Calendar of Events March 7th - April 14th Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00am - 2:00pm

Sun. April 7th

5th Sunday in Lent Holy Communion Blood Pressure Clinic

9:00am Worship

10:15am Thank you! Cake in Fellowship Hall

10:15am Sunday School Nursery-Adult 11:30am Wreath Decorating Class

5:30pm Disciple Bible Study- Mary Friederich

Tues. April 9th

9:00am Sewing Circle

6:00pm Cub Scout Committee

6:00pm SPRC

7:00pm CLC- Al Schneider, chair

Wed. April 10th

11:00am Staff Meeting

3:30pm Youth Groups 4K-12th grade

6:30pm Praise service

Thurs. April 11th

6:00pm Bear Den Meeting

Sat. April 13th

9:00am Mustard Seed

9:30am VBS Crew & Station Leader Training

Sun. April 14th

Palm Sunday Noisy Can Offering ComPIGtition

9:00am Worship

10:15am Sunday School Nursery-Adult

Announcements for April 7th - April 14th

Labyrinth: The labyrinth is available for Prayer Walks during office hours, Wednesday evenings, and on Sunday mornings. Please be sure to take advantage of this meditative walk throughout Lent.

Uncluttered Book Study: Starting on Wednesday, April 24th from 7 to 8pm. If you are interested in leading one session of this 6 week class, or would like more information about leading, please see Danielle Jorgensen. Books are available in the church office. Recommended donation: \$10

Need help? Boy Scouts have scheduled a service day for Sunday, April 28th from 12-5pm. Anyone interested in a little help with some spring cleaning or yard work should contact Dean Braund at 608-214-0130.

VBS Crew Leader Training: April 13th from 9:30am to 11:30am. ALL crew leaders need to plan to attend. Everyone entering 6th grade, through adult, is able to be a crew leader or assistant crew leader. This training is for new and returning volunteers. Please see Ms. Tiff with any questions.

Mark your calendar: Thursday, April 25th at 10:30am, Worship Team will be meeting. If you are interested in helping to plan services or decorate the sanctuary, then this is the meeting for you! Everyone is welcome- and donuts are provided.

Plan Ahead: Sunday, April 28th at 9:00am is Confirmation Sunday. We encourage all of you to come an support this great group of kids who have worked hard to grow in their faith. New this year, 7th grade students will be receiving their new Bible, so the entire class is encouraged to be present for this special occasion.

Coming next week...

Can you feel the excitement? We are ready for this years ComPIGtition!

Building Cambodia, Inc. is a community development and humanitarian assistance mission in northwest Cambodia.

Deanna Shimko is the organizer for this International Advance Project. This is our opportunity to go beyond our regular giving and have a direct and lasting impact in our world.

ComPlGtition 2019 April 14th Goal: 10 pigs



In Our Thoughts & Prayers
This week we are praying for Merrimac UMC,
their pastor, and their church family.

Prayers of health & healing for Dorothy Shimko, David Elmer, Julie Hodgson, Ken & Sandy Meyer, Richard Becker, Dawn Shimko, Pastor Krystal Goodger, CarolSue Wolter

Joys: robins, road construction, rest

Please join us as we start a **new book study, 'Unglued'**Fridays at 10am in the nursery (little ones welcome to play) as it will equip us to:

Know the confidence how to resolve conflict in important relationships, find peace in your most difficult relationships as you learn to be honest but kind when offended, identify what type of reactor you are and how to significantly improve your communication,, respond with no regrets by managing your tendencies to stuff or explode and so much more!

To reserve your book, please contact the church office or Ms. Tiff Moore.

Holy Week Worship Schedule

Palm Sunday, April 14th-Worship at 9:00am- Children's Palm Parade

Wednesday, April 17th-Praise Service at 6:30pm

Maundy Thursday, April 18th-Worship at 7:00pm with Holy Communion

Good Friday, April 19th-Worship at 7:00pm

Easter Sunday, April 21st-Sunrise Service at 7:00am Easter Breakfast at 8:00am Worship at 9:00am



Greeters Ushers
Worship Leader
Musician Teacher
Clothes Closet
Trustee Custodial
Missions AV

Funeral Luncheon
United Methodist Women

Coffee Hour Host Bulletin Boards

Donations SPRO

Acolytes Baker

Money Counter VBS Bible Study Leader Family Promise Youth

OCC Shoeboxes

Parish Nurse Finance
Church Leadership Council
Worship Team Office
Scripture Reader Meals
Bulletins Stewardship
Nursery Newsletters
Prayer Chain Work Day
Book Study Leader
Event Coordinator
College Boxes