

PRAYER REQUESTS:

OUR CONCERNS:

Wisdom & safety for all government officials and their staff- from the US & other nations
President Joe Biden and VP Kamala Harris
Veterans and Service Members
Civilians, leaders, and soldiers in war torn regions
For peace & wisdom in areas of conflict
Police officers and their families
Folks harmed in interactions with police
All first responders & medical staff
For an end to violence in all forms
Victims & families involved in violent crime, sexual abuse, racism, and harassment
Abusers and their families
Healing & peace for divisions caused by race, class, gender, sexuality, politics & fears
All affected by natural disasters
Wisdom around the environment
Eradication of deadly diseases—incl. COVID-19
Refugees & huddled masses yearning to be free
Security and immigration reform
People who are hungry and unhoused
Prisoners, Prison Leadership & Judges
Schools, education and foster care reform
Members of AA, NA, & AlAnon and their families
All struggling with addictions, finances, etc.
Those suffering from mental health illnesses
All those caring for sick loved ones
Those grieving the loss of loved ones
Bishop Schol & EPAUMC Staff
Jenny Freymoyer and Hun Ju Lee as incoming DSs
BK Chung & Steve Morton as outgoing DSs
The UMC and General Conference Delegates as we seek God's will regarding human sexuality & our global mission to make disciples of Jesus
Coleman Memorial & Pastor Karen Bachman
Rev. Dorcas, her eyes & ministries in Sierra Leone
Udobo School in Durban, South Africa
Campus Ministries
Norm Whiteley (Ella's brother) – health
Family of Libby Miller (Ella's extended family)
Charlotte Garfield
Dottie Sheaffer – healing for back & eyes
Eileen Williams – muscles
Shelda's granddaughter Bella's health
Bradley McGowan – ALS
Linda Philbin – motor neuropathy
Carl Jones – strength & healing
Rosemary (Marilyn Jones' sister) – healing

Those with cancer: Cyndi Campbell, Dean Grove, Mark Reitzel, Kerry Link and her father-in-law, Joe, John Rathvon, Glenn (friend of Harbisons), Duane Lehman, Allan Dutton, Lori, Georgia Greiner, Barb Royer, and others
Michelle Rathvon Mitterer – healing from strokes
Chuck Flory – ALS
Darlene Brown – abdominal surgery
John – cardiac issues
Clarita – kidney issues
All Impacted by COVID-19
Alan Price – Buni's father transitions & health
Ray – recovering from strokes
Annette McClarigan – health, sons' & family
Dennis Pounds (Brooke's Uncle) - healing
Erek Perkowski & son Shaughn – custody
Angela, Maria and their mom – to be healthy & thrive
Izabel, Oaklee, Carson, Matthew & their parents
Gene Onest – health issues
Terry Kofroth – healing & upcoming foot surgery
Lydia Erk - pregnancy
Abbe – protection and healthy future
Aaron Goddard - traumatic brain injury
Sarah Kuzmenko – healing from migraines
Bob Miller – healing after hip replacement
Phyllis Milller –healing after new pacemaker
Casi Margerum – college & healing from pain
Don Campbell – health
Bernice Wilkison – health
Margie & Terry Urban's granddaughter Analise
Margie Urban infection
Ukrainian people and their nation—incl. the Kuzmenko and Littrell family members
Noah Boughter – wisdom, safety and recovery
Bryan Nelson
Michael – healing from addictions
Ron Lunn – healing after a fall
Darryl Collins – healing after car accident

OUR PRAISES:

Shannon Weaver – Assigned as Pastor to Brunnerville UMC
God's presence through illness, struggle & loss
Vaccinations & healings from COVID-19

Please submit prayer requests (& updates) by note or email to the office: faithumc@hotmail.com



Welcome

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Faith, Long Memorial & Oregon Community United Methodist Churches

April 15, 2022 at Noon – Good Friday

WELCOME: We come together to worship God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Today we mourn the execution of Jesus, the King of Kings, who humbly entered Jerusalem knowing that he would offer his life so that we would know we are loved. May we humbly reflect on what a wondrous love this is—and may receive the grace through it. You are welcome in this space & we're so glad you're here!

