<> < Lacey United Methodist Church Prayer Page ><> <> YOUR WILL, LORD GOD, BE DONE ~ NOTHING MORE, NOTHING LESS, NOTHING ELSE <>

For God's Healing & Discernment ~ Covid sufferers & Care Givers; Kay Laux: Dottie & Bill Connolly: Kenny & Kathie Pitman: Bill Williams: Chelsea & Ginny: Paul & Joanna: Daniel Huvler: Isabella: Ronald & Marilyn Slate: Pamela Sutherland: Michael Niejako; Frank & Mary Timmerman; Cynthia Pedemonti; Andrea Schenker; Helen DeLa Cruz; Evelyn Handchen; Alicia; Dave H.; Rosalie Mulvaney; Peg Bea; Jonathan Rock; Kyle; Shannon Callaghan; Rachel C.; Louise; Michelle Reyes; Pete & Kathy Jensen; Virginia Schoeneberg; George Reid; Will Cotton; Dawn Slate: Carole Exel; Karen: Tom & Mary: Terry H.: Davette & Leslie Bivins: Lizzie Britton: Linda & John Ansbach: Patricia Potter: Michael Potter: Sara Carpini: Joseph: Ed & Monique Wojciechowski; Emmett & Gloria Bivins; Brittney; Diane Collins; Rick & Ashleigh Handchen: Marousis Family: George & Adrienne Melnyk: Ike & Joan Icenhower: Susan Schlotter; Dee & Paul Burrowes; Colleen Brandt; Barkley Family; Joan McGavin; Cindy Dreher; Nancy Dean; Allyson Cotton; Lisa Burger; Sally & Trevor Potter; BettyAnn Britton; Tommy Britton; Dawn Marie & Stash Kuch; Kyle Kuch; Gail Matuska: Phyllis Smith: Bill Jones: Sue & Rich Newman: Bill Hults: Bill & Becky Buglione: Melody Prvor-Tasco: Lorraine. Katrina & Peter Borchester: Sally & Don McErlean: Hunter: Pat Grant: Bill Keyworth: Deb Burnette: Shannon. Noel. & Brandon Weaver; our whole Church Family.

<u>For God's Comfort & Strength during Time of Mourning and Loss</u> ~ Covid19 Victims; Thomas Helle Family.

<u>Praise and Thanksgiving for Answered Prayer</u> ~ Thanks be to God for answered prayer!

For Those Serving in the Military ~ Peter Borchester; Jordyn Breur; Kevin Carhart; Luke Derflinger; Randall D. Donithan; Ellen Hammer; Gavin Hammer D'Adamo; Raymond Kitson; James Lubbers; T. Ryan McDonald; Ryan Palmieri; Daniel Schenker; Jason Schenker; for all Soldiers; Sailors; Marines; Airmen; & Guards-Men/Women of our Armed Forces.

For the Ministries of our Church ~ Bible Studies; Christian Education; Community Outreach; DOC Connection Ministries; Extension Ministries; Finance Team; Healing Ministries; Hope Chest Food Pantry; Hospitality & Welcoming Team; Joy of Angels Thrift Shoppe; Kúrios' Kids; Music Programs; How It Works and Why; AA Group; Senior Ministries; SHALOM for the Homeless; Stewardship Team; Summer Lunch for Lacey's Kids; The Tuesday & Thursday Hot Lunch Mission; Youth Ministries.

<u>For Greater NJ Annual Conference</u> ~ Bishop John & Beverly Schol; DS Rev. Héctor A. Burgos; all Clergy and Laity of the Greater UMC Annual Conference & United Methodist Denomination

World Council of Churches & USA Prayer Atlas ~ People of Ukraine, Lesotho, Namibia, South Africa, Eswatini; Texas, Utah; Lacey Township Committee, Leaders & First Responders; Senators; Congressmen and leaders of our United States of America; Uniting of all American political parties; President Joe Biden & Vice President Kamala Harris; Gov. Murphy, NJ Officials working to end CoVid19; Praying an outpouring of God's spiritual renewal and healing of all the people of America.





"Welcome to God's Family"

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Head of the Church ~ Jesus Christ, Son of the Living God
Ministers: All of Us Liturgist: Emmett Bivins
Pastor: Jonathan Campbell Lay Leader: Dominic Gregoria
Music Director: Dawn Slate Welcoming Team: Virginia Schoeneberg

Head Ushers: Sherry Exel & Rick Waddell

Junior Head Ushers: Kenshin Frangos & Abby Michalkowski Thank You to All Who Share Their Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, Witness & Time! Welcome in the Name of Jesus Christ to All Visitors, Members, Family and Friends!

* Please feel free to rise in body or spirit

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Praise Song Holy Spirit, You Are Welcome Here Please stand, as you are able, as the Light of Christ enters.

Call to Worship

When the world divides us

Come, Holy Spirit, make us one.

When the world calls us orphaned

Come, Holy Spirit, make us family.

When the world leads us astray

Come, Holy Spirit, call us home.

Come, Holy Spirit, come! Come and fill this place!

*Praise Song

Baptized in Water

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism
Please welcome Audrey Jane MacGillivray
into the Family of God

*Hymn I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry TFWS 2051

Prayer for Illumination

Gracious God.

we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from your mouth. Make us hungry for this heavenly food, that it may nourish us today in ways of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven. Amen.

New Testament Lesson: Acts 2:1-8; 12-21

Message: "Welcome to God's Family"

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Anthem ~ The Potter's Hand

*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

God of wind and fire, breathe your Holy Spirit over us again this day. Help us to better hear one another and untangle the differences we have allowed to divide us. May your Spirit give us the power to be the church you had hoped we would be, one body, one people seeking to build your beloved community of justice, mercy, and hope. As we bring our tithes and offering to you this day, set us on fire once again. Fill us with your power; in Christ, we pray. Amen.

