



# United Methodist Church of Ludington

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## OCT. 7, 2018 ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Today, October 7 World Communion Sunday, Food

#### Pantry Day

8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal  
 8:15 am Adult Bible Studies  
 9:15 -12:15 Nursery  
 9:30-11:00 am Coffee and Fellowship  
 9:30 am Contemporary Worship & Sunday School  
 11:00 am Traditional Worship  
 2:00-4:30 pm Family Fun Fall Festival

### Monday, October 8

10:00 am Women's Closed AA  
 10:00 am Flower Ministry  
 4:00 pm Grief Group

### Tuesday, Oct. 9

9:30 am Intercessory Prayer  
 5:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal  
 5:00 pm Cub Pack  
 7:00 pm Staff-Pastor-Parish Committee

### Wednesday, Oct. 10

9:00 am Rug Ladies  
 10:00 am Women's Closed AA  
 6:00 pm AFFEW Board  
 6:00 pm Catered Meal  
 7:04 pm Pastor's Bible Study

### Thursday, Oct. 11

7:30 am Men's Emmaus  
 10:00 am Women's Bible Study  
 1:00 pm Women's Emmaus  
 1:00 pm United Methodist Women General Meeting  
 4:00 pm Youth Work Group  
 5:00 pm Finance Committee  
 7:00 pm Chancel Choir  
 8:00 pm Praise Choir

### Friday, Oct. 12

10:00 am Women's Closed AA  
 Time TBA TWIG Bazaar Setup

### Saturday, Oct. 13

*TWIG Bazaar all day until 2:00 pm*

6:00 pm Game Night

### Sunday, Oct. 14

8:00 am Praise Band Rehearsal  
 8:15 am Adult Bible Studies  
 9:15 -12:15 Nursery  
 9:30-11:00 am Coffee and Fellowship  
 9:30 am Contemporary Worship & Sunday School  
 11:00 am Traditional Worship  
 12:30 pm Reel to Reel

### IMMEDIATE PRAYER

Barb Gutschke  
*Family & Friends of Dawna Wilson*  
*Family of Sally LaFrance*  
*Family & Friends of Connie Robertson*

### NURSING/ADULT CARE

Eldred Chavalia (*Karlyn Bray's dad*)  
 Shirley Dust  
 Myra Easton  
 Mona Halladay  
 Phil Hunt  
 Nancy Kelley  
 Betty Lunde (*at Sutter Center*)  
 Tom McCumber  
 Onabelle Pehrson (*at Sutter Center*)  
 Nell Scott  
 Dorothy Smogeleski  
 Laura Walker  
 Matthew Wilson, Oklahoma

**MARC:** Alaska Ministries,  
 Collier & Allyson Hard

### HAITI:

Baudin School,  
 Baudin Methodist Church,  
 Ranquette Methodist Church and  
 Pastor Odeles Du Rosier, Tom  
 Braak & Faith in Action

### 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  
 Elaine Beach  
 Pat Bromley  
 Mike Burtch  
 Tom Cloutier  
 Anne Estle  
 Todd Fugere  
 Immigrant families separated  
 Art Isham  
 Erv Johnson  
 Bob Jones



Stan McCallum  
 Maralee McCumber  
 Sean Nelson  
 Bev Pahoski

Erma Rodgers  
 Zack Shafer  
 Nancy Stuart  
 Clive & Judy Sutherland  
 Dale Swanson  
 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*  
 SrA Joseph Archer, TX  
 S SGT Daniel J. Cook, NC  
 Kevin D. Coyne, Africa  
 CS2nd Class Emily Gibson, VA  
 Matthew Heard, TX  
 Greg Heimall III, NC  
 Melody Houk, Navy  
 Staff Sgt. Jacob Hunt, TN  
 Catherine McNaughton, MS  
 Capt. Jane McNaughton  
 SPC Christopher Myer, KY  
 Paul Nickelson, MI

### COLLEGE STUDENTS

*Coordinator: Penny Quillan*  
 Please send names and schools of college students! We have these so far:  
 Briona Carrier - WSCC  
 Zachary Genter - Mich Tech  
 Noa Gohn - GVSU  
 Rachel Gohn - Cornerstone U  
 Kayla Gottwald - GVSU  
 Anika Korendyke - GVSU  
 Skylar Korendyke - GVSU  
 Jordyn Sanders - U of M  
 Tristan Scribner - Ferris  
 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 is **World Communion Sunday**. On the first Sunday of October every year, Christians of several denominations across the globe celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion and remember our unity in Christ.

**Today** is also the day of our **Family Fun Fall Festival!** We will be at the Pavilion (or in the church if it's raining) from 2:00 to 4:30. People of all ages are invited to come enjoy a hot dog supper, bounce house, hayrides, apple cider press, face painting, donut dangle, cookie decorating, pumpkin painting, lawn games, music, a bonfire, and make-your-own s'mores!

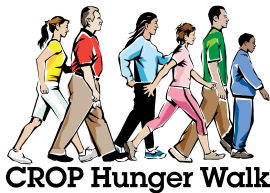
**A discretionary fund** was established by the Administrative Board to enhance and expand the pastor's ministry to people within our church family in times of crisis and need in the name and spirit of Jesus Christ. This fund, used anonymously, is administered by Pastor Dennis and it enables him to respond to emerging and emergency needs as they occur within our church family. Those wishing to contribute to this fund will find special receptacles in the front of the sanctuary on Communion Sundays. You may place your offering in one of the receptacles as you come to receive Holy Communion. If you write a check please make it payable to the United Methodist Church of Ludington and in the memo designate it for "*Pastor's Discretionary Fund.*"

November 4 will be **All Saints Sunday**, a day when we honor and remember those members and friends of our church who have passed from this life on earth to live in heaven with God. Please notify the office of names you would like us to include in the 11:00 service that day. We already have the following names: Svea Clayton, Larry Reed, John Rodgers, Nancy Dust, Iva Randall, Brian Tibbot, Dick Davis, Lee Vaught.

**Game Get-Together Kickoff Next Saturday, October 13, 6 pm, Fellowship Hall!**

Bring the kids who like to play games, and bring their games! Bring the adults who like to play games, and bring their games! Bring a snack to share and your own favorite drink. If you can't make it but would like to be part of the fun, call the office at 843-8340 or Donna Possehn at 690-1647. We want to include everyone, so let us know!

There will be a **Youth Confirmation Retreat** from 5:00 pm Friday, October 19 through 5:00 pm Sunday, October 21. This is for youth ages 12 to 18. We need adults to help as well. Fun and learning are a great gift and opportunity when put together. **We need to know the number of youth who are coming** so that we can tell them what to bring and what not to bring. We also need to know how many we will be feeding, and the number of items to have on hand to give them. Please contact Judy at 843-8340 asap.



THANK YOU to the folks who are willing to walk 1, 2, or 6 miles to raise awareness and funds! (There are still a few more envelopes available if you are tempted to join them).

Now the rest of us have an opportunity to participate! Please stop by the CROP table and help to FILL those ENVELOPES.

Last year the 900 communities in the U.S. who sponsored Walks helped more than 50,000 people toward food security. But 795 million others are still in need of help.

Thank you for caring.

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