

Welcome to our New Associate

Pastor Laurie Brandes has faithfully been our interim preacher at Anew for the past few months. We are happy and excited to have her join our church family as our Associate Pastor! Please find time to introduce yourself to Pastor Brandes soon! A note from her:

Dear LUMC family,

I am so honored and grateful for the opportunity to serve as your Associate Pastor starting March 1. You all have been very kind and gracious to me since I arrived on an interim basis in August. I have recently retired from Epworth Children's Home after 31 years of service as a Diaconal Minister, and I am looking forward to this new season as a licensed local pastor in the Columbia District.

I am really excited about the UMW Asbury Hills retreat, as I enjoy adventures in the great outdoors. I am very involved with the Board of Directors for the Camp and Retreat Ministries in our Conference.

Here is a little bit about me- I was born and raised in Columbia, and graduated from the University of South Carolina. I attended Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary. I have been married almost 33 years to my husband David and we have two grown sons. David and our oldest son Mason work at E. L. Robinson. Mason is getting married 6/3/23 to his fiancé Jazmyne, who is a history teacher at Richland Northeast High School in Columbia. Our youngest son Dillon is a senior at the University of South Carolina, and is a professional karate fighter and teacher. Our home church is Asbury Memorial UMC in Columbia, where I have been a member since I was 4 years old.

We have a new addition to the family, a rescue puppy named Oakley. She is a black lab mix, and approximately 7 months old.

I am looking forward to joining you in the wonderful ministries and worship opportunities at LUMC. I hope to meet each of you in the coming weeks.

Please feel free to contact me :

Rev Laurie Brandes, my email is: [Lgbrandes@umcsc.org](mailto:Lgbrandes@umcsc.org)

My cell phone is 803 312 5083.

Grace and peace,  
Pastor Laurie



The **UMCOR - United Methodist Committee On Relief** has been in communication with partners and actively exploring the coordination of humanitarian response in the Ukraine.

United Methodists can support international disaster response efforts by making a gift to **Advance #982450** as shared in this appeal for peace in the Russia-Ukraine conflict from the **General Board of Global Ministries** : <https://bit.ly/GMappealUkraine>

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Lent is a time for self-reflection and deepening one's relationship with God in Jesus Christ. For many this season leading up to Easter will be weeks of giving up something they enjoy. Others will spend extra time in devotions and prayer, while a few more will carry a cross or nail in their pocket as a reminder of the sacrifice Jesus made for them and the whole world.

If those practices work for you, wonderful! Others may want to find another way of observing this holy season. Consider adopting one or more of the following creative uses of the days between Ash Wednesday and Easter Sunday.

### **1. Apologize to someone**

Lent is a season of repentance. Most often we think of asking God for forgiveness from our sin, but that is only half of the story. Most sins include hurting others, which mattered to Jesus.

### **2. Perform random acts of kindness**

Express your love for Jesus by loving others. Pay for the order of the person behind you in the drive-through. Give an extravagant tip. Carry gift cards to give away. Ask others how they are doing, then stop and listen to their responses.

### **3. Delve into a book of the Bible**

Enhance your devotions by getting to know a book of the Bible well. Read it repeatedly, at least once in a single sitting. Find articles about it. Meditate on it with a commentary. Memorize portions of it. Pray through it. Google sermons about it. Find hymns based upon it.

### **4. Serve people in need**

Identify an organization with which you would like to participate. Sign up and get trained. Then volunteer to serve throughout the season of Lent.

### **5. Visit the lonely**

Jesus also taught his disciples to treat others as we would treat him. This included visiting those who are sick and in prison (Matthew 25:31-36).

### **6. Read Wesley's sermons about the Sermon on the Mount**

[These 13 sermons \(see Matthew\)](#) are central to the message of John Wesley

### **7. Tell others you love them**

Some of us struggle to say those three little words. Maybe we assume others already know how we feel. Maybe we think we show our love and don't need to say it. Or maybe we are concerned it won't be reciprocated. Fight the fear and say "I love you" to friends, family members, and everyone else you love at least once during the season.

