



The Nine Rivers District

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Announcements for 6/27/2024

1. Important dates to remember in the District:
7/4 District office CLOSED
7/25-8/2 Jennifer on vacation, so call Joe before making trip to Charleston to come to the office
8/11 District Conference 3pm St. John (Scott Depot)
2. New places to visit about what is going on in the district.
Website: <https://nineriverswvumc.org/>
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100086488280134>
3. Reminder Pension Payments need to be paid up by mid-June because the Conference Treasurers office is moving to automatic withdraw from churches accounts. The billable church will get the draft. You can check out the Conference website for withdraw dates at the link that has been included.
<https://www.wvumc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Insurance-Pension-Schedule.pdf>
4. The Nine Rivers District LEAD Team will be going around visiting each church in the District in 2024 to get to know each church. The pastor and or Lay Leader will be contacted.
5. *Ebenezer Community Outreach* Huntington **NEEDS A VAN**: The job of Mission Director is non-stop. Celes Sheffield at Ebenezer Community Outreach has run her vehicle into the ground over the past 20 years driving to Conference meetings, ingathering's and speaking events. The Mission needs a seven-passenger van to make these long trips and avoid rental costs. Perhaps someone in your congregations is downsizing or has a spare van in really good condition. If so, contact Ebenezer Community Outreach Director, Celes Sheffield at (304) 617-6967.
6. Baptismal pool is needed (this can be a portable one also) please call Pastor Bo Terrell in Charleston at 304-993-6868.
7. From Below Water Crises letter in the Southern District **see attached PDF**
8. Kanawha Pastoral Counseling Center is Excited to Announce Our New Satellite Office in Huntington! If you would like to begin counseling at the Huntington office or any of convenient locations, call us today to *Take the Next Step Toward Wellness*. 304-346-9689. **Please see attached flyer.**
9. Early Response Team (ERT) Training is scheduled for Saturday, July 20 @ Cross Lanes UMC from 8:30-5pm and the \$25 registration fee gets you lunch and a T-shirt. Click the link to register [Early Response Team Trainings Coming Up! | West Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church \(wvumc.org\)](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES within our Churches

10. St. Marks is seeking a Director of Music - it is a part-time, salaried position. PDF is also attached. <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1WU7rL2S7yD11imIr1HFijBEMZlhZPuSZ/edit?usp=sharing&oid=103520330167683872543&rtpof=true&sd=true>

11. Elizabeth Memorial is looking for a Nursery Attendant please see attached info.

12. THE GROWING PLACE IS HIRING ALL POSITIONS

Christ Church UMC Preschool – The Growing Place has several openings in a variety of positions: We are in need of a new Supervisor/Lead, and Teachers and aides for all classrooms. Job announcements for the positions including salary ranges are included in this email.

If you or someone you know is interested in one of these positions, please contact us. You are invited to share the job descriptions within your network of friends and family. Interested parties may contact Shannah at 304-342-0192 or email shannah@ccumwv.org

13. St Andrew UMC is looking for a *Director of Children, Youth, and Families* we are a neighborhood congregation that is excited about a new season of ministry. In this period of rebuilding after the COVID-19 pandemic, we are seeking to hire a full-time Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries to partner with us in making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Prospective candidates should possess the following qualifications:

1. Be a growing disciple of Jesus Christ.
2. Be fully engaged in the life of the St Andrew UMC.
3. Be committed to historic Christian practices and beliefs with willingness to endorse and teach the distinct features of the United Methodist tradition.
4. Possess a four-year degree, certification in an area related to Christian ministry, or willingness to complete certification in an area of Christian ministry.
5. Clearance of criminal background checks.
6. Willingness to promote and encourage a culture of inclusion and diversity for all students and families regardless of race, gender, or sexual orientation.
7. Commit to maintaining a positive influence on the youth of St Andrew UMC and the surrounding community by establishing healthy boundaries and maintaining a strong Christian witness.

Compensation and benefits will be commensurate with education and experience. Interested parties are encouraged to submit a resume at standrewumcwv@gmail.com. You may also contact the church office with additional questions: 304-727-7114

14. *Christ Church* United Methodist is now hiring teachers and aides for its preschool/child care program? Morning and afternoon positions are available. Interested parties may contact Shannah at 304-342-0192 or email shannah@ccumwv.org .

