



Marshallton United Methodist Church

1282 W. Strasburg Road, West Chester, PA 19382



Celebrating 190 years of mission and ministry **YOU ARE INVITED TO A CELEBRATION**

Sunday, January 14, 2018

During our 10:30 am Worship Service

*Celebration Lunch to Follow the Service in honor of Marshallton's 190th Anniversary
and Evelyn Fair's 100th birthday*

The Marshallton United Methodist Church

In West Bradford Township, Chester County, not far from the intersection of West Strasburg and Sugars Bridge Roads, stands the Marshallton United Methodist Church, home to one of the oldest congregations in our conference. Methodist preaching began in the village about the year 1812, when Rev. Alban Hooke, a local preacher from Hopewell, began holding services in the barn of Moses Hiddleston. Marshallton became an "established church" in 1828. The first church was erected in 1829, and dedicated by Rev. Levi Scott, who later became a bishop. In 1891, the original church was demolished and a new stone building erected, which remains the heart of the church complex today. For a time the church was known as the Inskip Memorial ME Church, in honor of Rev. John S. Inskip, who was converted in Marshallton in 1832, and later became an internationally known preacher and holiness leader. The building was remodeled in 1946 to add classrooms, a loft and a basement, in order to accommodate a growing Sunday school program. In 1998, a new education building was dedicated.

Please join us in celebrating this significant event in the life of our village!

*❖ Our Eastern PA Conference Bishop, Peggy A. Johnson,
will be here to bring us the message.*

In the words of John Wesley:

*"Do all the good you can. By all means that you can.
In all the ways you can. At all the times you can. To all the
people that you can. As long as ever you can."*