



One of the Real joys of the Holiday Season is the opportunity to say we wish you the very best for the New Year

*Town of Forest Heights
Mayor, Council Members,
Town Administrator & Staff*

**Mayor/Council Meeting,
Wednesday December 17, 2014
8:00p.m.**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS ANNEXATION
Wednesday, January 21, 2014
at 8:00 o'clock P.M.
in the Forest Heights Municipal Building
Forest Heights, Maryland**

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Police Department

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Latessa Crawford, *Police Clerk*

(301) 839-4040 (301) 839-1122 fax

(Non-Emergency) (301) 352-1200

Eastover District IV Police

(301) 749-4900

Code Enforcement

Kevin Miller

301-839-4040 ext. 228

Public Works

Stanley Mosley,

Public Works Supervisor

301 839-1030 ext. 231

Forest Heights Municipal Building

Located behind McDonalds

5508 Arapahoe Drive

Forest Heights MD, 20745

www.forestheightsmd.gov

FOREST HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT

**HELP PREVENT CRIME,
ESPECIALLY DURING THE DAY
TIME AND LATE AT NIGHT!**

See something odd? Not quite right? Seems out of the norm? Gives you pause?

This is when you should call the Police!!

For all emergencies 911

Police non-emergency 301-352-1200



FHPD OFFICE: 301-839-4040

**We report all suspicious activities to our
Law Enforcement Agency.**

TAKE A BITE OUT OF
CRIME



Would you like this neighborhood to be known as the Safest Place in Maryland?

“Call to get involved”

301-839-1030

Forest Heights Police Department November 2014 All Calls For Service

911 HANG UP	1 OVERDOSE	1 TOTAL CALLS HANDLED:	85
ASSAULT REPORT	1 POSSIBLE DUI DRIVER		
ASSIST CITIZEN	4 ROBBERY (ARMED)		
ASSIST FORE DEPT/EMS	1 ROBBERY (CITIZEN)		
ASSIST OUTSIDE AGENCY	6 SPECIAL EVENT		
B&E (RESIDENTIAL)	3 SUICIDE (ATTEMPT)		
B&E IN PROGRESS	1 SUSPICIOUS SUBJECT(S)		
BURGLAR ALARM (RESIDENTIAL)	11 SUSPICIOUS SUBJECT(S) (ARMED)		
CHECK ON THE WELFARE	3 SUSPICIOUS SUBJECT(S)(CDS)		
COURT	2 SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE		
CUSTOMER DISPUTE	1 THEFT (FROM AUTO)		
DISORDERLY SUBJECT(S)	6 THEFT REPORT		
DISORDERLY SUBJECT(S) (ARMED)	1 THREATS COMPLAINT		
DOMESTIC DISPUTE	3 TRAFFIC ACCIDENT		
FOUND PROPERTY	1 TRAFFIC ACCIDENT (HIT & RUN)		
INVESTIGATION	1 UNKNOWN TROUBLE		
MISSING PERSON	2 VANDALISM TO AUTO		

Message from the Mayor's Office



We sadly bid farewell to former Councilwoman and World War II veteran Anne K. Reifsnider, who passed away on Nov. 14, 2014. She was interred at Stevensville Cemetery in Stevensville, MD (on Kent Island).

Anne was a true patriot. She loved serving her country, and much of her life was devoted to helping others. At age 21, she joined the United States Women's Coast Guard Reserve (SPARS), where she served until the end of World War II, making it to Petty Officer First Class. She was honorably discharged in 1946. After leaving the Coast Guard, Anne worked in the Food Service Industry for Government Services Incorporated (GSI), from which she retired as a manager after about 32 years.

In the Forest Heights community, Anne was active on many committees and projects, including sponsoring activities for seniors and youths and organizing the Town's Veterans Day and Memorial Day ceremonies. When I first met her at her youthful age of 81, she told me about how she helped the old people in our town, which left me wondering just how old they were. She ran the Senior Bingo games and the Senior Weatherization program until she was 90. Even after stepping down from her position on the Town Council, she continued to stay involved in the community. Last spring, for example, she called up constituents and encouraged them to go out and vote in the Primary Election.

