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WHY UMCL WEARS NAME TAGS: Wearing a name tag helps us to know each other by name, not just by face. It helps visitors feel more comfortable to talk to others when they can call you by name. In addition, it helps our greeters identify visitors and people who may be looking for a church. If you would like to have a plastic name badge made for you, please call the church office.

VISION STATEMENT

Believers seeking and sharing the character of Christ

Pastor: **Rev. Thomas J. Evans**

Youth and Christian Education Director: **Jennifer Courtland**

Office Manager: **Rev. Laurie McKinven-Copus**

Music Director: **Rebecca Sopha**

Handbell Director: **Deb Wooster**

Water's Edge Praise Band Director: **Jac Russell**



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SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2013

11:00 AM

**I will fear no evil,
for you are
with
me....**

Psalm 23:4



Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome! We pray a special blessing this Father's Day for fathers and father-figures, and give thanks that our Father in Heaven blesses and loves us all.

PRELUDE "Holy, Holy, Holy" arr., Alice Jordan
Use the yellow Prayer Cards in the pews to write your requests. Give them to one of the ushers before the service.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, PASSING GOD'S PEACE
Please sign the attendance pad located at the end of your pew. Pass it down the row and then back to the center aisle. Thanks!

PRAYER Rev. Ken Tabor

***THE PSALTER** Psalm 23 Page 754

***HYMN** "Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us" #381

SPECIAL MUSIC "Eternal Life" Olive Duggan
(Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi)
Sung by Phyllis Heimall

PRAYER TIME

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERING SENTENCE

OFFERTORY

Sarabande"

G.F. Handel

***DOXOLOGY #95** (*Please stand if able*). **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN** "God Will Take Care of You" #130

SCRIPTURE Numbers 11:4-6 (*Pew Bibles p.124*)

SERMON "How Bad Is It?" Pastor Tom

***CLOSING HYMN** "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms" #133

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** "Trumpet Time" Henry Purcell

Pirates of Hope: Yo-ho-ho, Cancer's gotta go. Last year we said we would return in 2013 and ask for your support of the annual American Cancer Society Relay for Life. In 2012 you raised \$11,000 plus, which represented over 10% of Mason County's total (\$102,000). Well, we keep our promises—and we're back. We again have an opportunity to raise badly needed money that goes toward research and support for those fighting cancer. Your participation is meaningful on many different levels, and is a statement that we are united in our fight against this disease. We hope you will join us to make up the Ludington United Methodist Church team.

Dates: June 22-23, 2013

Opening ceremonies: 11:00 a.m. (June 22)

Place: Oriole Field (700 Tinkham Ave; Ludington—corner of Tinkham and Gaylord Ave)

24-one hour slots for walking are available on June 22 and 23. You may choose your walking time. We will have a sign up table in the narthex on today. You may sign up for a time slot, make a donation, or purchase a luminaria. **It is not necessary to collect money in order to walk. Team members who do collect \$100 will receive a t-shirt.** Luminaria can be purchased for \$10.00 to honor a cancer survivor or to honor the memory of a loved one. These will be placed around the Oriole Field track as part of the event. It is always a particularly moving part of the Relay.

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Upcoming Emmaus Walks in Hart
Sponsored by the West Michigan Emmaus Community
Men's Walk September 19-22
Women's Walk September 26-29

The Walk to Emmaus is a spiritual renewal intended to strengthen the local church through the development of Christian disciples and leaders. It includes fifteen talks by clergy and laypeople centered on God's grace and discipleship. The weekend also includes time for prayer and meditation, singing, worship, fellowship[and daily Communion. For more information Emmaus pamphlets are available on our literature table. You may also contact Lynn Gohn at 843-4746. The West Michigan Emmaus Community meets on the first Saturday of the month at 5:00 pm for a potluck and worship. This meeting is listed in our church calendar and bulletin.

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Haiti Mission Trip
June 7-18, 2013

On June 7, nine teams members left for Haiti on a 12-day mission trip. These include Team Leader Dave Hamman, Patty Gottwald and her teenage daughter Kayla Gottwald, and Rev. Norm Letsinger from our church; Dawn Brown and Sandy Rapp from Traverse Bay UMC; Dave Patchkowski ("Patch") from Epsilon UMC; Susan Wirgau from Petoskey UMC; and Cristine Perez from Mason County Reformed Church.

Norm and Patch will spend most of their time at Baudin School, which our church sponsors. Norm will train people from Baudin and Ranquette on how to use the wood lathes he has constructed and shipped there, so that they can make wooden bowls and many other items to use or sell. The foundation at Baudin School has washed out and Norm, Patch, and Haitian men will help repair it with cement.

The rest of the group will travel to Ranquette, a mountain town where our church is financing the construction of a Methodist Church. The church should be completed by the time we arrive. The group will work with children at the church and an orphanage, and will work at two medical clinics.

The team will return home the night of June 18. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers. *Dave Hamman, Missions Chairman*