

EP CHURCH OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES, FALL 2023

EP's Outreach Ministry, led by Laurie Nelson, Director of Outreach, has a desire to bring the love of Jesus to a hurting and broken world. We would love to help you connect to any of the opportunities listed here. May the Lord bless us with fruitfulness for His kingdom as we step out and serve our neighbors.

HOMESCHOOL HAVEN AT WOODSIDE GARDENS

Homework Haven is an after-school ministry at Woodside Gardens, a community off Forest Drive in Annapolis. Depending on the school schedule, we meet with elementary students from 3:30-5 p.m. each weekday, although most volunteers come one day a week. We especially need volunteers on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. We help the children with homework and then work to improve basic reading and math skills using various materials and educational games. The children love the attention! It is a wonderful opportunity to not only help them succeed in school, but also to show them acceptance, friendship, and godly role models. Ministry begins Tuesday, September 5, at 711 Newtowne Dr., Annapolis. For more information, contact Nancy Deibert at nancy.deibert@gmail.com.

WELLSPRING LIFE MINISTRY'S WALK AND 5K RUN FOR LIFE

Join our "EP for Life" Team, Saturday, September 23, at the property of the Mid Atlantic Community Church, 2485 Davidsonville Rd., Gambrills, from 9-11 a.m. Help moms and babies in our community know God's most precious gift of life! Your fundraising dollars go directly to helping women in our community and saving lives. Use the link below to visit EP's Team Page, where you can join the team *or* support our team with a donation. Visit our team's web page at <https://page.fundeasy.com/6282804>. For more information contact Clif and Ruth McClain at docandruth@gmail.com or Laurie at lnelson@epannapolis.org.

WEST ANNAPOLIS POP UP PANTRY

The Pantry is open the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month beginning in September. Be part of a team that serves over 200 families in our Annapolis community. Volunteers should arrive at the rear parking lot behind the church at 4 p.m. The pantry serves the community from 5:30-7 p.m. For more information on the pantry and other opportunities, visit marshallhope.org or contact Amy Marshall at 410-491-5070.

SOWING HOPE ESL MINISTRY

As ministers of the gospel, we have a way to love our international neighbors by helping them learn English. The ESL (English to Speakers of Other Languages) ministry meets at EP on Monday nights from 7-9 p.m. Our approach is team based, with 2-3 people per team, and training is provided. Come and see what God is doing, literally in our midst! "Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all peoples!" (Psalm 96:3) Contact Theresa Doolan at epsowinghope@gmail.com, or 443-277-9811.

MARSHALL HOPE LEARNING CENTER (MHLC)

Tatana Klein is the Director of the MHLC and beginning September 11, will need tutors Mondays from 7-9 p.m. to help with elementary math and reading for children whose parents are involved in EP's Sowing Hope ESL Ministry. She is also looking for tutors on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-8 p.m. For more information, contact Tatana at tatanajkleing@gmail.com.

HEART FOR REFUGEES MINISTRY

Annapolis EP has hosted an Afghan refugee family since March of 2022. We need people willing to give rides to doctor appointments as well as people willing to watch their children for 1-2 hours during ESL classes that begin Monday, September 11. For more information, please contact Jacob and Emily Risner at erisner1410@gmail.com or Laurie at lnelson@epannapolis.org.

GOOD NEWS JAIL MINISTRY

Come join the growing team of men and women who assist and lead Bible Studies at the Jennifer Road Detention Center. For more information contact Dick Skinner at popaskin@comcast.net or Laurie at lnelson@epannapolis.org.