

Announcements

The altar flowers today are given by Diane and Zuhra Brand in loving celebration of Alan's birthday on March 6.

Joy Circle will be meeting on Saturday, March 7, at Benedict's Restaurant for lunch at 11:00 am. Call Leatta Taylor to make your reservation.

Don't forget to "spring ahead" this Saturday before you go to bed! **Daylight Savings Time** begins at 2:00 am Sunday morning, so set your clocks ahead one hour or you'll be an hour late for church!

Also next Sunday, there will be a **Church Council** meeting immediately following worship. This meeting is open to all, so please make every effort to attend as it's a great way to learn more about the life of our church and denomination.

RoseMarie Ash will be facilitating a **Lenten Bible Study** beginning this Wednesday, March 4, at 4:00 pm, "*Give Up Something Bad for Lent*" by James W. Moore. There is no book needed, just a Bible and note pad ... so call the church office or contact RoseMarie and sign up now!

Don't forget to sign the **registration pad!** If you have any new information (phone, e-mail, address, etc.), please note that next to your name.

The **Men's Breakfast** this Saturday, March 7, will be at the D-Town Family Restaurant, 1056 Main Street, Dunedin, at 8:00 am.

VISITOR INFO

We are so happy that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. If you are searching for a church home and would like to know more about Curlew UMC, our ministries and our church family, please let us know as you sign the registration pad. We hope you are blessed as we worship God together in spirit and in truth.

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MISSIONAL VITAL SIGNS

Passionate Worship Attendance	92
Intentional Discipleship - Bible Studies, Small Groups	19
Salty Service	11

PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER ...

Sandy Fika, Tess Griffith, Richard & Linda Hicks, Helen Kamp, JR Melvin, Mary Smiech, Jo Ann Tilley, those in our Military, our Curlew church family and the United Methodist Church Contact info for church family shut-ins can be obtained by calling the church office and are published monthly in the "Curlew Courier".

Mary DeDea, Eileen Huntington, Vivian Cox, Virginia Worsham, Barbara Bardua, Lea Mae Haislip, Evelyn Ralston, Esther Besch

THIS WEEK AT CURLEW

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

10:00 am	Organ Selections
10:15 am	Hymn Sing
10:30 am	Morning Worship

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

10:00 am	Intercessory Prayer
4:00 pm	"Give Up Something Bad for Lent" Bible Study

THURSDAY, MARCH 5

6:00 pm	Chancel Choir Practice
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FRIDAY, MARCH 6

1:00 pm	Sensible Shoes Book Club
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SATURDAY, MARCH 7

8:00 am	Men's Breakfast @ D-Town Restaurant
11:00 am	Joy Circle Lunch @ Benedict's Restaurant

Move your clocks ahead!

LOOKING AHEAD

3/08	Church Council Meeting, 12:00 pm
3/14	UMM Spaghetti Dinner, 4:00-7:00 pm



Curlew United Methodist Church
March 1, 2020

**1st SUNDAY IN LENT
WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

All are welcome as we come together to worship in the House of the Lord.

Organ Selections

Hymn Sing

Announcements Pastor Rachel Hughes

Birthdays: 3/01 Mary Robertson; 3/02 Ann Krissinger; 3/06 Alan Brand

* Greeting and Sharing the Peace

* Congregation "Come to the Table" TFWS 2264

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Prelude Ben Winkler

Extinguishing the Lenten Candle Jahn & Helen Lawson

Prayer: Lord, help us to keep our feet moving, our hands outstretched, and our hearts open to You. As we journey toward the cross this Lenten season, keep us from temptation and help us to do Your work in our world. Amen.

* Call to Worship Liturgist

Leader: The season of Lent can be barren and lonely,

People: but God goes with us through the wilderness.

Leader: Our lives are lived in seasons of transitions and transformations.

People: Lent is a time to ponder God's providence and persistence.

Leader: Together, we seek fruitfulness, for it has been promised to us;

People: the barrenness of Lent will give way to the fruitfulness of Easter.

Leader: In this season of penitence and pondering, let us gather before God.

All: We come, as a family, to wait for the Lord with strength and courage. Come, let us worship God! Amen.

* Hymn of Celebration "Church's One Foundation" UMH 545 (vs. 1,4,5)

* Affirmation of Faith A Modern Affirmation UMH 885

* The Gloria Patri UMH 70

Anthem Chancel Choir

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Ben Winkler

* The Doxology UMH 95

Scripture 1 Corinthians 1:10-17 p. 924

The Message Pastor Rachel Hughes

The Common Denominator

COMMUNION UMH 12

Holy Communion in the United Methodist Church is open to all.

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS

* Hymn of Adoration "The Lord's Prayer"

* Benediction Pastor Rachel Hughes

* Choral Response "Shalom to You" UMH 666
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Pastor Rev. Rachel Hughes
Director of Music Ministries Ben Winkler

Greeter: Mae Swyers
Ushers: Bob Click, Bob Floyd, Jerry Nahrwold, Jim Swenson
Communion Stewards: RoseMarie Ash, John & Marcy Baker, Sandra Mannira

*** Stand as you are able**

Sermon Notes

Prayer Requests

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Our Church Finances as of 2/28/20

Income to Date: \$13,380.89
Expenses: 17,266.68
(\$ 3,885.79)