# **Order of Worship**

# 9:00 a.m. Live Stream and In-Person Worship Service

(\*Please stand if you are able.)

Ten Thousand Reasons Prelude quartet

Paul Bonner **Greetings & Announcements** 

Paul Bonner \*Call to Worship

- L: Incline you ear, O God. Hear the praises of your people.
- P: Gladden the hearts of your servants, as we lifts up our souls to
- L: For you, O God, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love.
- P: In the day of trouble we call on you, know you will answer.
- L: Your people everywhere glorify your name.
- P: For you are slow to anger, and abound in steadfast love.
- L: Turn to us and be gracious.

To God Be the Glory CH 56 \*Song (Ushers will collect prayer cards during the hymn)

**Opening Prayer** Paul Bonner

Thank you, Loving Spirit, for the warmth of summer and for your invitation to embrace abundant life. Your promise of resurrection allows past troubles to die, as we rise with you to new life. Inspire us to follow your lead, even when it requires us to bear a cross of sacrifice in your name. May our love for you be complete, as we share words and acts of compassion with a world that years for your peace. Amen.

**Scripture Reading** Psalm 31:1-5. 15-16 Paul Bonner 1 Peter 2:2-10

Song Waymaker Leeland

**Junior Church** (for children up to 4th grade) Liz Bonner

Joys, Concerns and Prayers

#### Call to Giving

Your giving to LUMC makes ministry possible in our community and around the world! Thank you! You can also give online at: https://lansdaleumc.org/giving/

**UMH 95** \*Doxology

\*Offering Prayer

Deacon Deb Neild Rocks Sermon

Like A River Glorious CH 737 \*Song

\*Sending and Blessing

\*Postlude **Improv** 

#### WEEKLY UPDATES AND CHURCH NEWS

#### **Pastor Warner on Vacation**

Pastor Warner will be on vacation June 15 – July 4. He will return to the office on July 5. Please keep Pastor Warner in prayer during this time of rest and restoration.

#### **Special Speakers Coming Up**

We are excited to have three different speakers while Pastor Warner is on vacation.

June 18 - Director of Music, Rays Koshy will lead worship.

June 25 - Deacon Debra Neild will preach on "Rocks"

July 2 – Director of Christian Education Liz Bonner will share her faith story.

#### Children's Vacation Bible School Information

This year's VBS theme is "Hero Hotline VBS"- the starting date is July 10th and it will run through July 13th. VBS is open to all. Please invite your friends, neighbors and loved ones!



Start time is 6:00 PM, where a light supper will be provided, and it will run until 8 PM. Decorating and Planning fun nights are Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM in Stringer Auditorium. 6/7, 6/21, 6/28, and 7/5. For more information, please contact Liz Bonner at (215) 353-0965 or lumceducation@verizon.net

#### Register online at:

https://lansdale-united-methodist-church.mvcokesburvvbs.com

# **Summer Camps for Children & Youth**



Our Eastern PA Conference for the UMC offers three Christian Camps to reach and serve children, youth, and adults. Summer camp registration is now open. Visit one of the websites below to learn about the many camps that we offer. You can also register online. LUMC will contribute \$50 per person for any child or youth from LUMC that attends one of the camps. Contact Pastor Warner to take advantage of this \$50 gift.

- Camp Innabah www.innabah.org
- Greta Glen www.gretaglen.org
- Pocono Plateau www.poconoplateau.org
- Carson Simpson Farm www.csfarm.org

#### **New Member / Inquirer Class**

Pastor Warner will be leading another New Member / Inquirer Class for people who would like to become members here at LUMC and for people who want to know more about LUMC ministries. The class will be held on Sunday, July 23 from 12:00 PM -3:30 PM. Please email Pastor Warner (stewwarner@outlook.com) if you would like to be part of this class.

#### **Summer Giving**

Summer is that wonderful time when we change gears and seek to rest and travel. Just a reminder that ministry here at LUMC continues during the summer months along with the costs involved. We're getting ready for Children's Vacation Bible School in July and prepping for the Fall Community Block party. We are also preparing to host homeless families here in September. The air-conditioning gets turned on to make the building comfortable. Recovery groups are meeting here weekly. So ministry continues even while the pace changes and people are traveling. You can still support these ministries through vour giving support online even while you are traveling and away. Follow this link https://lansdaleumc.org/giving/ to give online. You can also setup automatic gifts online with the church or through your bank. Contact Jill Nickerson nickerson66@msn.com or Warren Shaedle wshaedle29@gmail.com if you would like information on how to setup online giving through Realm online giving.

#### **Nursery Attendant Search**

We are continuing to look for a second person to staff the Infant/Toddler nursery. Donna Fritz is our attendant. We are looking for an additional person to help support her. We have already seen a couple families taking advantage of the nursery since Donna began running the nursery in August. Contact the church office for an application.

#### Lay Readers

Thank you to the two additional people that have volunteered to be added to the lay reader rotation. If anyone else is interested in reading Scripture during worship on Sundays, please contact the church office at office@lansdaleumc.org



# **June Mission Emphasis**



The Missions emphasis for June will support Family Promise. A coalition of faith-based organizations within the Montgomery County community helped to Promise establish the Interfaith Hospitality Network in 1989.

The long-term transitional housing program at Hope Gardens provides an opportunity for families to resolve their homelessness through intensive case management and life skills training while having access to safe, stable housing and support for basic needs.

