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VISION STATEMENT

Believers seeking and sharing the character of Christ

Pastor: **Rev. Dennis B. Bromley**

Office Managers: **Rev. Laurie McKinven-Copus,**
Rev. Judy Downing

Director of Christian Education: **Rev. Judy Downing**

Youth Directors: **Cindy Cooper and George Faust**

Music Director: **Rebecca Sopha**

Handbell Choir Director: **John Reed**

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

Accompanist: **Rogene Lathouwers**



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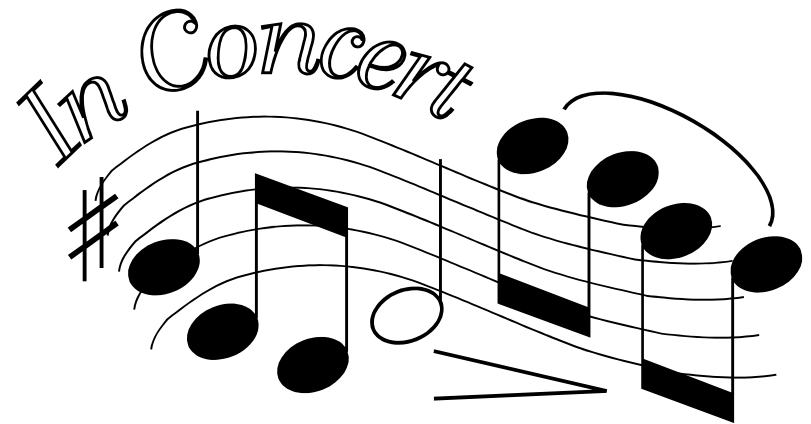
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2017

9:30 & 11:00 AM



The Shoreliners Gospel Quartet

21st Sunday after Pentecost

*How good to gather as friends in faith!
Welcome as we praise God in prayer and song.*

GATHERING MUSIC

Shoreliners Gospel Quartet

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PASSING GOD'S PEACE

Please sign the attendance pad located at the end of your pew. Pass it down the row and then back. Use the yellow Prayer Cards in the pews to write your requests. Give them to one of the ushers at the prayer time.

PRAYER TIME

Pastor Dennis

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal #895

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

OFFERTORY "This Is My Father's World" Babcock & Sheppard

*DOXOLOGY Hymnal #95

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

SHORELINERS GOSPEL QUARTET CONCERT

LOVE OFFERING

"Ashokan Farewell"

Jay Ungar

BENEDICTION

Pastor Dennis

The Shoreliners are a professional and highly entertaining Gospel Quartet ministry whose members collectively represent over 90 years in the entertainment industry. This group is dedicated to providing quality gospel music presentations throughout the state. The group made their first appearance a few short weeks after forming in February of 1996. They now support an array of traditional favorites, along with some contemporary songs, most of which are performed in the best of southern gospel style. You will hear favorites made famous by the Oak Ridge Boys, Statlers, Cathedrals, Kingsmen, Rebels, Stamps and the Gaither Vocal Band, heard as if you were listening to the groups themselves. Only two months after the group was founded, they were finalists in the Jimmy Dean Country Showdown. They have also taken two of the titles from their most recent recording to Number One on a large Christian Radio Station in Singapore. With the rising popularity of the group they have opened for such groups as the Calvarymen Quartet, the Ball Brothers, Gold City & the Booth Brothers. They have performed for churches and organizations of a wide spectrum of denominational and nondenominational associations. The Shoreliners bring to the stage a polished style and a professional sound born of many years of dedication to the Christian musical service.

“Storytelling- Make Plain the Vision”

The Main Event & Grand Traverse District Conference: Nov. 11, 2017
Traverse Bay UMC: 1200 Ramsdell Rd., Traverse City

Opening Worship at 9:30 a.m. with author Ray Buckley

Workshops at 1:30

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Ray will help us tell our stories in regard to sharing the Vision or the Passion that we feel for our churches and for Jesus Christ. What are our core values and aspirational values--and how do we shorten the gap between who we are and who we believe God is calling us to be?

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Jan Huffman: Intergenerational Story Telling

Stories shape our identity and help us connect across the generations. Stories also nurture faith. They bless and strengthen the Body of Christ. We will, together, start with our stories and continue finding more opportunities and resources for next steps.

Frankfort UMC: The Art of Listening

Know this, my dear brothers and sisters; everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak. James 1:19a

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