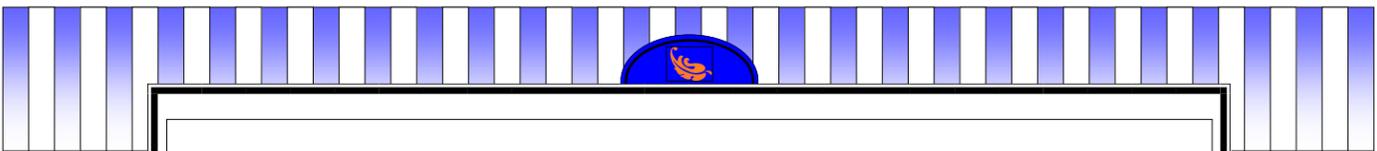


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What If? #WhatIfWV
Fast. Pray. Listen. Respond.

What if each clergy and lay person in the West Virginia Conference made time to intentionally fast, pray, listen and respond to God’s call on our lives, individually and as the church? #WhatIfWV

What if we intentionally entered into these spiritual practices to offer God’s love, grace and healing power to those being affected by the substance abuse epidemic? #WhatIfWV

What if we did this over the Lenten season in order to seek God’s direction for how we as individuals and congregations can respond to this crisis in a way that offers life? #WhatIfWV

There is no reason not to do this! Financially, it costs nothing. To enter into this process does not require another night out for meetings. #WhatIfWV

What does this require of us? It requires that each Christian set aside time to listen for God’s call on each of our lives. #WhatIfWV

What if in this Lenten season we really listened and responded? We might just be a part of God’s life- giving resurrection to a person, a family, a community, a world!

Look for registration information for #WhatIfWV retreats in your district, study tools and bulletin supplements offering guidance on prayer, fasting, listening and responding, as well as practical ways to carry this forward throughout the West Virginia Annual Conference.

We also look forward to hearing #WhatIfWV stories from your families, churches, neighborhoods and communities through our social media channels! Continue to follow the West Virginia Annual Conference on Facebook and WVUMC.org

Dear Friends,

The season of Lent is a time ripe for reflection on the mysteries of our faith. Once again, we are invited to join Jesus on his journey toward Jerusalem, to accompany him to Calvary, to wait quietly at the Tomb, and to know the glory of his Resurrection, which he shares with us.

The Gospel for Ash Wednesday reminds us that, underneath the rich outward symbols of this season of grace, Lent is an inward journey: “But when you pray, go to your inner room, close the door, and pray to your Father in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will repay you.” (Mt.6:6)

When we allow, therefore, this spirit of reconciliation to permeate our lives, we can identify with the Lenten story of the Prodigal in the Scriptures. We who were dead “come to life again”; we who were lost “are now found” by our Father who wants to “celebrate and rejoice” with us. (Lk.15:32)

Indeed this is the ripe time in which to find ourselves inwardly and wholly in God’s mystery of grace. As we journey in Lent, let us be a people of glory! Let us inwardly digest God’s grace so that we may truly come alive on Easter morning! Let us declare with our reflections and examinations, “We are alive forever more in God’s grace!”

Take full advantage then of all Lent has to offer. Leave nothing unstirred and unquestioned. Seek fully the glory of God’s grace and come to the living water that will not perish, but gives abundantly!

Shalom,

Pastor Tim



Gabriel Project of West Virginia
 Fayetteville Center
 401 W. Maple Ave.
 Fayetteville, WV 25840



Formula February

The Fayetteville Center of The Gabriel Project of WV needs baby formula to help needy babies get a safe and healthy start in life. We have launched a **FORMULA DRIVE** during the month of February. We are hoping that you will help us by donating formula. All formula collected will be distributed to our clients here at the Fayetteville Center.

What is The Gabriel Project? The Gabriel Project was created in 1997 and currently has centers located in 30+ counties of WV. We help the needy custodial parent of babies under 3 years of age by providing baby items such as diapers, wipes, formula, car seats, and many other items free of charge. The Fayetteville Center opened in Sept. 2016 and during 2017 provided help during 657 client visits and gave away 1057 packs of diapers, 260 cans of formula, 1027 packs of wipes, and much more.

What formula is needed? 12 OZ. CANS OF POWDERED **SIMILAC**

Our clients receive Similac at the hospital when the baby is born. Most, if not all, receive help from WIC that enables them to obtain Similac at the store. They don't want to change types unless directed to by the doctor. The prices we are paying for Similac at WalMart are as follows:

Blue can	Orange can	Purple can	Green can
\$16.77/12 OZ.	\$16.77/12 OZ.	\$17.47/12 OZ.	\$17.47/12 OZ.

How can YOU donate formula? IT'S EASY!

Simply go to your local store and purchase a can (or two) and bring them to the center, at the Fayetteville Presbyterian Church, and leave the donation at the Gabriel door or on the back porch. You can also order on-line and have your donation delivered to at the address above.

If you decide to donate to us, GOD Bless You!

If you decide to not donate to us, GOD Bless You!

WE could also use donated baby clothes sized N – 5T!!



