

# June High Spire

## **SUNDAY MORNING**

**Summer Schedule**

**June 14—Sept. 6**

**8:15 Chapel Communion Service**

**10:00 Childcare (until the end of  
the 10:15 service)**

**10:15 Worshipping God Together  
Service in the Sanctuary**

**Summer Sunday School —  
children age 3-7 begin in  
the 10:15 service and  
will be dismissed after  
Children's Time to class.**

Do ALL THE GOOD YOU CAN,  
BY ALL THE MEANS YOU CAN,  
in ALL THE WAYS YOU CAN,  
in ALL THE PLACES YOU CAN,  
AT ALL THE TIMES YOU CAN,  
TO ALL THE PEOPLE YOU CAN,  
AS LONG AS EVER YOU CAN.

TEACHINGS OF JOHN WESLEY  
FOUNDER OF METHODISM

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## *Jeannine Neuen Retires*

A celebration  
for our retiring  
Director of Education,  
Jeannine Neuen,  
by the families of our  
church, will be on  
**June 14,**  
after the Sunday  
worship service.



Lunch will be served in Fellowship Hall.  
Children are encouraged to attend!

## *Thank you!*

### **Women's Retreat, April 2015**

Dear TUMC,

My sister-in-law and I would like to thank the 2015 Design Team for another wonderful women's retreat. Each year you make it inspirational and enjoyable. We love the fellowship with all of those who attend from both far and near. We truly appreciate all of your hard work and planning. It is a blessing for our church.

*Sandy Clawson and Mary Clawson*

### **Our Donations for the Wounded Soldiers at WRNMMC**

Good afternoon Vernon (and Towson United Methodist Church)!  
Hope this finds you well!

I saw the donations that came in yesterday! Thank you SO very much for the continued support of service members and their families receiving care here at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center! If there is ever anything I can do to support the efforts, please let me know!

Very much look forward to working with you!

v/r,

**Marin Reynes**

**Senior Station Manager**

**American Red Cross**

Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Pentagon & JBM-HH

### **Easter Tulips Delivered to our Shut-ins**

Thank you for our tulip at Easter, it made our day much brighter to know you are thinking of us.

God Bless,

*Elizabeth Michael & children*

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**and their responsibilities:**

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## Pastor's Letter

*Happy Spring everyone!*

### Summer Schedule

We want you to know that the last day of Sunday School and Christian Connections before Summer break will be on **Sunday, June 7**. Our Confirmation Class will be confirmed during the 10:15 worship service on Sunday, June 7 and you are encouraged to stay after worship that day for a reception in their honor. A special thanks to all of our teachers and assistants this year and to our confirmation mentors, as well.

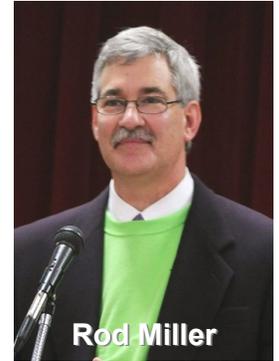
**Beginning June 14**, the Summer Schedule will continue with our 8:15 a.m. Chapel Communion Service and our 10:15 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary. Throughout the summer, we will include a weekly Children's Time during the worship service, after which children ages 3-7 will be excused for Summer Sunday School (see page 5 for details).

Sunday School for children age 3-12th grade and Christian Connections for adults will start up again on **Sunday, Sept 13**.

### Church Town Hall Meeting

Also — on **Sunday, June 28 at 11:30 a.m.**, we will hold a "Church Town Hall Meeting" in Fellowship Hall. This open meeting will include short reports from the various ministries of the church including Finance, Trustees, Worship, Education, and SPRC (Staff Parish Relations Committee). There will be an opportunity for some questions. A number of shifts have taken place in our church life over the last several months and we want everyone to have the opportunity to hear and discuss where we, as a church, are today and where we see ourselves going as the future unfolds. I picture this meeting to be like a family sitting around a table discussing and discerning our way together. Refreshments will be provided. **This "Church Town Hall Meeting" is important! Please plan to attend.**

In Christ,  
*Rod*



# TOWSON YOUTH

## **JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup> IS CONFIRMATION SUNDAY!**

*We celebrate with our 8th graders as they confirm their faith and join Towson UMC. You are invited to a reception in their honor, in Fellowship Hall, following the worship service, which is at 10:15 AM.*

### JOIN US

#### **Sunday morning classes @ 9:00 include:**

Middle School - Room 216  
Confirmation - Fellowship Hall  
High School - Room 317

**UMYF (youth group):** meets Sundays 6:00-8:00p beginning in Fellowship Hall with supper.

**June 14<sup>th</sup>** is the last Sunday for UMYF until September. We welcome our newest youth to their first UMYF meeting. All youth who will be in 6<sup>th</sup> grade in the Fall are welcome to attend this last youth group of the season.

