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

For God's Healing & Discernment ~ Ed Weisbrot; Carole Jansen: Bob Pentland: Bob Wynn & Denise Vaccaro; Ellen Larney; Bill Jones; Christine Urban; Dale Stucky; Suzy; Steve Woodward; Bob & Pam Marsh; Sadie; Kyle Wilhelm; Nancy & Rev. George Reid; Sally Potter; Danny Huyler; Mel Rosenbloom; Donna Craft: Diane F.; Michael Claus; John E. Rue; Christine Morgan; Joseph Ensinger; Michaelle Reyes; Jeff Merceron: Mrs. Nunez: Lois Pozsar: Patrick Jemas: Helen Wooley: Gary: Levi Kern: Greg R.; Rich Rosfjord; Kenny & Kathie Pitman; Sara Carpini; Andrea Almeida; Cindy Kuch: Linda & John Ansbach: Bill Wehner: Rich C.: Chris Mignone: Randy M.: Lois: Sue & Rich Newman; Dawn Slate; Gail Matuska; Monika & Fred Sisbarro; Marilyn Slate; Shirley; Aubrey; Betty Carhart; Rosalie Mulvaney; Dottie & Bill Connolly; Frank & Mary Timmerman; Cynthia Pedemonti; Andrea Schenker; Helen DeLa Cruz; Peg Bea: Shannon Callaghan: Will Cotton: Carole Exel: Patricia Potter: Susan Schlotter: Joan McGavin: Phyllis Smith: Bill & Becky Buglione: Lorraine: Katrina & Peter Borchester: Don McErlean: Pat Grant: our whole Church Family.

For God's Comfort & Strength during Time of Mourning and Loss ~ Family of Carolyn Biggins; Family of Betty Carty; Family of Marshall Reeves; Brian Ross Family; Keith Gibbons Family; Alena Robles Family; Elliott Freeman Family.

Praise and Thanksgiving for Answered Prayer ~ Thanks be to God for answered prayer!

For Those Serving in the Military ~ Peter Borchester: Jordyn Breur; Kevin Carhart; Luke Derflinger: Ellen Hammer: Gavin Hammer D'Adamo: Raymond Kitson: T. Ryan McDonald: Ryan Palmieri: Daniel Schenker: Jason Schenker: for all Soldiers: Sailors: Marines; Airmen; and 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; 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.

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

World Council of Churches & USA Prayer Atlas ~ People of Angola, Mozambique: 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; Praying an outpouring of God's spiritual renewal and healing of all the people of America.





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Liturgist: Rose Coram Ministers: All of Us

Pastor: Jonathan Campbell Lay Leader: Dominic Gregoria

Guest Musician: Melissa Taps Music Director: Dawn Slate

Welcoming Team: Lori Osborn & Deb Waddell Head Ushers: Sherry Exel & Rick Waddell

Thank You to All Who Share Their Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, Witness & Time!

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

\* Please feel free to rise in body or spirit

Prelude Broken and Beautiful

Welcome

\*Hymn We Gather Together UMH 131

\*Call to Worship

Can you hear the voice of God?

We hear God calling us by name.

Are you troubled or distressed?

We come here to find a place to rest for awhile.

Come and find a guide who knows these lands.

We come to praise our Shepherding God, whose pathways and doors lead to life.

Young Disciples' Time

**Prayers for Healing** 

Prayer of Illumination

New Testament Lesson: 1 Peter 2:19-25

Gospel Lesson: John 10:1-10

Message: Hello, My Name is... God: "God is Son and Redeemer"

\*Hymn I Know Whom I Have Believed UMH 714

\*Affirmation of Faith UMH 882

Pastoral Prayer and Announcements

Offering

Anthem: Bow the Knee

\*Doxology UMH 95

\*Prayer of Dedication

Generous, life-giving God,

you sent Jesus that we might have life and have it abundantly. In response to this great gift, we now offer ourselves and our resources. May these gifts help us as a church to be your voice, calling all people to abundant life and to their true identities as your beloved. Amen.

Communion Hymn

Bless Thou the Gifts

UMH 587

The Invitation

Prayer of Confession

Shepherding God,

be with us in our need. Like sheep who have gone astray—we have not heeded your voice, calling us to follow the right paths, beckoning us to lie down and be restored; we have acted as if our salvation lies in busyness and control. We do not want to be sheep—dependent on a shepherd for everything.

We want to do it alone—to maintain our independence.

Forgive us for rejecting your shepherding care and your love and guidance. Forgive us for our need to do it by ourselves, to be separate from the flock. Forgive us for doubting your presence in times of trouble. Forgive us our despair in the face of seemingly unrelenting evil and death. Lead us back to the path of life. Amen.

