The LINK April 2019

GET ON BOARD.... We will have our annual rummage sale from the end of April through the beginning of May! We hope as you do Spring Cleaning, you will remember this and offer some of your unneeded "Good Stuff" to the Rummage Sale.

The sale will follow a similar format as last year. The dates are:

Sunday, April 28th—drop off 11:00 am to 2 pm Monday, April 29th—drop off 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Tuesday, April 30th —drop off 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Wednesday, May 1st—sorting and pricing 9:00am to 5:00 pm (no drop off) - Church Family Sale—5:00 pm to 7:00 pm Thursday, May 2nd– Sale 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Friday, May 3rd-Sale 9:00 am—5:00 pm with \$5.00 bag sale

Beginning at 2:00 pm Saturday, May 4th - Sale 8:00 am to 10:00 am ONLY Clean up 10:00 am until done

Please help us with donating goods, sorting, pricing, and selling goods, buying "good stuff" and clean up, believe it or not, it is fun!! As in the past, *we will not be able to accept* crib mattresses, infant car seats, encyclopedias and dictionaries, typewriters, computer parts and components, TV's, auto parts, desks, and gas-powered equipment.

Thank you for your support as we raise funds for our kitchen refurbishing.

In Faith, Worship and Arts Committee





SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH



Palm Sunday! Be reminded of the reason for the Easter season! Amongst all the busyness that goes on reflect on Jesus & His resurrection.

Easter Sunday, April 21st

Easter reminds us that hope should never be lost for as dark the road may seem, there always lies light at the end of it. May all your prayers be fulfilled and may wonderful blessings be upon you and all your loved ones on this very special day. Happy Easter.

Read, Love and Learn

VBS 2019 SAVE THE DATE July 22—26, 2019



BECAUSE LAKE ORION CARES!

Almost 1 out of 4 school-aged children in Lake Orion are food insecure. Let's do something about it!

Lake Orion United Methodist Church is continuing a program this summer that we began last year to provide lunch to Lake Orion children that qualify for reduced or free lunch through the district. We are targeting to prepare and deliver brown bag lunches to 10% (170) of the over 1700 children in Lake Orion that are food insecure but WE NEED YOUR HELP! \$170 will feed a child for the entire summer! Please consider sponsoring a child (or several) or just give what you can and show the children of Lake Orion we care about them during the summer months.

Send or deliver your tax deductible donations to Lake Orion United Methodist Church, 140 E. Flint Street, Lake Orion, Michigan 48360, or you donate by accessing our website www.lakeorionumc.org for online giving options. Questions can be directed to Dawn Ames at (248) 693-6201 or dawn.ames@lakeorionumc.org.





FUNdraiser to support Blessings in a Brown Bag Lunch Program

Saturday, May 4th and Sunday May 5th



Everything you need including trees and shrubs, annuals, perennials, vegetables, planters, roses, ornamental grasses and professional landscape design. Fundraiser does not include purchase of gift cards.

Mention <u>LAKE ORION CHURCH</u> at checkout for us to receive credit.



10% of your Total Sales will be donated. Visit one of the two locations:



2570 Oakwood, Ortonville 248-627-6498 7360 E. Court Street, Davison 810-658-9221



WE NEED YOU!!!!

Approximately 36,000 units of red blood cells are needed each day in the U.S. The next blood drive is:

Date: May 16th, 2019 Time: 1:30-7:30 pm Where: Lake Orion United Methodist Church

Sign up online at: redcrossblood.org (sponsor code: LOUMC1)

You can also do Rapid Pass online and bring it with you. This will make the process quicker for each of you. Any questions please call Linda Fitzpatrick at <u>248-563-6114</u>.

Blood is the most precious gift we can give to another person...it is the gift of life!