### **8. Throw a party for everyone**

Jesus often used the image of a party to describe the Kingdom of God. He talked about wedding receptions and banquet feasts, and participated in several large group celebrations. Host your own Kingdom party by cooking for the neighborhood, or buying lunch for the entire office or your church. Feed everyone you can and give people an opportunity to be together.

### **9. Serve in worship**

Your church needs you. Sing in the choir, usher, serve as a reader, work with the tech team, help a young family with their baby, or find some other way to serve your church

### **10. Say "thank you"**

Parents, family members, mentors, coaches, teachers, authors, pastors, Sunday school teachers, and others have shaped you into the person you are. Each week during Lent, send a note of gratitude to one of them.

There are many ways to be observant during Lent. Be original. Find yours.

Full article can be found here: [Beyond fasting: 10 tips for a more meaningful Lent | The United Methodist Church \(umc.org\)](#) Follow the links in the article for more information.



## Shrove Tuesday is March 1—

Shrove Tuesday is the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, which is the first day of Lent. The need to eat up the fats gave rise to the French name Mardi Gras; meaning fat Tuesday. Pancakes became associated with Shrove Tuesday as they were a dish that could use up all the eggs, fats and milk in the house with just the addition of flour. The ingredients for pancakes can be seen to symbolize four points of significance at this time of year: Eggs ~ Creation; Flour ~ The staff of life; Salt ~ Wholesomeness; Milk ~ Purity

**Please plan to join the Youth, who are cooking the pancakes for the LUMC Pancake Supper. Donations to the Youth program will be accepted.**

**There will also be Mardi Gras themed crafts and coloring available for the young and young at heart.**

**Lenten Take-Home Activity:** At the Shrove Pancake Supper, as well as at both Ash Wednesday offerings we will have Lenten take home study/activities for families. One kit per household please! We will take the time during Lent to dig into the Lord's Prayer together...whether you are a young child learning it for the first time, or if this prayer has a major impact on your daily life, this journey will have something for you!



## LENT BEGINS MARCH 2

There are two opportunities for you to participate in an **Ash Wednesday Imposition of Ashes** service.

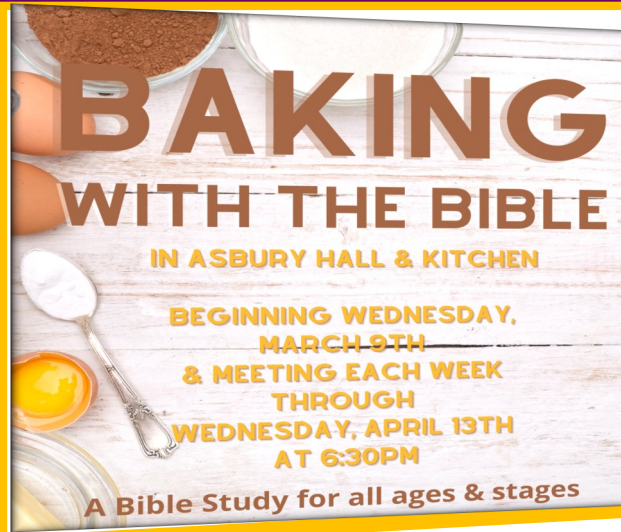
In response to Covid 19 concerns last year, we introduced a **Drive Through Imposition of Ashes** opportunity in our LUMC front parking lot. We are pleased to be able to offer that opportunity once again! On **Wednesday, March 2, from 5pm—6pm**, you are invited to come to the front parking lot at Lexington UMC, park in a space provided, and wait in your car for one of our LUMC Staff people to share with you

in a brief Imposition of Ashes ritual. This service will be ongoing from 5pm -- 6pm, so you are invited to come at any time which is convenient for you.

We will also offer an in-person **Ash Wednesday Worship** service with Imposition of Ashes at **6:30 pm** on **Wednesday, March 2, in the LUMC sanctuary**. Responsive readings, prayers, hymns, choral anthems, and a brief message will all be a part of this hour-long worship opportunity. Please plan to join us on Wednesday, March 2 for one of these worship experiences as we usher in the season of Lent together!



