

WCI Chatter
Sunday, November 27, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

District 40
2nd Annual
Bringing in the NEW YEAR
2023

December 31, 2022 6pm to 12:30am
Evangelical Reformed United Church of Christ
15 W. Church Street, Frederick, MD 21701
Dress: Festive

6-8 Welcome
Firehouse Subs -- Desserts -- Coffee, Tea & Water
Sobriety Countdown
50/50 Raffle

8-9 Speaker
Linda B. from Waldorf, Md.

9-12:30 Dancing
Live Music by Beyond The Blues

Beyond The Blues
*Lightin' it up with Blues,
Rock and more!*

Tickets available from: [EventBrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)
District 40 - Bringing in the New Year
\$15.00 pp + surcharge

Only 200 seats available
District 40 will provide some scholarships

[To Purchase Tickets ---> Click Here](#)

General Service Representative

Where do our dollars go?

Does your Group have a GSR?

Join us for area assembly, Dec 10 8am

Evangelical Reformed United Church, 15 W Church St., Frederick MD

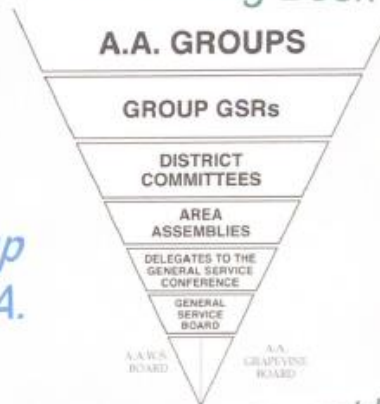
All Welcome! Learn about the best service position in A.A.

New Versions of the Big Book

This is how your home group learns about what's going on in A.A.

And how your group can help improve A.A.

To help the still suffering Alcoholic



Changes to the Preamble

Corrections and Treatment Commitments are available!

Hagerstown Prisons - MCTC and Roxbury are now taking applications for volunteers to bring AA meetings into prisons. Once the paperwork is submitted and processed, the person will be contacted to attend an orientation meeting. Please contact corrections.treatment@westcentralaa.org and mention Hagerstown Prisons and the application will be sent to you.

Frederick County Adult Detention Center is assessing the best possible way to begin meetings in the center. (Video/In-Person) All volunteers will need to go through background checks and orientation. If you are interested in a service commitment with FCADC please contact corrections.treatment@westcentralaa.org and mention FCADC and the application will be sent to you.

Mountain Manor - is in desperate need of people to take a once a month commitment into their facility (especially women). Please contact Kye directly at 240-357-4256

Lee F., WCI's new O&TC Chair is looking for people to volunteer an hour at a time to answer phone calls and sell literature at the Intergroup Office. Please email office@westcentralaa.org to touch base with Lee and to set up a short training appointment. Volunteering at the Office is a great way to give back and to stay in the middle of AA!! Office training is always available.

The WCI Central Office
The Federated Charities Bldg. 22 S. Market St., Suite 7 Frederick MD, 21701
Email: office@westcentralaa.org

[West Central Intergroup Office Hours Link](#)

"The WCI Literature Committee (literature@westcentralaa.org) would like to remind you that literature and other items can be purchased at a 50% discount for a limited time. Please visit <http://westcentralaa.org/literature-select/> to place your order. Be advised that literature purchased in this way will not be shipped to you. Arrangements will be made between you and the Literature committee for the literature to be picked up at a designated time. Thank you for taking advantage of this feature on our website!!"

[The Orenda Center of Wellness](#) in Sabillasville, Maryland, is looking for women with at least 6 months of sobriety to bring meetings into their inpatient treatment facility. If you are interested in a once a month commitment on an evening at 7pm please contact dray@theorendacenter.com

Meeting Information and Changes

SUNDAY MORNING SPECIAL GROUP

This Meeting

🎄 " WILL BE CLOSED " 🎄

Christmas Day and New Year's Day

🧑‍🎄 We will reopen on Sunday 🧑‍🎄

January 8, 2023

Have a safe

 Christmas and New Year 

Walkersville Women's Meeting Live Saturdays at 8:30 am

(No longer Hybrid):

The new location is:

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 10625 Old Frederick Road

THURMONT, MD 21788

Use back door and go downstairs.

The Sunrise Group is now a Live Meeting (No longer Hybrid):

Saturday's at 8:00 A.M.

St Ignatius Church - Bldg C, Rm 110,

4103 Prices Distillery Rd 21754

The Commuter Group is in need of Support:

Sunday at 5:00 P.M.