**We would LOVE to go to Hershey Park** (or similar place) this summer. Are you willing to help us get there? We need someone, or a team of someones, to organize a fun activity for the summer. Please contact Margery with questions and to help, 410-823-2485 or [mschammel@towsonumc.org](mailto:mschammel@towsonumc.org).

#### **Baltimore County Christian Workcamp:**

EVERYONE, of all ages, is invited to participate in the BCCWC this year, July 20-24<sup>th</sup>. The kickoff dinner is Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup>. You may help out all week, or only a part of the week. We are provided breakfast and ingredients to pack our lunches every day. We go home to "freshen up" and are then invited to a local church for a delicious dinner each evening, and sleep in our own beds each night. Youth who are interested in helping at this vital mission to our local community should contact Margery at 410-823-2485 or [mschammel@towsonumc.org](mailto:mschammel@towsonumc.org) or on her cell.

**Vacation Bible Camp** — all youth 6-12<sup>th</sup> grade are encouraged to be camp counselors (travelers) for the children during VBC. Don't forget to register online as a volunteer and enter your t-shirt size.

## Missions & Outreach

### **JUNE COMMUNION/MISSION OFFERING**

#### **Youth Missions**

#### **Baltimore County Christian Workcamp**

#### **2016 Mission Trip in the Bahamas**

The youth are asking you to help support them as they work on a home in Baltimore County the week of July 20-24, 2015 through Baltimore County Christian Workcamp.

**On June 7**, they will tell us more and introduce us to another mission they are planning in 2016 in the Bahamas. They hope to raise the funds for this trip over the next year.

Our **Hampton Lane Child Development Center** is in need of a few items. Bring GENTLY USED or NEW items to the CDC's office, Room 116 on the first floor of the church. **On Sundays, you can bring to the Cribbery, Room 122.**

- Beach Towels
- Bath Towels
- Crib Sheets
- Small Blankets

### **OPEN HOUSE**

#### **Bentley Springs United Methodist**

#### **MISSION CENTRAL HUB & DISASTER RELIEF CENTER**

**Saturday, June 6**

**10:00a to 2:00p**

421 Bentley Road, Parkton, MD 21120

At the open house, they are offering a hands-on experience, letting each participant make a "Relief Kit." They will have seminars on the training that's needed and what it is like to respond to a disaster. You will get to see a Disaster Relief "Tool Trailer" and the equipment needed to respond. You will learn how Bentley Springs Mission Hub partners with Mission Central in Mechanicsburg, PA and with UMCOR (our United Methodist Committee on Relief) to provide services to thousands of people locally, nationally, and internationally. See how you can help. Light refreshments served.



When you go on June 6th, if you have gently used shoes and old computer equipment, they are accepting it now. For more information, contact Shirley Myers at 410-357-5043.

### **AFTER ACTION REPORT**

Bill Peters and I went to Walter Reed National Military Medical Center this morning (Tuesday, 28 April) and delivered a large supply of Soldier supplies for patients. The Red Cross coordinator, Kathleen Kelly, was very appreciative of our donation from the Congregation. She said that TUMC is one of the best providers for Walter Reed. Bill and I will plan another delivery in about three months. ...Best, *Vernon*

## Missions & Outreach—continued

### CALLING ALL VIM'RS!

We have scheduled our next Volunteers-in-Mission trip! The logistics have been worked out and now all we need is your help. Here are the basic details:

Dates: **June 14-19** (leaving on Sunday, June 14th in the afternoon after Jeannine's celebration and returning Friday evening, June 19th)

Where: West River Center of the UMC  
5100 Chalk Point Road, West River, MD 20778

What are we doing: Helping in the rebuilding of one of the 2 story retreat cabins. The scope of work is part of a complete overhaul. This cabin sits on the water-front and has some beautiful views.

Note: Safe sanctuary training is required for this trip. Please let me know your interest in joining us on this trip whether it be for the whole week or part of the week.

Contact Margot at [magerding35@gmail.com](mailto:magerding35@gmail.com).



