

Schedule for Week of April 19th

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| Sunday | 4:45 pm High School Choir (S) 4:45 pm Joyful Noise Choir (S) 5:30 pm FRUMY (FH) |
| Monday | 6:45 am Men's Morning Bible Study (FH) |
| Tuesday | 12:00 pm UMW General Meeting (FH) |
| Wednesday | 7:00 am Men's Breakfast & Prayer Group 5:45 pm Carillon Bells (S) 6:30 pm Men's Vocal Ensemble (S) 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (S) |
| Thursday | 10:00 am Congregational Care (FH) |
| Friday | 10:00 am Quilters/Prayer Shawl (LFK) |

Men's Breakfast & Prayer Group – On schedule to serve this Wednesday, April 22nd is Team #5: Jim Kenney, Jim Wells, Arnold Williams, Sr. and John Brishcar.

Readings for next week:

John 10:11-18, Psalm 23

Attendance on April 12th:

Worship – 191 Sunday School – 66

| Honoring God's Gracious Generosity | | | |
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| Jan-Mar 2015 | | | |
| Through Financial Giving | Actual | YTD Budget | Annual Budget |
| General Fund | \$100,452 | \$138,823 (72%) | \$555,291 (18%) |
| Debt Elimination | Given: | Balance: \$37,463 | |
| Through Worship | 8:30am | 11:00am | Total Avg. |
| Avg. Wkly Attend. | 135 | 79 | 229 |
| Through Formation | | | |
| Avg. Sm Gp Attend | 98 | | |
| Through Service | | | |
| Avg. Weekly Participation | 52 | | |

Sharing our resources – time, talent and treasure, is our grateful response to God's generous grace.

Front Royal United Methodist Church Is a Safe Sanctuary

Our "**Power of Two**" policy simply states that no child be left alone anywhere in the church or on a church related activity. It is expected that children will be accompanied at all times, preferably by the parent, guardian or responsible party. If an adult (not including a parent or guardian) is left alone with a child, the adult and child should move to the company of others. In addition, any inappropriate behavior on behalf of an adult or child should immediately be reported to the Church Pastor and/or the Director of Education.

At 8:30 a.m. our "**Service of Word and Table**" is centered around the Lord's Table and blends all forms of music styles and traditions in participatory worship.

At 11:00 a.m. our "**Liturgical Service**" is based on the order of Worship found in the **United Methodist Book of Worship**. It features the pipe organ, choir & liturgy.

Virginia Conference Bishop: Rev. Dr. Young Jin Cho

Winchester District Superintendent: Rev. Larry Thompson

Ministers: The Entire Congregation

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The bulletin deadline is Wednesdays at noon.

"Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."

-Luke 24:36b (NRSV)



Front Royal United Methodist Church

Worship 8:30 & 11:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am

April 19, 2015

Connect...Love...Serve

FRUMC Purpose

Front Royal United Methodist Church is called:
to *Connect* to God and others,
to *Serve* community near and far in *Love*,
and to *Live* the *Journey* together in Christ.

Welcome! We are especially pleased to have guests worshipping with us and encourage you to consider this community of faith as your very own. Please sign the pew register. Our **professional nursery** for infants-age 3 is available on the first floor in the Education Building "Duck Room." **Large print bulletins, hymnals and pew Bibles** are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Please remember the following persons in your daily prayers this week: William Murphy and George Mathews.

Please be constant in prayer for our infirmed and homebound: Dorothy Scott, Helen Seekford, Carrie Baker, Pauline Woodward, Clemence Bruce, Kathryn Hall, Marybeth Quist, Rosalie Baldwin, Kathrine Biggs, Ida Dehner, O'Neal Foglesong, Grace Green and Herbert McCall.

Please remember when you hear or know of a member of our church family who is hospitalized to please call the church office and let the pastor know.

Anyone who would like to be on the **Phone Prayer Chain**, please call Jewel North at 635-3343. If you would like to be on **Email Prayer Chain**, please contact Pastor Denise.

