

## 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 Chapel & their new pastor  
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

Noah Boughter – wisdom, safety and recovery  
Those with cancer: Cyndi Campbell, Dean Grove, Mark Reitzel, Kerry Link, Joe, John Rathvon, Glenn (friend of Harbisons), Duane Lehman, Allan Dutton, Lori, Georgia Greiner, Jonathan, 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  
Margie & Terry Urban's granddaughter Analise  
Annette McClarigan – health & son Kyle's family  
Dennis Pounds (Brooke's Uncle) - healing  
Erek Perkowski & son Shaughn – custody & moving  
Angela, Maria and their mom – to be healthy & thrive  
Izabel, Oaklee, Carson, Matthew & their parents  
Gene Onest – health issues  
Terry Kofroth – continued healing  
Lydia Erk - pregnancy  
Abbe – protection and healthy future  
Aaron Goddard - traumatic brain injury  
Shannon Edwards & family  
Sarah Kuzmenko – healing from migraines  
Bob Miller – healing after hip replacement  
Phyllis Milller – infection & healing after new pacemaker  
Casi Margerum – college & healing from pain  
Don Campbell – health  
Bernice Wilkison – health  
Ukrainian people and their nation—incl. the Kuzmenko and Littrell family members  
Bryan Nelson  
Michael – healing from addictions

### 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](mailto:faithumc@hotmail.com)*

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY

# The Lord Needs It

GATHERED UP IN JESUS WORSHIP SERIES



*Welcome*

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April 10, 2022 at 10:30 AM – Palm/Passion Sunday

**W**ELCOME: We gather together to worship God: The Father, The Son, & the Holy Spirit. We gather together to see again the ways in which God is revealed in the world. You are welcome in this space no matter who you are; from where you have come; what experiences, struggles or gifts you bring; or the questions, doubts & beliefs you carry. We are so glad you are 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

**Michelle Bame & 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**

The story of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, tells us that after his celebrated arrival. He went into the Temple and looked around at everything.

**As we gather here for worship today may it be with a sense that Jesus has walked in too and is looking around.**

May our eyes be open to see Him, may our hearts be ready to be seen by Him, may our worship be worthy of His presence, and may we be transformed so that we see the world through His eyes.

**Amen.**

*Written by Ann Siddall and posted on the Stillpoint Spirituality Centre website, <https://stillpointsa.org.au>.  
Reposted: <https://re-worship.blogspot.com/2018/03/call-to-worship-for-palm-sunday.html>.*

### \*PRAISE

*Hosanna (by Baloche and Brown)*

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

**Philippians 2:5-11**

**Rhonda Leese**

*This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!*

## THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**UMH #895**

### \*HYMN

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

**UMH #278**

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

**Luke 19:28-40**

**Rhonda Leese**

*This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!*

## CHILDREN'S TIME

**Michelle Bame**

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

**Isaiah 50:4-9a**

**Rhonda Leese**

*This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!*

### \*HYMN

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

**UMH #280**

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

**Luke 22:14-47**

**Rhonda Leese**

*This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!*

## SERMON

***The Lord Needs It***

**Pastor Jason**

### \*HYMN

*Here I Am, Lord*

**UMH #593**

## BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH

*\* You are invited to stand*

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

**Pastor:** The Rev. 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:** With the COVID numbers in Lancaster County at 20 new cases and 0 deaths per day, **masks are now optional for worship services.** We will still be sitting every other row to allow for social distancing. **The back section on the window side of the sanctuary is reserved for people who want to sit with other people who are masked.** Other meetings may decide their own mask policy.

**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](mailto:faithumc@hotmail.com), will be checked from Monday through Friday. In case of an emergency contact Pastor Jason at 717-333-9238 or [jbperkowsk@gmail.com](mailto:jbperkowsk@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 April 22-26.

