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<<< YOUR WILL, LORD GOD, BE DONE ~ NOTHING MORE, NOTHING LESS, NOTHING ELSE >>>

For God's Healing & Discernment ~ Those suffering from Coronavirus; Kayleigh Pantella; Joy Newman; Joan Michalkowski; Jacob Thompson; Tom Barton; Newborn twins Tegan & Francis Ferrogine; Amy Haas, Charles Maulbeck, Douglas Benson; Lois Olsen; Ann Taylor; Alex Rue; Larry & Joan McGavin; Ray Exel; Pat; Jay; Lilly Rose Cramer; Gail Matuska; Sally & Trevor Potter; Linda & Dan; Bob Aslanian & Paul Howachyn; Charlene; Melody Pryor-Tasco; Ryan & Stacey Palmieri; Polly Dryburgh; Nancy Reid; Diann Brophy and baby; Phyllis Smith; Kyle Brandt; Danielle & Tutu; Bill & Donna Jones; Marjorie Moore; Chris Mignone; Rachel & John Clemmer; Christopher Fitts; Rosalie Mulvaney; Megan Clemmer & Rowan Daniel; Sue & Rich Newman; Bill Tice; Dorothy Cochran; Maelyn Palmieri; Kadie; Jon; Booker & Posie Andersen; Daniel Huyler & Lori Osborn; Kaylee Kuch; Bill Hults; Dana Bard; Kelly; Gianna Maze & Family; Amanda Morley; Charles Feasel; Santa Mustica; Dee & Rich Rossman; George Rogers; David Kuch II; George & Carol; Amy Ridgeway; Virginia Schoeneberg; Kailyn; Maryann Naples; Dot & Bernie Novack; Marilyn Slate; Monika & Fred Sisbarro; Bill & Becky Buglione; Andrea Schenker; Judy Mihalkovitz; Kelli & Jimmy; Jose Santiago; Don Conetti; Robert Wynn; Patrick Jemas; Robert Taylor; Kathy Cavanaugh; Dean Abramo; Robert Martin; Ryan D'Autorio; Tammy Allan's dad; Kenny & Kathie Pitman; BettyAnn Britton; Lucille Lawler; Dottie & Bill Connolly; Kevin Petrucci; Karla Clemmer; Lorraine Borchester; Sally & Don McErlan; Patti Bea; Marcia Crump; Nancy Husko; Ryan McDonald; Evelyn Handchen; Tony; David & Kay Koscuik; Jessica & Diana Maffucci; Cassandra Zonkowski; Kevin King; Rachel & Pat Maiun; Joy Mortiner; Barbara Whelan; Andrew Wake; Gavin Powell; Denise Taylor; Doris Schulz; Helen Sajac; Frank Vassallo; Remington Miller; Landon Stoffus; Bernie & Aubrey; Raleigh Voight; Mary McCollum; Joan Nameth; Rudy; Carole Wilson; RJ; Vickie; Adam; Chip & Bonnie; Sheila Forney; Diane & Roy Collins; Valarie Brewer; Betty Brocklebank; Michael Lewis; Starlet Rae; Ray MacPherson; Kayla Scott family; Joyce Miller; Deb Burnette; Barbara Fitzpatrick; Pat Grant; Elizabeth Griffith; Alan Brown; Phil; Ann & Phyllis Mata; Gerri VanSanten; Vivian; Tiffany Yager; AnnMarie Gegergoli; James Decarlo; Shannon; Noel & Brandon Weaver; Tommy Britton; Kenneth Pelican; Tim Collins; Nicholas Kalajannis; Evelyn Rawson; Carol & Lenny Falk; Joe McGee; Leah Sobelillo; Gary & Carolann; Arianna Kosott; Suzanne Kline; Tony Yagiello; Katrina & Peter Borchester; Shirley Dow; Ruth Rand; Karen; Theresa Kelly; Nancy Wyatt; Joy Kozzak; Jeff Buck; Lori Anst; Ann Schlauch; Stephanie & Ricky; Nancy & Ricky Wyatt; Ella White; Gina Dige; Joann Evensen; Kerry-Lynn Noyes; Casey Wolfe; David Hinn; Anne Gudzak; Jude Walv; Leland King; Bill Kubes; Emily Calabro; John Joyce; Andrew Paris Family; Richard Prychuk; Judith Tinik; Danielle Sass; Jimmy Little; Shawn Kelly; Russ Kindler; Sue Smith; Marie Franzzone & Family; Donna Smith; Larry Radamski; Tommy Errickson; Chris Bea; our whole Church Family.

For God's Comfort & Strength during Time of Mourning and Loss ~ Family and Friends of Gary Fischer Family. Family of Elsie Kmiechick. Family of Doris Seckinger. Family of Marise Burger. Family of John Getz. Family of Robert Bair. Families of those who have died from the Coronavirus.

Praise and Thanksgiving for Answered Prayer ~ Newborn twins Tegan & Francis Ferrogine.

