

The Trumpeter

Spearfish United Methodist Church

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Pastor's Page

"Becoming"

In his book *Mere Christianity*, C.S. Lewis said this:

"Taking your life as a whole, with all your innumerable choices, all your life long you are slowly turning this central thing either into a Heaven creature or into a hellish creature: either into a creature that is in harmony with God, and with other creatures, and with itself, or else into one that is in a state of war and hatred with God, and with its fellow creatures, and with itself. To be the one kind of creature is Heaven: that is, it is joy, and peace, and knowledge, and power. To be the other means madness, horror, idiocy, rage, impotence, and eternal loneliness. Each of us at each moment is progressing to the one state or the other."

We are becoming.

Let me say this another way: An old Cherokee was teaching his grandson about life: "A fight is going on inside me," he said to the boy. "It is a terrible fight and it is between two wolves. One is evil – he is anger, envy, sorrow, regret, greed, arrogance, self-pity, guilt, resentment, inferiority, lies, false pride, superiority, and ego." He continued, "The other is good – he is joy, peace, love, hope, serenity, humility, kindness, benevolence, empathy, generosity, truth, compassion, and faith. The same fight is going on inside you—and inside every other person, too." The grandson thought about it for a minute and then asked his grandfather: "Which wolf will win?"

The old Cherokee simply replied, "The one you feed."

We are becoming.

We are becoming the words that we speak. We are becoming our silence. We are becoming the

actions that we live. We are becoming our inaction. We are becoming our deepest, joyful truth. We are becoming our darkest, ugly prejudices. We are becoming work. We are becoming our play.

We.

We are.

We are becoming.

As we journey through Lent, it is truly helpful to remember this fact. Lent and finally Easter are inviting us in the deepest, most wonderful way to become that which God intended us to be. What will you become? The choice, it seems, is yours. The power, guidance, and direction, it seems, are God's.

We are becoming. What will you become?

Pastor Scott

Participation Opportunities

2019 Holy Week Schedule

Saturday, April 13

"Blue Jeans" Worship – 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 14 – Palm Sunday

"Gathering" Worship – 8:15 a.m.

Children's Church

Sunday School – 9:25 a.m.

"Parade of Palms" – 10:15 a.m.

(An ecumenical blessing of our palms in St. Joseph's Parking Lot)

"Sanctuary" Worship – 10:30 a.m.

Children's Church

Thursday, April 18 – Taize Service

Taize Service – 7:00 p.m. – UMC

Friday, April 19 – Good Friday

Kiwanis "Good Friday" Breakfast – 6:30 a.m. – UMC

"Good Friday" Worship – 7:00 p.m. – UMC



Saturday, April 20 – Lazarus Saturday
“Blue Jeans” Worship – 5:30 p.m. – UMC

Sunday, April 16 – Easter
“Sunrise” Worship – 6:30 a.m. – UMC
“Gathering” Worship – 8:15 a.m. - UMC
“Easter Brunch” – 9:15 a.m.
Sunday School (Adult only) – 9:25 a.m.
Easter Egg Hunt – 9:30 a.m. (for all children up to Grade 5)
“Sanctuary” Worship – 10:30 a.m. – UMC



Monday, April 22 – Easter Monday
OFFICE CLOSED

Lenten Lunch Schedule

All lunches will be at 12:00 p.m. at
United Church of Christ (920 Main St.):

- **Apr. 3** – Program & Lunch by *St. Joseph's Catholic Church*
- **Apr. 10** – Program & Lunch by *Our Savior's Lutheran Church*



During this Lenten season, come and experience TAIZE. Enter into a time of prayer, quiet reflection and meditative singing. This service of prayer centers our spirit, quiets our heart and mind, refreshes our soul. Giving us the space to spend time with God.

Join us Thursdays on April 4, 11, 18 at 7PM in the sanctuary.

Happy Spring

With spring comes Easter! Kathy Helmer is arranging the brunch to be held on Easter Sunday at 9:15a.m.! She is asking for volunteers to bring either/or/and an egg bake, muffins (don't forget Pastor Scott and others for gluten free!) and maybe some wonderful caramel rolls or cinnamon rolls, juice or whatever you think would be good for brunch!!

