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**BULLETIN**  
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**Congratulations to Brayden Todd Cochran who was baptized this past Sunday!!!** Joining us for this very special day were Mom (Amy), Dad (Darian), older sister (Madeline), Godparents Uncle Steve and Aunt Eileen from Rye NY, uncles and aunts from Danville, CA and Buckhannon, WV, and grandparents and great-grandparents from NJ and WV. What a wonderful occasion to gather together with family!!

 **Praise Room Clean-Up Day!! Join us on Wednesday July 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 a.m. as we overhaul the Praise Room!! Pizza for lunch!!**

**Vacation Bible School!!** Registration forms are available online and also on the bulletin board directly across from the main office. VBS starts on Monday August 16 through Friday August 20<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to noon! Come join the fun!!

 **Your donations to Arlington Food Assistance Center (AFAC)** are greatly appreciated. We are continuously collecting non-perishable food items and cereal is especially needed. Please place your donations in the box located on the table next to the vending machine in the social

**MONDAY - THURSDAY PRAYER SERVICES**

 **Morning & Evening Prayer:** Daily prayer services are offered Monday thru Thursday at 6:30am, 9:00am and 6:30pm. On Wednesdays, prayers with laying of the hands and anointing with oil are offered for the sick. This is a wonderful opportunity to draw near to God as well as pray for yourself, your loved ones and the Church.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25. 8:30am Arise Worship Service 9:45am Sunday School 10:30am Summer Choir Rehearsal, 104 11am Worship service	26. 9:30am Women's Study, yth room 7:30pm Women's Study, yth room 7:30pm TRUSTEES, 206	27. 7pm Boy Scouts, SH 7pm Mandoleers, 108	28. 7pm EVANGELISM, Library 7:30pm Kiwanis Bd Mtg, 206	29.	30. 10am Coffee & Crafts, 108 8pm AA, 206	31. 7:30 am Murky Men 9am AFAC, room 108
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**Questions about any of the events listed in the calendar?? Call Tiffany in the office between 9-2pm**

**“The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice.”** *This Sunday is indeed the day that the Lord has made. We extend a warm welcome to all worshipers, especially those who are here for the first time. Please join us for fellowship downstairs after the worship service.*

**Assisting in Worship Today**  
**Usher:** Richard Barr.

**Please Remember in Prayer:** *Carol Campbell, Anna McCormick, Karen Altmeyer, Wayne Collins, Sandra Campbell, Jackie McCrockin, Diane Peters, Jeremy Overstreet, Charlotte Edelbrock, Lawton Cummings, Jennifer London, Gabriel Rodriguez Sr., Holly Carroll, Noreen Quill, Pete Adams, Naida Rudolph, Matincia Boliscar, Jane Dixon, Marilee Shively, Janet Hunt, and Noel Ramdass.*

**Lazy "Daze" of Summer** - Things are "heating up" at Clarendon with summer in full swing. Did you know that on July 11th we had **15 first time visitors** in one of our two services? God is sending people into our doors each week to discover the love of Christ....and we are His hands, feet and voice to welcome these new people. Look around each Sunday and find a new face to greet. Make a point of seeking out three new people to make contact with- It could make a difference in their life and the life of the church. This Sunday, July 25th, we will have a special contest during both social times after the service called "Meet and Greet Bingo". Prizes will be awarded. All ages will participate. Don't miss out. (Bring in bulletins from churches you have visited this summer and give to Trudy Ensign.)

**Attendance on 7/18 - 8:30am = 46 ; 11:00am = 122**

Come share in the worship, study and fellowship on **July 18th!** **Worship** 8:30 and 11:00 – the scripture reading is Luke 10: 38-42, Children’s Sunday School starts in the Praise Room at 9:45. Adult Sunday School includes Crusaders/Logos combo in Room 206; Homebuilders in Library; and Good News in Room 210. All are welcome to any of the classes.



Reserve your place for the next **Menus for Music Event: Jammin' and Jambalaya** on Friday, July 23 @ 7:00pm at the home of chez Sally Gabler and Ed Neunlist (200 N Liberty St., Arlington 22203). Join us for a delicious Louisiana-inspired buffet (including Teddy Saulmon's Heart Attack Cheese Grits). **You DO NOT want to miss Mike Bannach and the Clarendon Praise Band** performing afterwards!!! Suggested Donation: \$30. **RSVP by July 16** to [salgab@earthlink.net](mailto:salgab@earthlink.net) or (703) 312- 7904. Laissez les bons temps rouler!

**CUMC Women - Summer Reading.** Summer is a time to pick up a good book (or two), kick back and read. We are suggesting four books to read...along the theme of "Can one person really make a difference?". Each of these UMW books are ones where one (or maybe a group) made a difference in a hurting world. On Friday, **September 17th at 6:30 pm**, we will all meet for dinner and book chat to discuss the books. Some of the books are in the church library and can be checked out for free, others at the public library or purchased through Amazon or other book stores. The books are:

**Amish Grace: How Forgiveness Transcended Tragedy** by Donald B. Kraybill, Steven M Nolt, and David L. Weaver-Zercher.

**Three Cups of Tea: One Man's Mission to Promote Peace... One School at a Time** by Greg Mortenson

**The Road of Lost Innocence: As a girl she was sold into sexual slavery, but now she rescues others. The true story of a Cambodian heroine** by Somaly Mam

**A Monk in the Inner City: The ABC's of a Spiritual Journey** by Mary Lou Kownacki

If you have any questions, please contact Jane Dixon (703) 465-0341 or [jdixon580@aol.com](mailto:jdixon580@aol.com). And, happy reading!