Anne did not have any surviving family members; the Town was her family. She loved the Town, and we loved her. My friend and mentor, I will miss her wisdom and her firm, but loving reprimands. While it was important to love your neighbor, she taught me that you must have civic duty and responsibility for the community you lived in, to do what you can to make it a better place and most importantly, to give back. She didn't judge people by the color of their skin, but by their character. She was a living example

that age was just a number. Losing her was our loss, but Heaven's gain.

My Brother's Keeper Outreach Event Launch

We had a great start to the Prince George's County My Brother's Keeper (MBK) Outreach Event launch Nov. 15 at Oxon Hill High School. While we had hoped for more young men in attendance, overall we were pleased to see so many leaders come out and show such passion, commitment and interest in helping our youths. There were a few lessons learned, and we have formed committee groups that will work to address those lessons.

So far, more than 75 individuals/organizations have made the commitment to help change the lives of our young men, and we hope to keep this growing. We have a lot of work to do to connect the dots and provide a safety net for our young people. Our ultimate goal is to help 1,000 young men by November 2015.

Thanks to Joe Wilson, Kito James, Saint Mark African Methodist Episcopal Church, Prince George's Green, Beating the Bully LLC, the Epsilon Epsilon Maryland chapter of Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Prince George's Community College, District 8 Board of Education Member Edward Burroughs III

and all of our participating nonprofits and agencies for getting on board! If you are interested in joining our cause and/or receiving email notifications on future Prince George's County MBK events, please contact Mayor Jacqueline Goodall at jacquelinegoodall@msn.com.



Town Community News

Forest Heights Residents Win in 44th Annual Beautification Awards

Congratulations to Forest Heights residents Monica Lawson and Wyatt and Michelle Vailes, who were announced winners in this year's Prince George's County Beautification Awards! Adam Ortiz, director of the county's Department of the Environment, presented them with their awards at a Sept. 24 ceremony. The Beautification Awards Program honors those who have contributed to the community through excellence in gardening and landscape design. Thanks to Ms. Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Vailes for proudly representing our Town!



Local Student Selected Winner in "My Dream Playground" Contest

Congratulations to Forest Heights Elementary School student Keniah Fleming! Her drawing was selected as the winning entry for the "My Dream Playground" design contest that we had for our new KaBOOM! tot lot at Fox Way and Mohican Drive earlier in the spring! We surprised Keniah at the school Nov. 20 and presented her with a \$20 gift card to Toys R Us.



Keniah, who is 10 years old and in the 4th grade, says she hopes someday to become an architect or doctor.

Her favorite subjects in school are science and physical education.

Congratulations again to Keniah and thanks to all of our talented students who participated in the contest!

So often we become so focused on the finish line that we fail to enjoy the journey.

"IF I WERE MAYOR, I WOULD..."



Have your parents ever said, "Hey, be nice," when they overhear you speaking too roughly to a sibling or friend? Forgetting to be polite happens to everyone, now and then. But civility — polite, reasonable and respectful behavior — is something everyone has to practice. Elected officials deal with issues that are important to their community and it can be tough to keep every conversation civil. So, imagine you're the Mayor of Happy Town, share how you would handle this challenge.

Happy Town wants to turn a vacant lot into a place kids can play. Some citizens want it to be a playground. Others want it to be a skate park. The town can only afford to make it one or the other. Now, the entire town is divided. Everyone thinks their solution is best and the discussions about it are loud, angry and sometimes mean. In the end, the council votes to turn the lot into a playground.

CONTEST RULES

- The contest is open to all Maryland students enrolled in the 4th grade during the 2014-2015 school year.
- All essays must begin with the opening line: "If I Were Mayor, I Would..."
- Essays may not exceed 275 words.
- Only one essay may be submitted per student.
- Essays will be judged by contest sponsors in the following areas: essay relation to contest topic, displayed knowledge about municipal government and the role of a mayor, creativity, and proper use of grammar.
- Students must include their first and last names, school and teacher's name at the top of their essays.
- Essays must be received no later than March 31, 2015. Winners will be notified by the end of April 2015.

ESSAY CONTEST

THEME: RESPECT
If you were Mayor...

1. How would you get both sides to work together to build the playground?
2. What would you do to keep the citizens and elected officials from being mean to each other because some dislike the final decision?
3. What would you do, after the decision is made, to make sure the whole town supports the playground?

