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New Market United Methodist

METHODIST MESSENGER

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Dear Friends,

I have a very slim book at home called, *The Practice of the Presence of God*. It is basically a collection of statements and letters by and about a 17th century Parisian monk named Brother Lawrence.

In the context of the monastery where he spent most of his life, Brother Lawrence was quite insignificant. His years were spent serving as the kitchen help, preparing endless meals, washing endless dishes. From the world's standards, he was nothing special – he had no power, no title, no fame. And yet while the names and thoughts of all his fellow monks are now gone, his remain.

Early on, Brother Lawrence set about the task of drawing closer to God in the midst of the work he did. He eventually came to a point where he dedicated every little chore to God, thus making even his simplest work a holy task. This made him feel closer and closer to God. "It is not necessary to have great things to do," he once said. "I turn my little omelet in the pan for the love of God; when it is finished, if I have nothing to do, I prostrate myself on the ground and adore my God, Who gave me the grace to make it, after which I arise, more content than a king."



At the end of June, quietly and without fanfare, Larry Hulse retired from his role as church custodian. Louise had held this position for many years until "Louise's husband" took over for her nearly a decade ago. Larry's dedication to our church building has always gone above and beyond what he was asked to do. He has cared for our facility with a love and devotion we may never see paralleled again, anywhere.

Though Larry would never compare himself to someone like Brother Lawrence, it is nevertheless Brother Lawrence whom Larry reminds me of. Larry's work has been a ministry, and Larry's dedication reflects a love of and a commitment to God.

Larry is a humble man of few words. Because of that, I am saying very little about him compared to what deserves to be said. But just as Brother Lawrence was remembered long after his fellow monks were forgotten, I will remember Larry Hulse and his quiet witness for Christ, when the names of so many others will have long since slipped my mind. I feel certain, too, that many of you would agree with me.

Blessings,
Pastor Bill

Pastor's Office Hours:

Thursday, August 12th and 26th from 6:30-8:30PM or by appointment

AUGUST CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS

Holy Communion—Sunday, August 1

UM Women's—Wednesday, August 4, 7:00PM

UM Men's—Wednesday, August 11, 6:00PM

Ad Council—Wednesday, August 18, 7:00PM

August Greeter

Sue Howell

August Liturgist

1st Dan Welliever

8 th Marci Welliever

15th Dixie Ruggles

22nd Jacob Pike

29th Marcia Shaw

August Usher

Larry Hulse

Rhett Welliever

AUGUST VOLUNTEERS

BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE & GIVING UPDATE

June 27

Sunday School Attendance: 17

Sunday School Offering: \$ 47.00

Worship Attendance: 22

Sunday Offering: \$ 560.00

July 4

Sunday School Attendance: 21

Sunday School Offering: \$ 24.00

Worship Attendance: 29

Sunday Offering: \$ 1,510.00

July 11

Sunday School Attendance: 20

Sunday School Offering: \$ 36.30

Worship Attendance: 24

Sunday Offering: \$ 660.00

July 18

Sunday School Attendance: 20

Sunday School Offering: \$ 57.00

Worship Attendance:

Sunday Offering: \$ 246.00

PRAYER REQUEST

•Don Argentiero
•Gary Austin
•Susie Austin
•Lois Ator
•Lauren Bartlett
•Joy Bayless
•Donna Berry
•Heather Billard
•DeAnna Block
•Heidi Bonwell
•James Bosworth
•Marjorie Bowman
•Gloria Brand
•Teresa Brook
•Mary Evelyn Bruin
•Art Buck
•Judy & Byron Butler
•Judy Byers
•James Caldwell
•Nancy Hampton
Campbell
•Marci Conkright
•Dan Cramer
•Patty Curry
•Kay DeBusk
•Debbie Ebaugh
•Kennedy Ellis
•Bentley Hall
•Denise Hall
•Sue Howell
•Larry & Louise Hulse
•Seth Hutchison
•Christopher Johnson
•Glenellen King
•Pete Largent
•Donna Lideski

•Steve Lidester
•Glenn Livesay
•Brad Long
•Payton Long
•Mary Ann Lowe
•Eladio Lopez
•Jenny Lynn
•Mike Marcel
•Mary Jane Meadows
•Jan Minnick
•Branden Monett
•David Myers
•Linda Horn Myers
•Brian O'Hare
•Kim Oliphant
•Judy & Kevin Payne
•Marjorie Pike
•Richard Pruitt
•Dean Richmond family
•Nancy Sandlin
•Norma Sillery
•Angie Staggs
•Mallory Stripling
•Melvin Sturgeon
•Talia
•Billie Ann Thomas
•Dion Thomas
•Jean Thomas
•Denisa Timberman
•Bill VanBebber
•Dennis & Elaine Weir
•Brian White
•Larry Wiatt
•John & Karen Wilbur
•Ramona Wilbur
•Edna Williams
•Covid Patients

*Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of
Larry Ryker*

Saturday, August 21

8:00am-2:00pm



If you would like to donate items for the sale you may bring them to the church. Items can be stored upstairs in the classrooms.

Please let Marci Welliever know if you can help clean, sort or price the donated items. We will also be asking for helpers to work the day of the rummage sale.

If you are participating in the community rummage sale, please help offset the expenses of the newspaper ad by donating a dollars or two at the town office. Thank you for helping make this a wonderful event for our community!

