

There are Lenten giving envelopes in the pews and at the back table. Our identified recipients are **United Methodist Committee On Relief (UMCOR)/Great Hour of Sharing and Shepherd's Hand**. You do not have to use the envelopes to give. If you wish to give to both of them, just put Lent Giving on the memo line and we will split the gift between them.

Thanks to those who purchased the Easter flowers that enhance our celebration today. Please take your plant at the end of worship.



United Methodist Women Luncheon

Wednesday, April 8th, 11:30 a.m.

Program : "Call to Prayer and Self Denial".

A special offering will be taken to support our Missionaries and Deaconesses.

Please call Sharon Jewell, 417-6574, by 8:00 p.m. on April 5th to make a reservation.

All women are invited to attend.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Sharing Ministries has been given some jewelry and handbag inventory to sell; the proceeds will support their new building. They have rented a storefront on West Main and now need clerks to sell the merchandise on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 12-5. If you would like to volunteer, please call 240-8385.

Of course, you also support the mission with your purchase.

Prayers

CELEBRATIONS: HE IS RISEN!!! HE IS RISEN INDEED!!!

Sue McCulloch is home from her extended stay at Colorow. She is hoping to return to church soon.

SPECIAL THANKS: from Darlene Coffey for the love, prayers, food and visits that have supported her healing.

HEALTH AND HEALING: Bonnie Lamb's son Keith has shingles; Ray Ross is having surgery on his torn rotator cuff 4/15; Bobbie Kerns has the lung virus; Annie Hauck with sciatic issues; Mary Black had a stroke and is at MMH recovering;

WE PRAY FOR THOSE BATTLING CANCER: Dorene Carpenter, Darlene Coffey' sister, lung cancer radiation; Ted and Colleen Thompson; Dick and Sandy Eastman's son-in-law, Paul Raffa, prostate; Tom Blacklock, leukemia; David Mitchel, liver; Brad Bingaman's stepfather, Jim with bladder; Steve Cooper, colon; Carolyn Hopkins, brain tumor; Wanda Baker, Darlene Brown's sister, pancreatic; Sharon Behm, breast; Char Berens, pancreatic; Brandon (25) thyroid; Virginia Rafferty, Marijo Ache's stepmother, Arleen Friedman; Dana Hines, Karen and Ed DeJulio's daughter in Colo Spgs, brain tumor *MRI showed some shrinkage*; Carolynn, ovarian; Sue McCulloch; Don Delgado's brother, Bob lungs & pancreas *is improving*; Jean Bramer, colon; Rhett Lundingham, 30 (Pendergrass) double treatments; John Forni, Tim Harris, Joan Rivers' nephew, legs and ribs; Elizabeth, recurrent breast cancer with bone metastases; Jimmy Schwind, Celie M's cousin, Joey, Marla, Cody & Kim Manganello – Marla has cancer. Frank Mesaric, prostate; Steve Hosner, brain tumor; Kelly Ray, second occurrence of brain tumor
IN HOSPICE: Carol Renfrow

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Annie Hauck 5 Ponderosa Court Montrose 81401

Mary Black 638 N. 3rd Street Montrose 81401

SPECIAL PRAYERS: for those who have lost their youths through suicide in this community and nearby ones—particularly, the Todd Haynes family in the loss of Caitlyn.

DEATHS: Jim Fisher died 3/24; no memorial is planned



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April 5, 2015

Ushers: 8:15 a.m.: Lillian, Laurie and Jay Hadley, Danny Melendrez

9:45 a.m.: Lisa, Scott and Callie Armentrout, Chuck and Beverly Price

11:15 a.m.: Marshall and Beckie Pendergrass, Colette Holm and Sue Gunter

Flowers:

Worship Leaders: 8:15 a.m.: Nancy Zaenger

Acolytes: 8:15 a.m.: Jack White and Declan Kernan

Bus Drivers: Suzi and John Reick

Upcoming Sundays

April 12—United Methodist Women Sunday, "Extend a Hand...
Pass a Kindness Forward"

April 19—Disability Awareness Sunday

New Sermon Series

A podcast of each Sunday's sermon is available on the following Tuesday of each week, on our church website. (Past sermons are also available.)

God's Growth Plan for Life—The Fruit of the Spirit

Galatians 5:22-23

May 3—"Power Up!—God's Power to Change Our Life"

Philippians 3:10-14

May 10 (Mother's Day)—"God & You Unlimited—A Powerful
Partnership"

Philippians 2:12-17

May 17—"LOVE: I've Got the Love of Jesus Down In My Heart!"

1 Corinthians 13:4-13

May 24—"JOY: I've Got the Joy, Joy, Joy Joy!"

