APRIL - MAY 2025 NEWSLETTER

Whaleyville Methodist Church

Small Church Big Heart

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM SUNDAY WORSHIP 11:00 AM

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST SAT. APR 5 & MAY 3 Fellowship Hall - 8am

EASTER EGG HUNT SUN, APRIL 13 After worship rain or shine

EASTER LILIES Memorial Cards due April 13 Lily drop off April 13-19

EASTER SERVICES Sunrise Service - 7am. outside **Refreshments to follow** Easter Worship - 11am

SPRING PLANT SALE Pre-sale orders due April 27

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING SUN, MAY 4 - After service

WM WOMEN'S MTG SUN, MAY 18 - After service

DONATE ELECTRONICALLY! Just scan the QR code with your cell phone camera





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"Feed the Need"

Looking at these snow laden pictures, it's hard to believe that the day we dedicated the new WMC Non-Perishable Food Pantry, it was actually 60 degrees! What a blessing it was to pray over this new endeavor and stock the pantry with food and Bibles for the community. As one part of the new Community Kitchen Ministry, we are looking for donations of non-perishable food items to keep the food pantry stocked. We will be having food collections throughout the



Stocking the Pantry

year and encouraging people to bring in donated canned goods when they come to the community breakfasts or pasta dinners. Whether physically or spiritually, we are hoping to "Feed the Need" here in Whaleyville. If you have ideas on how this ministry can grow and serve the community, please consider joining the

Food Pantry Dedication February 23, 2025

team! - IR

KIDS EASTER EGG HUNT Sunday, April 13 Following service Indoors if raining





varieties you want. Quantities and varieties will be limited the day of the sale. Checks can be made payable to: Whaleyville Methodist Women and given to Jen along with your order form. Order forms are available in the Narthex and due by April 27.



This new ministry is aimed at helping to feed those locally in need through the nonperishable food pantry out front and other food distribution initiatives. If you are interested in being a part of this budding ministry or have ideas to share, please let Jen know. Check the bulletin for upcoming CK meeting dates and service opportunities.

Bible Study Weds Nights 6:30pm In-person and on Google Meet



Hygiene Kit Collection

The women's group is putting together hygiene kits this spring for those in need. Donations of items will continue throughout the month of April. Some items include: unused hotel soaps, shampoos, & lotions, toothbrushes & toothbrush caps, deodorant, and feminine products. A list of items is in the Narthex

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April - May Service Schedule

	Apr 6	Apr 13	Apr 20	Apr 27	May 4	May 11	May 18	May 25
Sunday School	Holland	Jen	Sherry	Holland	Clyde	Sherry	Jen	Holland
Worship Leader	Scott	Jen	Jen	Jen	Jen	Shelton	Clyde	Scott
Message	Scott	Shelton	Jen	Guest	Dawn	Holland	Clyde	Alyss
Liturgist	Dawn	Holland	Scott	Rich	Demetrius	Clyde	John	Sherry
Ushers	Robin/ Sherry	Rich/ Michael	Demetrius/ Clyde	Holland/ Michael	Dawn/ Sherry	Sherry/ Sheila	Demetrius/ Arlene	Rich/Arlene
PowerPoint	Dawn	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Jen	Dawn
Acolyte	Demetrius	Michael	Demetrius	Michael	Demetrius	Michael	Demetrius	Michael
Greeter	Robin	Demetrius	Dawn	Alyss	Sherry	Sheila	Robin	Arlene
Communion	Rich				Demetrius			

If you would like to serve in our worship ministry, please contact Jennifer at jenrennie3@gmail.com



Each year on Easter we adorn the altar with beautiful Easter lilies that have been donated in memory of deceased loved ones. Here are important dates to remember regarding the Easter lilies...

March 23 - Easter Lily Memorial Cards are available to fill out on the front pew in the sanctuary. There is a basket on the front pew to put your completed cards in. Please fill out one card per lily you wish to donate.

April 13 - Easter Lily Memorial Cards must be turned in by the 13th to ensure they are in the Easter bulletin.

April 13 - April 19 - Drop off donated lilies at the church during this week.