A Time of Silent Confession and Reflection

The Assurance of Pardon

Passing of the Peace

Peace to you from God who is our Father.

Peace from Jesus Christ who is our peace.

Peace from the Holy Spirit who gives us life.

The peace of the triune God be always with you.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Prayer of Consecration

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread and the Sharing of the Cup

The Prayer of Humble Access

The Reception

Prayer of Gratitude

\*Hymn The Risen Christ (vs.1,4) W&S 3179

Benediction

\*Postlude Change My Heart, O God

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**

#### Statistics June 2, 2024:

Attendance ~ 69 in-person: 20 via YouTube Offerings: \$925.00 Offerings via Vanco: \$1,247.99 Plate: \$82.00 Capital Campaign: \$120.00 Hospitality: \$15.00 Summer Lunch Program: \$150.00 NA/AA Rent: \$50.00 Bay Shore Fellowship Rent: \$1,311.27 Discretionary: \$107.00 Baptism: \$50.00 Mt. Zion: \$100.00

Blue Claws Tickets: \$90.00 Joy of Angels Deposit: \$1,015.20

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!!

Reminder: The basket on the side table as you walk up the center aisle is for giving to the pastor's discretionary fund which enables us to directly help members of our community who are in need.

#### **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



#### Please help us complete the Sanctuary Altar Flooring

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

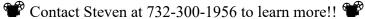
## Joy of the Angels Thrift Shoppe

#### Normal Hours of Operation:

Tuesday ~ 10:00AM - 1:00PM Wed. ~ 10:00AM - 4:00PM Thursday ~ 8:00AM - 4:00PM Friday ~ 10:00AM - 4:00PM Saturday ~ 10:00AM - 4:00PM

AThe Joy of Angels Thrift Shoppe is a vital mission of Lacey UMC. Volunteers are needed to help extend the hours of operation.

Join our media team!!! The media team coordinates the live stream, sound, and video screen presentation during worship.





Monthly Pastor's Breakfast: June 10th at 9:30 AM at Lacey Perkins. Everyone is welcome!

#### Scripture to read & pray over in preparation for June 16 – Isaiah 61:1-3; John 14:15-21, 25-26

#### Opportunities to Grow in Faith

Bible Study: Mondays at 9:00AM in the Connolly Center Disciple Bible Study: Thurs, at 6:00PM and Sun, at 1:00PM Please contact Pastor Jonathan or the LUMC Office for more info.

Hope Chest Food Pantry Needs...snacks, fruit cups, oatmeal and juice! Drop off at the LUMC office during the week or after worship.

#### **County Support Services at LUMC**

Tues., June 11 9:30AM-1:30PM: Board of Social Services will be in Fellowship Hall to provide info. about their services.

### Upcoming Events

**Bake Sales at the Lacey Farmers' Market:** June 21 | July 5 | August 30

Thursday, August 15: Faith & Family Night at the Blue Claws \$18 includes game ticket, hotdog, soda, and ice cream Contact Joann in the LUMC Office to reserve your tickets! Tuesday, October 1: Bounty of the Bay Details to follow....

It's time to get your plants ready for our summer **plant sale** during our Bake Sales! Please bring your potted plants (smaller pots please) to church on Sundays and add them to the window sills! Also, please save your candle jars and any other containers you think others can use as flower pots!

♥ Summer Lunch Program for Lacey's Kids ♥ We are collecting individual fruit/jelly cups and bottles of jelly to be distributed to participants. Drop off to Judy Mihalkovitz on Sundays or to the LUMC Office during the week.

#### **Upcoming Meetings**

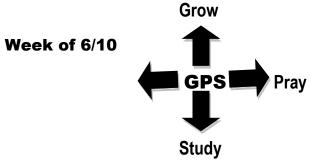
Fundraising: Mon., 6/10 at 6PM Trustees: June 17th at 5:30PM Church Council: June 17th following Trustees Finance: Mon.., 7/1 at 5:30 PM Sisters-In-Faith: Sept./Oct.!







We're social! Like & follow us on... **LUMC:** Facebook, Instagram, & YouTube **Hope Chest Food Pantry:** Facebook Joy of Angels Thrift Shoppe: Facebook



# Monday- Psalm 23 What image stands out to you from this reading? **Tuesday- Psalm 23** How has Jesus shepherded you? Wednesday- 1 Peter 2:19-25 How have you modeled your life after Jesus' example? Thursday- 1 Peter 2:19-25 Have you ever had to suffer because you chose to follow Jesus? If so, how did that make you feel?

How has Jesus given you life to the fullest?	
Saturday- John 10:1-10 Do you hear the voice of the good shepherd? Why or W not?	hy
Notes:	