

The Missions Work Area is collecting outer winter clothing (coats, hats, mittens, snow pants, etc.) for our Free Winter Clothing Store which will be held the end of October.

Please place items in the green tubs under the name tag table. We will continue to collect items for a few more weeks.

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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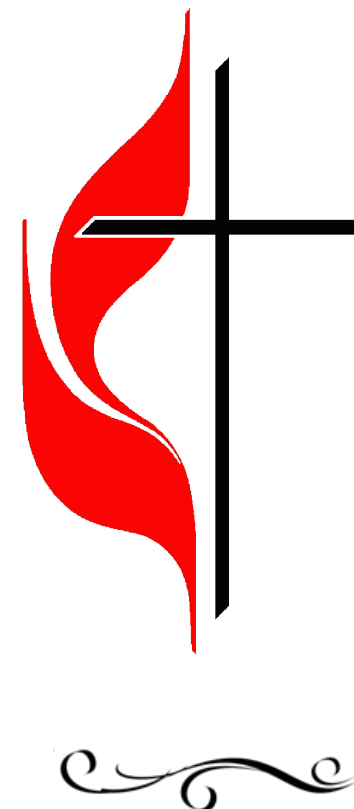
CHURCH LEADERSHIP TEAMS:

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:
- 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



Full: "Where, O Death, Is Your Victory?"

It seems logical that a grace that is full and overflowing in life, will not run dry in death.

God's grace flows fully even when death comes.

But how?

Rev. Brian G. West . October 7, 2018 • 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

OPENING HYMN (*Stand as able*) "Rule of Life" Screen

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 Chapelaire Choir

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

Romans 8:38-39

Pew Bible pg. 801

Revelation 3:20

Pew Bible pg. 869

PREPARING SONG

"Grace Alone"

TFWS 2162

SERMON

Full:
"Where, O Death, Is Your Victory?"

Pastor Brian

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

CLOSING HYMN (*Stand as able*)

"For All the Saints"

UMH 711

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, Edul Hunt-Walsh, Dave Goeckel, Norma Parker, Beverly Rouse, Ed Parker, Kate Plont, Pastor Brian & family on the loss of his father.

HOME BOUND: Gloria Vanderhoof, Marilyn Baumgras



Budget Requests

The Finance Committee is preparing the budget for 2019. If your Ministry Work Area wants to submit a budget request, please turn it into the office or to Dave Sebenick by Oct. 31.

TRUNK OR TREAT IS COMING!

Remember to start working on your costume and watching for sales on candy! Trunk or Treat will be Wed, Oct. 31 from 6:00-8:00 pm.

No worries with the weather, because it will be in the Fellowship Hall. You can decorate an area and/or wear a costume (family friendly) to give out candy and share the fun with all the children who come.

Chicken Dinner (What?)

Our friends at Pittsburg United Methodist Church are hosting a Chicken Dinner **today** from 12:00-3:00 at the Bennington Township Hall, 5849 S. M-52, Owosso.

Let's share dinner with friends and support part of our Laingsburg Parish. And just think, you don't even have to work this time!



Shoe Collection



You may have noticed the large can by the front door, or the basket under the Name Badge table. The Laingsburg Drama Club is collecting new and gently used shoes. They will earn funds by the pound, so please clean out your closets. Shoes must be intact with laces and with no holes. The shoes will be shipped to developing nations for entrepreneurs to use as inventory for their small businesses to help themselves out of poverty. Let's help the Drama Club with their goal of 2,500 shoes!

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

- Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am
- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
 - Worship 10:00 am
 - Trustees 11:00 am
- Chicken Dinner 12:00-3:00 at Bennington Township Hall

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8

- Bible Study 9:30 am
- Food Bank 1-3 pm
- Care Group 1:00 pm
- Finance Meeting 7:00 pm
- Church Council 8:00 pm

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9

- Pastor's Tuesday at Twilliger's
- United Methodist Women 10:00 am
- Tuesday Tutoring 3:15-4:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11

- Food Bank 6-8 pm

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12

- Office Closed

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14

- Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am
- Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
 - Worship 10:00 am
 - Tutor Training 11:00 am
- SPRC meets w/D.S. 2:00 pm
 - Youth Group 5:30 pm

Upcoming

10/7: Chicken Dinner for PUMC
10/8: Finance Meeting 7 pm
10/8: Church Council 8 pm
10/14: Tutor Training after worship

Birthdays and Anniversaries Oct 7-14

12: Michelle Wilgus
13: Glenna Ginther

HEAD USHER:

October: Susan Protas

COFFEE HOUR:

10/7: Carolyn Morse/Susan Protas 10/14: Myra Fraidenburg/Donna

NURSERY:

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10/7: Carrie Rathbun/Jenny Kramer 10/14: _____