



United Methodist Church of Ludington

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JANUARY 8, 2017 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, January 8

- 8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal
 - 9:00 am Contemporary Worship
 - 10:00 am Sunday School
 - 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- (Legacy trip to Winter Jam in Grand Rapids Jan. 8-9)*

Monday, Jan. 9

- 10:00 am Flower Ministry
- 4:00-6:00 pm Grief Group
- 6:00 pm Evangelism Committee
- 7:00 pm Mason County Historical Society

Tuesday, Jan. 10

- 9:30 am Intercessory Prayer
- 5:00 pm Cub Scout Pack 4196
- 7:00 pm Staff-Pastor-Parish Committee

Wednesday, Jan. 11

- 9:00 am Sleeping Bag Ladies
- 6:00 pm Praise Band Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm Catered Meal
- 7:03 pm Pastor's Bible Study

Thursday, Jan. 12

- 6:00 pm Emmaus Board
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 pm Praise Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, Jan. 14

- 4:00 pm Wedding Reception

Sunday, January 15 Racial Ethnic Local Church (Offering)

- 8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Contemporary Worship
- 10:00 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:30-6:30 pm Legacy

IMMEDIATE PRAYER

Family of Bonnie Vaught, who died Dec. 16,
Family of Addie Morgan, who died Dec. 23,
Family of Donna Lundberg, who died Dec. 23



Maralee McCumber
Sean Nelson
Deb Page
Ted Radtke
E. Dean Raven
Sean (grandson of Sutherlands)
Elizabeth Rose
Ken Stroebel
Dale Swanson
Ted Towl
Pat Trowbridge
Laura Wendell
Linda Wolven

MISSIONARIES

Pastor Bernard & Betty Lumene
Brad Nelson

NURSING/ADULT CARE

Eldred Chavalia (*Karlyn Bray's dad*)
Dick Davis
Nancy Dust
Myra Easton
Ruth Foster
Phil & Carol Hunt
Billie Jabrocki
Nancy Kelley
Sally LaFrance
Betty Lunde
Tom McCumber
Don Newberg
Dolores Pahoski
Irv Prescott
Margaret Roat
Dorothy Smogoleski
Laura Walker
Matthew Wilson, Oklahoma

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

Coordinator: Sheila McCallum
Ssgt. Joseph Archer, NV
Sgt. Daniel J. Cook, NC
CSSA Emily Gibson, CA
Matthew Heard, TX
Greg Heimall III, NC
Jacob Hunt
Staff Sgt. Eric Luteyn, KY
Catherine McNaughton, MS
1LT Jane McNaughton, TN
PV2 Christopher Myer, KY
Paige Miller
Paul Nickelson, MI
Matthew Raven, NM
Sgt. Joshua John Reed, HI
Tony Wagner, VA

HAITI:

Baudin School,
Baudin Methodist Church,
Ranquette Methodist Church
and Pastor Odeles Du Rosier,
Papillon Orphanage

ZAMBIA:

Soweto-Kapisha UMC
Lord's Mountain Orphanage,
Bwafwano Care Project and
Minerva Phiri

HENDERSON SETTLEMENT

ONGOING

Bill Alexander
Nancy Anderson
Tom Calabretta
Todd & Jennifer Courtland
Sophia Flores
People of Haiti
Art Isham
Erv Johnson
Dan Laliberte

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Coordinator: Penny Quillan
Alex Bachus, U of M
Samantha Betke, WMU
Katie Biggs, U of M
Alexis Bushard, GVSU
Tim Bushard, WMU
Rachel Gohn, Cornerstone
Kayla Gottwald, WSCC
Natascha Hamman, U of TX
Zachary Hamman, TX State U
Jordyn Sanders, U of M
Alyssa Scribner, Ferris,
Pharmacy Doctorate Program
Tristan Scribner, Ferris
Kennedy E. Westcott, MSU

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.

The **2017 Altar Flowers Chart** is on an easel in the narthex, ready for you to sign up for altar flowers!

Prayer shawls are available in the narthex on the second Sunday of each month, along with yarn, material and instructions for creating them. You can give a love offering to support these ministries. Put donation envelopes in the offering plate or turn them in to the church office.

Found: A car key on a flashlight key chain bearing an advertisement for Kurt Simmons Real Estate. The 317 area code for the realty office is from the Indianapolis, Indiana area. Please see Laurie in the church office if you know whose key this is.

The Grand Traverse District of The United Methodist Church will offer **Lay Servant training** at Grawn UMC on four consecutive Thursdays: January 19 and 26, February 2 and 9. For details, see <http://grand-traverse.michiganumc.org/> .

Our next **American Red Cross Blood Drive** is Friday, January 20, from noon to 6:00 pm. Please call the office (843-8340) if you'd like to volunteer to staff the Canteen Table or Registration Table, or if you'd like to donate blood or cookies!

We will lead **Nursing Home Worship Services** on Sunday, January 22. Services are at 3:00 pm at Ludington Woods and 3:45 pm at Oakview Medical Care Facility. As usual, we would like as many of you folks as possible to attend these services to visit with residents and help with the singing.

Bill and Sharon Alexander sent their best wishes to our church family at this holiday season.

The following two items are from Karen Genson, United Methodist Women President.

(1) Thank you to all of the cookie bakers and open house workers that helped us provide a nice open house for West Shore Bank again this year. They in turn give United Methodist Women a \$500 donation that we can use toward missions.

(2) Update on the items you can collect and turn in to benefit others:

- Metal tabs off of beverage cans, soups, etc.

United Methodist Community House in Grand Rapids continues to benefit from them. There is another group that we turn them in to process them, but UMCH then receives the proceeds which they use to purchase everyday operating supplies, such as wipes.

- Boxtops for Education

Be vigilant and find these little tiny guys to trim, save and turn in. We send half of what we collect to Henderson Settlement in Kentucky and the other half we divide evenly and give to all of the elementary schools represented by children in our elementary Sunday School classes. They are very appreciative to receive them.

- Returnable bottles and cans

Please continue to bring those in for Legacy to use in their fund raising for mission trips! (take the tabs off and turn them in first, though!)

- Labels for Education

Campbells has discontinued this program, so if you still have some at home, they can be thrown away. If you are unsure, turn them in and we can sort through them.