BE CREATIVE!

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

School: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____

Name of Sponsoring Teacher: _____

Email: _____

Total number of essays submitted: _____

All entry information is mandatory.

Community Members, Officials Cut Ribbon on New Tot Lot

We would like to thank everyone who came out to our Tot Lot Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Nov. 8 at Fox Way and Mohican Drive! We would especially like to thank County Councilman Obie Patterson, who helped us dedicate the new site and cut the ribbon; Mike Slifer from Metro Recreation; Jacoline Key, president of the Glassmanor Citizens Association; Saint Mark African Methodist Episcopal Church; and our community members. Play on!



Community Healthy Heights Tips



The Forest Heights Seniors Recreation Program Monday, December 8, 2014 1-2pm

Forest Heights Municipal Building
5508 Arapahoe Drive
Forest Heights, MD 20745

For information, contact Mrs. Turner at
202-330-3043 or email turnerkchar@aol.com

Forest Heights Healthy Diabetes 101 Prevention and Control



Thursday December 18, 2014 @ 1-2 p.m.
Location: Forest Heights Municipal Building
5508 Arapahoe Drive
Forest Heights, MD 20745
RSVP by December 15, 2014 to Mrs. Hawkins
for a free box lunch at 301-839-1030



Forest Heights Seniors Treated to Holiday Luncheon at National Harbor

This year with the help of sponsors, we were able to rent charter buses and take our seniors to McCormick & Schmick's at National Harbor on Nov. 20 for their annual Senior

Holiday Luncheon! The afternoon's festivities included holiday giveaways for everyone – with six lucky seniors selected randomly to receive additional gift cards to Target – and an informative presentation titled "Taking Control of Your Life" from Kay B. Watkins, Esq. Some of the key advice that she provided to seniors included:

- Having an Advance Directive (also known as a Living Will) – a legal document in which a person specifies what actions should be taken for their health if they are no longer able to make decisions for themselves because of illness or incapacity.
- Understanding your rights under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) – A senior can provide authorization for their loved ones or caregivers to have access to their medical records and participate in doctor's visits.
- Establishing a Power of Attorney – a written document in which one person appoints another person to act as an agent on his or her behalf in specified or all legal or financial matters.

With the passing of each day, more and more of our population is aging and less attention is paid to them and their needs. As a result, we all need to make our own plans; otherwise, plans will be made for us. We also plan to schedule a follow-up forum to continue the discussion on estate planning in the early part of next year.

Special thanks to Ms. Watkins, our administrative assistant Bean Hawkins and esteemed Councilmembers for their involvement, and our sponsors: the Forest Heights-Oxon Hill CDC; County Councilman Obie Patterson; BB&T Bank in Oxon Hill; McCormick & Schmick's; and National Harbor.

ENROLL IN HEALTH COVERAGE AT HealthConnectNow!

Come to a free event near you, where you'll get in-person help as you shop, select and enroll in health coverage that fits your needs and your budget.

Saturday, December 6
10 AM – 2 PM

Southern Regional Technology
and Recreation Complex

7007 Bock Rd, Fort Washington, MD 20744

- » Free health screenings
- » Free food & fun for the whole family
- » We will help you shop, select & enroll in health coverage that fits your needs and your budget
- » Find out if you qualify for Medicaid
- » Healthy living and healthy eating demonstrations



To enroll in health coverage, be sure to bring:

- ✕ Social Security numbers (or document numbers for any legal immigrants who need insurance)
- ✕ Birthdates and general information about every family member applying for health coverage
- ✕ Employer and income information for everyone in your family (for example, from paystubs, W-2 forms, or wage and tax statements)
- ✕ Policy numbers for any current health insurance
- ✕ Information about any job-related health insurance available to your family



For more information:

Capital Region Health Connector

Call Center: 240-773-8250

Web: www.capitalhealthconnection.org



marylandhealthconnection.gov
1-855-642-8572 TTY: 1-855-642-8573

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Town Community News (continued)

PGFF PROPOSES TNR FOR COMMUNITY CATS

In the October 2014 issue of Forest Heights News, the Message from the Town Administrator stated that numerous residents have contacted the Town about wild animals, including feral cats.