For Those Serving in the Military ~ Jordyn Breur; Paul Pettit; Ian Michael Keyes; Jr.; T. Ryan McDonald; Ryan Palmieri; Daniel Schenker; Jason Schenker; James Lubbers; Dan Haley; Don Doidge; Ellen Hammer; Gavin Hammer D'Adamo; Jake Martin; Jeff Finley; Peter Borchester; Randall D. Donithan; Raymond Kitson; Richard Bauman; Ricky Jefferson; Robert Eayre; Robert Sharp; Thomas Taylor; Justin Gibson; Rick Dixon; for all Soldiers; Sailors; Marines; Air Men/Women; & 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 & Young Adult Ministries.

For Greater NJ Annual Conference ~ Bishop John & Beverly Schol; DS Rev Dr. Gina Hendrickson; all Clergy and Laity of the Greater UMC Annual Conference & United Methodist Denomination

World Council of Churches & USA Prayer Atlas ~ People of Australia; Puerto Rico; China; Washington D.C; American Samoa; Austria; Liechtenstein; Switzerland; Andorra; Monaco; San Marino; Lacey Township Committee; Leaders & First Responders; Senators; Congressmen and leaders of our United States of America; Uniting of all American political parties; President Donald Trump & Vice-President Mike Pence. Pray for an outpouring of God's Spirit and spiritual renewal of the people of America.

 **Lacey United Methodist Church**

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Head of the Church ~ Jesus Christ, Son of the Living God
Ministers: All of Us Pastor: Linda Applegate Lay Leader: Ed Wojciechowski
Admin. Assistant: Joann Michalkowski Liturgist: Diane Collins
Pianist & Choir Director: Dawn Slate Chimes Director: Bill Applegate
Welcoming Team: Virginia Schoeneberg and 7th/8th & HS Sunday School Class
Head Usher: Cindy Dreher & Rick Waddell
Junior Head Ushers: Kenshin Frangos & Abby Michalkowski
Ushers this Week: Emmett Bivins, Bob Furbeck, Gesine Klein, Deb Waddell, and
1st/2nd Grade Sunday School Class
Head Counter: Rebecca Buglione, Bob Furbeck, Judy Mihalkovitz, Rich Rosfjord
Thank You to All Who Share Their Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, Witness & Time!

March 1st, 2020 ~ First Sunday in Lent

Welcome in the Name of Jesus Christ to All Visitors, Members, Family and Friends!

* An Asterisk indicates an invitation to please rise, in body or in spirit, to Praise the Lord

Prelude ~ Praise Team, Here I Am to Worship
Welcome and Sharing of Opportunities for Fellowship
Prayer for Lent
** Praise Team, Our God (with Step by Step)*
Children's Message
Children leave to go to Sunday School ~ parents pick-up 10:15 at Connolly Center
Hymn ~ #269 Lord, Who throughout These 40 Days
Ministry of Giving & Prayer of Dedication
Offertory ~Choir Kyrie, (Lord, Have Mercy)
** Doxology ~ #95*
Scripture Focus ~ John 6:1-15
Meditative Reflection on God's Word
Pastoral Prayer
Lord's Prayer
Chimes of Praise Dona Nobis Pacem
Sacrament of Holy Communion Congregational Response - UMH #15-16
Praise Team, In Remembrance of Me
** Hymn ~ #77 How Great Thou Art*
** Benediction*
** Hymn ~ #301 Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross*
** 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.

Scriptures to read & pray over in preparation for ~ March 8, 2020
Genesis 12:1-4a Psalm 121 Romans 4:1-5, 13-17 John 3:1-17

FINANCIAL STATISTICS February 23, 2020 ~ Attendance – 131

Offering Envelopes ~ \$2,708.00 Cash in Plate ~ \$304.00

Vanco ~ \$82.87 Hospitality ~ \$16.00

Youth Group ~ \$50.00 Bricks ~ \$50.00

Thank you for your support of the mission & ministries of LUMC!

Thank you for remembering the continued ministry of LUMC in your Will

The flowers that grace our Altar today are given in Glory to God;

And in Loving Remembrance of Trudy Miller,

Happy Birthday in Heaven.

We love you more and more, Your Family.

Electronic Giving is Here! Follow these easy steps:

1) Visit our website at laceyumc.org

2) Click on **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.



Memorial Brick Orders for The Bell Enclosure Walk Way.

4" x 8" Brick / 3 lines / 18 characters each line including spaces = \$50

8" x 8" Brick / 6 lines / 18 characters each line including spaces = \$100

See Elaine Brandt for more information.

Joy of the Angels Thrift Shoppe

Monday 10:00am-1:00pm Tuesday 12:00pm-3:00pm

Wednesday 10:00am-1:00pm Thursday 8:00am-11:30am

Friday 10:00am-1:00pm Some Saturday Hours – (call office)

Volunteers are needed to keep the Thrift Shoppe open more hours.

Rise Against Hunger - March 21, 2020 The GNJUMC will gather to put together over 500,000 meals in one day!! Many hands make light work! Would you please join us?

“Holy Grounds Coffee Hour!”

Please see Bill Buglione if you could help host one Sunday.

PLEASE... NO FOOD OR BEVERAGE IN THE SANCTUARY EXCEPT WATER.