We roughly plan for 90 folks for brunch. Please call Kathy Helmer at 641-3755 if you would be willing to bring a dish. If you want to bring a dish or would be willing to help serve or clean up, that is much appreciated as well! Thanks so much.

Dinah's Book Club

The book club will meet Monday, April 8 at noon in the UMC parlor. They will be discussing *Daughters of Dakota Volume 1: A Sampler* edited by Sally Roesch Wagner. The books may be picked up in the church office.

“Coffee & Conversation”



Come and have a cup of coffee and join in the conversation on Thursday, April 11 from 2-4:00 p.m. This group meets the second Thursday of each month in the Fellowship Hall.

Because of the snow last month, the theme for April will be same as March. So bring your seed and garden catalogs because spring is here. Everyone is welcome and please bring your friends.

Easter Altar

Our Easter Celebration is on its way on the weekend of April 20-21. We would like to invite new and creative directions this year. We need help creating the altar for Easter. We would like to invite someone new to design and create the altar decorations. Curious? Interested? Please contact Pastor Scott.

Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

Our church has an AED mounted in the Fellowship Hall. It is a device that evaluates the Sudden Cardiac Arrest Victim's heart rhythm with AED electrodes. It delivers an electrical shock to the heart to restore the electrical activity so it can pump blood again.

It is the goal of the Health Ministry Committee to get as many people as possible, in the congregation, trained on using the AED. When AED's are used in conjunction with CPR, they can increase survival rates between 50-80%.

Training Dates:

- **April 5 (10-10:45 A.M.)**
- **April 6 (10-10:45 A.M.)**
- **April 7 (4-4:45 P.M.)**

Training will be in the Spearfish United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, conducted by the Spearfish Ambulance Service. We thank the Memorial Committee for approving funds to purchase the AED/supplies).

Rummage Sale Approaching!

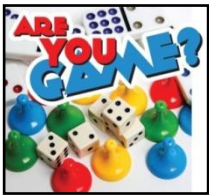
We are almost ready to collect donations for the youth spring rummage sale. Saturday, April 13th. We have a little room to start accumulating your clean and useful items but if you can wait to bring it to church until the week before the sale, that would be very helpful! If you need help getting your things to church, just let Brenda know and arrangements can be made. Remember that we cannot accept TVs, computer equipment or exercise equipment. Thanks!.

Everyone is welcome to come and shop on the day of the sale from 8 am to noon.

If you are interested in helping the youth with this project, we'd love to have you join us!



Game Night!



Come join us for some great fun and fellowship on Sunday, April 14 from 5-7pm! We will start with a meal together and then we will move on and play some board and card games together.

You are more than welcome to come empty-handed, or to bring games or food to share. We had about thirty people there last month, and we can always use more!

Rise & Shine, Campers!

With April in our sights, it's time to think about summer church camps! There are so many wonderful camping options for all ages in our Dakotas Camping system.



With UMC camps at Storm Mt. in the Black Hills, Wesley Acres in North Dakota and Lake Poinsett south of Watertown, there is a variety of locations and programs available for all interests.

Camp booklets listing all the camps and programs are available at the Welcome Center at the east entrance of the Fellowship Hall. If you need further information, just talk to Pastor Scott or Brenda.

Remember that all the campers sent from Spearfish UMC will receive 50% off the early bird camp price and

that is included for friends you take with you!

Talk with your kids, neighbors and grandkids about camp. Maybe we can arrange a group going to the same camp and carpool! So many possibilities! Let's make this year a record year for campers!

**Throw on your blue jeans!
Camp Worship is the weekend of April 27-28!**

Children First "Spring Sprint"

It's that time of year again! Our 10th Annual Spring Sprint fundraiser is coming up in a little over a month. This will be bittersweet for us because we are retiring this fundraiser after this year. It's been 10 wonderful years, but we want to go out with a BANG!

Spring Sprint - Children First 5K is a 5k run/walk that can be done individually or with the whole family. Children First promotes outdoor activity for our youth and we are incorporating Earth Day. We invite you, your family and friends to join us on **April 27, 2019** at 8:00 a.m. in the Children First Parking Lot for a loop route through Lions Park, Brady Park, City Park and back.

