**Baltimore-Washington Conference of the United Methodist Church**

**Cumberland-Hagerstown District
Church Conference Agenda, Fall 2018**

***One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question:“Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?”Jesus replied: ‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”*** *-- Matthew 22:35-40 New International Version (NIV)*

**Worship:** Devotion

**Celebration of Ministry:** Each church shares:

* A review of the current Mission and Ministry of the Church
* Sharing of the Church’s Future Goals and Objectives

**Meeting:**

* Clergy Compensation Report for 2019
* Membership Report
* Nominations Report
* Reports from retired clergy and clergy in other relationships
* Voting on:
	+ Candidates for Ordained Ministry: Recommendation and/or Renewal
	+ Certified Lay Servant(s): Initial Recommendation and/or Renewal
	+ Certified Lay Speaker(s)
	+ Certified Lay Minister(s)
	+ Accepting entire Church Conference packet
* Open dialog and comments on “A Way Forward”

**Adjournment:**

* Following the ministry presentations, the District Superintendent conducts a time of sharing, discussion, and commentary about the special needs of the churches, community and ministry we might be doing together.
* We will conclude with prayer and be dismissed.