

## **First United Methodist Church of Trenton**

A family of God, through the love of Jesus Christ: Reaching Up, Reaching Out, Embracing Everyone!



to know that:

- •Nursery services are available upon request. The nursery is located on the second floor.
- •An asterisk (\*) located before an event means that we invite you to rise in body or in spirit.
- •You are invited to join us for refreshments in the lounge after the service.
- •The pastor is available to meet with you to answer any questions or address any concerns about the church you might have, and for pastoral counseling or conversation, and visits.
- •We hope to see you again!

### **Words of Reflection**

"Love is patient, love is kind,. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hope, always perseveres. Love never fails." I Corinthians 13: 4-8a NIV

Words of Welcome/Announcements:

Pastor Heidi Reinker

Prelude

Organist/pianist Jeff Burke

## Call to Worship:

Leader: Like trees planted by the water, God, are those who trust in you.

People: Like trees with deep roots are those who place their faith in you.

Leader: Like green trees in winter are those who receive their life from you.

All: We praise you, O God, for life that has no end through Jesus our risen Christ!

\*Opening Hymn

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

verses 1, 3, 5, and 7 only

# 62

## **Opening Prayer: Prayer of Saint Francis #481**

Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

**Old Testament Lesson** - Jeremiah 17: 5-10

**Gospel Lesson**: Luke 5: 12-15, 27-32

Response to the Gospel Lesson

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God, for which people say:

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

\*Hymn: "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior" # 351

### **Prayers of the People**

What joys or concerns do you want to take to God in prayer?

**-2-** Do you have a story to share as to how God has worked in your life recently?

## Pastoral Prayer leading into 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.

The Epistle Lesson - I Corinthians chapter 13

\*Hymn "They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love" FWS # 2223

Sermon "Lord, have mercy!" Rev. Heidi Reinker

\*Hymn "The Servant Song" FWS # 2222

## **Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings**

Offering Prayer
Offertory Music

\*Doxology Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,

# 95

Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

#### \*Benediction

It is our tradition to form a circle around the perimeter of the church after the benediction to sing "Peace on Earth" while holding hands. If you are uncomfortable with this, you may proceed directly to the fellowship hall for refreshments!

Closing Hymn "Let There Be Peace on Earth" # 431

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me; Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God our Creator, children all are we.

Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now.

With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:

To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

## \*Postlude

Everyone is invited to the fellowship hall for refreshments and a time of fellowship.

**Altar Flowers**: Given by Nina Barnsdale in honor of Ruth Kasenow Birthday.

Coffee Hour: Karen Roberts

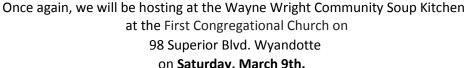
Liturgist: Lynn Lash

Greeters: Ira & Melda Neubauer

### **Liturgical Resources:**

Call to Worship- Touch Holiness edited by Ruth C. Duck and Maren Tirabassi, p. 41 adapted

**Opening Prayer-**



on Saturday, March 9th.

This is a ministry where we serve lunch to those who are hungry, providing nourishment for body and soul. We also provide sack lunches for folks to take with them. We are looking for servant leaders to cook the food, give their time, assist with preparing sack lunches, and share the love of Christ with folks at the soup kitchen.

Preparation begins at 10:00 am and lunch ends at 1 pm. If you would like to participate in this ministry, you can call the church office (734) 676-2066 or sign-up in the Lounge.

## In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

## Those who are hospitalized: Those who are home:

- Lynee Zajac-Beck- Jackie Hull
- Sandi Brewer- Ruth Ann Brewer
- Debbie Moffitt Botta Greg Moffitt
- Cahalan Family-Joe & Paulette Wilson
- Kathy Callicoat
- Robb Clarkson-Lee & Jan Wynn Cousin
- Don Dameron-Lee & Jan Wynn brother-in-law
- Jo Kampschoer
- · Ruth Kasenow
- Sherry Lang-Kathy Myers
- Steve Tom Brown
- Betty Lozo
- Pat Menatac
- Stan & Betty Miller
- Kathy Myers
- Alex Nicol- Ruth Ann Brewer
- Kim Noel- Jackie Hull
- Morris Prater Father of Tom Prater
- Shannon Prater-Lee and Jan Wynn's daughter
- Ryan Randazzo

   Betty and Stan Millergrandson
- Wildred St. Amour

   Kathy Myers's brother-in-law
- Trevor Stamislaw-Sylvia Nowicki-brother
- Ioe Wilson
- Janet Wolfe-Ruth Kasenow's daughter
- Jeff Wynn– Lee and Jan Wynn son
- Lee Wynn

## Those serving our country:

- Sergeant Bradley Cookson (Army) grandson of Faith Cookson
- Lieutenant Colonel Nathaniel Davis (Army, New York)
- *CPT Charles Dvorak* (Army) brother of Emily Neubauer



is pleased to host

## Lunching for the Homeless

to benefit

### CHRISTNET SERVICES

Date: Saturday, March 16, 2019

Time: 11:30am to 1:30pm Location: Carrabba's Italian Grill

14805 Dix-Toledo Rd

Southgate, MI 48195

Menu: Chicken Marsala, Penne Pomodoro,

Soup or Salad, Bread, and soft drink.

