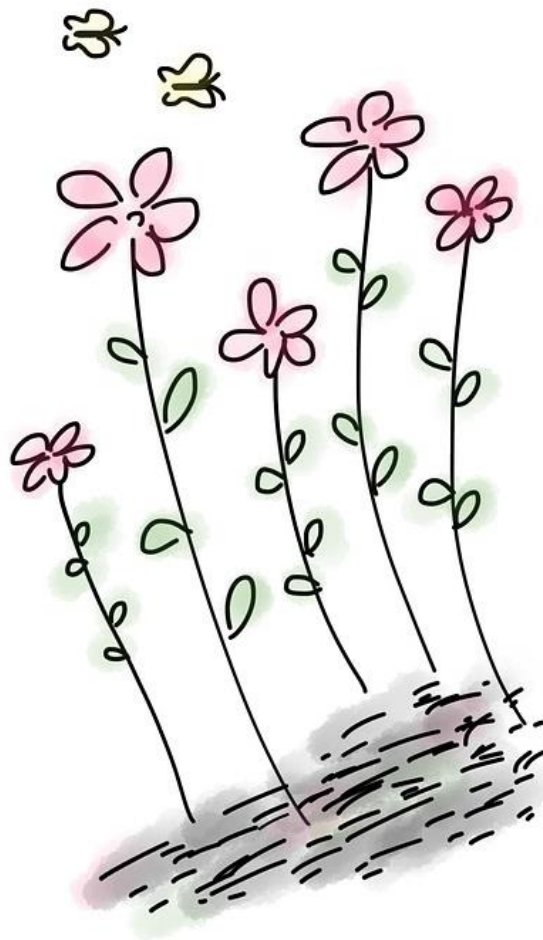


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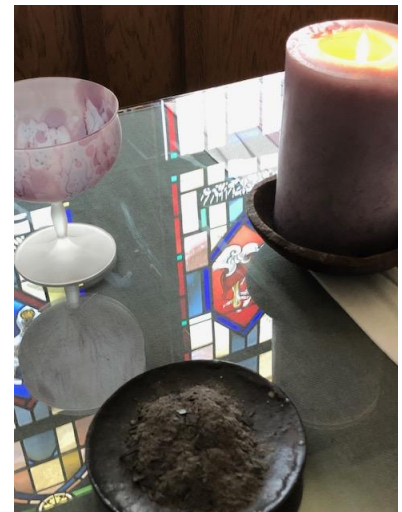
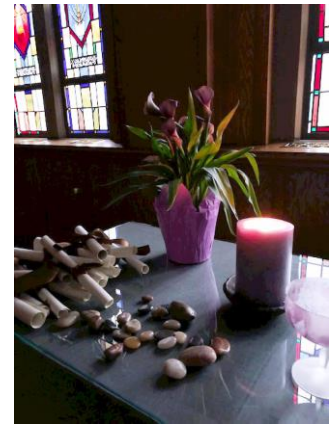
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FROM THE PASTOR

***What a glorious Lenten season, Holy Week and Easter we shared here.
The varied voices leading each service, the sharing of the loaf and cup
at the Table, the proclamation in word and song...
God has been gracious along this sacred journey.***





SUMMIT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Jefferson School • 110 Ashwood Avenue • Summit, New Jersey 07901-3899 • 908-273-3807

Dr. Joseph A. Cordero, Principal

April 9, 2019

United Methodist Church of Summit
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Dear Congregation:

I would like to thank you for your continued generosity during the Easter Holiday. It means so much for our families who find themselves in need, to receive support from the community in which they live. To know that others around you care can make all the difference.

Thank you for continuing to assist our Jefferson family. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Dr. Joseph Cordero
Principal

THANK YOU!

Thank you so much to everyone who contributed to the
Jefferson School Easter Dinners. Your response was overwhelming!

With your help, ten families were able to enjoy Easter dinner.

This year marked our tenth year of this vital ministry!

We look forward to helping more families in the future.

– *The Jefferson School Committee*

From the Outreach Committee:

The Summit UMC Outreach Committee has been considering **mission opportunities** for our congregation. One such opportunity is the **Christian Outreach Project (COP)** in Sussex County, NJ. COP is an opportunity for youth and adults to help others who are in need and to join in Christian fellowship.

For one week each summer COP sends groups to houses in communities in Northwest NJ to provide housing repairs to homeowners who are unable to handle the projects themselves.