Thank you for respecting God's House.

♪♪ LUMC Music Ministries ♪♪

All Ages Welcome and Invited to Participate

Chimes of Praise Choir: Wednesdays, 6:00 – 7:00PM

Praise Team: Tuesdays. 5:45 – 6:45PM

VBS Planning Meeting - March 8th in Sanctuary after
Worship - see Sue Newman for more info

MARCH S.H.A.L.O.M.

(Showers – Hot Meals – Advocacy – Laundry – Outreach – Mission)

Needs... Laundry Detergent

Travel Sized: Deodorant, Shampoo, Razors, & Tooth Paste

Please Help us complete the Sanctuary Altar Area Flooring

ShopRite makes a \$50 donation to LUMC for every \$1,000 we spend on the ShopRite Gift Cards purchased through LUMC! These cards are available after Worship every Sunday. The cards are purchased by you at face value and used as the same. All you have to do is go shopping!

Please see Rebecca after Worship or stop by the LUMC office Monday-Friday during business hours to purchase your cards!!!

LUMC Swim Nights at Keswick

Friday, March 13th and April 24th 7:00-8:00PM

\$5 per person / \$10 per family

ALL WELCOME & INVITED

See April Rucki for more details

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](https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-2279634) - Support LUMC by starting your Amazon shopping at <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-2279634>.

Welcome all members, friends and guests! Please be sure to fill out all the information (including address and phone number) in the Fellowship Books as they are passed to you. If you are visiting and would like to join our church, please indicate so on the pad.

Easter Flower sale will begin on March 8th!

Calling All Children and Youth

Youth Group: 5th – High School: Fridays – 6:30-8:00pm
Sunday School: Kindergarten – High School: 9:15-10:15am
Drama Club: All ages, Tuesdays: 5:00 – 6:30pm



Flamingo Lawn “Flocking” Youth Group Fundraiser
“Flock” a friend’s lawn for a minimum donation of \$10!
Applications are available at the back of the Sanctuary.
See Jackie Van Arsdale for more information.

Youth Group March Calendar

March 6 – Snake Night! Learn all about snakes with Bill Rucki
March 13 – Swim Night at Keswick
March 20 – Make your own pizza night
March 21 – *Rise Against Hunger* meal packing event
March 27 – Craft night
Questions? Contact April Rucki 732-330-1855.

**Save the date! Youth Retreat at Mt. Misery on
Saturday, May 9th. Details to follow....**

BOUNTY OF THE BAY – Tuesday April 28th 6pm-8pm
Appetizers, Entrees and Desserts from local restaurants.
\$20 Adults / \$5 children 10 yrs. and under Door Prizes!
Contact the LUMC Office 609.693.5222 for more information!

ALL people are children of God and are of sacred worth. Lacey UMC affirms Christ’s example of unconditional love, cultural diversity and individual integrity. Therefore, our hearts, our minds and our doors are open to YOU. We welcome you and celebrate the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ with you. LUMC is a place to belong; A place to be loved; A place of opportunity to make a difference in the local community and the world. LUMC is an experience of the relevant, abundant grace and hospitality of Jesus Christ.
We are: living God’s message of hope, forgiveness & unconditional love; engaged in a passion for righteousness, justice and a conscious integrity; discerning truth through study of Scripture; accountable to God; & equipping members for service and mission to all of humanity and creation.

New Book Study Starting March 2nd!

Experience God book study will be offered on the 1st & 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30pm. Hosted by Donna Jones at her home, 202 Station Drive, Forked River. Light supper included. Please contact Donna 609-276-7383 for more information.

π “Pi” Day Ice Cream Party

Saturday, March 14th

2:00 PM - FREE!



Hosted by LUMC Sunday School Team. RSVP to the LUMC Office at 609.693.5222 or laceyumcnj@gmail.com.

Upcoming Events at Keswick

Ladies Luncheon – March 11th 10:00AM – Please contact Donna Jones for more information at 609-276-7383

Men’s Night Out– March 12th 6:00 PM – Please contact Bill Jones for dinner tickets and more information at 609-276-7467

Tamiya Mini4WD Racing – April 4th 10am-4pm

Cost: \$8 per car/per race category \$15 for 2 races: \$20 for 3 races
Cars available for purchase... *unassembled & require batteries*
Questions? Contact Bill at rcmانيac79@comcast.net

Pancake Breakfast & Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 11th 9AM Breakfast /10AM Egg Hunt
FREE! Open to children 12yrs. and under.

Bring your own camera for a picture with the Easter Bunny.
RSVP to the LUMC Office 609.693.5222 or laceyumcnj@gmail.com.

2020 Holy Week Services of Worship:

5 April – Palm Sunday – 9:00am
9 April – Maundy Thursday Worship – 7:00pm Fellowship Hall
10 April – Good Friday 12:00 Noon Prayer Service
Evening Prayer Service – 7:00pm
12 April – Easter
6:00am Sunrise Service Lake Barnegat Beach
(Middle or 2nd Lake)
9:00am Worship Service at LUMC – 9:00am