At the Town Council meeting on October 15, 2014, Timothy Saffell, president of Prince George's County Feral Friends (PGFF) gave a presentation to propose that the Town implement a trap-neuter-return (TNR) program as a responsible and compassionate way to manage the Town's feral cat population.

Mr. Saffell explained that feral cats are an integrated part of our urban wilderness in which they control rodent, reptile and insect populations. As such, their rapid removal would result in a "vacuum effect" in which rodent, reptile and insect populations rapidly rise and attract feral cats from neighboring communities, returning the feral cat population to its former level.

Alternatively, in a trap-neuter-return program, feral cats are trapped, neutered, and then returned to the location from which they were trapped. The result is an environmentally sound and humane, gradual reduction in the community's feral cat population.

Neutering eliminates the mating behaviors of spraying by male cats and yowling by female cats, which are often associated with residents' nuisance complaints. Therefore, communities with TNR programs experience reduction in complaints about feral cats.

PGFF estimates that, in 2005, Prince George's County euthanized approximately 3000 cats at an estimated \$135 per cat for sheltering, processing and euthanasia. Based on these estimates, a 10% reduction in the number of cats euthanized in the County can save approximately \$40,000 per year.

In Prince George's County, during the neutering of a feral cat, the top 1/4" tip of the feral cat's left ear is sliced off under anesthesia. "Ear-tipping" identifies cats that have undergone the TNR process. Prince George's County Code prohibits County animal control officers from removing trapped ear-tipped cats from the location where they are trapped. Mr. Saffell feels that this code reflects the County's recognition of feral cats as valuable to the community.

Prince George's County Feral Friends (PGFF) has been educating and assisting communities in developing and implementing TNR programs to responsibly and compassionately manage feral cat colonies since 1999. PGFF has trained more than 200 County residents in TNR procedure and helped 34 neighborhood groups implement TNR programs, preventing the birth of an estimated 240,000 homeless kittens.

Forest Heights residents who are interested in learning more about TNR or implementing a TNR program in the Town may contact PGFF at (301) 262-6452 or visit <http://www.pgferals.org/>

By Betty Chang, Forest Heights resident

Forest Heights Halloween/Harvest Day Celebration

We would like to issue a belated thanks to the Forest Heights-Oxon Hill CDC and Solar, Inc. for co-sponsoring the Harvest Day Festival that was held Oct. 31 in front of the Town Hall Building. We were very pleased that so many community members came out, and we enjoyed seeing the children – and adults! – take part in activities such as egg dying, pumpkin carving and marshmallow roasting. Special thanks to Councilwoman Cynthia Mann; Wanda Smith-Battle from the Glassmanor community; Darlene Kuny; and all of our volunteers for their involvement.

We appreciate events such as this one and the Haunted House because they provide a safe place for children in the area to celebrate Halloween. We also appreciate the support of the Forest Heights-Oxon Hill CDC, which makes it possible for us to fund these types of community events. If you're interested in learning more about the Forest Heights-Oxon Hill CDC and/or getting involved, please reach out to our Town Administrator Vern Hae-fele.



"I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."

Town Receives 2014 Maryland Smart Energy Community Designation

We are proud to announce that Forest Heights was recently named a 2014 Maryland Smart Energy Community. The goal of the Maryland Smart Energy Communities program is to have local governments adopt policies and commit to them for the long term, leading to sustained energy savings and additional opportunities for renewable energy development. Some of the benefits of participating include access to grant opportunities, statewide recognition as a leader in energy and sustainability and more.

Special thanks to Councilwoman C. Lynn Smith-Barnes for attending a ceremony held Nov. 14 in Hyattsville, where she accepted a display award on behalf of the Town.

Additional information on the program is available at <http://energy.maryland.gov/Govt/smartenergycommunities/>.

Town Community News (continued)

Calling All Nonprofits!

Applications are now being accepted for the FY15 Community Partnership Grant Program, in which approximately \$1.6 million in funding is available to eligible nonprofits. Local nonprofit organizations that provide community-based program initiatives to help foster the growth and development of people and communities in Prince George's County are encouraged to apply.