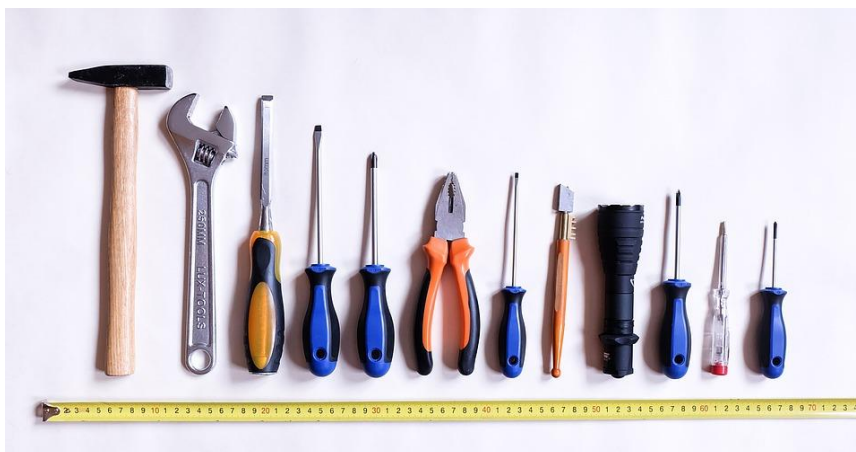
Participants reside for a week at a Girl Scout camp outside

Newton, NJ. From the camp, they take day trips to help elderly and/or disabled homeowners in need. Projects range from roofing to wheelchair ramps to floors and walls to painting and gardening. In the evening campers participate in regular camp activities. There is time dedicated to reflection and prayer, also. The program is open to adults and to high school youth who have completed 9th-12th grade and who are 14 years old by the time camp begins.

Although the registration deadline for the 2019 COP experience has passed, we wanted to bring this opportunity to the attention of our members who might want to consider attending in 2020. COP usually takes place in late June into early July.

Further information is available on the COP website (www.christianoutreachproject.org). If there is interest, the Outreach Committee will host an informational meeting about the COP experience. A member of our congregation who has attended the program and is involved in running it is willing to attend the meeting to answer questions and provide information.

If you are interested in learning more about COP, please contact Marg Edwards (margaret.r.edwards@gmail.com) or call the church office (908 277-1700).



WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

TAIZE SERVICE

Breathe. Be still. Let the Spirit fill you.

Join us on Wednesday May 1st

at 7pm for a time of

music and prayer

in the Chapel.

(DeForest Avenue entrance)

Breathe. Be still. Be filled.



"Came to Believe"

A Worship Service for
Friends and Members of the Recovery Community

On Sunday, May 5, at 8:30 am in the Chapel
(DeForest Avenue Entrance)

All are welcome!



FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

We offer our condolences to the **LaJeunesse family** on the death of Jayme's mother, **Jaye**.

We also extend our heartfelt sympathy to the **Koernig family** on the death of **Dorothy McGiffin**.



OPEN MIC NIGHT

Friday, May 31, 2019

Doors open at 8:00pm (*in the Social Hall*)

Bring your talent along to our monthly '**Open Mic Nights**'.

In the intimate, safe and loving environment of the UMC Summit's Social Hall, let your talents run free and allow the community of Summit to enjoy what you like to express!

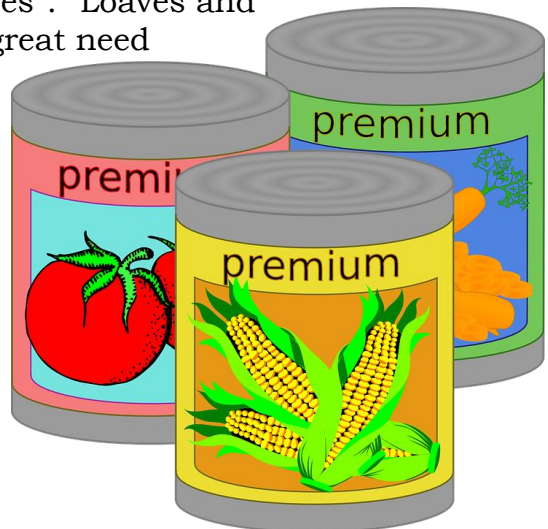
If you would like to perform, just drop us a line at umcopenmicnight@gmail.com or call the office at (908) 277-1700.

LOAVES AND FISHES

On **the first Sunday of each month**, we invite you to bring nonperishable food items to worship, that we might feed others!

We deliver your donations to "Loaves and Fishes". "Loaves and Fishes" is a vital ministry of care for those in great need and is located at St. Teresa's Roman Catholic Church, Summit, NJ.

If you wish to contribute, you can bring - **perishable food** to the sanctuary on the first Sunday of each month, or you can leave bags in the kitchen (on the steps to the pantry) at any time.



MUSIC NOTES

I would like to thank our Music Makers for their dedication and devotion to their church and to the glory of God.

Heartfelt gratitude for sharing your wonderful gifts of music throughout Lent and Holy Week and culminating with a glorious Easter Festival worship.

