

You're Invited

January 23: Tuesday

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Rev. Ron Foster: *"Framing Holiness: Photography as a Way of Prayer"*

Join us as our Pastor Ron shares his passion for photography. In his own words: "Over the last fifteen years or so, I have gradually discovered myself praying more and more through my camera. Sometimes the prayers happen alongside the act of my pushing the shutter but more often, they are inextricably bound up in the whole experience of making pictures: the framing, the seeing, the light-sensing, the waiting, the stillness, the breathing, the quiet, the paying attention. For me, photography has morphed from being simply an enjoyable hobby into a kind of spiritual practice every bit as much as preaching a sermon, visiting the sick or reading scripture. I'll share a few of my favorite images and some connections I have found between praying and making photographs."

February 27: Tuesday

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Chris Dillard and Nicola Patterson *"A Recital Celebrating the American Melody"*

Music in America has inspired, consoled, rallied, and healed. **Chris Dillard and Nicola Patterson** will present a short recital celebrating some of the greatest melodies birthed from our great nation. Celebrating many of America's best musical genres, this is sure to be a fun time!

February 6: Tuesday

Dinner for Winter Relief

Join us as we host dinner for our Winter Relief guests. Please sign up in Fellowship Hall to either serve dinner or to provide desserts.

March 27: Tuesday

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Wayne Schaumburg *"Baltimore: Nation's First"*

Following our time of fellowship and lunch, we have the privilege of hearing from Wayne Schaumburg, a historian, for the informational program about Baltimore. Learn about the many things that happened first in Baltimore.

April 24: Tuesday

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Too Smooth Dudes

Jim (pianist) and Sterling (vocalist) call themselves **"Too Smooth Dudes."** They will entertain us with some "good old days" ballads specializing in great American songs. Music will include audience participation. What a delightful afternoon is in store as we sit back and reminisce.

May 16: Wednesday

View trip brochure for details

Sight and Sound: *"The Life of Jesus"*

\$ 127 per person due by April 4, 2018

Sight & Sound Millennium Theatre located in Strasburg, PA, along with Adults Loving Life invite you to experience the greatest story of all time, **"The Life of Jesus"** which is an action-packed musical. This stage adventure takes you on a miraculous journey alongside the most famous person to ever walk the earth and the everyday people whose lives He changed forever. Before the show, enjoy a delicious smorgasbord lunch at **Bird in Hand Family Restaurant**. We will also have a fast food stop on the way home. Please view the attached information for the reservation form. Be sure to reserve your seats early!

June 26: Tuesday

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Lunch with a Police Officer

We have invited Cpl. Meghan Ott to join us for **Lunch with a Police Officer**. Cpl. Ott represents the AACO Police Department and will share strategies for keeping us safe and preventing scams. Listen as important information is shared, ask questions, or share your concerns. You won't want to miss this timely discussion.

July 25: Wednesday

“A Chorus Line”

View trip brochure for details
\$ 105 per person due by June 13, 2018

Riverside Center for the Performing Arts

Join us as we travel to a new destination, Riverside Dinner Theatre in Fredericksburg, VA. We will be served a 3-course lunch and enjoy the wonderful music by Marvin Hamlisch and cast as they perform “**A Chorus Line**” – winner of 9 Tony Awards. Please view the attached brochure for details and the reservation form.

August 28: Tuesday

Indoor Picnic and the Music of Jed Duvall

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Don't miss our traditional indoor picnic with delicious barbecue and our special guest Jed Duvall. Jed is a vocal tribute artist. For today's performance, you'll think Elvis is in the house. Even though Elvis may be called the King of Rock n Roll, the only Grammy Awards he ever won were for his gospel music. How fitting then it is for us that Jed will portray “Elvis” and deliver gospel favorites including “*He Touched Me*”, “*The Man in the Sky*”, “*In the Garden*”, “*Amazing Grace*” and many more.

September 26: Wednesday

St. Michaels by Land and Sea

View trip brochure for details
\$117.00 per person due by Aug. 15, 2018

Come aboard a Watermark Cruise custom yacht for a cruise from Annapolis to the quaint historic village of **St. Michaels**. Upon our arrival, stroll leisurely as you explore St. Michael's charming shops and boutiques. Perhaps you'd like to search for some treasures in antique shops. When you've browsed up an appetite, select a restaurant for lunch on your own. Since travelers might prefer more free time, lunch as a group is not included. Be sure to visit **The Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum**, which houses a vast collection of Chesapeake Bay artifacts as well as vessels, admission is included. Please view the attached brochure for details and the reservation form.

October 23: Tuesday

Hobbies and Collections

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Do you head out on a sunny day toting your canvas to paint the landscape? Are you a collector of something unusual? Perhaps you have a hobby that will reveal a different side of your personality. ***This month, the presenters will be our very own participants!*** We will provide signup spots for up to 8 folks to spend 5 minutes or less sharing just a few items from your collection or about your hobby. This is the opportunity for us to oooh and aaaah at the creativity, uniqueness, craftiness, or just plain fanatics among us. You won't want to miss this afternoon of fun!

November 6: Tuesday

Dinner for Winter Relief

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November 27: Tuesday

An Afternoon at the Movies

SPUMC at noon in Fellowship Hall

Gather together to enjoy an afternoon of relaxed fun as we enjoy lunch. Then we will view an inspirational movie while munching on popcorn and other snacks among friends.

December 5: Wednesday

American Music Theater

View trip brochure for details
\$110 per person due by Oct. 24, 2018

The 2018 Christmas Show: “The First Noel”

Be dazzled and delighted as we travel to Lancaster, PA for the AMT presentation of “The First Noel”. This live musical extravaganza features wondrous costumes, astonishing dancers and breathtaking sets that will fill everyone with yuletide spirit! Your favorite sacred and secular music selections will be included. Before the show, we will enjoy a family style lunch at **Hershey Farm Restaurant** in Strasburg, PA. Please view the attached brochure for additional information and the reservation form.

The mission of ALL is to provide fellowship, food, and fun to SPUMC adults through monthly luncheons, programs, activities, and trips.