Any organization, institution or association, incorporated as a private, nonprofit organization as designated under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and providing services in Prince George's County is eligible. However, only one application per organization will be accepted. The deadline for application submission is **Fri., Dec. 19, 2014**.

Applications, FAQs and guidelines, along with lists and photos of past recipients, are available at: <http://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/sites/ExecutiveBranch/CommunityEngagement/CommunityPartnershipGrants/Pages/default.aspx>

Questions concerning CPG grant applications should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget at 301-952-3300.



TeamBuilders Academy is Recruiting for the Spring 2015 Semester!

TeamBuilders Academy is Prince George's Community College's Flagship Workforce Development Program offering training in various trades such as Administrative Services, Automotive Technician, Construction, Hospitality, and Information Technology

Eligibility:

- Unemployed
- Prince George's County Resident
- 18 years of age or older
- High School Graduate or GED recipient
- Driver's License

Recruitment Session

Date: Monday, December 15, 2014

Time: 10:00a.m Sharp

**Location: Westphalia Training Center (WTC)
9109 Westphalia Road
Upper Marlboro, MD 20774**

What to Bring:

- ✓ Valid Driver's License
- ✓ High School Diploma / GED or College Transcript
- ✓ Proof of Residency (Utility Bill, lease, vehicle registration)
- ✓ Social Security Card
- ✓ If Veteran - DD214

To all participating organizations and partners, please:

- Collect the names of members who are interested in attending this session and
- Forward the names and contact information to: deadwyer@pgcc.edu - attention John Deadwyer or hallqa@pgcc.edu - attention Gabrielle Hall

For more information, please contact the TeamBuilders Academy at (301)-322-0964

"Excellence * Success * Diversity * Respect * Professionalism * Lifelong Learning"
www.pgcc.edu/golba

Help Our Community Become More Sustainable by Saving Energy at Home

Many of our residents support the Town of Forest Heights community by volunteering to help out in our local schools, helping with various committees, serving on Forest Heights Green Team, supporting local businesses and charities, and more. And, as a community, we take pride in using our resources, such as water and energy, sustainably. Forest Heights is seeking community certification through the Sustainable Maryland Certified program, a voluntary program for municipalities aiming to implement sustainable actions in the community and enhance livability.

Your actions and your participation in programs that help to protect our resources is vital to our success. Energy Wise Rewards, a Pepco program, provides residents and businesses an automatic way to save energy. Saving energy saves money and also helps the environment. The Energy Wise Rewards program supports the EmPOWER Maryland initiative to reduce energy by 15% by 2015.

How does it work?

Energy Wise Rewards is a completely voluntary program offered to Pepco customers at no charge. It will help you understand your electricity use and save money off your electricity bills. Here's how:

* Customers choose a web programmable thermostat – a \$180 value – or an outdoor switch. Pepco provides and installs these devices at no charge.

* Customers receive an Installation Credit of up to \$80 off their electricity bill after device installation.

* Customers choose a cycling level -- 50%, 75%, or 100% -- and receive additional Annual Reward Credits of up to \$80 off their June through October electricity bills each year of participation.

* During select summer weekdays, Energy Wise Rewards uses the devices to reduce electricity use by cycling central air conditioners or heat pumps off and on for a short period of time - your fan will continue to run, which keeps the cool air circulating in your home.

* Programmable thermostats save money throughout the year. The U.S. Department of Energy estimates programmable thermostats can help you save 10% in heating and cooling costs annually.

Many customers who start at the 50% cycling say they don't notice when the cycling happens and there is only a 1-3 degree temperature change.

Energy Wise Rewards benefits the entire community and is an easy way to save energy and save money off electricity bills.

There are several ways you can sign up!

* Pick up a sign-up form at <<city/town building>>

* Call Pepco's Energy Wise Rewards Center at 866-353-5798

* Go online to www.pepco.com/rewards

Sign up and save automatically with Energy Wise Rewards. Then tell your friends, neighbors and coworkers about how they can save energy and reduce their energy bills at home, too.