## Lenten Study Opportunities



Love the kitchen? Want to have some fun, and maybe learn a little, too? Todd and Heather will be leading a new study March 9—April 13 that will have you baking some, making some to take home, and studying the Bible.

This study will meet on Wednesdays throughout Lent at 6:30 pm in Asbury Hall. It is open to people of all ages and stages.

The lessons are independent from each other, so even if you can't join us all 6 weeks, sign up to attend when you are available. Contact Heather or Todd for more info!

Click here to sign up:

[Lexington UMC: LUMC Baking with the Bible \(signupgenius.com\)](http://LexingtonUMC.org/LUMCBakingwiththeBible)



## LOVING A LITTLE MORE IN LENT!

- ♦ Do you think there needs to be a little more love in this world?
- ♦ Do you think love needs to be lived out a little more consistently in this world?
- ♦ Would you like to be someone who truly understands, walks confidently in, and consistently

lives out God's unconditional, extravagant, lavish love?

Then this **online** Lenten Study is for you!

Every Thursday, **Live God's Love - A Bible Study**, will be posted to our LUMC website. It will offer a close examination of First John - that's the first letter of John located in the New Testament ... *NOT* John's Gospel, just in case you're confused!

More than any other New Testament writer, John wrote about love. And over the years he spent with Jesus, John's heart was radically transformed by Jesus' love. And through his subsequent writings, John makes it abundantly clear that God's love is a love that is not to be compromised! So-

- ♦ if you'd like to learn more about John's perspective on Jesus' all abiding love ...
- ♦ if you'd like to learn more about walking in the light of God's love ...
- ♦ if you'd like to understand what it means to serve others in obedience to God's love ...
- ♦ if you'd like to learn about what it means to live in the fullness of God's love ...

- ♦ if you'd like to better understand the connection between faith and love ...
  - ♦ and if you'd like to come to realize the abundant life victories available through God's love ...
- (I have just named the six chapter topics of this Study),  
 ... then visit the LUMC web site every Thursday (or any day thereafter) under the **live stream worship tab**.  
 (The Study will be recorded so you can watch it any time!)

You don't need to a study book. You don't need a vehicle. You don't even need to do your hair! You just need a computer ... and about 25 minutes of devotional time.

Please join in beginning Thursday, March 3 and weekly throughout the six Thursdays of the Lenten season.

Call or email Pastor Kim with questions - 843/685-3659  
 or [lkeanes@umcsc.org](mailto:lkeanes@umcsc.org)



**Movie Night**

**March 30, 2022**

**Doors open at 5:00 pm—if you want to bring a brown bag supper**

**Popcorn, treats and drinks available**

**Movie begins promptly at 5:30 pm**

**1 hour, 50 minutes (finished by 7:30)**

Take home your own empty jar to begin filling throughout the year to share with a family in need at Christmas!

Based on the bestselling novel by Jason F. Wright, it tells the story of reporter Hope Jensen, who uncovers the remarkable secret behind the "Christmas Jars" -- glass jars filled with coins and bills anonymously left for people in need.

When this "Christmas miracle" grabs her attention, Hope sees an opportunity to earn her first byline as a reporter. But when she's forced to choose between her first byline or finding a family, she realizes that her priorities may have changed!

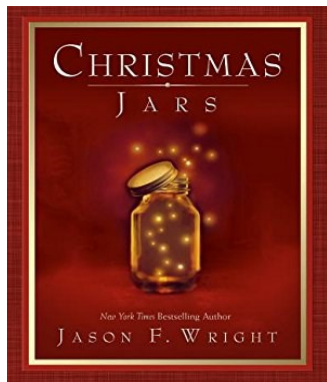
**The Dove Take:**

This wholesome family film is Dove-Approved for All Ages, for everyone, everywhere. Whether you need a jolt of Christmas cheer or a reminder that your Christian generosity should be an earmark of your faith year-round, the film will "bring all the feels."



