

elements worship



February 10, 2019
Scout Sunday

United Methodist Church of the Dunes
717 Sheldon Road, Grand Haven, Michigan

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The Order of Morning Worship

February 10, 2019

Elements Worship 10:30 a.m.

We Gather

An "*" invites you to stand as you are able. Please remember to silence your cell phone.
Nursery for children age 5 and under is available all morning.

Gathering Music

Chimes

Gathering Song

"God of Wonders"

Byrd/Hindalong

Welcome & Announcements

Invitation to Worship

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

arr. Thompson
Bells of Glory

We Praise God

Call to Worship

Leader: Called by God, we have come to worship.

People: **Called by Christ, we have come to follow.**

Leader: Called by the Spirit, we have come to rejoice.

People: **Called together, we will sing songs of praise, and listen and pray.**

*Hymn #64

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

(red hymnal)

Time of Confession

God, we have worked all day and night, for many months and years. We yearn for a heavy catch, a full church, an abundant feast. Forgive us, when we are too tired to cast our nets one more time; when we are too stubborn to do things a little differently. Have mercy on us, when we are too afraid to dive into deep waters and take a risk. Grant us grace, that we may proclaim your word, work for your kingdom, and trust your promises. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Scout Awards

Children's Time

Children are invited to join us downstairs in the Hosanna Room for our "Children In Worship" program.

Anthem

"Shall We Gather at the River"

arr. Wagner
Bells of Glory

We Share the Word

Scripture Reading Psalm 138 (NLT)
Worship Song *“Hosanna”* Ligertwood
Scripture Reading Isaiah 6:1-8 p. 604
Sermon *“Hot Lips”* Rev. Louis Grettenberger
Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

We Respond to the Word

Offering

Response
Hymn #79 (verse 1) *“Lord, Speak to Me”* (red hymnal)

Holy God, we praise Thy name; Lord of all, we bow before Thee;
All on earth Thy scepter claim; all in heaven above adore Thee.
Infinite Thy vast domain; everlasting is Thy reign.

Prayer of Dedication

Increase the strength of these gifts, and the strength of our ministries, O God. Expand the nets of our love, that we may reach deeply and share abundantly. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.

We are Sent Forth

*Final Hymn #593 *“Here I am Lord”* (red hymnal)

*Benediction

*Chimes

*Parting Music

Sunday, February 10, 2019

Liturgists: 8:30 Marion Fitch 10:30 Jan Lipfert

Music: Bells of Glory

Sound Board: 8:30 Roger Cox 10:30 Blair Miller

Ushers: 8:30 Vaughn Umphrey, Rick Clapp, Ed & Liz Lystra
10:30 Boy Scouts

Greeters: 8:30 Michael & JoAnn Anthes 10:30 Sally Liebertz, Nancy Franczek

Welcome Center: 8:30 Harold & Gail Merz 10:30 Gary & Kay Erickson

Nursery: Michele McCracken, Kelly Grilley

Coffee Fellowship: Joyce & Bruce Bowling

Scouts: 8:30 Karsen Erdman, Daniel Grill, Canaan Berko, Elijah Waskey, Daniel Hunt
10:30 Jake Pottorff, CJ Boyd, Ethan Barnett, Felix VerHage, Archer VerHage

Sunday, February 17, 2019

Liturgists: 8:30 Karyn Gillan 10:30 Barry Huntington

Music: Chancel Choir

Sound Board: 8:30 Roger Cox 10:30 Blair Miller

Ushers: 8:30 Vaughn Umphrey, Rick Clapp, Ed & Liz Lystra
10:30 Kent & Weston Taylor, Tina & Tate Zellman

Greeters: 8:30 Susan Robertson 10:30 Sally Liebertz, Nancy Franczek

Welcome Center: 8:30 Jo Somerville 10:30 Joann Jarvi

Nursery: Kisa Weesies

Coffee Fellowship: Darcie & Rick Clapp

CHURCH OF THE DUNES CORE PURPOSE: We are a family of faith who seeks to grow in God's grace and love, challenges and equips all members to be faithful disciples, to share the Good News and demonstrate and reflect the love of God.

CHURCH STAFF AND CONTACT INFORMATION:

Ministers.....	All Members of the Congregation
Senior Pastor.....	Rev. Louis Grettenberger (231-883-9806, pastorlou@umcdunes.org)
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Covenant Missionaries.....	Dr. Lester & Debbie Dornon

