



United Methodist Church of Ludington

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MARCH 3, 2019 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, March 3 Communion, 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
- 3:00-4:30 pm Sacred Practices

Legacy youth return from Great Wolf Lodge today.

Monday, Mar. 4

- 10:00 am Women's Closed AA
- 10:00 am Flower Ministry
- 5:30 pm Cub Den

Tuesday, Mar. 5

- 9:30 am Intercessory Prayer Team meeting
- 5:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 5:30 pm Cub Dens
- 6:30 pm Christian Education Meeting
- 7:00 pm Trustees Meeting

Wednesday, Mar. 6 Ash Wednesday

- 9:00 am Rug Ladies
- 10:00 am Women's Closed AA
- 6:00 pm Catered Meal
- 7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Worship Service**

Thursday, Mar. 7

- 7:30 am Men's Emmaus 4th Day
- 9:00 am Women's Bible Study
- 1:00 pm Women's Emmaus 4th Day
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 pm Praise Choir Rehearsal

Friday, March 8

- 10:00 am Women's Closed AA

Saturday, March 9

- 9:30 am United Methodist Women Lenten Breakfast

Sunday, March 10 Daylight Saving Time Begins

- 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
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- 4:00 pm Legacy

NURSING/ADULT CARE

- Eldred Chavalia (*Karlyn Bray's dad*)
- Myra Easton
- Barb Gutschke
- Phil Hunt
- Sherry Johnson
- Nancy Kelley
- Tom McCumber
- Onabelle Pehrson (*at Sutter Center*)
- Ruthie Peterson
- Marian Riffle
- Nell Scott
- Dorothy Smogeleski
- Roland Vandenheuvel
- Laura Walker
- Ellie Westcott
- 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
- Jean Bouda
- Pat Bromley
- Allan Carlson
- Anne Estle
- John Fletcher
- Todd Fugere
- Gregg Heimall
- Erv Johnson
- Bob Jones
- Stan McCallum
- Ken McClellan
- Maralee McCumber
- Family of Ramona Myers*



- Sean Nelson
- Clive & Judy Sutherland
- Dale Swanson
- Pat Trowbridge
- Linda Wolven
- Barb Woodworth

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: Jennifer MacDonald*
- 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: Lynne Gohn*
- Briona Carrier - WSCC
- Nate Carrier - Poland
- Zachary Genter - Mich Tech
- Noa Gohn - GVSU
- Rachel Gohn - Cornerstone U
- Kayla Gottwald - GVSU
- Rachel Ives - U of M
- Anika Korendyke - GVSU
- Skyler Korendyke - GVSU
- Jordyn Sanders - U of M
- Tristan Scribner - Ferris
- Mallory Shinn - Hope College
- Meredith Sparks - CMU
- Emma Taranko - GVSU

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 given by Edna and Wilbur Nelson in honor of Edna's 86th birthday on February 26!

As we approach the time of Lent, we invite you on a special Lenten journey we are calling "Sacred Practices in a Sacred Place." It will be facilitated by SK Osborn, Laura Ruhle and Mary Stroebel. It is an 8-week series that offers the opportunity to experience the joy of discovery within some ancient and profound spiritual practices, such as fasting, contemplative prayer and meditation, labyrinths (the winding path of life), Lectio Divina (sacred reading), the study of icons and mandalas, storytelling, the importance of silence, and much more. The series is from 3:00 to 4:30 Sunday afternoons in Fellowship Hall. We started on February 17 in order to complete the series well ahead of Holy Week and in anticipation of any potential inclement weather cancellations. Come when you can - it is not necessary to attend every Sunday.

The **Christian Education Committee** will meet Tuesday, March 5 at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall.

Women's Spring Bible Study begins Thursday, March 7 at 10 am in the Sunday School 5th grade class room. We will be completing the 2nd half of our study of Matthew which we began last fall. We will begin with Matthew Chapters 16-17 and complete our study April 25, the week following Easter. Any new women that would like to join us are welcome; I just need to know about ordering more books. I will have a sign-up sheet in the office. If you have any questions, you may contact Lynne Gohn @843-4746.

Christian Art: Who is Wise? King Solomon, of course. Our Sunday School lesson came from Proverbs. Solomon's wisdom came from God. Our project on February 24 was to draw an owl (wise). Come visit the Christian Education hall bulletin board. We have seven owl drawings on display from preschool through seventh grade artists. *Betty Tabor*

United Methodist Women Events

- At 9:30 am **Saturday, March 9** is the annual **United Methodist Women Lenten Breakfast**. All women are invited, and men too! Breakfast includes a delicious breakfast casserole, fruit cup, muffins, juice, and coffee/tea. Freewill offering. Please let us know by March 6 if you plan to come! Sign up in the church office or call the church office at 843-8340.
- The **March Ladies' Lunch Date** will be Thursday, **March 14** at 11:30 am at Chef John's. Please sign up in the church office if possible, but **do not stay away** if you did not get signed up. I always pad the number I tell the restaurant so you're always welcome! Bring a friend and come for a very enjoyable lunch together! Call Karen Genson (843-2482) if you need a ride to get there or home.
- The **United Methodist Women General Meeting March 18** will be at the Lakeshore Resource Center on Tinkham at 1:00. Tara Autrey will speak about the Kids' Backpack Program. Meet at the Lakeshore Resource Center - enter through the Food Club Door and ask for Backpack Program.
- A couple of us, women of United Methodist Church of Ludington, would like to join other women in fellowship and study. If you are available to meet in the evening once a month and are looking to share in fellowship, food, a book study, and making new friends, we would like to invite you to join us on the third Tuesday of the month. We will begin by meeting in the home of Julie Wernette on **March 19** at 6:00 pm for an informal meal, devotions, introductions, and an overview of our first book study. Please plan to attend and bring a friend! Stay tuned to the weekly bulletin for more information about the first book we will study. If you have questions or to RSVP (for planning purposes), please contact Marylynn Mullen at (989) 335-0824 or Julie Wernette at (231) 286-9536. Please join us even if you forget to RSVP. We are excited to meet you!