Welcome Visitors

We're happy you joined us today! Visitor Bags are available – please ask an usher or greeter. Join us for fellowship in Fellowship Hall directly after the service. Thank you for visiting. We look forward to seeing you again!

Helpful information:

- Hearing assistance devices are available.
- Childcare is available in our nursery, room 109 at 9:30 AM.
- Bathrooms are located outside the Sanctuary and the Chapel.

Name Tags

We ask all members and regular visitors to **please** wear nametags on Sunday mornings. Name tags are in a rack at the rear entrance to Church and in the Narthex. Leave them where it is most convenient for you. New name tags can be provided by the Church Office. Contact them or leave note. Thank you for your co-operation!



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Jn Our Prayers

All those affected by natural and human-made disasters, and all who are sick in body and spirit. Pray for Heather Humes, Jackie Smalls, Tom & Kathy Brownley & family, Marie Heimann Davidson, Keith Dice, Peter Delaney, Gil and Grace Caldwell, Joseph Moore and Barbara Smith (parents of Melissa Reimertz), Melissa Reimertz, Fred Tanis, BJ Thompson, Todd Thompson, Richard Biernacki, for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one, for those who have lost so much due to Dorian, and for strength and healing for all in the world who need it and for compassion and understanding in our relationships.

REMINDER – If you know someone is in the hospital or needs a pastoral care visit, please call the office and let us know. Thank you for helping us care for all our members!

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Happening This Week

 8:15 – 9 am Worship (C) 9 – 10 am "Bagels & Faith" (7th-12th grade) 9 – 10 am Education Hour 10 – 11 am Children's Sunday School 10 – 11 am Worship (S) 11:30 am – 12:30 pm The Village Worship (FH) 12:30 – 2 pm Intern Teaching Team (UR) Monday, September 30 Learning Tree closed 8:30 am-3:15 pm Red Bank PreK 12 – 1 pm AA Here and Now (114) Tuesday, October 1 8:30 am – 3:15 pm Red Bank PreK 9 am – 2 pm Learning Tree 11 am – 12 pm Joint UMCRB, RBPreK, LT Staff (UR) 12 – 1 pm AA (B2, B3)
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12 – 1 pm AA (B2, B3)
12 – 1 pm Balance and Strength Training (B1)
6:30 – 8 pm 12 Step SANON (B4)
6:30 – 7:30 pm Al-Anon (114)
Wednesday, October 2 The U
8:30 am – 3:15 pm Red Bank PreK
9 am – 2 pm Learning Tree
9:30 – 11 am Yoga (B1)
9:30 – 10:30 am Learning Tree Board (114)
1 – 2:30 pm AA Women (114, B4)
5 – 6:30 pm Nomination and Lay Leadership (UR)
6 - 8:30 pm UMY
7 – 8:30 pm Adult Class (L)
Thursday, October 3
8:30 am – 3:15 pm Red Bank PreK 9 am – 2 pm Learning Tree
10:30 am - 12 pm Bible Study (L)
12 - 1 pm AA Women (B2, B3)
7 - 9 pm NA (114) 11
7 – 9 pm Sanctuary Choir
7 - 8 pm AA Women (B4)
8:30 – 9:30 pm AA Mixed (B5)
Friday, October 4
8:30 am – 3:15 pm Red Bank PreK
9 am – 2 pm Learning Tree
8 – 9 pm AA Sober Fun & Promises (114)
Saturday, October 5
8 – 9:30 am Men's Fellowship (114)
9:30 – 11:30 am OA (114)

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Please send all other church emails to office@umcredbank.org.

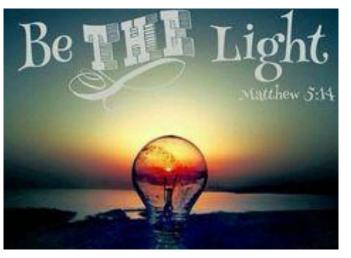




Inited Methodist Church of Red Bank is open for ALL to CONNECT with God and others, to GROW in our faith, and to SERVE in love.

Welcome to worship!!!

September 29, 2019 8:15 AM Worship in the Chapel 10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary 1:30 AM Village Worship in the Fellowship Hall



Traditional Worship at 8:15 and 10:00 AM

As we gather for worship please make sure your cell phones are silenced and please refrain from using flash photography.

The Church Gathers

♪ Prelude

"Voluntary, Op. 10, No. 6"

John Stanley

Welcome and Announcements

*Passing the Peace of Christ

*Call to Worship

Leader: We come with joy to this celebration of God's love!

People: Open our hearts, Lord, to receive your love.

L: God seeks to form our lives anew, as lives of love and service.

P: We are ready to hear God's word and do God's will.

L: Open your eyes, your ears, your hearts to God's awesome love.

P: Come, O Lord, and transform our lives. AMEN.

