



United Methodist Church of Ludington

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JUNE 18, 2017 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, June 18

- 8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal
- 8:30 am Adult Bible Studies: Rev. Judy's Class
- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship and Pre-K through Adult Sunday School
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship

Monday, June 19

- 10:00 am Flower Ministry
- 4:00 pm Traumatic Loss Group
- 7:00 pm Christian Education Meeting

Tuesday, June 20

- 9:30 am Intercessory Prayer

Wednesday, June 21

- 9:00 am Rug & Sleeping Bag Ladies
- 6:30 pm Potluck
- 7:03 pm Pastor's Bible Study

Thursday, June 22

- 12:00-4:00 pm Garden Club
- 7:00-9:00 pm Patriotic Concert Rehearsal

Sunday, June 25

- 8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal
- 8:30 am Adult Bible Studies: Rev. Judy's Class
- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship and Pre-K through Adult Sunday School
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship

IMMEDIATE PRAYER

Ed Baker

Family of Sean Sutherland
Family of Lewis Rider
(Sharon Wagner's father)
Family of Marguerite Lorentson
Family of Doug Halladay (Mona's son)

MISSIONARIES

Pastor Bernard & Betty
 Lumene
 Brad Nelson

NURSING/ADULT CARE

Eldred Chavalia (*Karlyn Bray's dad*)
 Nancy Dust
 Myra Easton
 Phil Hunt
 Billie Jabrocki
 Nancy Kelley
 Betty Lunde
 Mary Macklam
 Tom McCumber
 Don Newberg
 Dolores Pahoski
 Onabelle Pehrson
 Margaret Roat
 Dorothy Smogeleski
 Laura Walker
 Dawna Wilson
 Matthew Wilson, Oklahoma

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
 Mary Gwen Barrington
 Charlotte Byerley
 Julie Carpenter
 Svea Clayton
 David (*friend of Sutherlands*)
 Todd & Jennifer Courtland
 Dick Davis
 Brian & Margaret Doyle



Anne Estle
 Art Isham
 Erv Johnson
 Joan Kudla
 Dan Laliberte
 Sally LaFrance
 Rommie MacDonald
 Maralee McCumber
 Kirk Myers
 Joan Nelson
 Sean Nelson
 Marcia Olmstead
 Janet Raspotnik
 Connie Robertson
 John & Erma Rodgers
 Elizabeth Rose
 Ken Stroebel
 Dale Swanson
 Pat Trowbridge
 Dawna Wilson
 Linda Wolven

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
 Kevin D. Coyne, Africa
 CSSA Emily Gibson, CA
 Matthew Heard, TX
 Greg Heimall III, NC
 Staff Sgt. Jacob Hunt
 Catherine McNaughton, MS
 1LT Jane McNaughton, TN
 PV2 Christopher Myer, KY
 Paul Nickelson, MI
 Sgt. Joshua John Reed, HI

COLLEGE STUDENTS

College students have been removed from the prayer list for the summer.

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.

STRIKE OUT CANCER! Yes, we're back....asking support for the 2017 American Cancer Society's **Relay for Life** event. Once again we have an opportunity to raise badly needed money that goes toward research and support for those fighting cancer. Your participation is a strong statement that we stand united in our fight against the monster we call cancer.

Dates: June 24-25, 2017 Opening ceremony--noon, June 24 Closing ceremony--10:00 AM, June 25

Place--Oriole Field, Ludington (corner of Tinkham and Gaylord)

Twenty four one hour slots for walking are available for June 24-25. We will have a signup table in the narthex today (before, during, and after services) where you may sign up for a time slot, make a donation, or purchase luminaria. It is not necessary to collect money in order to walk, but team members who collect \$100 and are registered as a participant will receive a t-shirt. You may purchase luminaria for \$10.00 each to honor a cancer survivor or the memory of a loved one. These will be placed around the Oriole Field track during the event and lit for the remainder of the Relay. It is always a particularly moving part of this event. Cris says: Last year my husband and I walked the track during the night hours. I cannot tell you how moved we were reading those names against the gentle glow of candlelight. Please join us!

Cris Wegener: 231-845-0781 Mary Bullock: 231-843-2758 Vi DeMeester: 231-757-3920

From Rev. Judy K. Downing:

Youth! For you that would like to take the *midnight* portion of the Relay for Life on June 24-25, 2017, I will stay up and be at Site #13 waiting for you. *But only if you* are taking part at that time!

The third monthly **Ladies' Lunch Date** is planned for *Monday, June 26 at noon at the picnic table area at the Loomis Street Boat Ramp*. Bring your own jacket, sunglasses, and lunch with you (beverage and brown bag from home or carryout from somewhere, etc). The alternate rain location will be Fellowship Hall at church. About 10-15 ladies enjoyed the first couple lunches. Call the office by Friday, June 23 if you can, to add your name so we know if we need to bring extra table/chairs. But don't let the lack of a reservation keep you away!! Come and enjoy!! Karen Genson (843-2482) would love to hear about future places and preferred times and days of the week *you would like* to have us try.

This year's **Maranatha Women's Summer Breakaway** is Wednesday, June 28, from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. Treat yourself to a day filled with encouragement, laughter, challenges, fellowship, and of course great food; featuring nationally recognized speaker and radio host Christin Ditchfield. See more information and sign up on the office bulletin board. We will leave the church at 7:45 am and car pool to Muskegon. We will return approximately 5 pm. Cost is \$30, which includes our lunch. For more information you may contact Lynne Gohn @ 843-4746.

Calling all Vacation Bible School heroes! At *VBS Hero Central*, we will help our children discover their strength in God through Bible stories, missions, crafts, games, music, and lots of fun! Sign up for a Vacation Bible School leadership role and join us in the excitement at *VBS Hero Central: Discover Your Strength in God!* **Vacation Bible School will be August 14-18 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm.**

Our church youth are in the news! Check out the Youth Bulletin Board across from the Youth Room. We have *over* 30 articles already!

The church needs you to be a liturgist or Communion assistant at the 9:30 or 11:00 am service! Pick your own date and time. Please call the office at 843-8340, or drop a note with your name and phone number in the offering plate.

We are trying to get one more day of Lifetouch photography! If you didn't get your picture taken in May or June, please call the church office and we'll put your name on the waiting list.

Judy Downing's email is judy@ludingtonumc.org .

Joan Nelson is recovering at home from a May 30 heart attack. John and Joan would appreciate your prayers and concerns.

The Department of Human Services in Mason County refers qualified families to the Salvation Army, which provides school aged children with **school supplies**. Church Women United makes these collections each year. For the month of July, we are asking for some of the following items to be placed in a bin at the front entryway of the church: ear muff type headphones, journals, scissors, paper supplies, small packages of Kleenex, and back packs (no pencils or crayons). If you write a check, put "school supplies" in the memo and give the check to Janelle Schade, CWU Representative. Thank you.