Sponsoring Spring Sprint-Children First 5k will provide great advertisement for your business, but also support early childhood education. Your company name, family name or child's name will appear on the race T-shirts and race day signs.

- **\$100 Sponsor:** 2 free registrations, 2 T-shirts & 2 water bottles
- **\$75 Sponsor:** 1 free registration, 1 T-shirt & 1 water bottle
- **\$50 Sponsor:** 1 free registration

All of the sponsorship forms will need to be in by April 8. Pre-registration for the event is also due April 8. Money raised will go towards educational programs at Children First.

For registration information, please visit Children First's Facebook page or website:

www.facebook.com/CFSpearfish/
www.spearfishumc.org/children-first/

If you have any questions please contact Children First (605) 642-1191 or childrenfirst@spearfishumc.org. Thank You!

Children's Church

This month in children's church we are learning about the connection between hope and God's character, as shown through God's big story. We can't always understand why some things happen. But we can believe in a God who keeps His promises. We can have hope,

even in the toughest times, because we know He can make something good out of something bad.

You are welcome to join us upstairs or contact Jessica Jennings at jessica@rjennings.net or Brenda Swanson at brenda.swanson@spearfishumc.org.

Children's Coordinator & Technology Director Positions Now Open

We are really excited to tell you about two brand new additions to our church's staffing: a new Children's Coordinator and a new Technology Coordinator.

Our new Children's Coordinator is a 1/4 – time position at 10 hours per week. We have never had a children's worker on our staff before; previously it has been 100% volunteer. This Children's Coordinator is going to work very closely with our Children's Church program in coordinating volunteers and guiding us in focused directions of children's ministry. This will include developing Sidewalk Sunday School and Vacation Bible School. This person will be deeply involved with dreaming new directions for the families of our congregation and community. She/he will work very closely with a fantastic Children, Youth, and Family Ministry Team as well as with the pastor. Our goal is that this position is going to include a lot of hard work, energy, and laughter as we she/he guides us in focused children's ministry.

Our new Technology Director is also a 1/4 - time position at 10 hours per week. We have had this position in years past, but under a different name. This Technology Director will work with our computer set-up (especially in worship-related tasks), with our sound system, and with our online presence. She/he will help create our PowerPoint for worship each week while simultaneously coordinating volunteers to do the same. She/he will understand and teach others how to run the sound system. She/he will be in charge of our webpage and Facebook page. All of this is done in coordination with the Worship & Music Committee and with the pastor.

Do you know of someone interested in either of these two positions? Or maybe you are yourself! Application forms and job descriptions are now available in the church office. Interviews will be set up with our Staff-Parish Relations Committee.

Invitation from Children First

Children First Board and staff invite UMC folks to visit at Children First. One idea would be to donate a healthy snack for a class. Contact Janelle Jones 722-5911

to offer a snack during April or May and/or arrange a visit.



- A high school "Lunch & Learn" has been taking place in the SHS Library Tuesdays during Lent. Students are still welcome to join us for food, laughter and learning as we study "Creed-What Christians Believe and Why" by Adam Hamilton.
- A HUGE thank you to all who donated baskets for the silent auction which was held during the youth baked potato dinner! Over \$1000 was raised for our summer missions and camps. Thanks also to the Burnison's for their food donations! We were so blessed!
- Be sure and join us for the Good Friday Worship service on April 19th at 7 pm. This moving service will be led and designed by our youth and will guide us into the coming Easter weekend with anticipation!
- High school students enjoyed an all-night Lock-In at the church where they played numerous games, had lots of munchies and enjoyed fellowship with each other. Following the lock-in on Saturday morning they provided an egg-bake breakfast for themselves and the UMM! Great fun!

United Methodist Women (UMW)

In April we would like to invite all women of the church to attend our meetings and check us out.

- Wed., Apr. 3 – Business Meeting – 10:00 a.m. Library
- Wed., Apr. 17 – UMW Meeting – Fellowship time 9:30 a.m. – Meeting @ 10:00 a.m. in the Library

Tea Time!

