



United Methodist Church of Ludington

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AUGUST 23, 2015 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, Aug. 23

8:15 am	Praise Band Rehearsal
9:00-12:15	Coffee
9:30 am	Contemporary Worship & Son Shine Kids
10:30 am	Choir Rehearsal
11:00 am	Traditional Worship

Tuesday, Aug. 25

9:30 am	Intercessory Prayer
6:30 pm	Administrative Board

Wednesday, Aug. 26

9:00 am	Rug/Sleeping Bag Ladies
5:30 pm	Praise Band Rehearsal
6:30 pm	Potluck, with Bible Study at 7:04
7:00 pm	Recorders

Friday, Aug. 28

“Dare to Care” Yard Sale Setup

Saturday, Aug. 29

8 am - 5 pm “Dare to Care” Yard Sale sponsored by
Ludington Cares

Sunday, August 30

9:00-12:15	Coffee
9:30 am	Contemporary Worship & Son Shine Kids
10:30 am	Choir Rehearsal
11:00 am	Traditional Worship

IMMEDIATE PRAYER

John Wagner

MISSIONARIES

Bob & Sue Martin,
Pastor Bernard & Betty
Lumene

NURSING/ADULT CARE

Warren Abrahamson,
Nancy Dust,
Kay Fetters,
Ruth Foster,
Phil Hunt,
Billie Jabrocki,
Arlene Kelsey,
Versil Larsen,
Tom McCumber,
Addie Morgan,
Don Newberg,
Dolores Pahoski,
Don Post,
Doris & Ken Rathert (*parents
of Carol Pehrson*),
Marjorie Schuler,
Frances Shuey,
Dorothy Smogeleski,
Laura Walker,
Matthew Wilson, Oklahoma

HAITI:

**Baudin School;
Baudin Methodist Church
and Pastor Matthew;
Ranquette Methodist
Church and Pastor Odeles
Du Rosier; Papillon
Orphanage**

ZAMBIA:

**Soweto-Kapisha UMC and
Rev. Elizabeth Matupa;
Lord’s Mountain Orphan-
age; Bwafwano Care
Project and Minerva Phiri**

HENDERSON SETTLEMENT

ONGOING

Al Bouda,
Paul Carter,
Todd Courtland,
Dick Davis,
Pastor Dennis,
Millie Frederick,
Art Isham,
Rev. Norm Letsinger,
Kay Neal,



Sean Nelson,
Dave Petersen,
Ray Schelten,
Kyle Scheuneman,
Pat Shinn,
Art Somsel,
Amy Stewart,
Pat Trowbridge,
Linda, Lisa, Jason Wolven,
John Zabihaylo

**Note: After three months’
time we will need an
update for your name to
remain on our ongoing
prayer list. Thank you.**

IN THE MILITARY

StA Joseph Archer
Sgt. Daniel J. Cook
Matthew Heard
Greg Heimall III, NC
Col. Jonathan Letsinger, VA
Staff Sgt. Eric Luteyn, Cuba
2nd Lt. Jane McNaughton
Otto McNaughton, NE
E-4 Spc Joshua John Reed, KY
Matthew Raven
Corey Shinn, South Korea
Tony Wagner, VA

*The church office needs
2015-2016 addresses for
college students. Parents,
please call 843-8340 or
leave a note in Laurie’s
box.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Local visitors interested in learning about our church and its programs are encouraged to stop at the Welcome Center in the narthex to pick up a visitor bag.

Today's altar flowers were donated by Art and Lynne Murphy in celebration of their 41st anniversary!

The Christian Education Department needs you!

- We need an individual or couple to teach the **middle school Sunday School class**, which meets from 10:00 to 11:00 am beginning September 13.
- We also need someone to **help with one of the youth groups** each Sunday night., beginning September 13. The middle school youth group meets from 4:00 to 5:30 pm, and the high school youth group meets from 5:30 to 7:00 pm. You would only need to help with one of the groups, so that means we need two people.

All of these positions could be filled on a rotational basis so that one person would not need to commit to every Sunday. Please contact Jennifer Courtland, Youth and Christian Education Director, if you are interested in helping to nurture our youth as they grow in Christian faith.

Women's Bible Study begins at 9:30 Thursday, September 3 in Fellowship Hall. "Faith in Action" is a Fisherman study on the Book of James, accompanied by the video "Developing a Faith that Works" with Pastor Rick Warren. All women are invited to attend and are most welcome. Please sign up in the church office. If you have questions, you may call Lynne Gohn at 843-4746.

Do you have **mason jars** that you no longer use? Bring them to the Rug Room! Some creative ladies will use them to make things for the United Methodist Women bazaar, which is October 24 this year. They welcome all sizes of mason jars.

Pentwater Centenary United Methodist Church seeks a church secretary. Work hours are 8:30 am to 12:30 pm Monday through Thursday. If interested, please contact Niki Anderson at the Pentwater Centenary church office **by August 31** at pwcentumc@frontier.com or 231-869-5900.

Dinner for Eight will be starting again. If you'd like to get to know more people and enjoy great food, try Dinner for Eight! For more information or to sign up, call Donna Possehn at 690-1647.

Upper Room daily devotional booklets for September/October are now available on the Literature Table in the east hallway.

The **XYZ (Xtra Years of Zest)** group will meet for some good food and fellowship in Fellowship Hall at noon Thursday, September 3. We will begin with a potluck lunch. Following lunch, Emily Garland will involve us in a "Fun with Bells" program. Please bring a dish to pass, your table service and a friend or two, and join us for a good afternoon together.

Dan Sleeman, Wayne Disegna and Kirk Myers will teach an adult Sunday School class for both men and women at 10:00 am Sundays beginning September 13. The first book will be Adam Hamilton's *When Christians Get It Wrong*. This book discusses politics, judgment, salvation, sexuality, tragedy and science from a Christian perspective. The church will order the books, which will cost in the range of \$10, and class participants can purchase the books prior to September 13 or the first day of class. **Sign up for this class in the church office by September 3 so that we know how many books to purchase.**

Thursday evening rehearsals for Chancel and Praise Choirs recommence August 27. Everyone is welcome! Chancel Choir is at 7:00 pm and Praise Choir is at 8:00.