This Week's Calendar

SUNDAY

February 10, 2019 Communion

- 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM Nursery Care – Nursery (*infant – young 5s*)
8:30 AM Traditions Worship – Sanctuary
8:45-9:45 AM Children In Worship – Hosanna Room (*room 8 lower level, grades K – 5*)
9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship – Wiltse Center
9:45-10:20 AM FaithLink Discussion Group - “Deaths of Political Leaders” – Room 4 lower level
9:40 AM – 10:20 AM Youth Sunday School – The Pit (*room 7 lower level, grades 6 – 12*)
10:00 AM Kids' Choir – Social Hall (preK – grade 6)
10:30 AM Elements Worship – Sanctuary
10:45-11:45 AM Children In Worship – Hosanna Room (*room 8 lower level, grades K - 5*)
11:30AM-12:20 PM BBQ Book Discussion – The Death and Life of the Great Lakes by Dan Eagen
11:30 AM-12:20 PM DVD Bible Study “Exceptional Faith Lessons” – Room 13/14 Lower Level
11:30AM-12:15 PM Youth Choir – Choir Room (*grades 7- 12*)
6:00 – 7:30 PM Youth Group – Youth Room (*grades 6 – 12*)

MONDAY

February 11, 2019

- 9:30-10:30 AM Kids and Parents Coffee & Playtime – Wiltse Center
10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Work Bee – Panera Bread
11:00 AM – 4:00 PM Quilter's Workshop – Wiltse Center
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Lighthouse Quilter's Guild – Wiltse Center
6:30 PM Youth Council – Conference Room
7:00 PM Bells of Glory – Choir Loft

TUESDAY

February 12, 2019

- 9:30-11:30 AM Women's Study – Ryder Lounge
12:00 PM Esther Circle at the home of Marion Fitch
6:30 PM Worship Committee – Conference Room
6:30-7:30 PM Webelos 1 – Scout Room

WEDNESDAY

February 13, 2019

- 9:00 AM Morning Coffee - Russ' Restaurant
9:30 AM Covenant Bible Study – Ryder Lounge
4:00-5:00 PM Kids' Connect – Wiltse Center (*grades K – 5*)
5:15-6:00 PM Supper - Social Hall – Menu: Sloppy Joes
6:00-7:00 PM Youth Small Groups – Youth Room (*grades 6 – 12*)
6:00 PM Knitters – Conference Room
6:00-7:00 PM Parenting Group – Room 4
6:00-6:30 PM Chimers – Choir Loft (*grades 2 – 6*)
6:00 - 7:30 PM “My One Word” Study – Ryder Lounge
6:30-7:00 PM Singers – Choir Room (*grades 2 – 6*)
7:00-8:00 PM Chancel Choir – Choir Loft

THURSDAY

February 14, 2019

- 9:30 AM Weight Watchers – Social Hall
9:30 -11:00 AM Craft Circle – Ryder Lounge
1:00 PM “My One Word” Study – Ryder Lounge
7:00 PM Creativity, the Arts & God – Social Hall

FRIDAY

February 15, 2019

- Pastor Lou's Day Off
Dunes Digest Deadline

Welcome to Church of the Dunes

We are glad you are here today and hope you feel God's love. You are invited for refreshments in the Wiltse Center fellowship area during the time between the two worship services. Refreshments are also available after the 10:30 a.m. service. You are welcome to participate in the activities, events, and classes offered here. If you have questions or need directions to locations in the church, please ask a volunteer at the Welcome Center, our pastor, or an usher; they are happy to assist. Thank you for being here today. We hope to see you again soon. *Open minds, Open hearts, Open doors. The People of the United Methodist Church of the Dunes.*

Announcements

TODAY IS BROWN BAG SUNDAY: The filled grocery bags collected today will be delivered to Love In Action to replenish food pantry shelves. Love In Action helps supply 10 food pantries in the area.

PARENTS AND KIDS COFFEE & PLAYTIME meets Monday mornings from 9:30-10:30 a.m. in the Wiltse Center fellowship area. Coffee, tea and refreshments are provided; there are books, coloring books and plenty of toys for the kiddos to enjoy. Please join us! (This group does not meet if Grand Haven Area Public Schools are closed due to winter weather.)

ESTHER CIRCLE is getting together at Marion Fitch's home at noon on Tuesday, February 12 for a light lunch and social gathering. Please RSVP to Karen Hoffman so we can let Marion know how many to expect for lunch.

CRAFT CIRCLE MEETS this Thursday, February 14 at 9:30 a.m. in the Ryder Lounge. This month's program, called "Faith and Beads," is about one woman's adventure of faith, creativity and small business. All are welcome.

AN INQUIRER'S CLASS is scheduled for Sunday, February 17, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. If you'd like to know more about this church or are considering becoming a member, this class is for you. To sign up, please email office@umcdunes.org or call (616) 842-7980. If you choose to become a member at or after the class, you will be received into membership at an upcoming worship service (date to be determined).

FAMILY MOVIE TIME: INCREDIBLES 2 is the feature movie at our next family movie event. Please join us at Church of the Dunes in the Social Hall (lower level) at 3:00 p.m on Saturday, February 23. Enjoy crafts, activities, and a showing of this upbeat and funny animated movie. Please come dressed as your favorite superhero. All ages are welcome and invited! We will have popcorn and lemonade too.

UNITED METHODIST SUMMER CAMP experiences are available for kids, adult and families. Would you like to know more? Brochures are available in the church office.

FROM THE SAFETY AND SECURITY TEAM: When you leave the church after an evening meeting or class, please be sure the doors close and fully latch behind you. Thank you.