### **What is a Christmas Jar?**

The Christmas Jar tradition is based on the 2005 *New York Times* bestselling novel by Jason Wright. Available in our Media Center to check out.



A Christmas Jar is a pickle jar, peanut butter jar, Mason jar or anything else you have to collect spare change each day.

- \* All coins are dedicated to the jar all year long, and during the week before Christmas you carefully select someone to give it to anonymously.
- \* Was a neighbor laid off? Is a coworker struggling with health problems? Has a friend lost a loved one?
- \* Simply put your jar on their porch, in their car, on their desk —wherever —and you could change their life, for good!
- \* \$50, \$100, even \$200, you'll be surprised how much change you can generate and how much you can impact someone's life.

## Lexington's Favorite Race is back for 2022 ! MARCH 19, 2022



10k and 5k race courses beginning and ending at Lexington High School. Fun, unique prizes... all for a great local cause! Awareness of the food insecurity in Lexington County has always been the driving force behind this event, and the need is now greater than ever. Your registration will not only impact the work of **Mission Lexington** financially, but also help us by spreading the word of the greater need in our community.

### Race Amenities

- Our Famously Snazzy Long Sleeve Tech T-Shirt (Adult Sizes are 65% poly / 35% cotton - Youth Sizes are 100% cotton)
- Race Bags will also include goodies from our amazing race sponsors.

Register here: [2022 Lexington Race Against Hunger Register Online \(strictlyrunning.com\)](https://strictlyrunning.com) by 4:59 pm, March 18.

The food pictured is a representation of what your registration provides for a family of 1-3 people. As you can see, it is a well-balanced mixture of fresh meats, breads, produce, baked goods as well as shelf stable foods. Our goal is to feed the whole family, including pets!

**Mission Lexington**



*On the table:*  
A DISCUSSION OF FOOD INSECURITY

COME SHARE A MEAL OF SOUP & BREAD WITH YOUR FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS AS WE TALK TOGETHER. YOUR VOICE MATTERS HERE.

**March 20th** 6PM WESLEY HALL

### On the Table—

Join us on Sunday, March 20 at 6pm in Wesley Hall for meaningful dinner and dialogue on Food Insecurity in our community and the ways that we can help transform our community for the better, one shared meal and action at a time.

This event is not just for adults—it's for all. It's a conversation in table groups with questions posed for discussion. We will have "experts" at each table, who are conversation facilitators to help get and keep the conversation flowing. These will be folks somehow involved in bettering the food insecurities situation in Lexington Co.

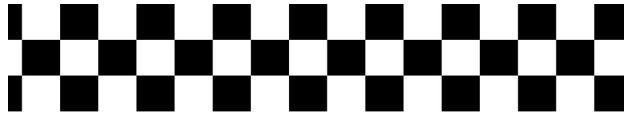
Dinner will be a yummy, rustic bread and soup (two kinds, one will be vegetarian).





**Children's Ministry**  
**Lexington**  
 United Methodist Church

At LUMC we promise to surround our children with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in their service to others. Our intention is to minister to the needs of all children and provide them with a caring community where all may be nurtured in a dignified and loving manner.



4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade students: **Breakout Mario**



## Kart Game Night & Devotional

Thursday, March 10  
 6:15-7:30pm  
 Breakout Room

March 17

Grown ups—check  
 Your emails for an  
 activity and a devotion



Sign up  
 to **Acolyte**

**NURSERY WORKERS, SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS,  
 AND CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPERS NEEDED!**

If you are interested in helping with Sunday school please [sign up here](#), children's church [sign up here](#),

and to help with nursery, 10 am and 11 am each Sunday [sign up here](#).

## Fellowship Times:

## Palm Sunday

LUMC EGG HUNT

Sunday April 10th  
 following the 11am services  
 Near the preschool playground  
 Egg Hunts for:  
 Early Walkers/Crawlers  
 Preschoolers  
 Elementary (K-5th)

## Resurrection GARDEN

4th & 5th Grade Breakout Students  
 Saturday, April 16th  
 10:30am  
 outside near the preschool playground  
 Come create a resurrection garden with us!  
 Sign-ups required.