Chad Cox	1 st		
Nicole Brown	5 th	Mal Parker	17 th
Jonathan Wilhelm	6 th	Lauren Weatherford	18 th
Toni Polato	6 th	Tim Bleigh	18 th
Kay Bess	7 th	Jaden Lewis	20 th
Marlana Ivey	7 th	Eric Griffith	21 st
Robert Jeffries	7 th	Ellie Groves	22 nd
Janette Woodrum	8 th	Isaac Tomlin	23 rd
Kay Jeffries	11 th	Claude Bess	24 th
Kelli Morrison-Brown	13 th	Joe Howard	27 th
Evelyn Clay	14 th		
Joan Blume	14 th		



Shannon & Carrie Murrell	7 th
Gary & Kay Jefferies	12 th
Libby Tomlin & Eddie Whittaker	24 rd

Especially during Cold & Flu season, please be mindful about coming to Sunday School or church if you are not feeling well. This is especially important for our children and our older adults. Don't forget, there is hand sanitizer available at FUMC in the narthex and downstairs in Friendship Hall, the kitchen, and the nursery. At Doggett Chapel, there is hand sanitizer available in the back of the Sanctuary.

DOGGETT CHAPEL UMC

*At Doggett Chapel we seek to make disciples of Jesus Christ by having & practicing
Open Hearts Open Minds Open Doors*

Doggett Chapel web site, check it out at
www.doggettchapel.com
& on facebook at:
Doggett Chapel

*Doggett Chapel has a Bible Discussion Group
on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm.
Everyone is welcome to attend.*

Reminder.....

*There will be **NO** Chili Feed for the months of February and March.
We plan on having it Thursday, April 12th.*



We are gathering information for the March newsletter. If you have any announcements or articles you would like to add, please call the church office, or leave it on office desk, or e-mail them to the church at fayettevilleumc@frontier.com by **February 23rd**.

Responding to Violence in Faith Based Organizations

Tuesday, February 6 at 6:00pm
Grace Baptist Church

If you are interested in going please see Tim for more information.



We are continuing to collect 2lb bags of pinto beans for the Food Pantry. If you are able to participate in this food drive there will be a box in the Narthex for you to put the beans in.
Thank you for your help!



February 14th at 7:00pm

Join us for Ash Wednesday as we observe the beginning of the penitential season of Lent. The service will include a litany of penitence and the imposition of ashes.

Fayetteville Baptist Church

sponsors a time of prayer for our nation, and a light lunch on the first Thursdays of each month.
Everyone is welcome to attend on any month.
It begins at noon.





From Membership To DISCIPLESHIP

Part 1 Foundations

This session will introduce your discipleship team to a core definition for discipleship, differentiate between discipleship and Christian Education, describe six dimensions of life lived as a disciple, present a flow of moving disciples toward maturity, and introduce the Discipleship Growth Survey as a tool to support personal discovery and opportunities for congregational growth.

Part 2 Movements

Differentiate between membership and discipleship, make observations about the movement toward maturity, identify catalysts for spiritual growth, explore the practices necessary to move a disciple toward maturity between each of the phases of development.

Part 3 Discipleship as a Contact Sport

Discipleship is not a one-size fits-all but it does require a relational component. Explore a variety of discipling relationships, the value of each, and where each best fits in the discipleship process.

Part 4 Equipping for Transformation (How we support the Discipling Process)

Discover what types of relationships and educational support work best for supporting disciples in the various phases of development. Understand the five components every disciple needs to grow and how the church can help.

Part 5 Building an Intentional Discipleship Process

Learning from the best in history, participants identify the key elements of a transformational discipleship process, identify strengths and gaps in their current context, and build a plan for moving forward.

Forrest Burdette UMC, Hurricane ◊ LIVE in person location

Simulcast Locations:

St. Luke's UMC, Craigsville	Canaan Valley Conference Center
Lewisburg UMC, Lewisburg	Main Street UMC, Petersburg
Stout Memorial UMC, Parkersburg	United Methodist Temple, Beckley
Gateway UMC, Fairmont	Duff Street UMC, Clarksburg
Christ UMC, Wheeling	

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Saturday - February 10, 2018

Register Now at: <http://conta.cc/2hMfDuK>

For more information see Les Fish.

A Lenten Prayer

God, heavenly Father, look upon me and hear my prayer during this holy Season of Lent. By the good works You inspire, help me to discipline my body and to be renewed in spirit.

Without You I can do nothing. By Your Spirit help me to know what is right and to be eager in doing Your will. Teach me to find new life through penance. Keep me from sin, and help me live by Your commandment of love.

God of love, bring me back to You. Send Your Spirit to make me strong in faith and active in good works. May my acts of penance bring me Your forgiveness, open my heart to Your love, and prepare me for the coming feast of the Resurrection of Jesus.

Lord, during this Lenten Season,

nourish me with Your Word of life and make me one with You in love and prayer.

Fill my heart with Your love and keep me faithful to the Gospel of Christ. Give me the grace to rise above my human weakness. Give me new life by Your Sacraments, especially the Mass.

Father, our source of life, I reach out with joy to grasp Your hand; let me walk more readily in Your ways.

Guide me in Your gentle mercy, for left to myself I cannot do Your Will.

Father of love, source of all blessings, help me to pass from my old life of sin to the new life of grace.

Prepare me for the glory of Your Kingdom. I ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever. Amen.



Christian Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of
Porter Lewis
who entered eternal life on January 22, 2018



Christian Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of
Donald "Hud" Hudspeth
who entered eternal life on January 21, 2018

Donald was the father –in-law of Beth Hudspeth