# Hear God's whisper at Laity Academy #2, August 4-5

United Methodists of Eastern PA may hear God's still, small voice speak to their minds and hearts with new knowledge and fertile aspirations when they attend EPA's annual Laity Academy August 4-5, at Eastern University in St. Davids. Register by July 22. The nine courses offered—including four new courses—comprise the core Christ Servant Ministry categories of Speaking, Leading and Caring, along with the Basic Course. Learn more.

https://www.epaumc.org/news/hear-god-speak-at-laity-academy-2august-4-5/

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#### **Camp Counselors for Youth and Children Needed**



Every summer, campers come to Pocono Plateau to be in community with others their age, immersed in nature and challenged to grow in their faith and personal development. They come from different backgrounds, different locations, and might not have ever connected in other settings.

Would you consider helping to provide this space for today's children and teens? We have a few camps this summer with needs for counselors:

Sunday July 9th - Friday July 14th:

- 1 male counselor for a 3rd 6th grade Camp Mania (main site)
- 1 male counselor for Into the Wild (hill) 4th 7th grade
- Someone who can lead music/play guitar for youth camp (main site) (6th 12th grade)

Sunday July 16th - Friday July 21st:

- 2 counselors for a Jr High Main Site
- 1 counselor for 3rd 6th Adventure Quest (main site)
- 1 male counselor for Jr High After Dark (hill not an all night camp!)

Sunday July 23rd - Friday July 28th:

• 1 counselor for Pioneer Outpost (JR High) (male preferred)

We allow counselors to be ages 17 and up, and counselors need to be at least 2 years older than the camp's oldest camper. Counselors receive a discount for their children to attend camp (email camp@poconoplateau.org for details). Volunteers can arrive the Saturday before their camp starts, or Sunday morning of the camp week. Camp ends on Friday evenings. Feel free to email, text, or call Director Carmen O'Shea with questions (director@poconoplateau.org and 470-314-1515)

#### Joys and Concerns requests from 6/18/2023

- Michelle Johnson Prayers for a 29 year old with a brain tumorawaiting test results this week. | Continued prayers for my mom and stepfather's health.| Prayers for Bethanne's mom-now in rehab for health.
- Madeline Brown Prayers for Awakening.
- Maryellen Reinmiller Prayers for my daughter and her family going on vacation.
- Marlene Ney Prayers for safe travel for family members. Prayers for Pastor Stew while he is on his vacation.
- Diana Gallato Rapine Prayers for our friends daughter, Savannah for personal reasons.
- Joan Johnson- Continued prayers for Joe Millman's healing.
- Prayers for Joe Millman for recovery while in West Rockhill Nursing Home
- Ally Hediger Joy! The boys and I moved into our house yesterday.
   We are so blessed! | Prayers of healing for Christopher Domanico who was seriously injured in a motorbike accident. Prayers for his family as well.

#### **Praver Chain**

Janet Harper is coordinating the LUMC Prayer Chain. You can email <a href="mailto:harperjanetk6@gmail.com">harperjanetk6@gmail.com</a> or call (215-699-3026) if you have something you would like added to the LUMC Prayer Chain.

This Week at LUMC		
Sun 6/25	9 AM	Worship (Online and Sanctuary)
Tue 6/27	7:30 PM	NA Meeting
Wed 6/28	7 PM	VBS Planning Meeting (Stringer)
Thu 6/29	7 PM	NA Meeting
Fri 6/30		Pastor Warner on Vacation June 15 - July 4

#### Ways to Give

- 1. Mail slot on 4th St
- 2. Mail to church address
- 3. www.lansdaleumc.org/giving on Realm
- 4. Text LansdaleFirstUMC to 73256

### Lay Readers

June 25 - Paul Bonner July 2 - Alex Holnick July 9 - Michele Dasch July 16 - Paul Bonner July 23 - Verna Colliver

#### This Week's Ushers

Barry McGuire, Neil Hagenbuch, Bob Kennedy, Alan Dickel

#### **Weekly Bulletin Announcements**

If you have an announcement for the weekly bulletin, please e-mail it to the church office, no later than 9AM Tuesday morning.

# **August Circuit Rider**

Please send your announcements / articles to the church office at <a href="mailto:office@lansdaleumc.org">office@lansdaleumc.org</a> by July 15<sup>th</sup>.

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stewwarner@outlook.com 215-990-4581 (cell)

#### Leadership

Paul Bonner – Lay Leader Kris Neild – Church Council Chair Darren Johnson – Treasurer Bob Kennedy – Trustee President Michelle Johnson – Staff Parish Relations Chair

#### Staff

Ally Hediger - Administrative Assistant
Liz Bonner – Director of Christian Education
Rays Koshy – Music Director
Ruth Rineer – Organist
Paul Bonner – Custodian
Donna Fritz – Nursery Attendant

# **Lansdale United Methodist Church**

June 25, 2023 9 AM



# Special Worship Leader: Deacon Deb Neild

# Sermon: Rocks

#### **Our Mission**

Praising God • Making Disciples • Serving All

Join us for online worship! Livestreamed on Sundays at 9 am

YouTube: Lansdale UMC

Facebook: Facebook.com/Lansdale-United-Methodist-Church

Website: https://lansdaleumc.org