*Hymn

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Prayer of Confession

God of majesty and power, we tremble when we become aware of who you are. Who are we that you should visit us or expect something from us? We confess our preference for the predictable. We admit your resistance to your Spirit. We acknowledge our misuse of your gifts to us. We prefer our divisions to your unity. Forgive us, O God of power and might, that we might forgive. Draw us back into a right relationship with you, and with one another. Amen.

Silent Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

God has reached out to us once again, offering salvation, making us whole, drawing us into community where life is integrated and filled with meaning. The Spirit comes to us, making holy the commonplace. We are forgiven.

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Lord's Prayer

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Prayer of Gratitude

Risen Jesus, thank you for you joining us in our journeys, giving us yourself in bread and cup and opening our awareness. We have seen, felt, and tasted your presence. Now send us forth in the power of the Spirit to carry your presence to all we go to see. Amen.

*Praise Song

Come Holy Ghost (O Waly, Waly)

Benediction and Postlude

The vision and mission of Lacey United Methodist Church is to welcome, nurture and serve all. Sharing God's grace with open arms.

Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the Glory of God.

FINANCIAL STATISTICS - May 29, 2022
Attendance ~ 32 in-person; 18 via YouTube
Offerings ~ \$1,655.00 Offerings via Vanco ~ \$972.44
Plate ~ \$5.00 Discretionary ~ \$150.00
Bead Project ~ \$66.00

Thank you for your continued support of LUMC! If you are able, please explore giving on-line by using Vanco for electronic giving (details below) or mail your tithes and offerings to LUMC PO Box 151

Forked River, NJ 08731. Thank you and God bless you!!

Shop Online? Here are two ways you could earn donations for LUMC!

✓ umcmarket.org - You earn for LUMC every time you click through the umcmarket.org site to shop. Sign up for free at umcmarket.org! ✓ amazonsmile.com - Support LUMC by starting your Amazon shopping at https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-2279634

Electronic Giving is Here! Follow these easy steps:

- 1) Visit our website at laceyumc.org
- 2) Click **Electronic Giving**, then follow the instructions Or scan the image you see here to locate the giving page: Contact the LUMC office for more information 609.693.5222



ShopRite Gift Card Fundraiser

ShopRite makes a \$50 donation to LUMC for every \$1,000 we sell in ShopRite gift cards! Cards are available through the LUMC Office. All you have to do is buy cards through LUMC and shop at ShopRite!

Memorial Brick Orders

4" x 8" Brick / 4 lines / 18 characters each line including spaces = \$50 8" x 8" Brick / 6 lines / 18 characters each line including spaces = \$100 Contact Elaine Brandt for more information. Please visit our website or contact the LUMC Office for an order form!

Joy of the Angels Thrift Shoppe

Hours of Operation: Thursdays $\sim 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM$ Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, & Saturdays $\sim 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM$ Please contact Elaine Brandt to volunteer at the Thrift Shoppe!

Drama Club at LUMC – Tuesdays 5pm-6:30pm

Contact Dominic 732.904.9945 or donnieg777@hotmail.com for info. Open to all children and youth, reading age and up.

Scripture to read & pray over in preparation for June 12 – Gospel of Luke (Confirmation Class Choice)

Bible Study Opportunities

- [↑] Wednesday mornings at 9:00am.
- [⊕] Wednesday evenings at 6:15pm at the home of Donna Jones. Please contact Donna at 609-276-7383 for more information.
- ☆ Thursday evenings at 6:45pm.

Volunteers are needed to join our Media Team!

The media team coordinates the live stream, sound, and video screen presentation on Sundays.

Contact Steven Michalkowski 732-300-1956 to learn more!!

Flea/Vendor Market ~ Saturday, July 9th 9AM – 2PM

\$20 per space. Bring your own tables/chairs. Food available for purchase.

Donated items can be dropped off at the LUMC Office.

United Methodist Women Meeting - Thurs. June 23 - 6PM Contact Monique at 732-492-1494 for more information.

Monthly Pastor's Breakfast: Monday, 6/13 9:00 AM at Lacey Perkins (Rt. 9, Forked River). Everyone is welcome to be part of the food, fellowship, and fun!

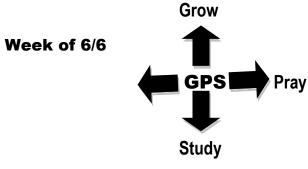
❖ Summer Lunch Program for Lacey's Kids ❖
We are collecting kid-friendly soup and mac& cheese to be distributed to participants. Drop off to Judy Mihalkovitz on Sundays or to the LUMC Office during the week.
We're also accepting donations of reusable shopping bags!

Volunteers needed for VBS! We will be teaming up with our friends from FR Presbyterian church for VBS in late July. Please contact Eric DeLa Cruz at 609-709-9713 if you can help!

The Lacey Food Bank has a need for volunteers to help maintain raised vegetable gardens.

Please contact Ed Weisbrot for further details.

Providence House (domestic violence shelter) is in need of **laundry detergent** and **paper towels**. Drop off to Maddie Stapleton on Sundays or the LUMC Office during the week.



Monday- Acts 2:1-13 What is the significance of this Pentecost event? Tuesday- Acts 2:1-13 Where do you see the Holy Spirit working in your life? Wednesday- Acts 2:1-13 Write a prayer thinking God for adopting you into God's family. Thursday- Acts 2:14-21 What does it mean to accept Jesus as the Messiah?

What is a vision you have for LUMC?
Saturday- 2 Acts 14-21
Pray asking that the Holy Spirit be poured out on LUMC and
on all people.
Notes:

Friday- 2 Acts 14-21