"I Love to Tell the Story"

To Hear the Word

Praver of Confession

Lord, we can taste the difference salt makes on food, and we can see the difference light makes. We also know that you call us to make a difference in our world, but we confess that much of the time, we would rather not make a difference. We are not brave enough to take a stand for what we know is right. We prefer to stay with our own friends rather than make friends with the friendless. We would rather do what we want to do than take care of others. We want to be one of the crowd and safe. Forgive us. Give us the power to light up the world with your love and to season it with your justice. Amen.

First Reading	1 Corinthians 3:6-9			
Family Promise		Christine Carter-Love, r, Monmouth County		
♪ Choral Anthem (10:00)	"Be Thou My Vision" Sanctuary Choir	Richard Shephard		
*Gospel Reading	Matthew 5: 14-16			
Sermon	Inspiring Transformation	Rev. Jessica Naulty		
To Respond in Faith				
ho Prayer Song #2237 (10:00) "As A Fire Is Meant for Burning"				

Prayers of the People/Lord's Prayer

Case Akers

Offering our Gifts Scan this code to use our online giving tool



♪ Offertory

"Voluntary, Op. 6, No. 2"

John Stanley

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Celebration of the Sacrament of Communion (8:15)

And Scatters to Be in the World

*Closing Hymn #2153 "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

*Benediction

♪ Postlude "Voluntary, Op. 6, No. 4"

John Stanley

* Please stand in praise to God if you are able. All read the **BOLD** text.

Reader: Shawn McCann Guest Organist: Steven Russell

The Village Worship at 11:30 AM

Welcome & Announ	cements			
Please fill in the Attendance Sheets and pass them around the table.				
♪Opening Song	"One Voice"	Jason Gray		
Prayer		Evan Courtney		
♪ Song	"Hold Us Together"	Maher/Wilson		
Passing the Peace of Christ				
Scripture		Matthew 5: 14-16		
Sermon	Inspiring Transformation	Rev. Jessica Naulty		
Table Conversations/Time for Sharing What We've Learned				
♪ Song	"The Way"	Pat Barrett		
Offering baskets will be collected and brought forward.				
Prayers of the Peop	le			
Lord's Prayer				
↓ Closing Song	"Start a Fire"	UnSpoken		
Benediction				

Worship Team: Nicola Blake, Eric Hackler, Andy Judkis, Michele Naples Tech Crew: Chelsea Foster, Eric Hackler, and Howard Naulty

New Worship Schedule

8:15 am – Worship in the Chapel 9:00 am – Education Hour (Youth and Adult Classes) 10:00 am – Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary and Children's Sunday School 11:30 am – The Village Worship in the Fellowship Hall

Adult Education Youth Group

Fourth Sundays Are All-Sing Sundays! If you want to sing in the choir, but don't want to make a commitment to every Sunday, you can sing with us on each 4th Sunday for the 10 am service! Just come up to the balcony at 9 am and helpful choir members will get you set up to sing! Contact Evan for more details: ecourtney@umcredbank.org.

TREX Recycling Challenge is underway. We invite you to join the challenge to collect 500 lbs. of single use plastics such as grocery bags, bread bags, etc. Collection bin is at the back door. Please contact Bobbie Ridgely (bjridgely@yahoo.com).

Connect

Annual Church Conference – October 9th at 7:00 PM

All are invited to our annual church meeting with the District Superintendent, Rev. Gina Hendrickson. We'll gather at 7 PM to celebrate the ministry of our church. All are welcome to attend and have voice, but any voting will be limited to church membership.

Ladies Morning Out – "Mindfulness: The Power of Mindset" Scheduled for Sat, October 19th from 9:00 am-noon in Fellowship Hall. Light Breakfast served. Contact Linda Babler, lstabler@aol.com.

Grow

Education and Growth Opportunities

Children's Sunday School Sundays @ 10:00 AM Sundays @ 9:00 AM and Wed @ 7 PM Bible Study (Starting 9/19) Thurs 10:30 AM – 12 PM with Pastor Jess Wednesdays @ 6 PM (edawson@umcredbank.org)

Sunday Morning and Wednesday Evening Adult Class

Join us as we jump into the season with a video study of Matthew's gospel entitled Biblical Literalism: A Gentile Heresy by John Shelby Spong. Contact Mark Hackler for more info. hackler@optonline.net

UMW Bazaar Baskets

On display in the Library/Lounge. Come check them out. Thirteen wonderful baskets of fun and surprises. Make a bid on them now!

Serve

Support our CROP walk team by going to this link! Thank you. Let's do even better than last year so we can help those in need! www.crophungerwalk.org/redbanknj/Donate/Index/1055711?submit=Continue

Serving Breakfast at Lunch Break

On Saturday, Oct 5th, join the UMW to prepare a hot breakfast for our neighbors. If you can help cook, serve or clean up please reach out to Barbara Valenti barb.mellenti@gmail.com. There are 2 shifts, the first is 8:30-10:30 am and the second is 10 am-12 pm. We still need a couple more volunteers. All hands are a help!!