

Children's Ministries
at
Deer Park United Methodist Church

*God says, "As a mother comforts her child,
so I will comfort you, "*

Isaiah 66:13

Children's Ministries area vital part of our community life here at Deer Park UMC. We are committed to teaching children the importance of God **in their** lives and in helping them grow into becoming disciples of Jesus Christ. We hope that every child will know they are loved and valued by God, the church, their community, their families and their peers.



Mary Cassatt, "Margot Embracing Her Mother"

Children's Message

The pastor or a layperson offers a brief children's message during both worship services.

God's Disciple Club

This program meets after the Children's Message during the 8:30 Worship Service. All children in first through fifth grades are welcome. Come join us for crafts, games, puzzles, service projects, fellowship, and much more! If you have questions, please contact Cindy in the church office (csaylor@deerparkumc.net or 410-848-2313), Rev. Mary Jo (mjsims@deerparkume.net or 443-841-2219) or the program's coordinator, Nancy Baker (Nancy.Baker@presidential.com or 410-552-5413). Please leave a message if no one answers the phone.

Sunday School

Sunday School classes are held for children three years old and older. We use the Rock Solid curriculum which is designed to build a strong faith foundation for children by their coming to a better understanding of God and what God calls them to be and do. Sunday School meets from 9:45 until 10:45 on Sunday mornings.

Nursery Care

The nursery is available during both worships services for children ages 5 and under. Nursery care is also available during the Sunday school hour for children under three whose families are attending adult Sunday school or visiting our Grace Cafe.

Sanctuary Observation Room

This room, which looks directly into the sanctuary, is equipped with soft lighting and rockers for use by families who feel that their child has become too restless during the service to remain in the sanctuary. Speakers ensure you will not miss any of the service. Please don't hesitate to ask an usher for assistance.