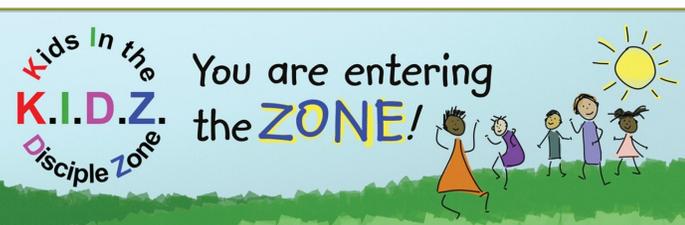
### OUR EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRY

The next time our food pantry will be open to the public is **Saturday, June 27**, 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in our Fellowship Hall. PLEASE see the Sunday bulletin or our church's webpage for a list of food and household items needed. During these warm months PLEASE DON'T FORGET about our neighbors who are hungry. Thank you.

### BALTIMORE COUNTY CHRISTIAN WORKCAMP

You've read in 2 other places in this *High Spire* that our youth are planning to work at a home of a senior adult who is not able to care for their own home in Baltimore County. Please consider being an ADULT worker during the week of **July 20-24**. You can work one day, a couple of days, or all week. We begin with breakfast at Hunts Memorial UMC on Old Court Rd. in Riderwood then carpool to our worksite. Safe Sanctuary training is necessary before the week because we are working with kids under the age of 18. You don't need special skills, but it would be really nice if you do!

**Be on Team Towson...** call Cathy at 410-823-3689 or email her at [communications@towsonumc.org](mailto:communications@towsonumc.org). It's knowing your skills that will determine where we work.



**SUMMER SUNDAYS**  
June 14<sup>th</sup> — Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>  
during our 10:15 AM  
Worship Service

### Summer Sunday Morning Cribbery Care:

Childcare for infants – young 3 (born after 1/1/15) will be in Room 122 10:00a—until the end of worship.

### Summer Sunday School:

For children age 3 (born before 1/1/15) – age 7... children will begin in worship, to be dismissed during the service to be part of lessons based on *Some Assembly Required* and the wonderful world of Winnie the Pooh and the Hundred Acre Wood.

### VACATION BIBLE CAMP



Hi! I am Checkers and I will meet you at VBC this summer!  
**Register & pay online**  
Go to: [towsonumc.org](http://towsonumc.org)  
then **click on my picture**

### **G-FORCE — God's Love in Action**

Dates: July 27 – 31

Time: 9:00 AM – Noon

Ages: 3 years old (by 1/1/2015)

through 5<sup>th</sup> grade in 2014/2015 school year

Cost: The cost for VBC remains the same!

\$10 per camper / \$20 max per family

It takes many servants-in-service (volunteers) to make VBC a meaningful and fun-filled week for our children. Please contact Margery Schammel ([mschammel@towsonumc.org](mailto:mschammel@towsonumc.org) or 410-823-2485) with your questions, or to find out more about helping at this year's camp.

**Needed:** Persons with skill in organization to coordinate certain activities, and persons with energy to coordinate our recreation.

The TUMC Reconciling and Accepting Methodists present...

*Towson United Methodist Church's*

# Thursday Night MOVIES

at the

June 25th : 6pm picnic : 7pm movie  
BYOD (dinner) in Fellowship Hall

## CHILL OUT IN SUMMER'S HEAT

Pack a picnic dinner and your beach blanket. Get FREE movie, popcorn and drinks. Bring the whole family\* and some spare change to buy sweet treats. Hang out with TUMC friends!