Saturday, May 4, 2019 at 2 PM there will be a Tea in our fellowship hall of Spearfish United Methodist Church. We are currently looking for people to set a table with their dishware. Call Janelle Jones 722-5911 if you are interested.



We are also looking for bakers and helpers for the event. Call Dyan Nagel 578-0021 if you could help. Mark your calendar and line up a friend to bring for a delightful afternoon of yummy desserts and entertainment.

Ticket sales will begin soon. All proceeds will go to benefit our local women's shelter, Artemis House.

UMCOC Heat

WHY heat at the United Methodist Community Outreach Center (UMCOC) is so important. There are over 200 people using services there that need heat to continue their work.



Families bring THEIR children there 5 days a week for care, for education, for safety while parents work. Older children attend school in upstairs classrooms. Youth and Family Services workers go out into our community to work. Community members receive essential food through the Commodities program.

The 65 year old heating system that came with this building needs attention and those children and adults are depending upon us to provide this building.

When making a donation, note on your checks "heating system". Ask Ron Borgman, UMCOC property manager, any questions. Thank you. 641-2664.

Elisha Intern and Housing

Again this year, Spearfish UMC has been approved for a summer intern (an "Elisha Intern"). We are excited to welcome Allison Jensen to our congregation for the months of June, July, and August.

Our Dakotas Annual Conference pays her salary. We as a church are responsible to provide her housing. In previous years we have had one of our church families offer apartment space for our interns. We would like to ask if anyone would like to offer housing this year. Please contact Pastor Scott for more information.

Caring Meal Ministry Cares

We need your help in notifying the church office (642-3457), when there is a need for a meal to be delivered during an illness, death or new baby,...). If you know of someone that needs this ministry, please call. We appreciate your referrals. "Build others up according to their needs." (Ephesians 4:29).

Health Ministry Committee

Future Church Goals

Council Chair Kirk Easton led a retreat on Saturday, March 2. He presented the focus areas from that gathering to the monthly council meeting March 20.

Individuals and groups in the church are invited to submit goals and ideas for the future related to the five areas. Those topics are:

- Family Involvement
- Lay Leadership
- Outreach
- Communication
- Capital Needs



You may request a copy of the focus areas from the church office. Committees and groups are encouraged to discuss these in the next month. At the next council meeting, the discussion will continue with church leaders.



Free Diabetic Screening

April 13 & 14

More than 8 million people in the United States are living with diabetes but are unaware they have it. An additional 86 million people—or nearly one in three American adults—have pre diabetes. This means they are at much higher risk of developing Type 2 Diabetes.

People with Diabetes can have some of the following symptoms:

- Frequent urination
- Excessive thirst
- Unexplained weight loss
- Extreme hunger
- Tingling or numbness in hands or feet
- Feeling tired much of the time
- Sores that are slow to heal
- More infections than usual.

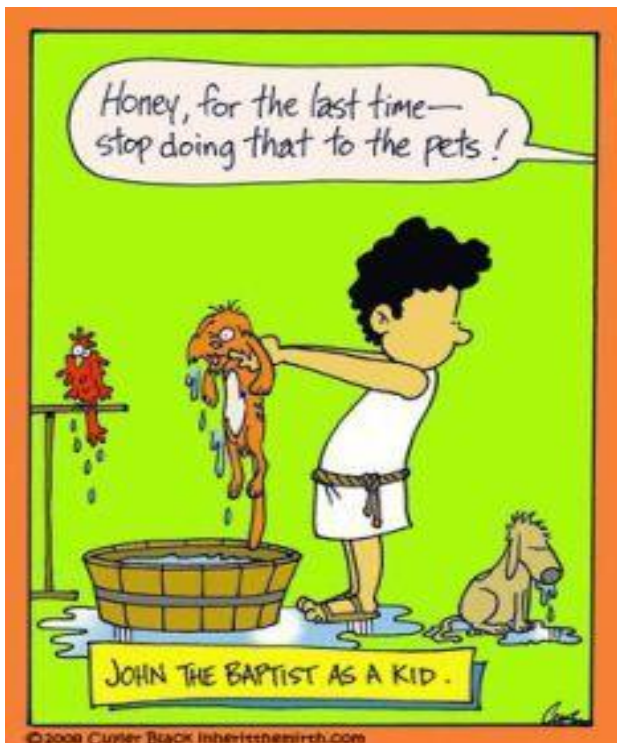
- Nausea, vomiting, or stomach pains may accompany some of these symptoms in the abrupt onset of insulin-dependent diabetes, now called Type 1 Diabetes.

