



## **Loch Raven United Methodist Church**

### **Inclement Weather Closure Policy**

In the interest of the safety and well-being of our Church Members (and other parties using our church facilities), we have decided upon the following guidelines during periods of inclement weather.

Loch Raven United Methodist Church will follow the Inclement Weather Policy of the Baltimore County Public School System for activities held at the church during the week and Saturday's. In the event that BCPS announces early dismissal, all afternoon and evening activities at the church will be cancelled. If BCPS schools are closed, all activities at the church will be cancelled.

The decision for weekend activities will be made by the Pastor and publicized on the phone answering service as well as the church web site.

In the event the weather pattern changes after cancellation or early dismissal is declared by BCPS, it will be at the sole discretion of each individual group leader, for example Adrian Palazzi, Chair of the Trustees, to decide if the scheduled meeting can and will be held. The leader has the full responsibility to contact each and every person on their team by email and/or telephone notifying them of the decision to hold the activity and emphasizing to each person that if they have any safety concerns about making their way to the church that is an acceptable reason for not attending.

Respectfully submitted,

Adrian Palazzi

Chair, LRUMC Trustees