## THE IMITATION GAME (Rated PG13)

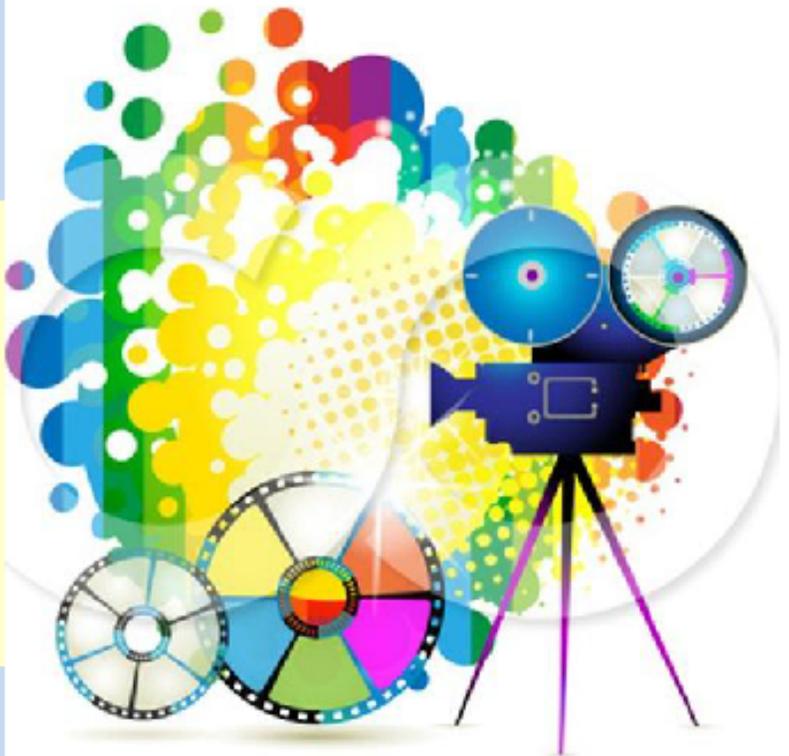
Alan Turing, brilliant mathematician and war hero, led a motley group of scholars, linguists, chess champions and intelligence officers to crack the so-called unbreakable codes of Germany's World War II Enigma machine. *The Imitation Game* is an intense and haunting portrayal of a brilliant, complicated man, who, under nail-biting pressure, helped shorten the war and save thousands of lives.

\* ADVISORY: This movie depicts the cost to an individual and society when a genius and war hero is prosecuted for his sexual orientation. Due to its mature themes, parental discretion is advised to determine the suitability of this movie for younger viewers.

## MOVIE REVIEWS

Find objective reviews online at:

- [www.common sense media.org](http://www.common sense media.org)
- [www.roffentomatoes.com](http://www.roffentomatoes.com)



*The TUMC Reconciling and Accepting Methodists (RAMs) support the full inclusion of LGBT persons in the life and ministry of the United Methodist Church. For further information, contact Kevin Gralley ([kevin.gralley@gmail.com](mailto:kevin.gralley@gmail.com)).*

**FREE movie, popcorn and drinks. : Sweet Treats for SALE!**



### DUE DATE FOR ARTICLES IN THE NEXT HIGH SPIRE

**JULY / AUGUST combined issue is due Tuesday, June 9, 2015**

All articles need to be on time and either in the marked folder outside Room 315  
— OR — you may e-mail to Cathy Anderson at [communications@towsonumc.org](mailto:communications@towsonumc.org). Thank you!

## Music Notes



**Rev. Doug Hollida**  
Minister of Music

The months of May and June are the time when our choirs wind down and stop for the summer. With our new combined service, it has really been great these past few months to have such a variety of music in our worship. We are truly blest.

On Mother's Day, all five of our vocal choirs sang; and one of our three handbell choirs played. Throughout our choirs, we have over 60 people filling more than 80 slots (many are in more than one choir). All volunteer their time. Additionally, there are all the parents who make sure the young people (who are in five or our choirs) get here for rehearsal every week.

Worship is a time to encounter God—to be lifted up with God in the heavens. And music is vital in that process.

Not only are the choirs a blessing to our worship, but those who participate in them are doubly blest—blest to be part of worship, and blest again to be the conduit for God's Spirit to come. And we couldn't do it without each other.

So a great big THANK YOU to all who make the music part of our worship possible. And a great big INVITATION for you to join us in the fall.

You will be doubly blest.

*Doug*

DON'T BE CONFORMED TO THE PATTERNS OF THIS WORLD, BUT BE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MINDS SO THAT YOU CAN FIGURE OUT WHAT GODS WILL IS — WHAT IS GOOD AND PLEASING AND MATURE. — ROMANS 12:2

The Towson  
United Methodist Church  
**Alleluia Singers**  
present the  
**Youth Cantata**

## CHOOSE JESUS

**Sunday, June 21**

**10:15 AM**

This uplifting musical presentation features a variety of great music and will be backed by our church praise band. The message is that when we choose Jesus over the world, our life is better in every way. There will also be an orchestra number performed by the choir as well as a unique and ancient type of bell prelude. The prelude will be followed by a folk number featuring liturgical dance.

**Be sure to come,  
and invite others to come.**

The youth are working hard and it will be a day not to be missed!