OUR OFFERINGS OF PRAYERS, PRESENCE, GIFTS, SERVICE & WITNESS

There are offering plates by the doors to the sanctuary and the altar. You may also give online or by mail.

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Jason

If you're worshipping online, please 'sign in' by commenting on the video & post prayer requests, too.

A TIME FOR CENTERING & PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Jason & God's People

God so loved the world that he came to earth to walk among us as Jesus of Nazareth

So that whoever believes in him might not perish but have everlasting life.

He held nothing back...loving deeply, healing generously, and teaching powerfully.

Jesus the Christ, God himself, was lifted high upon the cross so that he might draw the whole world to himself...a sign of unconditional love.

He gave himself up, even to death, in order to prove his redeeming love for us.

Help us to trust in that love poured out on the cross so that we may receive forgiveness and everlasting life. Amen

(The Rev. Jason Perkowski, 2019)

SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 22:39-44	Pastor Andrea
HYMN	<i>Go to Dark Gethsemane</i>	UMH #290 v. 1
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Matthew 26:47-56	Pastor Jason
*HYMN	<i>Ah, Holy Jesus</i>	UMH #289 v. 1, 2, 3
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Mark 14:61-64	Pastor Andrea
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 18:33-37	Pastor Andrea
HYMN	<i>Go to Dark Gethsemane</i>	UMH #290 v. 2
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Mark 15:6-15	Pastor Jason
*HYMN	<i>O Sacred Head, Now Wounded</i>	UMH #286 v. 1, 2
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 19:5	Pastor Andrea
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 10:17-18	Pastor Andrea
THE APOSTLES' CREED		UMH #881

SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 23:26	Pastor Jason
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 23:27-31	Pastor Jason
HYMN	<i>Were You There</i>	UMH #288 v. 1, 2
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 23:33-34	Pastor Andrea
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 23:39-43	Pastor Andrea
*HYMN	<i>When I Survey The Wondrous Cross</i>	UMH #298 v. 1, 2
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 19:25b-27	Pastor Jason
HYMN	<i>Were You There</i>	UMH #288 v. 3, 4
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 19:28-34	Pastor Andrea
HYMN	<i>Go to Dark Gethsemane</i>	UMH #290 v. 3
PRAYER – SILENT PRAYER		Pastor Jason
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 19:38-42	Pastor Andrea
HYMN	<i>Go to Dark Gethsemane</i>	UMH #290 v. 4
HOMILY	Are You the King?	Pastor Jason
*HYMN	<i>When I Survey the Wondrous Cross</i>	UMH #298 v. 3, 4
*BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH		Pastor Jason

* *You are invited to stand*

Worship Director: Shannon Edwards and The Faith Singers and AV Tech: Dennis Meck, Sr.

Pastor: The Revs. Andrea Haldeman & Jason Perkowski Ministers: The People of God

PRE-REGISTRATIONS are appreciated: <https://forms.gle/EezjoRzcX1uC5NGn7>.

WORSHIP SERVICES ARE ALSO BROADCAST on Facebook & our website.

COVID PROTOCOLS: Masks are now optional for worship services. We will still be sitting every other row for social distancing.

OFFICE COMMUNICATION: Hours vary, so please contact us directly to see when we are available. Messages left on the office phone, 717-560-0321 or email: faithumc@hotmail.com, will be checked from Monday through Friday. In case of an emergency contact Pastor Jason at 717-333-9238 or jbperkowski@gmail.com and leave a *detailed message*. Pastor Jason is spending time with family from Friday Noon through Saturday. Please be patient if he doesn't respond to non-emergency calls during those times.

PASTOR JASON will be on vacation from April 20-May 4. Please contact Pastor Andrea Haldeman for Pastoral Emergencies via Michelle Bame or the Church Office. Carol will also be out of the office Apr 22-26.