Screenings will be offered the following dates/times:

- **April 13- 6:30 P.M.** – Following the Saturday service
- **April 14 - 9:15 A.M.** – Following the 8:15 A.M. service
- **April 14-- 11:30 A.M.** – Following the 10:30 A.M. service.

People 45 years of age or older should consider being tested for Diabetes at least every three years. We will also be doing a blood pressure screening.

The Health Ministry Committee encourages you to participate in the annual Diabetic Screening. Many people have Diabetes and do not even know it; often times there are no symptoms. Even children can get Diabetes. We are seeing an increase in teenagers. Early diagnosis and early treatment are keys in preventing long term complications from Diabetes!



Council Highlights

March 20, 2019

- ✓ **TREASURER'S REPORT:** The UMCOC Heating Upgrade Fund has been added. Stewardship and Finance voted last month to award this fund the \$1,189.36 from the Foundation Investment Fund distribution for 2018. That money had not been received as of February 28; however, Ron had been told to proceed with some preliminary evaluations on the current heating system which is why the

Fund is in the negative as of the end of February. The Foundation money has now been received and deposited in the Fund. **General Fund** total income for the month of February was \$32,314.14, and expenses were \$29,804.15. The General Fund ended the month \$2,509.99 in the black with apportionments paid, and \$2,338.19 in the red YTD balance. Apportionments will continue to be paid unless the YTD negative balance exceeds the prior year **General Fund Balance** of \$21,625.48. For the first two months of 2018, budgeted General Fund income was nearly \$10,000 more than for 2019. Fortunately, expenses are down as well. **UMCOC Fund** had an income of \$6,455.00 which included an early payment for March from Summit Church. Expenses were \$2,769.72, leaving the **UMCOC Fund** in the black \$3,685.28 for February, and in the black \$4,653.66 for the YTD balance. **Children First** income for February was \$35,022.22, and expenses were \$29,609.20. **Children First** is \$29,123.82 in the black six months into their fiscal year. The **Parsonage Loan Repayment Fund** income for February was \$2,594.00, and there were no expenses. The balance YTD is \$9,498.72 with the next payment of \$4,000.00 due on April 5. In 2018, it was approved by both Stewardship and Finance as well as the Council to use money from this fund up to \$5,000.00 for the fire escape stairs to be built off the parsonage deck. The current bid for the work is \$2,151.98. The **Capital Needs Fund** expenditures were \$891.52 to replace the folding machine in the church office. The YTD balance is now \$4,069.10 with the sanctuary confidence monitor TV still to be installed and three wireless microphones to be purchased, using Capital Needs money with an estimate of \$2,100. The completion of these projects will just about deplete the **Capital Needs Fund** which has no source of income for 2019. **Mission Giving** for February was \$10,078.49 which included funds for the Honduras Mission Team. Mission expenses (distributions) were \$13,125.61.

- ✓ **CHILDREN FIRST:** The Children First Board approved a 4% increase in child care rates. In alternate years, rates are set for preschool. For summer 2019, children ready for kindergarten will not be included in the Children First preschool. Children First will cooperate with a private program for science enrichment for pre-K through third graders. March will have 3 pay periods, thus affecting finances. February was a good month. There is continued discussion about potential employees who can't afford to work at CF due to minimum wage. UMC members and friends are encouraged to visit Children First. One idea would be to donate a healthy snack for a class during April or May. Call Melissa or contact Scott or Janelle if you are interested.
- ✓ **CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY MINISTRIES REPORT:** A new youth council met for the first time this year on February 27th with several youth and adults: Brenda Swanson and Jean Lewers-Brail. Plans were made for the high school lock-in, baked potato dinner and auction, and for doing hospitality after worship. Goals were reviewed, programs were discussed, and up-coming events previewed.
- ✓ **STAFF-PARISH REPORT:** The Staff-Parish Relations Committee met on Tuesday, March 12. They approved two new positions that will be advertised: Children's Ministry Coordinator and Church Technology Coordinator.