Budget and Attendance Update

<u>2019 Weekly Offering</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Weekly Average</u>
For Operating Expenses	1/27 \$13,281	
	2/3 \$11,833	\$11,834

<u>Weekly Attendance</u>		
Sunday Morning Worship	Last Week: 253	Last Year: 236

Sunday Mornings

Attend every week or drop in when you can.

ADULT CLASSES AND DISCUSSION GROUPS:

FaithLink meets to discuss a timely topic or issue, 9:45 – 10:20 a.m., Room 4, lower level.

BBQ (Basic Beliefs & Questions) will begin discussing The Death and Life of the Great Lakes by Dan Eagan today. This group meets on Sundays at 11:35 a.m. in the Ryder Lounge. Please provide your own book.

Ray Vander Laan DVD Bible Study meets to discuss DVDs that weave historical, cultural and geographical perspectives of Biblical stories and times. 11:30 – 12:20, Room 13/14 lower level.

YOUTH:

Youth Sunday School for grades 6 – 12 meets from 9:40 – 10:20 a.m. in “The Pit” (room 7) classroom on the lower level.

Youth Choir practices in the Choir Room, located behind the front of the worship space, from 11:30 a.m.– 12:15 p.m.

CHILDREN:

Children in Worship (CIW) Sunday School for grades K - 5 takes place during both the 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. worship services, beginning right after the Children’s Message and ending at 9:45 and 11:45 respectively. Children In Worship meets in the Hosanna room (room 8), on the lower level of the church. Please pick up your children at the classroom.

Kids’ Choir for children pre-K through grade 6 meets from 10:00 – 10:25 a.m. in the Social Hall on the lower level.

NURSERY is available for infants through young 5s. The nursery is located on the main floor of the church.

Worship at Church of the Dunes

Sundays

8:30 a.m. Traditions
traditional worship and music

10:30 a.m. Elements
traditional & modern worship and music

Third Wednesday of the Month Communion

8:30 – 9:00 a.m.

a hymn or two, time for prayer, a short message, and communion

Joys and Concerns

PRINTED "JOYS AND CONCERNS" If there are Joys and Concerns you would like printed in the bulletin, please contact the church office by Tuesday before 3:00 p.m. (616) 842-7980 or e-mail office@umcdunes.org.

Please, let the church office know if you or a family member is hospitalized, going to be having surgery, or is homebound and would like a visit. Please let us know if you have experienced a death in your family. In order to respect confidentiality, we need you to keep us up to date. We would like to be supportive, and we appreciate your help. Thank you.

This Week's Praises

THE FLOWERS in the sanctuary are given by Jim & Nancy Humphrey to the Glory of God.

PLEASE JOIN WITH OTHERS AROUND THE WORLD WHO ARE PRAYING FOR: Camp Aldersgate, Little Rock, AR, and Alfred Nyan Zigbuo, Missionary.

THANK YOU: Thank you! I am truly overwhelmed by the outpouring of love by way of cards, prayers, visits and friendship that you, my Church of the Dunes family, have shown to my family during these last 4 years as we have dealt with Larry's failing health and his passing. You all are a true blessing! I am so grateful for your continued ministry of caring! I am blessed to be a part of this loving and caring church family. Blessings to all of you! Marna Jeffery

MEMBERS AND FRIENDS CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Feb 11 Mike Anthes, Julie Kelly, Evan Miller, Pearl Patterson (97)
Feb 12 Mary Kay Alguire, Kathy DeBone, Thomas Laughlin
Feb 15 Alice Furst, Richard Minuth
Feb 16 Georgia Heckaman, Susan Wierda
Feb 17 Jacob Larkins (15), Eric Magner, Darlene Ogle, Sandee Klop

Information

WEATHER CLOSING POLICY: When Grand Haven Area Public Schools has a weather-related closing, Church of the Dunes is closed too, and all meetings and events are cancelled.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. or by appointment.

NAME TAGS: If you'd like a new or replacement name tag, write your name on the request sheet on the small table in the cry room located at the back of the worship space. Your new name tag will be left for you there within a week or so.

DEADLINES: Weekly worship bulletin, Tuesdays at 3 p.m.; Dunes Digest newsletter, 15th of the month prior.

IMPORTANT NOTES ON TAKING PICTURES: You are welcome to take pictures or video of your children during a musical performance in our worship services or other church activities; however, please refrain from posting any videos or photos to public places, such as Facebook or YouTube, as the musical performances are copyright protected and some parents may not have consented to public use of images.

THE WORSHIP SERVICES ARE VIDEO-RECORDED and sermons are posted for later viewing on our church website. Every effort is made to focus the camera only on the scripture readers and the pastor. On rare occasions, those seated near the front of the church may appear in a sermon video. If you wish to avoid inadvertently appearing in a sermon video that will be posted online, please find seats toward the back of the sanctuary.

ELECTRONIC GIVING IS AVAILABLE: To sign up, contact the church office or online at www.umcdunes.org