

Family Bells

We do enjoy hearing and/or playing in the Family Bells.



We are looking for volunteer guest conductors to help lead that ministry. Just a little musical ability and a desire to help others enjoy music is all that is required.

Please contact the church office or see Pastor Brian if that is something you would be interested in doing.

OUR WEB PRESENCE

Don't forget that you can also learn more about our church, its ministry, and upcoming events online. Find us on our website (laingsburgumc.org), "Like" us on Facebook, and "Follow" us on Twitter (@LaingsburgUMC).

BULLETIN/NEWSLETTER

DEADLINES

Please submit all info to church office by: **Wednesday** am for Sunday Bulletin and **15th** of the month for the Newsletter. Thanks!

If you know of someone who'd like a visit, phone calls, and/or cards, please inform the Church office by phone or email so we can promptly reply to this matter. Please also inform the "Care Group" (Jean Austin 651-5705)

Office Hours: M, T, W, TH: 9:30am - 1:30pm, closed Fridays

Phone: 517-651-5531 **Website:** www.laingsburgumc.org

Church email: laingsburgumc@gmail.com

Pastor's email: pastorbrianwest@gmail.com

CHURCH LEADERSHIP TEAMS:

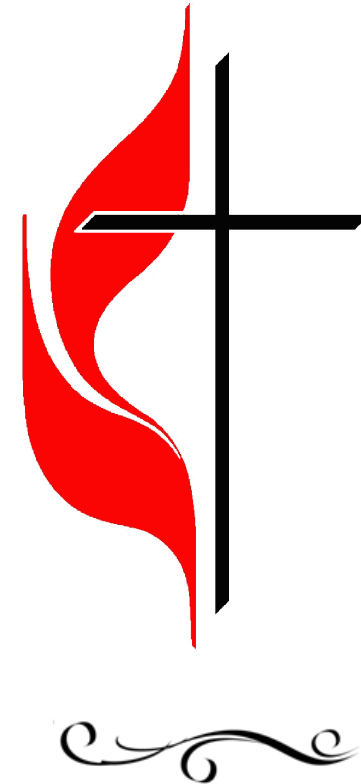
WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

- Pastor: Rev. Brian G. West
- Audio/Visual: Clint Hawks
- Choir Director: Jan Holyfield
- Faith Ringers Hand Bell Choir Director: Jerry Wagner
- Family Bells Director:
- Pianist: Chong Zheng
- Lay Leader: John Peck

CHURCH STAFF

- Pastor: Rev. Brian G. West
- Admin. Assistant: Karolyn Dawley
- Custodian: Linda Craig
- Worship Pianist: Chong Zheng
- Missionary to PUMC:
Diana Carpenter

Laingsburg United Methodist Church



"Planting Trees"

*Trusting that God has brought us this far
and will continue to guide us.*

Rev. Brian G. West . March 3, 2019 • 10am

Welcome to Laingsburg United Methodist Church

We are happy that you're here!

MINISTRY PLUG-INS

GREETING ~ Passing of the Peace (*Stand as able*)

PRELUDE ~ Lighting of the altar candles

TIME OF SILENT REFLECTION

CALL TO WORSHIP (*Stand as able*)

Unison: O gracious and holy God, give us diligence to seek you, wisdom to perceive you, and patience to wait for you. Grant us, O God, a mind to meditate on you, eyes to behold you, ears to listen for your Word, a heart to love you, and a life to proclaim you, through the power of the spirit of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

OPENING HYMN (*Stand as able*) "How Great Thou Art" UMH 77

CHILDREN'S MOMENT "Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233

All children are invited to come to the front of the sanctuary for a brief lesson with the pastor. Afterward, they will return to their seats with you.

ANTHEM Faith Ringers

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP AND GENEROSITY

The Offertory

The Doxology (UMH 95) (*Stand as able*)

The Prayer of Dedication

PRAYERS OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

Silent Meditation

The Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE STORY 1 Samuel 7:5-9, 12 Pew Bible pg. 195

VIDEO SERMON "Planting Trees" Pastor Brian
*Trusting that God has brought us this far
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CLOSING HYMN (*Stand as able*)
"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" UMH 400

BLESSING
*All children are welcome to come to the front of the sanctuary to help
the pastor give a closing blessing to the congregation.*

UMH = "United Methodist Hymnal"

TFWS = "The Faith We Sing"

The Laingsburg United Methodist Church is an accepting Christian community seeking to make disciples of Jesus Christ by building heartfelt, nurturing, and supportive relationships with its members, its community, and all of God's people.

Please join us for fellowship & coffee following worship

During our Worship Service, the nursery room is available for children through their 4th birthday. Please know that ALL children are welcome in worship.

REQUESTING OR NEEDING PRAYER?

PRAYER CHAIN leader Pat Hibbard will receive prayer chain requests at hibbardlph@aol.com, 989 834-2119, or contact the church office.

THE PRAYER TEAM is always available to pray with you after service.

KEEP IN PRAYER: Missy Ginther, Lori Hart, Betty Starkweather, Wilma Stichler, Thelma Smith, Norma Parker, Beverly Rouse, Ed Parker, the family of Kate Plont, the family of Edul Hunt-Walsh.

HOME BOUND: Marilyn Baumgras

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

- Worship 10:00 am

MONDAY, MARCH 4

- Bible Study 9:30 am
- Food Bank 1-3 pm
- Care Group 1:00 pm
- Weight Watchers 5:30-6:30 pm

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

- Pastor's Tuesdays at Twilligers
 - Quilters 9:30 am
- Tuesday Tutoring 3:15 pm

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

Ash Wednesday

- All-church potluck dinner 5:30 pm
- Ash Wednesday Service 6:30 pm
- Alcoholics Anonymous (Women) 7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

- Food Bank 6-8 pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

- Office Closed

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

Turn your clocks ahead 1 hour before bed!

SUNDAY, MARCH 10

- Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am
- Worship 10:00 am
- Trustees 11:00 am
- Youth Group 5:30 pm

Upcoming

3/6: Ash Wednesday Service 6:30
3/11: Finance Meeting 7:00 pm
3/11: Church Council 8:00 pm
3/12: UMW 10:00 am

Birthdays and Anniversaries Mar 3-10

3/4: Roger Ramirez
3/4: Hannah Sebenick
3/8: Mary & Don Walker



Ash Wednesday March 6

All-church Potluck Dinner 5:30 pm
Worship Service 6:30 pm

This service will include the imposition of ashes on our foreheads, the sacrament of Holy Communion, scripture, music, and a message.
Come join us as we begin this Holy season of Lent.



Spring forward

Don't forget to set
clocks ahead
one hour
at 2 a.m.
Sunday.

AP

You won't want to arrive for church just as everyone is leaving!

COFFEE HOUR:

3/3: Henrietta Sparkes/Ed Kemp

3/10: Jo Hollenbeck/Peggy Elkins

NURSERY:

3/3: _____

3/10: Jessie & Dave Sebenick

HEAD USHER:

March: Harold Walters