If you have any questions please contact Marci Welliever at 918-7332 or the church office, 866-0703.

Bake Sale

At the rummage sale on August 21, we will again have the bake sale with the proceeds given to the rummage sale. If you don't have anything to donate to the rummage sale, here is your chance to participate. Have your baked goods (packaged and labeled) at the church on Friday, August 20. We will price them. Please do not bring cream pies. Thank you to everyone who participates in this activity. It's a chance to interact with our church family and enjoy our community. Contact Dixie Ruggles for more information

Food Court Serving Breakfast and Lunch

The United Methodist Men will be serving breakfast and lunch for the rummage sale shoppers. The food court will be open from 8:00am to 2:00pm. The UMM always appreciate having volunteers help them with the delicious undertaking. Contact the office or Jamie Welliever If you would like to volunteer.

Blood Drive

The blood mobile will be at New Market Methodist Church from 8:30am-12:00pm. You can make appointments online at. To schedule an appointment go to <https://donate.indiana.versiti.org/donor/schedules/zip>. For more information please contact Judy Welliever or the church office.

THANK YOU LARRY HULSE, ENJOY YOUR RETIREMENT



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Five women met in the home of Sue Foy for the July 8, 2021, meeting of UMW. President Foy opened the meeting at 7:00 P.M.

Secretary's Report: The minutes from the May 5, 2021, meeting were read and approved. There was no meeting in June.

Treasurer's Report: Sheila Chadd reported that she is attempting to enroll for statements on line since the bank has started charging \$3.00 to send a statement.

Unfinished Business: The group will not invite a district officer to a meeting this year. The July 50+ luncheon was postponed until August 6. Dixie Ruggles will call the contact person for 50+ and have them make reservations for August.

New Business: The group will again organize the bake sale in conjunction with the rummage sale August 21 with the proceeds going to the rummage sale. Cards were signed for Kay DeBusk, Louise Hulse, and Norma Sillery.

Ann France led the group in the study of chapter 7 of Laugh Again by Charles Swindoll. People need other people. They need people who understand and encourage them, who are willing to risk to help and at times rescue them. Paul needed Timothy and Epaphroditus to help him in his ministry and people need to have a Timothy and an Epaphroditus, and everyone needs to have Jesus Christ in their lives.

•**Closing:** The meeting closed at 7:40 P. M. The next meeting is September 1, 2021. The program is World Thank offering.



We made \$772.20 at the track working Friday (carb day) and Sunday (500 race day). The money will be put in the maintenance fund to help with the furnace and dishwasher replacement costs.

FOOD FINDERS MOBILE PANTRY

We gave food to 106 families at the July 15 food finders distribution. Extra food was given to the Christian Church for their food pantry. Thank you to everyone who worked. The next distribution is August 3. We do not know the time yet, but be sure to bring water. It was really hot in July and there is little shade at the school.

The Annual Summer Game Night 2021



good food, good people, good fun!!!

On Sunday, July 11th, rain or shine New Market Methodist Church had our Annual Summer Game Night. Lots of fun was had by all, with games going on indoors and out. Thank you hospitality committee for hosting the evening and for all of the refreshments. Everyone is invited to come to next years Summer Game Night



Thank you!

A big thank you to all the people that helped organize and plan the 2021 Rocky Railway Vacation Bible School. Thank you to the Crossroads Nazarene Church for hosting this years event. A lot of time and effort has gone into make vacation bible school special for every one involved, children and adults.

WE ARE 4-H PROUD



CONGRATULATIONS !



Summer Holidays



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August
barbecue
beach
biking
bonfires
books
camping

canoeing
cottage
family
friends
games
hammock
hiking


holidays
ice cream
July
lake
lemonade
memories
picnics

pool
popsicles
puzzles
reading
relax
road trips
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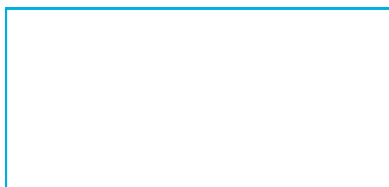
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strawberries
summer camp
swimming
traveling
vacation
watermelon

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Holy Communion	2 Amelia Leahy Birthday	3 Food Finders	4 UMW Meeting 7PM 	5	6 50 Plus Luncheon	7
8 Judy Eads Birthday	9	10 	11 UMM Meeting 6PM 	12	13	14
15	16	17	18 Ad Council Meeting 7PM	19 Norma Sillery Birthday	20	21 Rummage & Bake Sale Food Court Blood Drive
22 Brian Bartlett & DJ Ruggles Birthday	23 Kay DeBusk Birthday	24 Jamie Welliever Birthday	25	26	27	28 Tom DeBusk Birthday
29	30 Chandler Burkhart Birthday	31				

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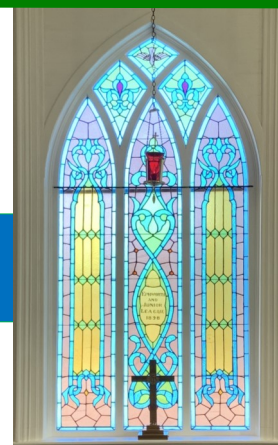


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COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday School: 9:30 AM
Worship Gathering: 10:45 AM



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