Romans 12:9-16

May 31—"PEACE: I've Got the Peace That Passes Understanding!"

Philippians 4:4-7

Church Office Hours:
Closed Monday and Friday
Tues.-Thurs. 9:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m.
Open during the lunch hour
Attendance Sunday March 29, 2015 Total Attendance: 308
8:15 Service: 141 9:45 Service 65: 11:15 Service:102
Children's Sunday School: children n/a
Adult Sunday School: 4
Pastor's Bible Study: 24

SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES: 8:15 a.m., 9:45 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.
9:30 a.m. children singing downstairs
9:45 a.m. Sunday school for all ages

Weekday Opportunities

Mondays:

Adult Caregivers Support Group 2nd and 4th 1:00 p.m.
 Meet in the library downstairs

Tuesday:

Pastor's Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Baldrige Hall
Prayer Shawl Group 1-3 p.m. in the library

Wednesday:

Music Practice: 5:30 p.m. Bell choir, 6:45 p.m. Sounds of Faith choir, 8:00 p.m. Celebration Voices choir

Thursday:

Quick Care 9:00 a.m. -12:00 noon
Women's Bible Study 9:15 a.m. Room 1
Community Prayer Group 10:45 a.m. Room 1
Quiet Lunch Pail – Meditative Prayer: 12:00 noon in the church library

Emmaus Reunion (Support) Groups

Women's Groups (Open to ALL Women)

--Mondays 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 meets at Reinhard's 2238 American Way
 --Thursdays 7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m.
 Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

Men's Group (Open to ALL Men)

--Fridays 6:30 a.m. -7:30a.m. and 5:00 p.m. -6:00 p.m.
 Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

Sunday Opportunities

5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Youth Group Meet in Baldrige Hall

Meetings This Week

Monday, April 6 5:30 p.m. Missions Ministry
 5:30 p.m. Communications Committee
Tuesday, April 7 7:00 p.m. SPRC committee
Wednesday, April 8 11:30 a.m. UMW luncheon
Friday April 10: 6 -9 p.m. Parent's Night Out
 6 -7:30 p.m. Tween night
Saturday April 11 5-7 p.m. Emmaus Potluck
Sunday, April 12 UMW Sunday

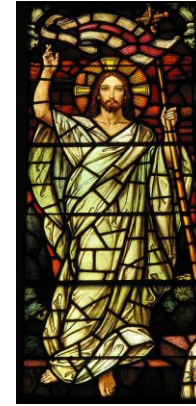
Do you see a beautiful shawl on the end of your pew?
 It does not belong to anyone else but you.
 It is there for your comfort; it is there for your care.
 Someone knitted it with prayer and placed it there.
 Use it today.
 Then add your prayer for the next to share.



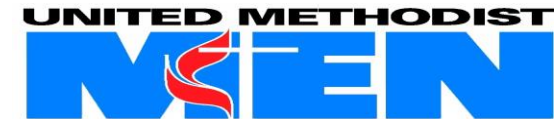
There will be a super-fun Easter activity for children at 9:45 a.m. today. The children will gather together with their families in Baldrige Hall to be directed to the activity centers of "A Backwards Easter Egg Hunt".

YOUTH YARD SALE
MAY 2ND 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
DONATIONS CAN BE LEFT IN THE GARAGE.
JUST STOP BY THE OFFICE TO PICK UP THE GARAGE DOOR OPENER.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED:
ELECTRONICS OF ANY KIND, TIRES, MATTRESSES, SKI EQUIPMENT, CHRISTMAS ITEMS, CLEANING PRODUCTS, PAINT, OR FOOD.
OR ANYTHING DAMAGED OR BROKEN.
REMEMBER:
IF YOU WOULDN'T WANT TO BUY IT, DON'T LEAVE IT!



COMMUNITY GARDEN INFORMATION AND DATES.
 Saturday morning, April 18th in Baldrige Hall, the Community Garden Committee will be available for the final informational event concerning the **Montrose United Methodist Church Community Fellowship Garden.** We will be there from 10 a.m. to noon. This is your last chance to get information, ask questions and turn in your application for a plot/bed. We need the applications in by this date so we know how many beds to build the next weekend. Applications will be available in the church office beginning next week or you can get one from Connie Stoutt. Please call Connie with any questions OR if you will be unable to attend the Saturday morning orientation but are interested in signing up. 240-9965



United Methodist Men Craft Fair Tables
 During April and May, there are several tables with handmade items with silent auction bid sheets. Please stop by and give them your support. The money raised will go toward a projected church parking project on South 1st and Mesa.