

United Methodist Church of Ludington

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SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 2009 ANNOUNCEMENTS

June 7-14, 2009 Schedule of Events

Today, June 7 Communion, Food Pantry Day, Peace

with Justice

Sunday

8:30 am Praise Band Rehearsal
9:30 am Contemporary Worship
10:15 am Coffee Time
11:00 am Traditional Worship

Monday, June 8

9:00-noon UMW Pie Baking
4:30 pm Finance Committee

Tuesday, June 9

9:30 am Intercessory Prayer (*Prayer Warriors
welcome!*)
9:30 am Bazaar Workshop
7:00 pm Staff-Pastor-Parish Committee

Wednesday, June 10

9:00 am Rug Ladies
9:00-noon UMW Pie Baking
10:00 am Mediation in Library
10:30 am Ruth Circle meets at Tendercare,
8:00-10:00 pm High School Youth at Firepit

North Day Room

Thursday, June 11

6:00 am Men's Book Club at Brenda's Café
10:00 am-8:00 pm Middle School Youth Mall Trip
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Emmaus

Board; Habitat Board

Friday, June 12

7:00 pm John Dominic Crossan Lectures, Sanct.

Saturday, June 13

9:00 am-1:00 pm John Dominic Crossan Lectures, Sanct.
2:00-4:00 pm Celebration of Life for Serena Keach,

Fellowship Hall

Sunday, June 14

8:30 am Praise Band Rehearsal
9:30 am Contemporary Worship
10:15 am Coffee Time
11:00 am Traditional Worship

Monday, June 15 July *Footprints* Deadline

9:00-noon UMW Pie Making

Carol Hunt,
Gail Piper,
Barb Woodworth,
Mallory Pehrson,
Clyde Abrahamson,
Edna Nelson,
Debbie Rasmussen,
Kathy Mantey,*
Dick Stover,
Family of Jeff Andersen,

MISSIONARIES

Bob & Sue Martin,
Barbara Smith-Jang,
Pastor Bernard &
Betty Lumene,
Delbert & Sandy
Groves,
Paul Webster,

NURSING/ADULT CARE

Leone Benedict,
Margie Barton,
Margie Cauchie,
Alice Damkoehler,

Bob Ferguson,
Alice Glover,
Eleanor Grams,
Edith Grant,
Billie Jabrocki,
Margaret Lunde,
Alex MacDonald,
Jack Maclam,
Gladys Martin,
Betty Myers,
Joan Rasmussen,
Dorothy Tabor,
Eileen Thiel,
Grace Tooker,
Emma Van Horn,

**Soweto-Kapisha UMC and Front Porch
Orphanage, Zambia**

*Kathy's address is on the Volunteer Office bulletin board.

ONGOING

Alice Abrahamson
Connie Anderson,
Marjorie Boardman,
Helen Burmeister,
Marion Caplon,
Margery Ernst,
Lois Ewing,
Bob Herlein,
Matt Holmberg,
Robert Jones,
Arlene Kelsey,
Carolann Klinkhammer,
Robert Laird,
Shirley Larson,
Maralee McCumber,
Bryan McDonald,
Sean Nelson,
Delainey O'Connell,
Joseph Penrod,
Dave Peterson,
Jerry Ponko,
Alyce Prescott,
Priscilla Shaw,
Charles Sidnam,
Lisa Wolven,
Linda Wolven,

IN THE MILITARY

George Cone, Jr., Iraq,
Travis DeMeester, CA,
Benjamin Gottwald, NC,
Jonathan Gottwald, TX,
Greg Heimall Jr., RI,
Tyler Iteen,
Eric Luteyn, MO,

Adam Miller, Korea,
Mark Shaw, Iraq,
Tony Wagner, VA.

Sgt. Paul Nickelson is now out of the service.

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Darren Quillan, Eric Reum, Jessica Reum, Mallory Pehrson, Matt Sonefeld, Corey Shinn, Jordan McCary, Erica Timinski, Ryan Raspotnik, Andrew Rodriguez, Martin Hunt, Eric Piper, Elizabeth Evans, Patrick & Jenna Luke

Local visitors interested in learning about our church and its programs are encouraged to stop at the table in the narthex to pick up a visitor bag.

Today's altar flowers are donated by Bill and Priscilla McBeth in celebration of their 40th anniversary.

Today is "Cup of Justice" Sunday with many new, flavorful coffees, teas and chocolates for sale in Fellowship Hall. Stock up now for your summer guests because our next sale will be in September. We are part of more than 2000 Methodist churches that support the UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) Coffee Project. This project helps bring a fair wage to small farmers throughout the world and supports projects to promote health and sustainability in their small communities. Thank you for your continued support of this worthy project. *The Church & Society Committee*

Today is also Peace with Justice Sunday. Established by the 1988 General Conference of The United Methodist Church, Peace with Justice Sunday supports programs that advocate peace and justice at home and around the world. There is an offering envelope in your bulletin today as well as a bulletin insert written by Rev. Ellen Brubaker, our Conference Peace with Justice Advocate. As always, give to the special offerings that speak to your heart.

Every Sunday this summer we offer "Son Shine Kids," a children's church and recreation time during the 9:30 service. At the time of the morning offering, Betty Tabor will take children going into kindergarten through those having completed 4th grade to the Sunday School Gathering Room for a children's sermon, snack, bathroom break and outdoor play. We will still have Kids For Christ during the 11:00 service.

The United Methodist Women's Cherry Pie Festival is coming up on July 25, so we will be making cherry pies in June. We will make them June 8, 10, 11, 15 and 17 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. We need lots of help, so if you enjoy making pies, and are experienced or inexperienced, come help us. We have fun, and many hands make light work. *Jane Clark*

Our church's turn at Community Table will be June 9 To volunteer, please contact Jeanny Burtch at 843-8306 or Loraine Abrahamson at 425-3187. Thank you! Team work makes it work!

Needed: Walkers for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life on June 13 & 14 at Oriole Field. Vi, Jane or Donna will be glad to sign you up to walk, or take your donation for luminaria in memory of loved ones, in the narthex after worship **today**.

John Dominic Crossan, controversial world-famous theologian, will lecture in our sanctuary at 7:00 pm Friday, June 12 and at 9:00 am and 11:00 am Saturday, June 13. If you like to wrestle with complex theological issues and hear viewpoints different from your own, these lectures are for you! Come early to get a parking space and a seat.

The Celebration of Life Service for Serena Keach will be held in Fellowship Hall Saturday, June 13 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. It will be a time to remember what a special person she was. Memorial contributions are to the United Methodist Church of Ludington Welcome Center, for which Serena had such a passion. Come and visit and bring your favorite Serena story to share with everyone.

Congratulations to Dave Hamman, who was named Volunteer of the Year for HELP Ministries (Hands Extended Loving People) at the HELP Annual Meeting May 31. Dave is at Fountain United Methodist Church speaking about HELP Ministries today, so remember to congratulate him when you see him next!

NEEDED: Twelve volunteers to manage the “canteen” (snack) table during our Red Cross Blood Drive July 7. Hours available to serve cookies, juice and water are **noon to 6:00 pm**, and we need **two people for each hourly segment**. Please call Ruth Wheeler at 843-8616 if you can help. One hour of your time is greatly appreciated.

Mark your August calendars and come join us for the walk of your life! A portable labyrinth walk will be placed in our Pavilion the week of August 2-August 7. The labyrinth is an ancient way of walking meditation and prayer and is accessible to all. More information to come!

