

<>< *Lacey United Methodist Church Prayer Page* ><>

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

**For God's Healing & Discernment** ~ Linda Jenkins; Barbara & Bob Pentland; Steven & Nadine Woodward; Jay Youngs; Victoria Krauss; Carole Exel; Steven Exel; Tiny; Marsha Brandt; Daryl Mafia; Jason Gilman; Paul Rue; Pat Stack; Ed Weisbrot; Carole Jansen; Bob Wynn & Denise Vaccaro; Ellen Larney; 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; Michelle 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; 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; Patricia Potter; Susan Schlotter; Joan McGavin; Phyllis Smith; Bill & Becky Buglione; Lorraine; Katrina & Peter Borchester; Pat Grant; our whole Church Family.

**For God's Comfort & Strength during Time of Mourning and Loss** ~ Family of Kathleen McDonough; Family of Michael Santos.

**Praise and Thanksgiving for Answered Prayer** ~ For the Birth of Sofia Marie – parents Christina & Nicholas Iapicco; Thanks be to God for answered prayer!

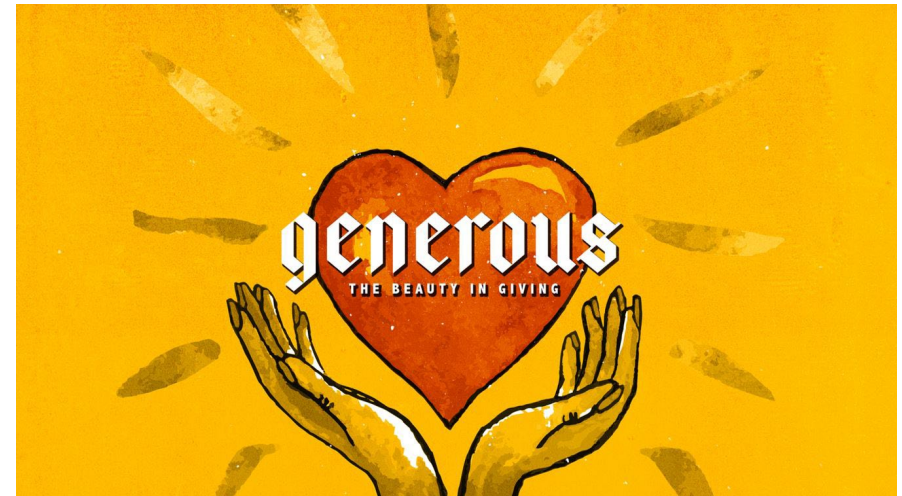
**For Those Serving in the Military** ~ Peter Borchester; Jordyn Breur; Kevin Carhart; Luke Derflinger; Ellen Hammer; Gavin Hammer D'Adamo; Raymond Kitson; T. Ryan McDonald; Ryan Palmieri; Daniel Schenker; Jason Schenker; for all Soldiers; Sailors; Marines; Airmen; and Guards-Men/Women of our Armed Forces.

**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 Cynthia Moore-Koikoi; DS Rev. Ronell Howard; Clergy and Laity of the Greater UMC Annual Conference & United Methodist Denomination

**World Council of Churches & USA Prayer Atlas** ~ People of Aotearoa New Zealand, Australia; Arizona, Arkansas; 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.

 *Lacey United Methodist Church*  
November 10, 2024



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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

Welcome

*\*Hymn Be Thou My Vision UMH 451*

*\*Call to Worship*

Those who dwell in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

**They will say of the Lord, "God is my refuge and fortress, the one in whom we trust."**

Those who dwell in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the refuge of God's wings.

**They will not fear the terror of the night nor the arrow that flies by day.**

"Those who love me, I will deliver," says the Lord.

**O Lord, we call to you now. Show us your salvation.**

Young Disciples' Time

Prayer of Illumination

**Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your Word. Silence in us any voices but your own, so that we may hear your Word and also do it; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

New Testament Lesson: 1 Timothy 6:6-12

Message: Generous: "Finding Our Contentment in God"

*\*Hymn Great Is Thy Faithfulness UMH 140*

*\*Affirmation of Faith UMH 882*

Pastoral Prayer and Announcements

Offering

*Anthem: Here I Am, Lord UMH 593*

*\*Doxology UMH 95*

*\*Prayer of Dedication*

**Beloved God, who richly provides for our needs and**

**enjoyment, thank you for your many gifts. You have trusted us with our lives, with this world, and with your love. May the gifts we offer you today be used for your service and your glory. Help us store up for ourselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, that we may take hold of the life that really is life. We offer these gifts, trusting in our savior Jesus Christ. Amen.**

*Communion Hymn Come to the Table of Grace W&S 3168*

The Invitation

Prayer of Confession

A Time of Silent Confession and Reflection

The Assurance of Pardon

People of God, do not set your hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on the richness of God, who provides us everything for our enjoyment. Be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share. **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

Passing of the Peace

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Prayer of Consecration

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread and Sharing of the Cup

The Prayer of Humble Access

The Reception

Prayer of Gratitude

*\*Hymn Take My Life and Let It Be (v. 1,2) UMH 399*

Benediction

*Postlude Take My Life and Let It Be (v. 3) UMH 399*

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**

**The statistics for the week of November 3, 2024 will be printed in the next bulletin. We apologize for any inconvenience.**

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](http://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

↪ The Joy of Angels Thrift Shoppe is a vital mission of Lacey UMC. **Volunteers are needed to help extend the hours of operation. Contact Maddie Stapleton or Laura McDonald to learn more!!!**

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

**Tues., Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> 10AM-1PM:** Board of Social Services will be in Fellowship Hall to provide info. about their services.

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

*Scripture to read & pray over in preparation for  
November 17 – Ephesians 3:5-12*

♪♪ **Praise Team Practice – Wednesdays at 6PM** ♪♪

### **Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> – Volunteers Needed!**

We will be removing the furniture and stained glass from the altar area to prep for painting on Sunday, November 10. Please stay to help us if you are available! Thank you!!!

**Breakfast with the Pastor: Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM**  
at **CJ's**, Forked River. Everyone is welcome!

*There will be a Bible study and a book study starting soon!  
Please sign up if you are interested!*

### **NexTrex Recycling Program – Begins November 1!!!**

When we collect more than 1,000 pounds of soft film plastics and packaging in a 12-month span, we will be awarded a Trex® furniture bench for our Prayer Garden!

Questions? Contact Laura McDonald at 609-276-0702.

### **HARVEST FEST ~ November 23<sup>rd</sup> 9AM – 2PM**

**BAKED GOODS | HOMEMADE SOUPS & CHILI |  
PICS WITH SANTA (10AM-1PM) | CRAFTS | VENDORS**  
Contact the LUMC Office 609.693.5222 for more information.

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

📞 Contact Steven at 732-300-1956 to learn more!! 📞

### **Family Box of Plenty - Thanksgiving Basket**

Please bring your items in next Sunday, November 24 so the baskets can be distributed before Thanksgiving. Please see an usher for a list of items needed to complete a basket. Thank you for your generosity!

### **Thanksgiving Happenings**

**Sunday, Nov. 24 – Ecumenical Worship** Service 7:00 PM

**Nov. 28 – Thanksgiving Dinner** - 1:00pm in Fellowship Hall

**Nov. 30 – Hanging of the Greens.** Help decorate the Sanctuary for the Christmas season. 8AM-? Breakfast provided!!!

### **Upcoming Meetings**

**Fundraising:** 11/11 6:00 PM **Men's Breakfast:** 11/16 7:30am

**Church Council:** November 18<sup>th</sup> **Trustees:** December 2<sup>nd</sup>