- ✓ **TRUSTEES REPORT:** Trustees met March 6 and approval for funding was given to purchase wireless mic's and install confidence monitor. The sanctuary computer is 98% full and needs to be replaced. The ceiling in hallway of the church was investigated with ice backing up under shingles which will be repaired this spring.
- ✓ **WORSHIP REPORT:** The committee met on February 27. The committee will find out the contact person on file with CCLI. There was more discussion of ongoing details of tech support and recruiting lay readers and communion helpers. Special Upcoming Services are: Ash Wednesday service; UMW Sunday; Taize services on April 4, 11, 18. Special Easter events will include a Blue Jeans service, a 6:30 a.m. Easter Sunrise service with an Easter Brunch with Kathy Helmer organizing an "egg bake". There will be weekly planning meetings with Scott on Tuesdays.
- ✓ **Discussion Items...** Pastor Scott provided clarification on the two new positions: Children's Ministry Coordinator and Church Technology Coordinator. Both will be 10 hours a week or ¼ time, and the money will be divided equally from the former Music Director position. Some of the duties fulfilled by the Music Directors in the past will be voluntary, divided among about 20 people. There was also discussion about the ice backing up under the shingles, and it was determined that the roof heater may have caused the leaking. **Action Items...** Release of Capital Needs Funds to upgrade the confidence monitor, remote and three mics was approved. MCCI monies in the amount of \$310.45 to go toward a new computer in the sanctuary was also approved. The remaining cost of the computer (\$1,825) being designed by Greg Diaz is coming from church member gifts marked for the computer replacement. A Benevolence Fund Request for \$650 was also approved. Kirk compiled the SWOT Analysis from the Council Retreat into a chart and this was discussed at length as how to best proceed. Each committee representative will put this on the committee's agenda and discuss it, coming up with a goal for each area and possible strategies for each committee to contribute. The SMART goal format will be utilized.
- ✓ **Next Meeting:** Wednesday, April 17, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. These meetings are open to everyone

THANK YOU

A big thank you to all those who braved snow to package Solar Oven parts recently. We laughed, visited and packaged all 48,000 items in one Saturday afternoon. What an amazing crew and amazing church!

Gloria Borgman and Solar Oven Partners UMC

Our Church Family

Congratulations to:

- *Drew & Linnea Grosz* with the birth of their son, Terrance Grosz, on February 27, 2019

Sympathy to the families of:

- *Kathy Daum* who died February 28, 2019 and whose memorial service was held March 16 the Sturgis United Methodist Church with Pastor Scott McKirdy and Pastor Jenene Earl presiding.
- *Bill Ingalls* who died March 4, 2019 in Sioux Falls and whose celebration of life was held March 16 at the Spearfish United Methodist Church with Pastor Scott McKirdy officiating.

MISSIONS



Camp Scholarship/Youth Missions

April is Mountain Climbing Time!! For every \$300 donated to the Camp Scholarship/Youth Missions fund, a "camper" will be placed on the mountain board to start the climb to the \$3,000 summit of "Youth Mountain". The church's share of camping costs has averaged a little over \$3,000 a year. Help the church meet that commitment and defray costs of youth mission excursions. Investing in our youth brings the greatest returns.

Checks can be written to UMC with a notation of Camp/Youth Missions on memo line. Let's meet this "lofty" goal and get our campers to the top of that mountain!