JUNIOR CHURCH BY ZOOM VIDEO CHAT – SUNDAYS AT 9 AM for 3 year old-4th grade kids. We send families the Zoom link and other resources—*contact the office if interested. **Not meeting Easter Sunday.***

YOUTH GROUP, SUNDAYS, 5-7 PM at Faith UMC. 5th-12th graders are invited. *Sign up in the hall or by contacting the office to volunteer to be the 2nd adult for the evening and/or provide a snack or light dinner. Youth will NOT meet on Easter Sunday. Youth will pack boxes for The HUB at MU on April 24 from 5-7pm.*

CHATTING CLUB: MONDAYS AT 7 PM BY ZOOM – This week’s topic: NO MEETING APRIL 18 DUE TO EASTER HOLIDAY. These sessions will be led by Pastor Jason. Join us at:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86190453518?pwd=cEVDeDljeThaaWVIYjlQWmZjTm5oUT09>

NOTE: April 25th the link will be different as we engage with **POWER Interfaith**. See below for info.

POWER Interfaith Lancaster County is part of a statewide group of people of faith working on making our commonwealth more just. We are working on fair funding for public schools, positive interactions between police & communities, a healthier environment & climate, economic justice, etc. Pastor Jason invites anyone interested in learning more to contact him. **Monday Night Bible Study will focus on these topics.**

POWER of Faith Training: Doing Justice - Getting Beyond Good Intentions: Monday, April 25, 7 to 8:30 pm -- **The Power of Relationships Register** <https://secure.everyaction.com/wDF-AY4B3kOnPu1zjJ0hvQ2>

BIBLE STUDY led by Mike Shifflet on THURSDAYS at 6:30 PM at Oregon Community UMC.

MORNING BIBLE STUDY – FRIDAYS AT 10AM: You can join in person in the Fellowship Hall. No Zoom Session on April 22 or 29. We will have guest teachers while Pastor Jason is on vacation.

LOST AND FOUND: We have hats, gloves, eyeglasses, sunglasses, phones, and more. **Claim your item now!**

THE SENIOR MEN’S LUNCH ON APRIL 21st AT 11:30 AM will be held at Gracie’s on West Main, 264 W Main St, Leola. Those planning to attend must *let Tim Patschke know by April 19th* so we can reserve space.

FAITH COMMUNITY DAY will be held on Sat., May 7. We will have a **Yard Sale** area (spaces can be rented to sell crafts or yard sale items yourself or items can be donated for the youth to sell), a **Book Sale** (books can be donated beginning AFTER EASTER), a **Chicken BBQ Sale** with ala carte **side dishes and baked goods**, etc. There will also be a **fire truck** and **raffle baskets**. **Volunteers are needed to work that day as well as to make side dishes and baked goods!** Bottled water & soda are also needed. If interested in helping out, *please contact Michelle Bame or Diana Valentine* who are co-chairing the event. **A sign-up sheet is in the hallway.** This is a great outreach to the community!

OFFERING TITHES TO THE LORD: You can direct gifts to **General Ministry, Debt Reduction/Building Fund**, etc. Mark preferences in the memo. You can mail a check or **donate digitally through the website.**

IN NEED OF HELP: Contact Pastor Jason. You can also dial **2-1-1** or visit www.211.org to reach the **United Way Call Center for social services.** **The Crisis Intervention Lifeline is (717) 394-2631**

SERVANT SATURDAY ON APRIL 30: On the Saturday before Communion Sunday each month, we are asking everyone to show God’s love to the world through your time, talents and treasures. **DOWNTOWN MINISTRY:** At 2pm on Servant Saturdays, we provide meals & personal items for people who are homeless. To help, call Diana at 717-435-8577. We need people to cook, prepare donations, deliver food, etc.

WISH LIST FOR OUR DOWNTOWN MINISTRY: individually packaged salty snacks (chips, pretzels, popcorn, Doritos, nuts, etc.) fun-size candy, hard candies & bottled water. **The AMAZON WISH LIST has been updated.** Donate at: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/18YV4WP0G933L?ref_=wl_share

AMAZON SMILE: When shopping, if you select *Manheim Township: Faith United Methodist* as your charitable organization, **Amazon will donate a percentage of your purchase to Faith.**

IMPACT! MISSIONS restores homes to be sold to low-income families & does repairs for homeowners in need. To volunteer on **1st & 3rd Saturdays** contact **Leon Bame** at 717-344-9924 / leonshel37@gmail.com.

UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT: You can make donations online at FaithUMC.US or by a **designated gift at the church** to support refugees and humanitarian work in the country. You can also make donations at <https://umcmmission.org> or by a gift to OCUMC marked to support Ukrainian refugees.

CARE PACKAGES FOR MILLERSVILLE STUDENTS: We are continuing our tradition of providing boxes to support college students who are part of The HUB: Millersville University Campus Ministry while they prepare for final exams in May. **If you wish to participate, please donate** shoe boxes, wrapping paper, highlighters, sticky notes, pens, pencils, cookies, snack crackers, granola bars, popcorn, hot chocolate mix, etc. **by Easter Sunday.** *The youth will be packaging the boxes during their meeting time on the evening of April 24th.* *If you would like to help with packing or wrapping or just getting to know the youth, please join them at 5:00 pm on April 24th.*

MESSIAH SING-A-LONG will be held at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 2151 Oregon Pike, Lancaster on Friday, **April 22 at 7 PM.** Singers from the community are invited to be part of the choir for the 2.5 hour evening but anyone is welcome to come and listen. Details at www.messiah-singalong.org.

THE 2022 EASTERN PA ANNUAL CONFERENCE will meet May 20-21 via Zoom for voting members, while sessions are video livestreamed for other viewers on the conference Facebook page. The session begins on Friday, May 20, at 8:30 AM with the Episcopal Address by Bishop John Schol, presiding over his first EPA Conference session. All who were previously elected as (Equalizing) Lay Delegates are still serving in this capacity through 2024. Please register at [Eastern PA Conference of the UMC \(epaumc.org\)](http://Eastern PA Conference of the UMC (epaumc.org))

ONGOING EVENTS:

Sundays	Junior Church <i>via Zoom</i> (for ages 3 years through 4th grade), 9:00 AM Worship, 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary and Facebook Live Youth Group at Faith, 5-7 PM
1st Sundays	Communion is offered during worship service, 10:30AM
Mondays	Chatting Club <i>via Zoom</i> , 7:00 PM
Wednesdays	Bible2School, 11 AM-1 PM for students from Reidenbaugh in Fellowship Hall Worship Team Practice, 6:30 PM
Thursdays	Wing and a Prayer AA Meeting in the Fellowship Hall, 10:00 AM Bible Study at Oregon Community UMC, 6:30-7:30 PM
Fridays	Bible Study led by Pastor Jason, 10:00 AM (<i>via Zoom or in person</i>)
1st & 3rd Saturdays	Faith UMC works with IMPACT! Missions – Contact Leon Bame to help.
1st (or Last) Saturdays	Servant Saturday & Downtown Food Ministry, 2PM (Sat. before Communion)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, Apr 16	Easter Egg Hunt at Long Memorial UMC – Breakfast 8-10:30 AM, Egg Hunt 11 AM
Thursday, Apr 21	Senior Men’s Lunch at Gracie’s on West Main, 11:30 AM RSVP to Tim Patschke
Monday, Apr 25	POWER Interfaith Training 7-8:30 PM
Saturday, Apr 30	Servant Saturday/Deliver food & personal items to unhoused folks downtown, 2 PM
Saturday, May 7	Faith Community Day with Chicken BBQ & Yard Sale

HOLY WEEK: Our Holy Week Services shared with sister churches include:

- **Good Friday, April 15 at 7:30pm at Long Memorial UMC**
- **Easter Sunrise Service, April 17 at 6:30am at Oregon Community UMC**
- **Easter Service, April 17 at 9:00am at Oregon Community UMC or 10:30am at Faith UMC**

Our worship participants for next Sunday, April 17 are:

WORSHIP MUSIC: Shannon Edwards, Worship Director; and the Faith Singers

AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: Dennis Meck, Sr.

GREETER/USHERS: Tim & Sandy Patschke

LITURGIST: Buni Harbison

CHILDREN’S TIME: Terry Kofroth

JUNIOR CHURCH VIA ZOOM: NO Junior Church