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Local Forest Heights
Post Customer

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Town Community News (continued)



WINTER LEARNING

The Learning Center

Not confident about your academic performance? The Learning Center, a division of Men Aiming Higher, Inc., is offering academic enrichment for students, males and females, in K-12, SAT and GED preparation. Topics include Algebra, General Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, History, Government, Spanish I, II and III, Technology, Biology, English, Reading, Decoding, Language Arts, ELL and College students are welcome. We believe all students can achieve because Education is the New Sport™. Now is the time to Making the Grade A+. Visit our website at www.menaiminghigher.org today, let's get ready for a successful upcoming school year.

Contact :Helen Ballard hballard@menaiminghigher.org to make an appointment to visit our center and make that first step to college readiness or career bound.

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Trash/Recycle Collection is to be Placed at the Curb the Night before Collection

PICK-UP DAYS BEGIN AT 6:30 a.m.

MONDAY—Recycle & Trash

Yard Waste will be Picked Up on Wednesday

THURSDAY—Bulk

Call a head for **METAL PICK-UP**. Metal placed on the curb will be picked

up by Public Works for a minimum of \$35.00

Forest Heights Notary

9 am - 4 pm Monday - Friday

Notary is \$2 per document

301-839-1030

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

Phone (301) 839-1030 Fax (301) 839-9236

8:30a.m.—5:00 p.m.

www.forestheightsmd.gov

Town Community News (continued)

DECEMBER 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5 Friday Night Family Fun & Fireworks National Harbor	6 Councilman Obie Patterson's Prayer Breakfast 9:00-12 noon Colony South Hotel Clinton, MD Ugly Sweater Run National Harbor 9:00-2:00 p.m. Winter's Eve National Colonial Farm Accokeek, MD
7 Washington Redskins vs. St. Louis Rams FedEx Field 1:00 p.m. Landover, MD	8 Trash/Recycle Mayor/Council Meeting 7:30 p.m. Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m. Avoiding Foreclosure from 1:00-2:00 p.m.	9	10 Yard Waste Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m.	11 Bulk Trash	12 15th Annual Gingerbread House Contest and Show Upper Marlboro, MD	13 Holiday Trains and Planes College Park Aviation Museum College Park, MD Santa's Little Helpers Workshop & Brunch Prince George's Sports & Learning Complex Noon-3:00 p.m.
14 Lacrosse 101 Southern Regional Technology/Recreation Complex 1:00-5:00 p.m.	15 Trash/Recycle Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m. Last day to register for Healthy Diabetes 101 Luncheon	16	17 Mayor/Council Meeting 8:00 p.m. Yard Waste Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m.	18 Bulk Trash Forest Heights Healthy Diabetes 101 1:00-2:00 p.m.	19 Family Night National Children's Museum National Harbor 5:00-7:00 p.m.	20 An Evening of Gospel Harmony Hall Regional Center 8:00 p.m.
21	22 Trash/Recycle Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m.	23	24 Yard Waste Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m. Waterskiing Santa National Harbor	25 No Bulk Trash TOWN HALL CLOSED	26	27
28 Washington Redskins vs. Dallas Cowboys FedEx Field 1:00 p.m.	29 Trash/Recycle Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m.	30	31 Exercise Classes 11:40-12:40 p.m.	NEW YEARS DAY TOWN HALL CLOSED		



SAINT MARK AME CHURCH

5427 INDIAN HEAD HIGHWAY
OXON HILL, MARYLAND 20745

REVEREND STERLIN POWELL, PASTOR



*Join us as we celebrate the birth of
Jesus*

Christmas Dinner & Play for Seniors 70 years and older, Dec. 13 - 2:00 p.m.

Christmas Candlelight Service, Dec. 19 - 7:30 p.m.

Church School Christmas Program, Dec. 21 - 8:30 a.m.

Young People Jammín' For Jesus New Year's Eve Fun, Dec 31 - 8:00 p.m.

New Year's Watch Night Service, Dec. 31 - 10:30 p.m.

Come out and bless us with your presence.

Visit us online: stmarkamec.org; Like us on Facebook.

You are welcome to worship with us during this Christmas season.

Sunday Worship: 10:30am; Church School: 8:30am

Wednesday Bible Study: 11:30am and 7:30pm

(Beginning January 2015, Evening Bible Study will begin at 7:00pm)

*For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is
given; And the government will be upon His
shoulder. And His name will be called
Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting
Father, Prince of Peace. - Isaiah 9:6 (NKJV)*

*Merry
Christmas*