Recently, Prayers and Squares spread their love and prayers by giving Quilts that were made and given with love and hope. If you are interested in finding out more about this wonderful group, please attend their meeting on Tuesday, April 16th at 9 am in room 108. You don't have to be a seamstress, but it is great if you are! We are always looking for talented people to help create our wonderful quilts. Please stop in and see what it takes to spread love and prayers to all. Quilts were recently created for: Jean Taylor, Bettye Lafnear - sister of Judy Wright, Ray and Jan Heyse, and Connie Barnard.





The Prayer Quilt Ministry

To all my beloved friends at LOUMC: Words cannot convey my gratitude and pure delight in seeing through your many supportive and love-laden cards; how very blessed I am to have such a strong and faithful army helping with my current battle. Truly my cup runneth over. Your calls, support and expressions of love have helped fuel my determination to fight and win. See you in May. - - Jean Taylor

Nothing says thank you quite like the words THANK YOU. Thank you so very much for the beautiful quilt made for my sister Bettye. She loves it. -- Judy Wright

Weekly Scheduled Events:

Sunday

08:30, 10:00 Worship 10:00 Kids on the Rock 10:00 Youth Cafe 11:00 Fellowship Time 11:30 Adult Bible Study (205)

Monday

10:30 Bible Study (Sh) 11:45 Tai Chi Sword & Tai Chi (122) 05:30 Community Meal (FH & 105) 07:00 Disciple II class (120) 07:00 Small Group (Lockhart's)

Tuesday

09:00 Mothers Morning Out (Nur) 10:00 Disciple II class (120) 07:00 Chancel Choir

Wednesday

06:45 BNI (FH) 10:00 Sermon Review (120) 07:00 Worship Team Practice

Thursday

09:00 AM - YOGA (122) 09:00 Mothers Morning Out (Nur) 09:30 Hallelujah Handbells

Friday 06:00 Women's NA (123/124)

Saturday

Daily 08:00 PM-Narcotics Anon. (123/124)

FH=Fellowship Hall Nur=Nursery OS=Offsite Sh=Shalom Room

	Sun	Mon	Tue
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	7	8	9 01:00 PM UMW (Sh) 07:00 PM NAMI (Sh)
	14 Palm Sunday	15	16 09:00 AM Prayers & Squares(108) 07:00 PM 4-H
)	21 Easter	22	23
	28 Rummage Sale Drop -off 11am-2pm	29 Rummage Sale Drop- off 9am-5pm	30 Rummage Sale Drop off 9am-5pm





SCRIPTURE WRITING PLAN

April

Repentance & Renewal

Day 1: II Corinthians 6:1-2 Day 2: Revelation 3:19-22 Day 3: Ephesians 5:8 Day 4: Hebrews 10:16-17 Day 5: Philippians 1:3-6 Day 6: Galatians 6:1-5 Day 7: II Peter 3:13-14 Day 8: II Timothy 1:12-13 Day 9: Philippians 3:13-14 Day 10: James 5:16 Day 11: James 5:16 Day 11: James 5:19-20 Day 12: II John 9 Day 13: I John 3:1-3 Day 14: II Corinthians 6:16-18

- Day 15: Hebrews 7:25-27
- Day 16: II Corinthians 7:9-10 Day 17: I John 2:28 Day 18: I Corinthians 13:11-12 Day 19: I John 1:5-10 Day 20: Hebrews 12:1-3 Day 21: Titus 3:3-7 Day 22: I Peter 1:22-23 Day 23: I Timothy 1:14-17 Day 24: Ephesians 6:11 Day 25: Hebrews 2:1-4 Day 26: II Corinthians 13:5 Day 27: Ephesians 2:1-7 Day 28: Ephesians 2:8-10 Day 29: I Peter 3:10-12 Day 30: Luke 15:20-24

Commit to spending 10 minutes every day to meditate and reflect on God's Word. Write down what you have gleaned from each day's scripture.

