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This week's Immediate Prayer List

People of Ukraine

A complete prayer list is available at the Welcome Center.

Gretchen Luce is today's accompanist.

We are the people of the United Methodist Church of Ludington.

We believe in the God who created and continues to create.

We want to root ourselves in Jesus.

We rely on the Holy Spirit.

We seek to grow in faithfulness to the Gospel.

We believe our church is part of this community. Ludington has our heart.

We open our doors and ourselves to everyone --

When we say "Come as you are" we mean it.

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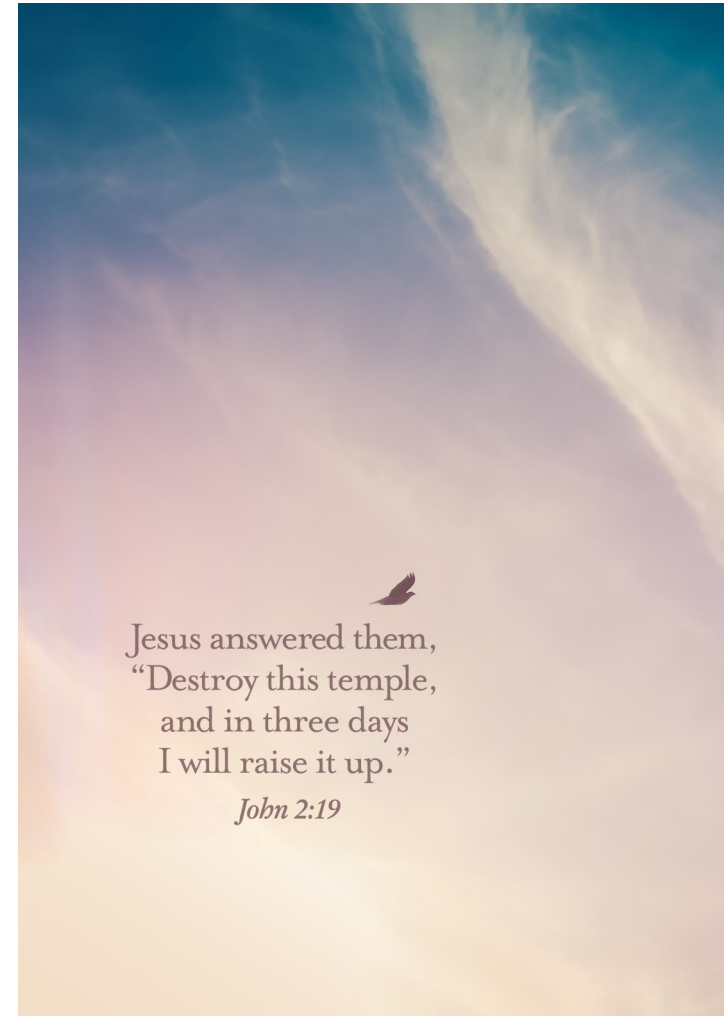
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*Our Mission: Reveal the Grace of God by welcoming and serving
all in Christ!*



March 27, 2022

Fourth Sunday in Lent



Prelude “Moment Musical No. 5 in D^b Major” Rachmaninoff

If you have a prayer concern that you would like the pastor to lift up during the prayer time today, please fill out a yellow prayer card from the pew or from the basket at the back of the sanctuary. Someone will take the prayer cards up to her at prayer time.

Welcome and Announcements

Join Pastor Hillary for a Lent Bible study at 5 pm today in Fellowship Hall. She looks forward to diving deeper into the stories that carry us through Lent and into Easter.

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”
Hymnal #384

Call to Worship

Liturgist: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.

**Congregation: For once we were lost and felt so far away;
now we have been found and welcomed home.**

Liturgist: Know that God’s love is lavished upon you forever.

Congregation: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!

Liturgist: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love.

Children’s Time

Song “This Is Where Children Belong” James Ritchie

Prayers of the People/Pastoral Prayer

(As Pastor ends Pastoral Prayer, congregation joins pastor in the Lord’s Prayer, Hymnal #895).

Anthem “Holy Ground” Davis/Larson

Scripture John 2:13-22 Pew Bibles p. 1291

Sermon “This Is God’s House” Pastor Hillary

Closing Song “Amazing Grace” Hymnal #378

Benediction

Postlude “The Lord Is My Shepherd Medley” Wyrzten

Announcements

The **United Methodist Women Executive Board** meeting originally scheduled for last Monday has been rescheduled to noon on Monday, March 28: right before the **General Meeting at 1 pm**.

Today is UMCOR Sunday. UMCOR, United Methodist Committee on Relief, is the disaster relief arm of The United Methodist Church. It's not a committee! When you give to UMCOR for a specific disaster, 100% of your donation goes for disaster relief. Your UMCOR Sunday offering underwrites UMCOR's administrative costs so that all designated gifts will go to the project you specify. You can give through United Methodist Church of Ludington — be sure to note "UMCOR Sunday" in your check memo or your online donation.

Of course, UMCOR is providing direct humanitarian assistance to people in Ukraine and those Ukrainians fleeing to neighboring countries. If you want to donate specifically for UMCOR's work in Ukraine, please indicate "Ukraine" in your check memo or online donation.

Both Laurie and Pastor Hillary will be on vacation during Spring Break (March 28-April 2). The office will be staffed by volunteers as usual. In case there is an emergency where a pastor is needed, please call SK Osborn at 360-620-9687 or Rev. Ken Tabor at 845-6101.

This week at church

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| Today | Worship 10 am
Clarinet Ensemble Practice 3-5 pm, Choir Room
Legacy 4-6 pm
Pastor Hillary's Lent Bible study 5 pm, Library |
| Mon., Mar. 28 | Women's AA 10 am, 4th-5th Grade Room
United Methodist Women Exec. Board 12 pm
United Methodist Women General Meeting 1 pm
Cub Den 5:30 pm, 4th-5th Grade Room
Leadership Board 7 pm |
| Tues., Mar. 29 | Intercessory Prayer 10 am by Zoom*
Bell Choir Rehearsal 5:00 pm |
| Wed., Mar. 30 | Rug Ladies 9:30-11:30 am, Rug Room
Women's AA 10 am, 4th-5th Grade Room
Books & Beyond 1:00 pm by Zoom
Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7 pm |
| Thurs., Mar. 31 | Men's Emmaus 4th Day 7:30 am
Women's Bible Study 10 am by Zoom* |
| Fri., April 1 | Women's AA 10 am, 4th-5th Grade Room |

*Contact Lynne Gohn at 843-4746 for the Zoom link.