April Food Pantry needs

- Pork & Beans
- Chunky Soups
- Canned Spaghetti
- French Style Green Beans
- Jars of Applesauce
- Fruit Cocktail
- SpaghettiOs

BIRTHDAYS

Cheryl Voorhis	04/01	Linda Lueders	04/17
Baylee Hazledine	04/01	Kay Chase	04/17
Fay Shields	04/02	Angel Jumping Bull	04/17
Elise Ligtenberg	04/02	Marie Hoffman	04/18
Lanny Swisher	04/03	Bob Perry	04/19
Roger Garrett	04/03	Keith Haiar	04/19
Clarence Moshier	04/03	Tanner Hanson	04/20
Steve Hanson	04/03	Lyle Bockwoldt	04/21
Sidnee Short	04/03	Noelle Brill	04/21
Jacky Easton	04/04	Logan Westover	04/21
Nate Jensen	04/04	Marie Post	04/22
Alan Haag	04/05	MayBelle Loux	04/22
Kendra Beringer	04/05	Gordon Higgins	04/22
Alyssa Warns-Louks	04/07	David Ayer	04/23
Jack Ammerman	04/07	Sandra Asheim	04/26
Jennifer Nelson	04/09	Charlie Hennessey	04/26
Sonya Albers	04/10	Linda Stratton	04/28
Judy Wagner	04/10	Peyton Linafelter	04/28
Russell Bauer	04/10	Rylee Niesent	04/28
Shyla Crawford	04/11	Bob Davis	04/29
Paiten Gee	04/11	Daryl Emery	04/29
Bruce Johnson	04/12	Steve Peters	04/29
Steven Ammerman	04/12	Emma McKirdy-Wilsey	04/29
Shirley Doten	04/13	Ailis Fischer	04/29
Brynne Looney	04/13	Fay Adrion	04/30
Mary Ann Sheldon	04/14	James Louks	04/30
Hallie Hayford	04/15	Jordan West	04/30

ANNIVERSARIES

Terry & Shiela Powell	04/01~52 yrs.
Eamon Forslund & Grace McKirdy	04/04~1 yr.
Everett & Marilyn Burgeson	04/07~40 yrs.
Alexandra & Austin Kaddatz	04/07~1 yr.
Jim & Bonnie Witt	04/19~50 yrs.
Roger & Beth Garrett	04/25~32 yrs.
Steven & Kimberly Ammerman	04/29~30 yrs.

FINANCES

Come, Share, Rejoice!

"Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness?"

GENERAL FUND 2019			
Month	Actual Income	Actual Expenses	Difference
Jan.	34,146.37	38,646.63	-4,500.26
Feb.	32,314.14	29,699.48	2,509.99

PARSONAGE LOAN REPAYMENT FUND 2019			
Month	Actual Income	Month	Actual Income
Jan.	3,101.09	Feb.	2,594.00

Worship Attendance for Mar.: 782 (Avg/Wk = 195) *
 Sunday School Attendance for Mar.: 98 (Avg/Wk = 24) *
 * As of March 26

Special Gifts for March*

Camp Scholarships	\$ 100.00
UMCOC Heating Upgrade Fund	3,554.36
Investment Fund	2,200.00
Food Pantry	60.00
Health Ministry Income	104.18
Sprinkler System	100.00
Adult Education Fund	499.00
Yoga Charity Fund	266.00
UMCOC Donations	380.00
Children First Scholarships	660.00
Children First Donations	1,255.00
Bill Ingalls Memorial	30.00
Kathy Daum Memorial	20.00
Blankets	120.00
Honduras VIM Fund	50.00
Solar Ovens	200.00
Tree of Life	100.00
UMCOR	735.00
Hope Center	100.00
Cornerstone Mission	100.00
Youth Missions	155.00
Youth Fund	125.00
TOTAL	\$ 10,913.54

Special Funds for March*

Benevolence Fund	\$ 785.75
Pastor's Discretionary	1,003.95
TOTAL	\$ 1,789.70



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Return Service Requested

Sunday Worship:

“The Gathering” ~ 8:15 a.m.
“Children’s Church” – 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
“The Sanctuary” ~ 10:30 a.m.
Nursery care/Van rides to worship
CD’s of worship

Sunday School: 9:25 a.m.

Saturday “Blue Jean” Worship ~ 5:30 p.m.

E-mail Addresses:



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Bell Choir Director: hcm.kerchel@yahoo.com
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Call the church office for more information at 642-3457.



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