

WORSHIP SERVERS: *THANK YOU FOR SERVING!*

NURSERY.....Sharon Meade, Briona Carrier & Rachel Faust
LITURGIST.....Rev. Norm Letsinger
USHERS.....John & Erma Rodgers, Tabor Family, Wolven Family, Dennis Genson, Ted Radtke
SOUND/VIDEO TECHNICIANS.....Wally Brown & Dennis Tabor



United Methodist Church of Ludington

5810 Bryant Rd. -- Ludington, Michigan 49431

(231) 843-8340 -- Email: office@ludingtonumc.org

Web site: www.ludingtonumc.org

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2017

11:00 AM

ASK AN USHER FOR Large Print Worship Bulletins, Large Print Hymnals, Children's Doodle Folders and Listening Devices.

WHY UMCL WEARS NAME TAGS: Wearing a name tag helps us to know each other by name, not just by face. It helps visitors feel more comfortable to talk to others when they can call you by name. In addition, it helps our greeters identify visitors and people who may be looking for a church. If you would like to have a plastic name badge made for you, please call the church office.



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**

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

How good to gather as friends in faith!

Welcome to this time of praise and prayer, word and worship.

PRELUDE "Jesus Calls Us" arr., Dale Wood

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.

OPENING PRAYER Rev. Norm Letsinger

ANTHEM "Praise to the Lord" arr., Bradley Knight
Praise Choir

THE PSALTER Psalm 19 Hymnal #750

*HYMN "The Church's One Foundation"
Hymnal #546, vss. 1, 3, 4

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20

THE NEW TESTAMENT READING Philippians 3:4b-14

SOLO "Old Time Religion/Every Time I Feel the Spirit"
Arr., Mark Hayes
Sung by Bruce Rillema

PRAYER TIME

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.

THE CHORAL RESPONSE "He Is Here" Kirk Talley
Sung by Praise Choir

GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" Ed Broughton

*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

HYMN "My Hope Is Built" Hymnal #368

THE GOSPEL READING Matthew 21:33-46

SERMON "To Be a Good Neighbor" Pastor Dennis

*HYMN "Let There Be Peace on Earth"
Hymnal #431: Words also on screens

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE "Minuet" J. S. Bach

**Please stand if able*