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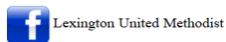
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THIS SERVICE IS BEING LIVESTREAMED.

To watch livestreaming: www.lexumcsc.com

A Nursery is available for children ages 4 and under during Sunday School and the 11:00am services.

DONATIONS OF STOCK

Along with your regular tithe, did you know that you can also contribute stock donations to Lexington United Methodist Church? It's easy! Just call the church office to find out how. It's a win-win for both parties! You receive the tax deduction and LUMC receives your gift.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER!

Join us each Wednesday at 5:00pm in Asbury Hall for supper! This week's meal (3/18) will be Chili Mac, Butter Beans, Corn Bread, Salad Bar, & Drink. Your hosts are Matt & Becky Goudelock! Volunteers are appreciated! Meals are **\$8/person**. We hope to see everyone there!!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

March 29-Palm Sunday: 8:30 Traditional

Worship Svc.-Sanctuary; 11:00 Blended

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April 2-Maundy Thursday: 6:30pm Worship

Svc.-Sanctuary

April 3-Good Friday: 6:30pm Worship Svc.-

Sanctuary

April 4-Blessing of the Pets: 10:00am-noon-at the circle drive

April 5-Easter Sunday: 7:00am Easter

Sunrise Svc. w/ Communion-by the circle cross

7:45am-Breakfast sponsored by the UMM-

Asbury Hall

9:00am-Traditional Easter Worship Svc. w/

Communion-Sanctuary

11:00am-Contemporary Easter Worship Svc.

w/ Communion-Wesley Hall

12:05pm-Butterfly Release-outside of Wesley

Hall

LABYRINTH WALK

The labyrinth is a means for you to pause your "busyness", quiet your mind, and walk with God. There is no wrong or right way to walk the labyrinth; simply walk the labyrinth with an open heart and an open mind. Our labyrinth will be set out in Wesley Hall and available for walking during Holy Week. Monday, March 30-Thursday, April 2 from 9:00am-6:00pm and Friday, April 3 from 9:00am-5:30pm.

BLESSING OF THE PETS

SAT., APRIL 4 FROM 10AM-NOON

Join us at the circle drive with your favorite pet to receive a special blessing. Please have all dogs on a leash, cats in a crate, and any other animals in their respective comfy carrying case. We hope to see you there!

G.A.L.S.-GOD'S AMAZING LOVE SUSTAINS SUPPORT GROUP

G.A.L.S. will meet on Tues., March 17 at 11:30am at Old Mill Brew Pub. Contact Linda Gladden to make your reservation-803-920-0114.

UMCOR SUNDAY

TODAY

Your gifts to UMCOR, United Methodist Committee on Relief, underwrite UMCOR's administrative costs. Your offering allows UMCOR to use 100% of all funds given to humanitarian response and recovery efforts directly to communities in need. These gifts ensure UMCOR can respond swiftly to disasters around the world. They are also a source of hope and healing for those left most vulnerable. There is no need to wait for UMCOR Sunday to give- you may give at any time of the year! Please prayerfully consider giving to this worthy cause.

VENDORS NEEDED!

We are looking for recommendations for vendors from the church congregation for the Christmas market on November 21st and 22nd. Please send any recommendations to Harvey Etheredge hlynn1958@gmail.com. Thank you!

YOUTH DINNER & DESSERT AUCTION-APRIL 26

Tickets are NOW ON SALE for the 5th Annual Youth Dinner and Dessert Auction Fundraiser! Join the youth on **Sunday, April 26 from 5 to 6:30 pm** in Wesley Hall for a Spaghetti dinner followed by a LIVE auction for various homemade desserts from congregation members. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$7 for children (under 10). You can buy them at the link in the weekly announcement emails. Tickets will be sold in person at the front desk of the church on Sunday mornings starting March 22. Thank you for supporting the youth in their fundraiser, in which proceeds will go towards their summer mission trip to Atlanta, GA where we will be hosting a VBS style camp at a local apartment complex as well as learning more about various religions and cultures from around the world.

LUMC'S WOMEN'S RETREAT

For the ladies in the church, are you interested in a Women's Retreat? We are looking at a 1 day Fall Retreat and a week-end Spring 2027 Retreat. If you would be interested in attending and/or assist in planning retreats, please contact Sandy Knight at sfknight58@hotmail.com or 703-901-4464.

LILY ORDERS

TODAY is the last day to place your lily order in memory or honor of your loved one for the Easter services! Please use the insert in your bulletin or the QR code on the insert to place your order!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

MONDAY, MARCH 23; 1-6PM

Monday, March 23 from 2-7pm in Asbury Hall. Please give blood! Donors can sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org with Sponsor Code "lexingtonumc," or directly at this link: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=lexingtonumc>.

CHILDREN

Volunteers are needed! If you feel called to help out with Children's Ministry, sign up at the QR codes below or contact Mrs. Laura!



Children's Message Sign Up



Acolyte Sign Up



Children's Sunday School Teacher Sign Up



KidzWay Leader or Assistant Sign Up