National Pizza  
 Day celebration/  
 devo



Making sunshine bags for  
 nursing home



Breakout Room  
 Fun and Reveal!

March Sunday School Wonder word: Lent. *"So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."*

Luke 11:9



**Amazon Wish List:** [https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/4XL48PDA7XF?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/4XL48PDA7XF?ref=wl_share)



### Support the Preschool with our Cookie Dough Fundraiser

**\$16 Each**

Chocolate Chip, Oatmeal Cranberry White Chunk, Peanut Butter, Snickerdoodle, Triple Chocolate, White Chunk, Macadamia Nut

The last day to order is March 8th.

Pick up will be on March 23rd in Asbury from 9 am -12 pm.

Orders not picked up will be labeled and placed in the freezer.

Online cookie order direct link:

<https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/>



## LUMP SUMMER CAMPS

Ages 1-5

**Zoo Week June 6th - 9th**

**Beach Week June 20th - 23rd**

**Sports Week July 11th -14th**

Open to the public, you do not need to be registered with the school to come.

**Only \$85 per week!**

Sign-ups will open on March 14th online at:

<http://www.lexumcsc.com/lumc-preschool/>



## Buy a Bible for a Student!

LUMP wants to give each 4 year preschool student a Beginner Bible for Graduation! Will you help support our efforts by buying a Bible to donate? Check out our [Amazon Wish list](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/4XL48PDA7XF?ref=wl_share) for a link to purchase!

### Registration for the 2021-2022 school year has started!

All LUMC members receive a 10% discount on tuition! Class are filling up fast to be sure to sign up! Tours are available by emailing Lindsey at [lindsey@lexumcsc.com](mailto:lindsey@lexumcsc.com) or calling the preschool office at 803-359-6839 ext 107. [Click Here to Register](#)

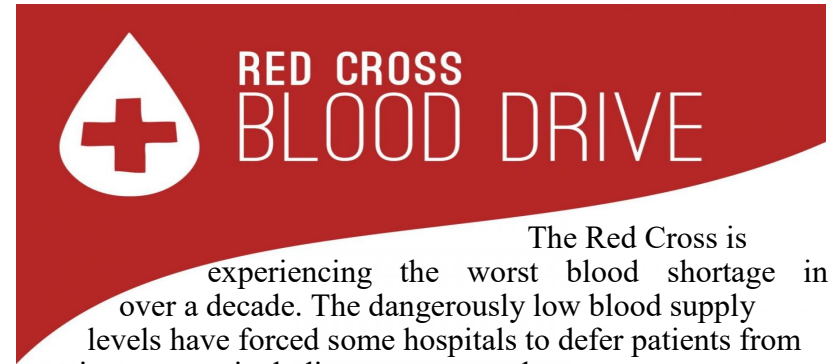






As of January 27, 2022, the South Carolina Conference has made the decision to go to an all-virtual session to ensure the health and safety of all participants amid the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic. GNTV Media Ministry will once again host the event and help coordinate participation via Zoom video conferencing and voting on a separate, secure platform. The Florence District and Pisgah United Methodist Church in Florence will play host to AC2022 at the Florence Center, where in-person attendance will be limited strictly to those who must be on site to conduct the business of the Annual Conference. The Committee on the Annual Conference is working out details of the AC2022 schedule, including how many days lay and clergy members will be in session. But as of now, AC2022 is scheduled to open on Sunday, June 5, 2022.

Lexington United Methodist Church has 7 Lay Members to Annual Conference and 3 Reserve Lay Members to Annual Conference who have agreed to serve in 2022.



The Red Cross is experiencing the worst blood shortage in over a decade. The dangerously low blood supply levels have forced some hospitals to defer patients from major surgery, including organ transplants.

Your donation is desperately needed!