SINGING BELIEVERS

Adam Daniel
Vanessa Feltis
Caroline Relf
Oliver Relf
Joshua Reyes
Felix Schneck

HANDBELL CHOIR

Gregg Buttermore
Adam Daniel
Lucas Daniel
Sarah Daniel
Kim Goldman
Isabel Gonzalez
Ximenita Gonzalez
Latonia Hall
Lois Honchurak
Adrian Phillips
Joshua Reyes
Carol Tanner
William Teubner

CONTEMPORARY ENSEMBLE

Beverly Alexis
Gregg Buttermore
Ximenita Gonzalez
Emily La Jeunesse
Jayme La Jeunesse
Carol Tanner
William Teubner

INSTRUMENTAL SOLOISTS

Jocelyn Gallinek, *Flute*
Poppy Schneck, *Harp*
William Teubner, *Trumpet*

CHANCEL CHOIR

Soprano

Jean Dembaugh
Margaret Edwards
Bernice Griffith
Latonia Hall
Emily La Jeunesse
Shela Waldron

Alto

Beverly Alexis
Ximenita Gonzalez

Tenor

Gregg Buttermore
William Dembaugh
Parker La Jeunesse
Kuda Mtisi

Bass

Thomas Benton
William Edwards
William Glancy
Neil Johnson
Jayme La Jeunesse
Adrian Phillips
Dwayne Phillips
William Teubner

--Joanne Teubner Prussak,
Music Director



MUSIC NOTES

Joanne Teubner Prussak, *Music Director*

“May the God who gives endurance and encouragement, give you a spirit of unity as you follow Christ Jesus, so that with one heart and voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ”

– Romans 15:5

Singing Believers

Come and sing the joyful songs to God. Let us grow together in our faith through music. **Rehearsals are at 1:00pm on Saturdays in the Music Room.**

Contemporary Ensemble

Our Contemporary Ensemble is studying music from the contemporary hymnals “The Faith We Sing” and “Worship and Song”. **Rehearsals are Sundays at 12:15pm in the Music Room.** Come and share your musical gifts and enrich your faith.

Bell Choir

Making a joyful sound is the mission of our Bell Choir. This is a good time to come and try ringing hand bells and hand chimes with your friends at church. **Rehearsals are Sundays at 11:45am in the Sanctuary.**

Chancel Choir

Won’t you come and join us as we sing joyful songs to our Lord? It’s a joy to work together and lift your voices in praise. **Our regular rehearsals are on Sunday mornings at 9:30am in the Music Room.**

*Come! There is power and importance
in sharing your faith through music.*

MAY

"To Do" List:

MEETINGS:

MINISTRY:

Taize Service – 5/1

Came to Believe Service – 5/5

Family Promise Guests – 5/5 - 5/12

Loaves and Fishes –
donations accepted the first Sunday of each month

Knitting Ministry – Thursdays and Fridays

AND MORE:

Open Mic Night – 5/31

CELEBRATE IN MAY

DATE	BIRTHDAYS	ANNIVERSARIES
1	Dorothy Koernig	
2		
3		
4		
5	Leslie Williams	
6		<i>Steffi and Nick Mansilla</i>
7		
8		
9		<i>Alison and Neil Johnson</i>
10	Ann Houpt	<i>Kim and Eric Goldman</i> <i>Kenny James and Alicia Solomon</i>
11		<i>Dan and Mary Jane Somers</i>
12		
13		
14		
15	Bryson James	
16	Austin Fern Nick Mansilla	
17	Maria Hughes	
18	Carlos Aguilera	
19		
20	J. Clyde Branson	
21		
22	Irma George	
23		
24	Bette McDermott Camille Tasse	
25	Benjamin Burns Kimberly Vida	
26	Gabriella Tasse	
27		
28		<i>Susan and Scott Daniel</i> <i>Bob and Dotti Zotti</i>
29	Doug Rockoff	
30	Dwayne Phillips	
31	Robert Somers	

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
SUNDAY SCHEDULE: 9:30am – Sunday School (all grades) 9:30am – Chancel Choir 10:30am – Worship 11:30am – Fellowship and Refreshments 11:45am – Bell Choir 12:15pm – Contemporary Ensemble			1 Taize Service 7:00pm (Chapel)	2 Knitting Ministry 1:00pm (Fellowship Room)	3 Knitting Ministry 7:00pm (Fellowship Room)	4 Singing Believers – 1:00pm
5 Came to Believe – 8:30am (Chapel) Family Promise Guests Arrive	6	7	8	9 Knitting Ministry 1:00pm (Fellowship Room)	10 Knitting Ministry 7:00pm (Fellowship Room)	11 Singing Believers – 1:00pm
12 Family Promise Guests Leave	13	14	15	16 Knitting Ministry 1:00pm (Fellowship Room)	17 Knitting Ministry 7:00pm (Fellowship Room)	18 Singing Believers – 1:00pm
19	20	21	22	23 Knitting Ministry 1:00pm (Fellowship Room)	24 Knitting Ministry 7:00pm (Fellowship Room)	25 Singing Believers – 1:00pm
26	27 Memorial Day Office is Closed	28	29	30 Knitting Ministry 1:00pm (Fellowship Room)	31 Knitting Ministry 7:00pm (Fellowship Room) Open Mic Night – 8:00pm	