**JUNIOR CHURCH BY ZOOM VIDEO CHAT – SUNDAYS AT 9 AM for 3 year old-4<sup>th</sup> grade kids.** We send families the Zoom link and other resources—**contact the office if interested.**

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

**CHATting CLUB: MONDAYS AT 7 PM BY ZOOM – This week's topic:** We will explore ways in which systemic structures cause harm to people in poverty, minority groups, women, and the disenfranchised--and how we can help. All are invited to join us. These sessions will be led by Pastor Jason. Join us at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86190453518?pwd=cEVDeDljeThaaWVlYjQWmZjTm5oUT09>  
**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 Sessions: Doing Justice - Getting Beyond Good Intentions**

- Monday, April 25, 7 to 8:30 pm -- **The Power of Relationships**

**Register for THE POWER OF FAITH:** <https://secure.everyaction.com/wDF-AY4B3kOnPu1zjJ0hvQ2>

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT LENTEN BIBLE STUDIES** at Long Memorial UMC at 7:30 PM in person or online via <https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=long%20memorial%20um%20church>

**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, by a phone call to Pastor Jason or by Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83172825482?pwd=VzBkd2p0ci9KZlBqMUZqN1NOamh4dz09>

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

**THE SENIOR MEN’S LUNCH ON APRIL 21<sup>st</sup> 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 19<sup>th</sup>* 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](http://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](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 **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays** contact **Leon Bame** at 717-344-9924 / [leonshel37@gmail.com](mailto:leonshel37@gmail.com).

**UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT:** You can make donations online at [FaithUMC.US](http://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.

**YWCA 67<sup>th</sup> GOOD FRIDAY BREAKFAST ON FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2022** This year’s event will be held at the Farm & Home Center, located at 1383 Arcadia Rd, Lancaster. The doors will open at 7:00 am. The buffet breakfast and program will be at 7:30 am. Pastor Gerald Simmons, Faith Tabernacle Church of God in Christ will be this year’s speaker and there will be live music from local artists. Tickets are \$20 per person and may be purchased online at [www.friday.rosesymca.org](http://www.friday.rosesymca.org). Tickets are not available at the door.

**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](http://www.messiah-singalong.org).

**EXTRAORDINARY WOMEN CONFERENCE 2022: PURSUING AN UNFAILING GOD** is coming to Calvary Church on Oct 14-15, 2022. Cost is \$59.00 per person, but if we register a group of 10 or more before

March 31<sup>st</sup> there is a \$5.00 discount. See the flyers in the hall or [www.ewomen.net](http://www.ewomen.net) for more information. Please let the office know if you are interested in attending.

**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 Lay Delegates (and Equalizing Lay Delegates) in the prior Quadrennium are still serving in this capacity through 2024 since we have not had a new General Conference. Please register at [Annual Conference | Eastern PA Conference of the UMC \(epaumc.org\)](http://Annual Conference | Eastern PA Conference of the UMC (epaumc.org))

### **ONGOING EVENTS:**

#### **Sundays**

Junior Church *via Zoom* (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 *via Zoom*, 7:00 PM

#### **Wednesdays**

Bible2School, 11 AM-1 PM for students from Reidenbaugh in Fellowship Hall  
Worship Team Practice, 6:30PM

#### **Lenten Bible Study at Long Memorial UMC, 7:30 PM**

Wing and a Prayer AA Meeting in the Fellowship Hall, 10:00 AM

#### **Thursdays**

Bible Study at Oregon Community UMC, 6:30-7:30 PM

#### **Fridays**

Bible Study led by Pastor Jason, 10:00 AM (*via Zoom or in person*)

#### **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays**

Faith UMC works with IMPACT! Missions – Contact Leon Bame to help.

#### **1<sup>st</sup> (or Last) Saturdays**

Servant Saturday & Downtown Food Ministry, 2PM (Sat. before Communion)

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

#### **Monday, Apr 11**

Faith UMC provides Bag-n-Go Lunch at Zion Lutheran Church, 11:00 AM

#### **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

#### **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:**

- **Maundy Thursday, April 14 at 7pm at Salem UMC: Rothsville – ONLINE ONLY via FaceBook**  
*See Pastor Jason if you need an in-person option. This will be broadcast from Salem and then shared.*
- **Good Friday, April 15 at Noon at Faith UMC: Manheim Township**
- **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 Today