Cost: \$ 20.00 Adult

\$ 5.00 for children 5-10 years old (Children 4 and under - free)

Limited Seating. Tickets MUST be purchased in advance.

Please return the bottom portion of this flyer to a ChristNet representative on or before

Sunday, March 10th along with your payment

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mail the bottom portion of the flyer by March 8th with your check to:

Linda Dickman, 2261 Nichols Dr., Trenton, MI 48183 734 673-2444 for more information

All checks made payable to ChristNet Services
Tickets available mid February 2019

Thank you for your support!

## **Trenton First UMC Announcements**



# Breakfast & Devotion

If you're looking for a way to start the week with good food, great company and a brief devotion, then come join us at the diner.

The next breakfast will be Monday, March 4th at 8 am

Mom's Restaurant. 2691 Fort St, Trenton



## **Adult Bible Study**

We will be finishing our study of the life of David this Tuesday. We will start a study of Amos in the

Old Testament this coming Tuesday.

Newcomers are always welcome to jump in and join us anytime!

We study on Tuesdays from 1-2 pm.



## St. Philip's Food Pantry

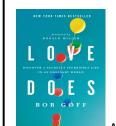
Throughout March and April our church is responsible for staffing at

St. Phillips Lutheran Church at 1790 Fort St, Trenton, MI on

Wednesdays from 11:00 am—2:00 pm

## The food pantry is in need of can fruit, cereal and peanut butter.

There is a sign up sheet for volunteers on the piano in the lounge.



## Our Lenten Study will be Bob Goff's book

Love Does: Discover a Secretly Incredible Life in an Ordinary World.

As a college student he spent 16 days in the Pacific Ocean with five guys and a crate of canned meat. As a father he took his kids on a world tour to eat ice cream with heads of state. He made friends in Uganda, and they liked him so much he became the Ugandan consul. He pursued his wife for three years before she agreed to date him. Books are \$10. Please see Pastor Heidi to order.

Lenten study will be on Wednesdays at 7 pm March 13th , 20th , 27th April 10th

## United Methodist Camping www.umcamping.org

2019 Adult, kids and family Camping Adventures

# Looking for a new way to escape? Ready to introduce your child or grandchild to Christian camping?

- Grand parent Camps
- 26 adult and family programs
- Kayak & Hiking Adventures
  - Christian Fellowship
- Lots of children and teen camps
- Six locations across Lower Michigan

Check out the brochures and flyers are in our foyer for more information.

## **Trenton First UMC and Community Announcements Continued**



02/00 - Barb Olsen

02/01—Robert Neubauer II

**02/02**—Hilda Ross Jill Weller

02/08 - Jo Kampschoer

02/13- Jim Creekmore

**02/14** - Ruth Kasenow Jeff Leedy

**02/18** - Michael Menna Travis Wolfe

02/24 - Shannon Prater

02/27 - Maxine Brewer



## **Trustee meeting**

Wednesday, February 27th
7 pm



Soup, Salad Luncheon

Sunday, March 17th.

### Methodiners

Sunday, March 31st. Taza Fresh Grill Restaurant.

More information to follow.



# ChristNet/Overnight February 17-23

Want to help with ChristNet this year?

We know we'll need help with the following areas: (For more info talk to Pastor Heidi, Judy Howells)

## **Areas Where Help Will Be Needed**

- 1. Set-up and Take-Down Duties
- 2. Serve as Overnight Host
- 3. Laundry service is needed in several ways: Reimbursement for expenditures is available.
- 4. Morning Clean-up duty
- 5. Miscellaneous Jobs
- 6. Food donations see sign up sheet

Look for the sign up sheets in the lounge.



Join us on Wednesday, March 6th at 7 pm for our worship service.

All are welcome!

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Organist: Jeff Burke
Custodian: Karen Roberts

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## **February**

Sunday; 2/17: 10 am worship; ChristNet week begins. Help set up!
 Monday: 2/18: No Church Council meeting; Happy Presidents' Day!
 Tuesday: 2/19: No Bible study; 9 am-3 pm Pastor Heidi Office hours.

**Thursday:** 2/21: 7 pm Choir; 8 pm Praise Band.

Sunday: 2/24: 10 am worship; ChristNet week ends help with clean up!

Tuesday: 2/26: 1 pm Bible study.Wednesday: 2/27: 7 pm Trustee meeting.

**Thursday:** 2/28: 7 pm Choir; 8 pm Praise Band.

## <u>March</u>

**Friday:** 5 pm Jessica Sureck & Henry Call wedding rehearsal.

**Saturday:** 3/02: 3:30 pm Jessica Sureck & Henry Call wedding.

Sunday: 3/03: 10 am worship.

**Monday:** 3/04: 8 am breakfast and devotions at Moms Restaurant.

**Tuesday:** 3/05: 1 pm Bible study.

Wednesday: 3/06: 7 pm Ash Wednesday Service. Thursday: 3/07: 7 pm Choir; 8 pm Praise Band.

**Saturday:** 3/09: 10:00 am Soup Kitchen meal prep. Set clocks ahead 1 hour at midnight!