15. Dunbar UMC is looking for a Director of Children and Youth Ministry. This is a part-time status with 15 hrs per week and the salary is \$12 an hour and is negotiable based on experience. Please see attached PDF for description and responsibilities.

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Custodian Part Time

Christ Church United Methodist
Charleston, WV, USA

- 🕒 \$12 Hourly
- 🏠 Part-Time

Part time Custodial Services needed for Preschool cleaning Monday through Friday from 6 pm to 10 pm. Observe all Kanawha County school holidays and closings. Looking for a team of 2 individuals to take great care and ownership of the preschool space and its suitability for our children. Attention to detail, a sense of the importance of maintaining a clean environment, controlling germs, and dependability in attendance is required. \$12 per hour starting pay. A great working environment and a team of staff that support each other like family is what you can expect. Every position and every person is important to us and plays a vital role in the health and well being of our organization and our ability to service our community.

17. Do you need to send a Thank You card or just a note to someone? Well, the District office has some cute blank card **FOR SALE** a 12 pack of blank greeting cards with artwork designed by children served by our Conference Mission Projects for \$10.00 a pack. Proceeds go toward the Mission Projects of our Conference. The picture below is of the artwork on each card.



18. **Prayer requests**.....We would like to include in our updates every week prayer requests from you. As a reminder we have to keep HIPAA in mind when doing this so please only send information with the permission of the individual for whom the request is being made.

19. 100% payout on DISTRICT Promotion FUND for 2023!

Beech Hill, Bellemead, Brown, Buffalo, Central, Clendenin, Community of Grace, Cox Landing, Emma Chapel, Glasgow, Hartford, Malden, Milton, Mount Union, Pea Ridge, Pleasant View, Poca, Reynolds, Simpson Memorial, St. Andrews, St. John (Rand), St. Paul (S. Charleston), St. Pauls (Nitro), Westmoreland, Winfield.

20. 100% Conference Apportionment payout for 2023!

If you or your church would like for us to add something to our Mid Week Announcements let us know by calling 304-342-8843, Fax 304-342-2493 or email us at jmgoldizen@wvumc.org or ninerivers@wvumc.org I need all announcements by Wed. @ 9AM of each week.

Nine Rivers District Youth Info & Asbury Woods Camp info:

21. Fall Workshop is November 22-24, 2024



ASBURY WOODS PRESENTS:

DARE TO BE Different

Middle/High School Camp
June 30th-July 4th
Drop off: 3:00 pm
Pick Up: Noon

Camp Store- Messy Games - Small Groups- Games - Friendship- Prizes - Campfire- Worship and Much More

Asbury Woods:
Where the stars shine brighter
Laughs are lighter
& Love Runs Deeper

Scan QR code to See Early Bird Discounts & to Register

Questions: Contact Dean
Schauna Chambers 304-634-9684

The poster features a black background with a bright green abstract shape in the top left and a purple shape in the bottom right. It includes a QR code, a pink starburst, and a blue starburst. The bottom section shows a collage of various fish, with one prominent green fish.



ABSURY WOODS

HYMNAL DONATION

any amount is appreciated

PLEASE DONATE TO:
Asbury Woods Methodist Camp

The poster has a teal background with a white central box. It features yellow stars and a yellow megaphone with a blue sound effect. The text is in bold, orange and white fonts.

Asbury Woods Camp is looking for Hymnals if you have any to spare let Chris Thomas know at 304-741-5747.

Asbury Woods

OLDER ELEMENTARY CAMP

14-19 JULY 2024



3RD-5TH GRADES | \$250 | OVERNIGHT CAMP
JESUS USE ME TO: LEARN HOW WE CAN BE LIKE JESUS

Alexa Hensley

thensley0424@yahoo.com

ASBURY WOODS PRESENTS!

WILD LIFE

Where we find our How Wild it is to be love by God

**KINDERGARTEN - 2ND GRADE
DAY CAMP**
MONDAY JULY 15TH - THURSDAY 18TH
9 AM - 5 PM
FRIDAY JULY 19TH
9 AM - 5 PM FAMILY DINNER

For Any Questions Contact:
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