

Clarendon Happenings

You're Invited: Networking & Support Event – Today

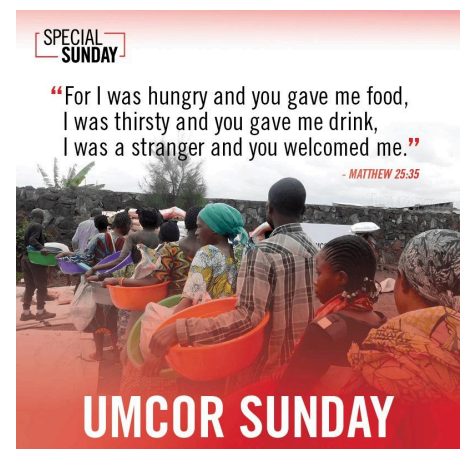
In times of change, community makes all the difference. Join us today at 11:15 AM, right after the service, for a special Networking & Support Event for federal workers, contractors, small business owners, and individuals affected by recent layoffs and policy changes.

This is a time to come together, show appreciation, and offer support—whether through job connections, resources, or simply encouragement. Everyone is welcome! Whether you've been impacted or just want to uplift those who have served our nation, your presence matters.

Let's gather in faith, friendship, and hope. All are welcome.

Today's Special Sunday Offering for UMCOR

UMCOR Sunday seeks support for the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR). Gifts given today, on UMCOR Sunday, play a vital role in enhancing the church's global humanitarian response because these funds cover **UMCOR's administrative costs**. This support ensures that **100% of donations given to UMCOR throughout the year** can be directed toward on-the-ground relief and recovery efforts, allowing UMCOR to effectively respond to crises and provide assistance where it's needed most.



By investing in UMCOR's operations, we empower the church to mobilize resources quickly and efficiently, making a meaningful impact in communities affected by disaster and hardship around the world. Your donation helps us continue this vital ministry.

Please write "UMCOR Sunday" on your giving envelope or check or choose the fund "UMCOR Sunday" when you give online.

Save the Date- Join us for Holy Week

Palm Sunday, April 13, 10AM

Maundy Thursday, April 17, 7PM

Good Friday, April 18, 7PM

Easter Sunrise, April 20, 6:30AM

Easter Morning, April 20, 10AM

Easter Egg Hunt, April 20, 11:15AM

Bunny Hop Registration is Open

On Saturday, April 26, 2025, the Arlington Bunny Hop 5K is hopping back to the Ashton Heights and Lyon Park neighborhoods for another fun day of running, giving back, and community celebration. Whether you're ready to race or just want to bounce around the block party, this event has something for everyone! Visit ArlingtonBunnyHop.org for registration details and to view a course map.



Membership 101 Next Sunday, April 6

11:30AM in room 301

If you are considering becoming a church member, now or in the future, join Pastor Nilse and leaders from the congregation for a lively discussion immediately after the service. Grab a snack from coffee hour in Corry Hall, and then head upstairs. Membership 101 provides an excellent opportunity for a deeper understanding of United Methodism, CUMC's journey through the last few years, and how you can impact the community with your gifts and talents. Please note that you are not required to join the church after taking this class.

Details:

Completing this one-hour session will give you the information you need to become a contributing member of Clarendon UMC.

Pre-registration is requested, though not required.

<https://clarendon.churchcenter.com/groups/sunday-morning-groups/membership-101>

Enjoy Our Lenten Playlist

As part of our Lenten series, we offer a music playlist that relates to each week's scripture readings and lessons. Please enjoy the music as you meditate, learn, and observe a holy Lent. This week's song is "[Rainbow](#)" by Kacey Musgraves (<https://youtu.be/6OFv566mj7s?si=ltPpGUhsUh42DZZU>). You can find the entire playlist on Clarendon UMC's Youtube channel (@clarendonumc) by using this QR code.



Receive CUMC News via Email

Each Friday we send out an email at 3PM with the weekly announcements. Sign up to receive the e-newsletter by visiting <https://www.clarendonumc.org/connect/contact/>. If you've been missing your Friday e-news, you may find it in your spam or "promotions" tab.

We also have a Google group email that is perfect for you to use if you need to recruit help for a church event, want to let people know about some tickets you can't use, share about a special opportunity or other such things. Please let the office know (office@clarendonumc.org) if you'd like to join the Community Google group email.



Church office hours: Mon - Thurs, 9AM - 2PM 703-527-8574 or office@ClarendonUMC.org

Items for the Friday email/Clarendon Happenings are due by Noon on Wednesday.

Please submit all calendar and room requests to Fran Underwood at the office email.



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