Frederick Presbyterian Church, 115 W 2nd St 21701

- Basement entrance, rear right side of church sidewalk/alley

New Live (Open/Discussion) Meeting: The Goose Hung High

Monday through Friday @ 12:00 Noon

Journey's Crossing Church, Bldg A

12900 Cloverleaf Center Drive Germantown, MD 20874



The Firing Line

**1890 N Market St, Ste 301
Frederick MD**

***John D.
Celebrates 15 Years***

***Monday Night
November 28th-
6 pm***



DAMASCUS ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH
12826 OLD NATIONAL PIKE
MT. AIRY, MD 21771

SOBER
FRIENDS
7 PM
MONDAY
NOVEMBER 28, 2022

NIKKI
CELEBRATES
2 YEAR





*DOTME CELEBRATES
31 YEARS*

**SOBER FRIENDS
MONDAY DECEMBER 5TH
7:00PM**

**DAMASCUS ROAD COMMUNITY
CHURCH
12826 OLD NATIONAL PIKE
MT. AIRY, MD 21771**

**Grapevine Meeting held on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm
Join Zoom Meeting**



<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85217774704?pwd=TVhEdFpKdmxSRINvNnJHU1pYWdVaQT09>

Meeting ID: 852 1777 4704

Passcode: 019347

Hosted by: Brandi D., Area 29 Grapevine Committee Chair

For more info: grapevine@marylandaa.org

Group and District GVR's encouraged to attend 😊 ,

All are Welcome!

***Are you looking for a fun service position? Please join us and find out more! All are welcome to attend!**

**New Zealand Marathon Zoom Meeting - Eastern time +16 hours
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2923712604> Meeting ID 2923712604 This
24x7 meeting is still going strong ! (as of 7-10-2022)**

UPCOMING EVENTS



DECEMBER 18, 2022
3 PM EDT - SUNDAY



SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

ACCESSIBILITIES OVERVIEW II

Spanish & ASL Interpretation Provided

ID 841 2499 3206
PW 326186



Accessibilities@MarylandAA.org

... **SAVE THE DATE** ...

August 4-6, 2023

51st Annual Area 29 Maryland State Convention

Hosted by Maryland General Service, Inc. with Al-Anon Participation

Held at the Delta Hotel by Marriott—Hunt Valley • 245 Shawan Road, Hunt Valley, MD 21031



**SPEAKERS • WORKSHOPS
HOSPITALITY SUITE • ALCATHONS
SAT BANQUET • DELEGATE REPORT
SOBRIETY COUNTDOWN
OLDTIMERS PANEL
AA HISTORY PRESENTATION
Ice Cream Social & Live Music
Friday & Saturday Evenings**

Registration \$36 (cash or check)
\$38 (credit card or PayPal)

Convention Pin free for the first 600 Pre Registrations

Convention Hotel Room Rate: \$124/per night + tax

Hotel reservations must be made by Sunday, July 9, 2023

For hotel reservations, call 844-781-7404 (Code: MGS 2023 State Convention)

or online hotel registration click on—

[Book your group rate for MGS 2023 State Convention](#)

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1666295673654&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

or scan



Spanish & ASL Interpretation will be provided
with additional accommodations for the hard of hearing



For more information about the State Convention, contact
stateconvention@marylandaa.org

OTHER NEWS

Looking for a Meeting?

The Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting Guide App Brought to you by Alcoholics Anonymous World Services, Inc., Meeting Guide is a free of charge meeting finder app for iOS and Android that provides meeting information from A.A. service entities in an easy-to-access format. **Link:**

[Alcoholics Anonymous : Meeting Guide \(aa.org\)](http://aa.org)

Grapevine and La Viña Are Here to Help: To help members during this time, Grapevine is giving everyone free access to all of its 2020 Grapevine and La Viña issues. (The audio to Grapevine's stories will be available as well, so people can listen to the stories if they like.) Please share with your fellows. Also, here is a link to Grapevine's YouTube channel with some original audio stories as well as other important information. To enter, visit: www.aagrapevine.org/we-are-here-to-help.



If you have an Event/Announcement/Anniversary/Recent Meeting Change you'd like to appear in a future issue of Chatter, please send details to wcichatter1@gmail.com. Our Website is located at <http://westcentralaa.org/>. To unsubscribe from Chatter, please go to the website and click on the Chatter Tab at the top. Our List of Meetings (Including In-Person, Online, or Hybrid) is also posted on the website, click on "[Meetings](#)" at the top of the page. There is also a Printable Version of the meetings on the website. To Add, Remove or Change a Meeting, on the website, go to the "Meetings" Tab and choose "[Meeting Change](#)". Also, please direct your AA friends to the website to [subscribe](#) to Chatter if they are so inclined. Scan the QR Code below to visit the WCI Website.

