



United Methodist Church of Ludington

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SEPTEMBER 24, 2017 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, September 24

- 8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal
- 8:30 am Judy's Adult Bible Studies
- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship and Sunday School
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:30-6:30 pm Legacy Community Service

Monday, September 25

- 9:30-11:30 am *Matter of Balance* Class
- 10:00 am Flower Ministry
- 1:00 pm United Methodist Women General Meeting

Tuesday, September 26

- 9:30 am Intercessory Prayer
- 4:30 pm Webelos
- 5:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30 pm Administrative Board

Wednesday, September 27

- 9:00 am Rug/Sleeping Bag Ladies
- 9:30-11:30 am *Matter of Balance* Class
- 6:00 pm Catered Meal
- 7:05 pm Pastor's Bible Study

Thursday, September 28

- 10:00 am Women's Bible Study
- 12:00-4:00 pm Garden Club
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 pm Praise Choir Rehearsal

Friday, September 29

- 9:00 am Mediation

Saturday, September 30

- 2:00 pm Begin Cub Scout Overnight Campout at Pavilion

Sunday, October 1 World Communion Sunday, Food Pantry Day

- 8:00 pm Praise Band Rehearsal
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Pastor Dennis is on vacation through Saturday, September 30. Guest preacher September 24 is Rev. Dave Pratt. In case of emergency where a pastor is needed when Pastor Dennis is gone, please contact Rev. Judy Downing at 843-8340, 231-425-3314, or 616-581-1210.

IMMEDIATE PRAYER

Hurricane and earthquake victims



NURSING/ADULT CARE

Eldred Chavalia (*Karlyn Bray's dad*)
 Dick Davis (*at Heartland Rehab Center, Whitehall*)
 Nancy Dust
 Myra Easton
 Phil Hunt
 Nancy Kelley
 Betty Lunde
 Mary Macklam
 Tom McCumber
 Don Newberg
 Dolores Pahoski
 Onabelle Pehrson
 Margaret Roat
 Dorothy Smogeleski
 Laura Walker
 Matthew Wilson, Oklahoma

HAITI:

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

ZAMBIA:

**Soweto-Kapisha UMC,
Pastor Bernard & Betty Lumene
& Lord's Mountain Orphanage,
Bwafwano Care Project and
Minerva Phiri**

HENDERSON SETTLEMENT

IN NEED OF PRAYER

Bill Alexander
 Rod Beckman
 Dan Bernson
 Pastor Dennis Bromley
 Allan Carlson
 Terry Carpenter (*brother of Judy Penrod*)
 Svea Clayton
 David (*friend of Sutherlands*)
 Shirley Dust
 Anne Estle
 Art Isham
 Erv Johnson
 Joan Kudla

Maralee McCumber

Sean Nelson

Gail Niethe

Tracey Roach

Connie Robertson

Terry Schade

Ken Stroebel

Dale Swanson

Brian Tibbot

Pat Trowbridge

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
 Matthew Heard, TX
 Greg Heimall III, NC
 Staff Sgt. Jacob Hunt
 Catherine McNaughton, MS
 Capt. Jane McNaughton, South Korea
 PV2 Christopher Myer, KY
 Paul Nickelson, MI
 Sgt. Joshua John Reed, HI

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Noa Gohn - GVSU
 Rachel Gohn - Cornerstone U.
 Kayla Gottwald - GVSU
 Skylar Korendyke - GVSU
 Jordyn Sanders - U of M
 Mallory Shinn - Hope College

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 Jim and Nancy Anderson in memory of Nancy's parents, Leonard and Henrietta Laird.

Did you know...Children's Activity Folders are on a table at the back of the sanctuary. The folders have crayons, puzzle pages and blank paper for children to use during any worship service.

From the United Methodist Women:

Have you ever felt uncomfortable visiting a seriously ill family member or friend? Or wondered what to say or not to say? Sharon Alexander has agreed to come to our **UMW General Meeting on Monday, September 25 at 1:00 pm** and present a program on this topic. Please join us for a good meeting and program, and bring a friend!

Mark your calendars ! The **Crop Walk** will be **Sunday Oct. 8**, so get your walking shoes on. You have a choice of 3 routes: 1 mile, 2 miles, or 6 miles. There will be signup sheets available in the narthex. If you can't walk or have other commitments you can still sponsor someone. The moneys collected not only help fight hunger worldwide but also locally. Twenty-five percent of the money collected stays here in the community. This year it will be going to the Lakeshore Resource Center for their food pantry.

Our **Fall Festival** is **Sunday, October 15 from 2:00 to 5:00 pm at the Pavilion**. (If weather is bad, we will meet in Fellowship Hall). The meal will be at 2:30. We need the following food items:

Hot dogs	Coffee	Cups
Buns	Cocoa (if cold)	Forks
Carrots	Pumpkin-shaped cookies	Paper products
Ranch dressing	Ketchup	Applesauce in small cups with spoons
Drinks	Mustard	Tiny cups of caramel dip
Cider	Chopped onions	Chips
Water	Pickles	
Milk	Relish	

Please contact Judy as soon as possible to let her know what you are able to bring. Thank you! Food items need to be put in the church kitchen on Sunday, October 15, marked for the Fall Festival. Put them into the refrigerator if needed.

Our annual **Church Conference** will be at **6:30 pm Sunday, October 29** at Manistee United Methodist Church. This is the event at which we report our 2017 mission work, vote on 2018 church leaders, hear membership data, and present our vision for our church. There will also be a chili cook-off. At Church Conference, only church members may vote, but everyone has voice and can eat chili!

The **Salvation Army Food Pantry** needs the following foods: oatmeal, Hamburger Helper, Tuna Helper, jams, jellies, syrup, and pancake mix. You can bring the items to the church and place them on the table between the front doors.

From the United Methodist Women:

Wanted! Donated items to sell at the October 21 UMW Fall Bazaar to raise as much as we can for missions:

--**Jewelry items** to be donated for sale at the UMW Fall Bazaar. Please bag and label "Jewelry for UMW Bazaar" and drop off in the church office any time before the bazaar.

—**Items that you make** (if you sew, knit, crochet, make jewelry, do wood working, paint, make homemade greeting cards or Christmas ornaments, etc?) We like to have a great assortment of nicely made items--some holiday related and some useful year-round. Please continue to make and donate items anytime.

--Remember to keep your eyes open for **items, new or used**, to be removed from your house and contributed to our **Second Time Around Shop**. (No clothing, please!) Mark items "2nd Time Around" and leave them in the Rug Room or Church Office after October 11. Also, if you can help sort or work the day of the Bazaar, or need help with pickup of items, please call Brenda Begnoche (843-4793) or Kathy Radtke (843-9225).

—**Freshly baked items** for our Baked Goods Booth will be accepted on Friday, October 20 or early on Saturday, the 21st)

We also need volunteers to work on setup (the week prior to the bazaar), and on the day of the bazaar, October 21 (call church office or Karen Genson 269-861-2812 [cell])