies, and programs primarily of and within the Western Pennsylvania and Susquehanna Annual Conferences of the United Methodist Church by:

- - Providing responsible and faithful investment management for churches and agencies
- - Enabling planned giving through which individuals can support Christian ministries
- - Offering education and support in financial stewardship and leadership."

Learn more about the United Methodist Foundation of Pennsylvania and our endowment account.

Easter Flower Ordes are due this Sunday, **March 17th** to Colleen Osborn.

Cleaning Bucket Challenge information is available in the welcome center and continues through Easter. We still have a few buckets available!

Flowers for April we would appreciate chancel flower signups for the month of April. Please sign up on the chart located between the church office doors or contact Connie Close at 814-520-6570.

Lent and Easter worship schedule:

Sunday Mornings @ 9:30 AM - Wandering Hearts

Wednesday Evenings @ 7 PM - Worship Experience of Lent (WEL) *The I Am Sayings of Jesus*

March 28 - Maundy Thursday @ 7 PM

March 29 - Good Friday @ 7 PM

March 31 - Easter Sunday @ 9:30 AM

April 7 - 2nd Sunday of Easter @ 9:30

Lent



2024 Spring Lay Ministry School, begins on Sunday, April 7th and ends on Sunday, May 5th! Classes will meet each Sunday from 2PM to 4PM at Edinboro UMC (113 High Street in Edinboro). **NEW THIS YEAR!** Bishop Moore-Koikoi will be visiting during the first meeting and you are encouraged to invite your pastor to the last meeting. All registrations must be received by Wednesday, March 27th. For more information and to register, click [HERE](#).

Worship Servants If you would like to become more involved...why not become a worship servant...there are many ways to serve.

- Ushers should contact Frank Walker
- Greeters contact Anita Muenz
- Acolytes contact Ellen Strobel
- Worship Leaders or Children Message Presenters contact Pastor Tom or Colleen Osborn
- Technology Support has several options Camera Operator, Power Point Presenter, Facebook Monitor....contact Lori Costello

We would like to set up a schedule for the coming weeks and training is available.

Updating the church Directory and adding photos in the coming weeks I would like to update the current church directory and add photos of our members to the database to help with the transition for our new pastor. If you could please check the Church Directory in the welcome center in the binder and make any address, email or phone number changes that would be appreciated. Photos will be gathered in the coming weeks or you can choose to email a current photo to the church office at sumc-office@verizon.net Thanks!

2024 DISTRICT CONFERENCE Mark your calendars for the 2024 Erie-Meadville District Conference on Sunday, May 19th starting at 3PM at Edinboro UMC!