**Advance Ticket  
Sales ONLY!**

## Crab Feast — August 29

**4:00—7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall**

*Put this date on your calendar now! Bring your extended family & friends!*

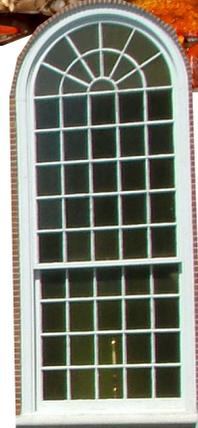
Catered event by **Conrad's of Parkville** with STEAMED CRABS, PIT BEEF, PULLED PORK, SALADS, WATERMELON, CORN ON THE COB, CHES. BAY CHIPS & DESSERT.

Iced tea, soft drinks, & nonalcoholic beer.

PLUS

Crab Soup Cookoff — Compete with your favorite Crab Soup Recipe! AND a Silent Auction \$45 per person, \$30 for children under age 12, free for children age 5 and younger  
BENEFITS our future new Sanctuary Windows.

Contact Ginny Foster for tickets AND to signup as a Crab Soup Contestant, AND to donate services or items to Silent Auction. Call [410-296-4780](tel:410-296-4780) or email [virginiafoster@comcast.net](mailto:virginiafoster@comcast.net).



# HAMPTON LANE

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER



### Thank You to Miss Jeannine

We have been truly blest to have Miss Jeannine teach and guide our children at Hampton Lane. Miss Jeannine is retiring from her service at TUMC, but will remain as a parish member and volunteer. We will miss her and all that she has done for Hampton Lane. The children each gave Miss Jeannine a rose at our last chapel

with her. She was very touched. We also welcome Miss Margery (an already familiar face) who will step into the role.



### Spring Program and Silent Auction "Our World And Beyond..."

Our Spring Program is Friday June 5th 2015. The children have been having a lot of fun in music class with Miss Jamie. They are learning great songs that will take you traveling through the world around us...starting in our own hometown!

We are still collecting donations for our...

### Silent Auction Fundraiser

Sample items to donate are...Gift cards to stores, restaurants, movies, concerts, hair/nail salons, Sports apparel and tickets to sporting events, Vacation spots and Services from your Company or Business...*(this is a great way to advertise)* Many establishments will donate products or services. Please tell them that we are a non-profit program.



### Our ORIOLE Game Fundraiser

**Our school will be attending the Orioles Fundraiser Game** The game is Sunday, June 28th, at 1:35 p.m. The Orioles are playing the Cleveland Indians. We are collecting money for our group seats. Tickets are \$15 per person, and can be purchased in the office.

### Summer Session-Traveling Through The Decades

Our staff is putting together a great summer program for the HLCDC children. We will travel through the decades. We will learn and experience many adventures along the way. We will travel back in time and learn all about life during each time period. We will talk about famous people, artists, musicians, athletes and politicians. We will taste food and learn about traditions. We will have our special water days, color days and themed days, woods walks and our Friday All School Show and Share.

**Towson United Methodist Church is a community of Christ-followers growing in love of God and neighbor. This is what we at Towson UMC believe Christian discipleship is, what we are to be, and what Jesus meant when he sent his followers to "make disciples"—**

**We believe every person is of sacred worth and created in God's image. We commit to Jesus' example of inclusive love, care, and intentional hospitality with persons of every race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, faith story, physical or mental ability, economic status, or political perspective. We respect our diversity of opinion and expressions of faith. Therefore, as God loves us, so let us love and serve in the name of Christ.**

**— adopted by the TUMC Church Council February 2, 2015**

The **MISSION** of Towson United Methodist Church is to **PLANT SEEDS** of Christian faith by equipping, training, supporting, & *freeing* people to LIVE their *faith* in the world.

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**LORD**, what do You want to do through me to accomplish Your will in your church?

Pictured below are members of Towson UM Church working with members of and at John Wesley UM Church, W. North Ave., Walbrook Community, Baltimore City. The West North Avenue community desperately needed help after the Baltimore Riots (week of April 27). You brought in supplies which were requested via an email blast to the TUMC congregation. These members delivered them Thursday evening, May 7 along with Prayer Shawls, you see draped over their altar rail. Allison Brown, pictured right, second from left, worked all day handing out supplies. Allison said she was told she "worked like a Hebrew slave." She said that was the nicest compliment she ever received!



### TOWSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM



**Rev. Dr. Marcus Matthews**, Resident Bishop

**Rev. Cynthia Moore-Koikoi**, Superintendent, Baltimore Metropolitan District

**Carole Dean**, TUMC's Church Lay Leader

**Rev. Dr. Roderick J. Miller**, Lead Pastor

**Rev. Margery Schammel**, Assistant Pastor

**Rev. Doug Hollida**, Minister of Music

#### HAMPTON LANE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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A Ministry of Towson United Methodist Church — Child Care with an approved preschool  
[www.hamptonlanecdc.org](http://www.hamptonlanecdc.org)



**WHAT IS THIS?** No, it's not to purchase carry-out at your favorite restaurant ... but it is for your smart phone! If you have an app to scan QR codes, then **HERE IT IS** ... the new Towson United Methodist QR code. You can donate to the church online from your home or pew using your credit card or online banking! It's safe and secure. **This includes your Sunday offerings, Capital Journey payments, monthly mission offerings, and Vacation Bible Camp payments.**

## Sunday Mornings at Towson United Methodist Church

# FOLLOW UP SURVEY

On February 22, 2015, in response to the congregation's answers and concerns in the "Dec. 2014/Jan. 2015" survey, Towson United Methodist Church adjusted its Sunday morning schedule. The hope and focus of this change was to help increase attendance and to improve the Sunday morning church experience.

As promised, this 7 question follow up survey is to evaluate the adjustments. Please take a few minutes to fill out this survey. We want to hear from everyone (older children, youth, adults, and senior adults) as to how this change has impacted your Sunday morning experience.

We are encouraging everyone in your household to participate in this survey, either individually or as a family.

The last day the survey will be open for responses is **Sunday, June 14, 2015**.

Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts. Your feedback is important to our church.

*The Sunday Morning Planning Team:*

*Alicia Corson, John Dahne, Carole Dean, Margot Gerding, Erin Giudice, Rod Miller,  
Susan Naeny, Carolyn Schnur, Trish Turlington, and Helen Wagner*

## Tell us about you and/or your family

**1. What age group describes you and/or your family? Please enter the number of people in your family who come to church Sunday mornings by age group.**

Cribbery (nursery) / preschool age \_\_\_\_\_

School age (K - 12<sup>th</sup> grade) \_\_\_\_\_

Adult (older than the age of 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Do not attend \_\_\_\_\_

## Sunday Morning Worship Services

**2. Which Sunday morning worship service did you attend BEFORE the adjusted schedule took place February 22, 2015? (choose as many as applied)**

- 9:00 regularly
- 9:00 occasionally
- 11:00 regularly
- 11:00 occasionally
- Both 9:00 & 11:00
- I was not attending

**3. Which Sunday morning worship service are you attending NOW? (choose as many as apply)**

- 8:15 regularly
- 8:15 occasionally
- 10:15 regularly
- 10:15 occasionally
- Both 8:15 & 10:15
- I have not been attending

## Sunday Morning Christian Education

4. **Did you attend Sunday Morning Christian Education classes BEFORE February 22?**  
**Which group of classes did you / your family attend? (choose as many as applied)**

- Cribbery (nursery) / Preschool
- School age classes (K - 12<sup>th</sup> grade)
- Adult classes
- I did not attend

5. **Are you attending Sunday Morning Christian Education NOW?**  
**Which group of classes did you / your family attend? (choose as many as apply)**

- Cribbery (nursery) / Preschool
- School age classes (K - 12<sup>th</sup> grade)
- Adult classes
- I do not attend

## Sunday Morning Experience

6. **Is the new adjusted schedule working for you and/or your family?**

- Yes
- No

7. **How is the adjusted schedule making your Sunday morning experience at church more meaningful?**

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## Thank you!

Thank you for completing this survey.

Your responses and feedback are important to our church — because YOU ARE THE CHURCH.

This survey is being made available to the congregation of Towson United Methodist Church beginning May 18, 2015 online via the church's website [www.towsonumc.org](http://www.towsonumc.org), and to those who prefer mail on May 21 through our June newsletter *High Spire*. The last day the survey will be open for responses is June 14, 2015.

You may take this survey online or —

You may mail your responses to this survey to:

The Sunday Morning Planning Team  
Towson United Methodist Church  
501 Hampton Lane  
Towson, MD 21286

— or bring your completed survey to church and put it in the mail slot of the church office door.

Thank you again for participating in this important survey.