

In Our Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Don Santee who is having health problems and for Peggy who has arthritis issues. Also for their daughter who fell and was hurt but recovering.

Prayers for continued healing for Jim Kausie.

Please pray for Samantha and Josh Brantner and their family as they prepare to welcome their second baby girl, Lanie, into this world in late September. Lanie has a fatal heart condition and has been given a prognosis of less than a week to live after birth. Let's wrap this whole family in prayer and loving support through this incredibly difficult time.

Prayers for Greg Kleindl who continues with slow healing on his foot.

Home Bound or in Care Centers

June Harvey, Betty Hazen, Danielle Mensing, Dorothy Wreford, Loren Heffern, Keith Sommerfeld, Mary Quilling, Rose Marie Johnson, Rosella Blakley, Jane Larsen, Rick Jenson, Carolyn Hubbard, Lauren Lidgerding.



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Mon, Wed, Thurs. 9 AM-2 PM

Sunday Bulletin

September 15, 2024

Welcome

WORSHIP WARM-UP

"Jesus Calls Us"

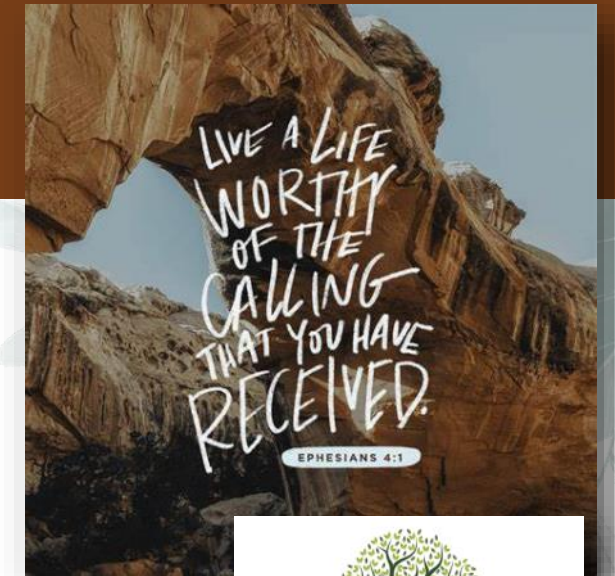
Hymnal #398

"Come Away With Me"

FWS #2202

"Holy Ground"

FWS#2272



CREATED FOR
CONNECTION

CONNECTION
AMONG
CHRISTIANS

GREETING

CALL TO PRAISE AND PRAYER

United in the Spirit,

We gather to worship our one true God.

Celebrating our diversity and differences,

We become one body in Christ.

We worship and praise God--

Who is over all and through all and in all!

*OPENING SONG

"The Servant Song"

Faith We Sing # 2222

OPENING PRAYER

Lord, we want to be more like you. Speak to us once more and show us how to live in a way that is worthy of your calling. Remind us time and time again that we are united in this sacred gift of our one faith. We ask this in the humble and gentle name of Jesus. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE READINGS Ephesians 4:1-6

MESSAGE "Created for Connection: Connection Among Christians"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

PRAYER HYMN "Let There Be Peace on Earth" Hymnal # 431

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY Hymnal # 94

OFFERING PRAYER

Receive our gifts, God, and use them to bless not only your church, which is your body, but to transform us into people who show the world by our love that you are all in all. In the name of our one Lord, we pray. **Amen.**

*HYMN "Together We Serve" Faith We Sing # 2175

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE "Turkish March" by Mozart

Daily Scripture Readings on Connection Among Christians:

Sunday: Ephesians 4:1-6
Monday: 1 Peter 4:7-11
Tuesday: 1 Thessalonians 5:11-28
Wednesday: Proverbs 13:20
Thursday: Ephesians 4:15-16
Friday: Ephesians 4:29
Saturday: 1 Corinthians 12:12-13

Celebration of Life
honoring those who turned 80 this year will be **Sunday, October 20th.** We may not have your birthdate in our system so please contact Lori in the office. Thank you!

Upcoming Events

September 15, 2024

Joyful Noise Practice Begins! Tues., Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15. 6:30-7:30 pm Concert October 22. Halloween theme! Contact Linda Bark at 715-308-6883.

Touch A Truck, Wednesday, September 18!

Morning Prayer & Bible Study, Tuesdays, Sept. 19, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 12:30-1:30 See Sarah Z. for details.

Care Bucket Sunday, September 29, bring your change for Stepping Stones!

Blood Drive here at UMC, Monday, Oct. 7, Noon-6 pm. To donate go to redcrossblood.org, enter 54751 or call 1-800-733-2767. Rapid Pass available.

Sign Up Sheet for Ushers first Sundays of the month, see wall next to office to sign up. **Usher Training, (CHANGE on DATE)** after church on October 13 with Sarah Zarbock and Howard Hintzman.

Grief Group Gathering, Tuesdays, October 22 and January 28, 6:00 -7:30 pm. Book to be purchased. Contact Sarah Zarbock at zarbocks@gmail.com or 715-308-1698.

Women's Retreat, Friday, Jan 31 at 5 pm-Sunday, Feb. 2 at 12 pm, at Woodland Ridge Retreat in Downsville, WI. Designed to provide women with a peaceful space to reconnect with themselves, each other and their faith. All women welcome! Fundraising to be determined. Registration deadline Dec.1st. Contact Sarah Shoup sstef476@gmail.com or 701-399-9641.

Ongoing Events

Monday's Meal

Bell Choir will resume at a later date
Youth Meetings will resume in Sept.
Mom's Group, 2nd Monday 6-7 pm
Prayer Shawl 3rd Sunday of the month 4-6 pm
Choir Practice Will resume to Wed. night at 7 starting September 11th

Menu subject to change
September 16
French Toast Egg Bake, Sausage, Pears, Sweet Treat

All Saints Day is Sunday, October 27th In memory of our loved ones we have lost this year. Please contact Lori in the office.