The Ruffled Mango

United Methodist Women will meet April 9th. We will be meeting at 1 pm in the Shalom Room. April's program will be about Heart Health - the differences between men and women's symptoms. Speaker will be Jennifer Aiken. All are welcome. Please join us for this informative topic.

UNITED METHODIST MEN'S FAT TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

The UMM's Group Annual Pancake Supper on March 5th, was a rousing success!!! A great big THANK YOU and lots of Bear Hugs,

to everyone who came out and joined us. It was a great evening of sharing friendships, fellowship and some good eats!! We deeply appreciate the support and generosity, of so many of our friends and fellow church members- you all certainly make our efforts worthwhile!! Through the VERY GENEROUS freewill offering, we were able to raise \$827!!! THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!! SPECIAL THANKS to Trudy Carney for Table "tents"/food donations and Dawn Ames- all the festive decorations!!



This total will be evenly divided between the Community Assistance Fund and the UMM's treasury, which we use, to help out with any number of projects and appeals, that come our way. Blessings to all of you!!



Working in the Kitchen

Thanks to those who worked at the Baldwin Avenue Kitchen on January 16th - Jack and Charlotte Brown, Jim Childers, Kathy Costello, Cindy Katz, Michele Kellogg, Ginny Lavender and Jay Verran.

Also thanks to those who worked on Wednesday, March 20th: Jim Childers, Cindy Katz, Michele Kellogg, Phil and Ginny Lavender, Bill Porritt and Jay Verran.

Please contact Charlotte Brown at 248-391-0753 if you can help or know someone that would like to help.

Easter is coming!

Every Easter the Worship in the Arts committee sells hydrangeas, azaleas, Easter lilies and daffodils to adorn our sanctuary on Easter morn. If you are interested in buying a plant, please contact Daryl DeBano at home (248 622 1154) or by email at <u>dardebano@gmail.com</u> or visit our table in the Fellowship Hall after the 10 am service. Sales began on March 24th and run until April 14th or until we run out.



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A Night Paradise

A prom for young adults with special needs

FOOD M LIVE DJ & GAMES

Register at nightinparadise.eventzilla.net RSVP required



Make-up Beauty Bar: 5:00 pm Prom: 6:30 - 9:00 pm

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For more information, contact LOUMC at 248.693.6201 or email John Ball at john.ball@lakeorionumc.org



Our prayers and sympathy go out to all of our families and friends who have suffered losses.

About People

Connie Barnard, Linda Carpenter, Kallie Charlton, Howard Daenzer, Sr., Bruce Denton, Vee Hollenbeck, Don Johnson, Joyce Marker, Dave McCloud, Carol McCormick, Sandy McSwain, Patti Miechiels, Edward Naylor, Pamela and Leonard Nichols, Don Northcote, Sherry Reseigh, Randy Riley, Barry Schwerin, Victor Vargason, Roger Waite, Christine Wehrli, Judy Wright, Kathy Young, Community Meals Family, LOUMC Extended Family Members and Friends.

Prayer Chain: Gina Adams 248-202-5618 gadams1645@gmail.com We at **Lake Orion United Methodist Church** (LOUMC) are a diverse, inclusive, caring, and Christ-like community.

Our mission is to connect people to God, one another, and the world, through engaging worship, ongoing spiritual development, intergenerational family ministries, relational mission, and joyful stewardship.

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP 8:30 AM & 10:00 AM NURSERY CARE is available during the 10:00 service. KIDS ON THE ROCK (Age 3 - Gr. 5) is during the 10:00 service. [youth café] (Grs. 6 - 12) is during the 10:00 service.

ELEVATOR available at the Slater Street entrance HEARING IMPAIRED AIDS are available for worship services OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM with lunch from 12 - 1 BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesdays at 3:00 PM. LINK DEADLINE: April 15th for MAY LINK

Call the church office if you would like to be taken off the mailing list. Phone: 248-693-6201, Email: Loumc1@lakeorionumc.org www.facebook.com/lakeorionumc www.lakeorionumc.org

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