


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), "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



Sunday, May 6, 2018

10 am Worship

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

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 14:13-21 Diana Carpenter
(*Common English Bible*) *Lay Reader*

PREPARING "Word of God Speak"
 Mercy Me

GATHERING FOR A MIRACLE "Hungry (Falling On My Knees)"
 Rachel Milstead

During this time, everyone who has a Miracle Sunday offering is invited to bring it forward and place it in one of the glass bowls. If you still need an envelope, extra envelopes will be available in the pew racks. Please be sure to fill out the enclosed cards completely in order that our Miracle Sunday offering can be counted quickly and reported during the worship service. If you have a regular Sunday offering with you, you may also bring it at this time.

POEM "Imagine" Pastor Brian West

HYMN (*Stand as able*) "Now Thank We All Our God" UMH 102

ANTHEM Faith Ringers Handbell Choir

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.

SPECIAL MUSIC Sonatina in C Albert Biehl
 Pianist, Nicole Wang

FAMILY BELL CHOIR

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 (*Common English Bible*) *Lay Reader*

CELEBRATION OF A MIRACLE

SERMON "Who Brought the Baskets?" Pastor Brian West

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

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, Heather Teelander, Michael Chubb, Jason Chubb, Coralie George, Carl George, Edul Hunt-Walsh, Dave Goeckel, Norma Parker, the family of Bethany Potter.

HOME BOUND: Gloria Vanderhoof, Marilyn Baumgras

RUMMAGE SALE

Got stuff that you're not using that someone else may treasure? The Men's Fellowship is sponsoring a church-wide rummage sale May 17 through 19. **You may begin bringing items after church on Sunday, May 13.** We'll accept most everything except for clothing. Sign-up sheet for shifts to work is at the Welcome Center. Please sign up for a shift or two.



Children's Sunday School

is taking orders for Usborne Cards for a Cause. There are 4 different boxes of cards to choose from:

1. Kids' cards
2. All Occasion cards
3. All Occasion cards
4. Thanks and blanks

Each box has a variety of 30 cards for \$30-just \$1 per card.

We will have samples available. All funds earned go towards Church Camp funds.

Volunteers Needed!

The **Carnival Workers' Breakfast** is coming on Thursday, May 17 at 10:00 am.

The breakfast is always so well received by the carnival workers. Please help us with this meaningful outreach event by volunteering a few hours of your time to share Christian love & hospitality with these visitors to our community. See Jeff Holyfield if you can help.

The **Rummage Sale** begins a few hours later on the 17th at noon. There are still some shifts open to help with that as well. The sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center. See John Peck if you have any questions.

*UMW Spring Luncheon
is coming
Wednesday,
May 23.*



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
 - Worship 10:00 am
 - Youth Group 5:30 pm

MONDAY, MAY 7

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

TUESDAY, MAY 8

- Pastor's Tuesday at Twilliger's
- United Methodist Women 10:00 am

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

- Handbell Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm
- Alcoholics Anonymous (Women) 7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 10

- Food Bank 6-8 pm

FRIDAY, MAY 11

- Office Closed

SUNDAY, MAY 13

Happy Mother's Day!

- Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am
- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
 - Worship 10:00 am
 - Trustees 11:00 am

Upcoming

5/14: Finance Meeting 7:00 pm
5/14: Church Council 8:00 pm
5/17: Carnival Workers' Breakfast
5/17-19: Rummage Sale
5/23: UMW Spring Luncheon

Birthdays and Anniversaries May 6-13

8: Edwin & Norma Parker
8: Missy Ginther
9: Chong Zheng
10: Laura Wagner
11: Marty Divine & Deb McKenzie
12: Duane Smith
12: Norma Parker
12: Val Meder

HEAD USHER:

May: Lois Hartwick & Skye Davis

COFFEE HOUR:

5/6: Carolyn Morse/Susan Protas

5/13: Jessie Sebenick

NURSERY:

5/6: Carrie Rathbun Hawks &
Cheri Ramirez

5/13: Dan & Stephanie Brook