Prayers for our Missionaries: Clara Biswas (Cambodia) and Anne Kolbe (VIM Cambodia).

Let us remember those in our church family and those close to our hearts who have died. May we all remember the words of Jesus who said: *"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted"* (Matthew 5:4) **Families of all service persons.**

Let us remember those who are serving overseas currently and please say a special prayer for them.

Please visit the Church website at www.frumc.org. You can watch missed worship services, check the calendar for upcoming events, sign up for Bible studies and small groups, see important announcements, and more.

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| Greeters: | 8:30 – Susan Schall & Janet Harshman 11:00 – Arnold & Phyllis Williams |
| Crucifer: | 8:30 – Madelyn Sperling |
| Acolytes: | 8:30 – |
| Ushers: | 8:30 – Harold Ford 11:00 – Jim Alexander |
| Readers: | 8:30 – 11:00 – Dee Pendley |

Pastor Denise will be on vacation 4/13/15 - 4/23/15. Rev. Sherry Waddell will be providing coverage for pastoral emergencies. Please contact the church office or Susan Schall, SPRC chair, if you have any needs.

The **UMW** will be hosting the **Coffee Hour** today following the 8:30 a.m. service at the Wesley Café, located in the Fellowship Hall.

Free Concert today at Skyline High School at 3:00 p.m. Come out and hear the award winning Skyline High School Concert and Jazz Bands. These bands feature many students from our congregation, and will be the last concert performance by Ben and Max Bieryla and Collin Finnell.

April 26th at 3pm, Mike Maher, on the faculty of Shenandoah University, will be presenting a program of **Appalachian music** performed on the piano. The afternoon will include fiddle tunes adapted for the piano, oldtime hymns and Appalachian ballads in both traditional and more modern settings. Guaranteed to have you tapping your toes, humming along and occasionally scratching your head! Free will offering will be accepted.

UMW meeting – April 21st at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall beginning with lunch by the "Sarahs" followed by a program on "Social Growth" led by Rita Biggs. All ladies are invited.

Bishop Cho is asking our churches in the Virginia Conference to observe World Malaria Day, Saturday, April 25th by selling lemonade to raise money for **"Imagine No Malaria"** and sip your way to saving lives. We will have a lemonade stand outside the church on Royal Avenue from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. We need help in making and selling lemonade and interacting with guests coming to support us. Sign up in the office if you are willing to help. Plan to come and support our project to end Malaria.

The ASP Mission Team is having another **Sub sale**. Subs are \$6.00 and can be picked up on Sunday, April 26th after each service. Order forms are in the church office and on the welcome tables in the Sanctuary. You can also place orders with any team member. Special orders are welcome. Thank you so much for your support.

The Mother/Daughter Banquet will be May 19th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Overlook Benefit Golf Tournament. Proceeds are designated to fund remodeling of the last campers' cabin with new bathrooms, roof, and siding. Keeping the spirit of Memorial Day week, the tournament will provide opportunity to lift up the memory of those we appreciate through a special hole sponsor. More information is available in the church office.

It is spring cleaning time. Save all those unused and unneeded items for the **UMW Annual Indoor Yard Sale** in the Fellowship Hall on June 5th & 6th. Children's clothes and toys are accepted, but **no adult clothing**.

Kits for Conference – This year we are emphasizing health kits and school kits. You may bring individual items for the health and school kits or contribute money to buy items needed to complete them and for shipping. Updated instructions for the kits are in the back windows. Boxes for receiving kits and items will be in the Sanctuary and on the bench outside the office. If you wish to contribute cash please place it in an envelope and put in the receiving boxes. If writing a check, make it payable to FRUMC, marked Kits for Conference and place in offering plate. All kits and items are due by May 31st in order to get them assembled and boxed prior to Annual Conference which is June 19th-21st. We will keep you apprised of items most needed as we go along.

The Mission Box offering for **April** will be donated to the **Red Bird Christian School**. Any contribution you make to the Mission Box is greatly appreciated! The jar located on top of the Mission Box supports programs led by Clara Biswas.

For your mobile/online giving