March 21, 2-7 pm , Asbury Hall

Click here to [Schedule Your Blood Donation With The Red Cross \(redcrossblood.org\)](https://redcrossblood.org)

Use sponsor code: lexingtonnumc

*Note: Give in March for \$10 Fanatics e-gift card and chance at trip to MLB All-Star Game! [rcblood.org/team](https://rcblood.org/team)*

## Easter Drive Through Drama

### THE WEEK THAT CHANGED THE WHOLE WORLD



**April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022**  
**7:00 pm - 8:30 pm**

**Multi-Church Ministry to Columbia**

**Rehoboth United Methodist Church**  
**6911 Two Notch Rd at Columbia Place Mall**

Come and travel back into the past to witness the 8 scenes that changed the world. In your travels you will see the Last Supper; Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane; Judas' betrayal; Peter's denial; the Trial of Jesus; the walk to Golgotha; the Crucifixion; the closed tomb; and the Beauty of the Open Tomb.

At departure visitors will receive a gift to remind them how Christ suffered and died for us.

Over 100 volunteers will make up the cast. Total drive-thru time takes 5 minutes.

Small buses OK. Walking travelers permitted.

Great educational tool for children and youth ministries. Bring the family!

Please enter from Two Notch Rd. heading toward Columbia.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1 SHROVE TUESDAY</b> <b>10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>11:30 AM - 1:30 PM</b> Prime Timers Lunch <b>5:30 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Al-Anon <b>5:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Pancake Supper Fundraiser <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Boyscout Troop 507	<b>2 ASH WEDNESDAY</b> <b>6:30 AM - 7:30 AM</b> Men's Weds. AM Group <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise <b>5:00 PM - 6:00 PM</b> Drive Thru Imposition of Ashes <b>6:15 PM - 7:15 PM</b> Family Fellowship Night <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Ash Wednesday Service with Imposition of Ashes <b>7:30 PM</b> Chancel Choir	<b>3 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM</b> Shepherd's Center Classes <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Pack 507 Den Meeting	<b>4 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</b> The Chosen-Small Group Study <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:30 PM - 8:30 PM</b> Worship Band Practice	<b>5</b>
		<b>8 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM</b> Cards R Us card making <b>10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>5:30 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Al-Anon <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Boyscout Troop 507	<b>9 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM</b> Men's Weds. AM Group <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Baking with the Bible Study <b>6:30 PM - 7:00 PM</b> Vespers Service <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Chancel Choir Practice	<b>10 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM</b> Shepherd's Center Classes <b>6:00 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Girl Scout Troop 1688-Amy Durso <b>6:15 PM - 7:15 PM</b> Children's Ministry-Mario Day <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Girl Scout Troop 2207-Lisa Gaherty	<b>11</b> Confirmation Retreat-Hinton Center <b>10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</b> The Chosen-Small Group Study <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:30 PM - 8:30 PM</b> Worship Band Practice	<b>12</b> Confirmation Retreat-Hinton Center
		<b>15 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Riverbanks Zoo for Preschool <b>10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>5:30 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Al-Anon <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Boyscout Troop 507 <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Questers Group	<b>16 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM</b> Men's Weds. AM Group <b>10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Riverbanks Zoo for Preschool <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:15 PM - 7:15 PM</b> Family Fellowship Night-St. Patrick's <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Baking with the Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Chancel Choir	<b>17</b> Preschool Out <b>9:00 AM - 10:30 AM</b> Preschool Board Meeting <b>10:00 AM - 2:00 PM</b> Shepherd's Center Classes <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Girl Scout Leader Meeting <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Pack 507 Den Meeting	<b>18</b> Preschool Out <b>9:00 AM - 10:00 AM</b> Shepherd's Center Board Meeting <b>10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</b> The Chosen-Small Group Study <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>2:00 PM</b> Pinewood Derby set up <b>2:00 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Pinewood Derby-Scout Races <b>6:30 PM - 8:30 PM</b> Worship Band Practice	<b>19</b> 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM Pinewood Derby-family races
		<b>22 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>10:30 AM - 12:00 PM</b> Suzanna Wesley Circle <b>5:30 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Al-Anon <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Boyscout Troop 507	<b>23 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM</b> Men's Weds. AM Group <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Baking with the Bible Study <b>6:30 PM - 7:00 PM</b> Prayer and Praise Service <b>7:00 PM</b> Chancel Choir Practice	<b>24 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM</b> Shepherd's Center Classes <b>6:00 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Girl Scout Troop 1688-Amy Durso <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Girl Scout Troop 2207-Lisa Gaherty	<b>25 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>6:30 PM - 8:30 PM</b> Worship Band Practice	<b>26</b> 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Preschool Parent's Breakfast-Donuts for Dads
<b>27 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM</b> Traditional Worship Service <b>9:45 AM - 10:45 AM</b> Adult Sunday School <b>10:00 AM - 10:45 AM</b> Youth Sunday School <b>11:00 AM - 12:00 PM</b> Contemporary Worship Service-with Children's Church <b>11:00 AM - 12:00 PM</b> Traditional Worship Service-with Children's Church <b>3:45 PM - 4:45 PM</b> Confirmation Class <b>5:00 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Youth Group Meeting	<b>28 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise Class <b>12:00 PM - 1:00 PM</b> Preschool Dance Class <b>12:00 PM - 1:00 PM</b> Soccer Shots <b>2:00 PM - 7:00 PM</b> Red Cross Blood Drive	<b>29 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>5:30 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Al-Anon <b>7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Boyscout Troop 507	<b>30 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM</b> Men's Weds. AM Group <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Exercise <b>5:00 PM - 7:30 PM</b> 5th Wednesday Movie Night <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Baking with the Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Chancel Choir Practice	<b>31 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM</b> Shepherd's Center Classes <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Pack 507 Den Meeting		



