


## OFFERING ENVELOPES

A note from Karolyn:

I only receive your envelope (not your check) to use to post to your giving statement, so please put your name, the amount, and the funds you are giving to on your envelope. Thank you!

 Laingsburg United Methodist Church  
MY WEEKLY OFFERING  
FOR

GENERAL FUND	\$ _____
FACILITIES FUND	\$ _____
NEW BUILDING FUND	\$ _____

Name \_\_\_\_\_

...take some of the first fruits of all that you produce from the soil of the land the Lord your God is giving you and...set it down in front of the altar of the Lord your God."  
- Deuteronomy 26:2-4

### 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](http://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

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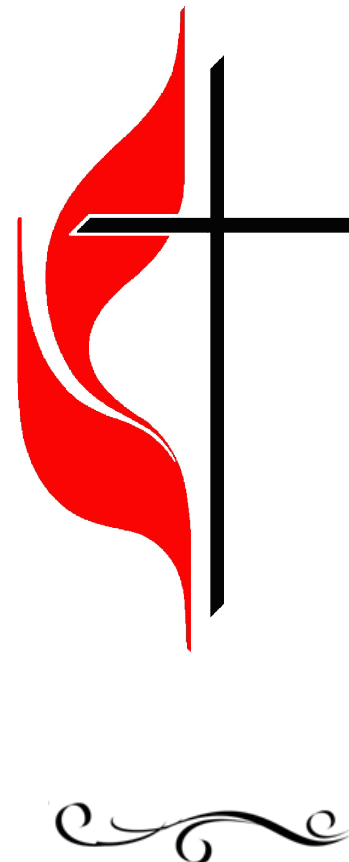
### CHURCH LEADERSHIP TEAMS:

#### **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: Diana Carpenter
- 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



*Refrigerator Theology:*

*"Right Now"*

*Rev. Brian G. West . May 20, 2018 • 10am*



## 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, Heather Teelander, Michael Chubb, Jason Chubb, Edul Hunt-Walsh, Dave Goeckel, Norma Parker.

**HOME BOUND:** Gloria Vanderhoof, Marilyn Baumgras

### **Today is Pentecost Sunday**

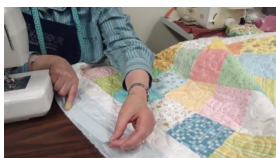
One of the principal days of the Christian year, Pentecost is celebrated on the fiftieth day after Easter. The Greek word *pentecoste* means "fiftieth day."

Pentecost is the day on which the Christian church commemorates the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles and others assembled in Jerusalem. It marks the beginning of the Christian church and the proclamation of its message throughout the world and is often referred to as the birthday of the church.

You can read about Pentecost in the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 2:1-31). Or go to [chuckknowschurch.com](http://chuckknowschurch.com) and type Pentecost in the search bar!



The Quilters have a quilt in the narthex for a silent auction. Proceeds will go towards the Building Fund. Last day for bids will be May 27, and the winner will be announced on June 3



From summer camps for children and adults, to campgrounds where you can bring your RV or rent a cabin, there is summer fun for everyone at one of our Michigan Area United Methodist Camps. There are still a few brochures at the Welcome Center or go to

[www.umcamping.org](http://www.umcamping.org)



## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### TODAY

- Men's Breakfast 8:30 am
- Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am
- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
  - Worship 10:00 am
- Youth Group 4-8 pm - Food Scavenger Hunt for the Food Bank

### MONDAY, MAY 21

- Bible Study 9:30 am
- Food Bank 1-3 pm
- Care Group 1:00 pm

### TUESDAY, MAY 22

- Pastor's Tuesday at Twilliger's

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 23

- UMW Spring Luncheon 12:00
- Alcoholics Anonymous (Women) 7:30 pm

### THURSDAY, MAY 24

- Food Bank 6-8 pm

### FRIDAY, MAY 25

- Office Closed

### SUNDAY, MAY 27

- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
  - Worship 10:00 am

### MONDAY, MAY 28

- Office Closed
- Memorial Day**



## Upcoming

5/28: Memorial Day-office closed  
5/29: Quilters 9:30 am

## Birthdays and Anniversaries May 20-27

20: Randy & Val Meder  
21: Jerry & Tammy Wagner  
22: Dave Goeckel  
22: Phyllis Gee  
24: Emilee Hunt  
24: Don Wagner  
25: Michael & Cathy Chubb  
26: Susan Protas  
27: Henrietta Sparkes

### HEAD USHER:

May: Lois Hartwick & Skye Davis  
June: Sebenick Family

### COFFEE HOUR:

5/20: Pat Hibbard

5/27: Donna Wolfrom/Myra

### NURSERY:

5/20: Lois Hartwick

5/27: ?  
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