# MARCH

## Birthdays

3/1	Kevin Hicks			Susie Welch	
	Bryan Mitton			Collin Myers	
	Taylor Anne Thomas		Colin Thain	3/24	Jake Whetstone
3/2	Rick Cunningham Sr.		Colin Johnson		Katie Vitters
	Drew Gatch		Rachel Moore		Terrie Morrison
	John Stewart	3/10	Becky Falls		John Conrad
	Hope Wilson		John Bowman	3/25	Hanna Workman
	Stuart Ford		Jackson Register		Nicolas Conrad
3/3	Tim Murphy Jr.	3/11	Nicholas Schirato		Emerson Roshto
	John Altenberg		Brennon Carter	3/26	Kenneth Kruger
3/4	Delinda Hicks	3/12	Rachel Sinclair		Ann Chandler
	Beth Wilson	3/13	Ronnie Elliott		Brad Baker
	Sam Owens	3/14	Virginia Smith		George Butler
	Cheyenne Epting		Lila Crosswell	3/27	Wyatt Boylston III
	Zachary Akers		Matthew Jibaja	3/28	Loretta Haynes
	Alexa Myers	3/15	Helen Rivers		Joseph Street
	Lindsey Warner		Pat Roberts		William Osborne
3/5	Will Harmon		Brenda Young		Nancy Rizzo
	Jimmy Spence		Ethan Osborne		Jeannie Ridgeway
	Jay Swearingen	3/16	Stephanie Phillips		Chad Coleman
	Graham Polk		Taylor Cook	3/29	Staci D'Amico
3/6	Loretta Jackson		Ken Robbins Jr.		Linda Corley
	Fern Garrison	3/17	Ed Deremo		Kara Farmer
3/7	Cherie Bowers		Allan Spence Jr.		Miranda Graybill
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	Laurie Wojtylak		Maggie Cafferty		Josh Moore
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			Jessica Slapnik		

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**Bethany Anderson**  
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Brian Wessel  
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Thank you LUMC Friends for your encouraging notes, text messages and cards you sent during my brother's illness and recent death. Your thoughts and prayers are very much appreciated  
Sincerely,  
Mary Ann Green

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