

Order of Worship

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

(*Please stand if you are able.)

Prelude *You Make Me Lie Down In Green Pastures* Zuziak

Greetings & Announcements *Pastor Marleah*

*** Call to Worship** *Liz Bonner*

L: Come, walk in green pastures.

P: We follow the Shepherd.

L: Come, lie down in green pastures.

P: We trust the Shepherd.

L: Come, dine at the table of abundance.

P: We are fed by the Shepherd.

L: Come, dwell in God's house.

P: We live in the Shepherd's care.

***Song** *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* *Irish melody*

(If you would like to have a specific prayer prayed for, please fill out the prayer card in the pew and hand it to an usher during the opening hymn)

Scripture Reading *Psalms 23 (Read Together in Unison) Liz Bonner*

Children's Message / Dismissal to Jr. Church *Pastor Marleah*

Joys, Concerns, Prayers, and The Lord's Prayer *Pastor Marleah*

Call to Giving *Pastor Marleah*

(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/>)

Song *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above* *Bell*

***Doxology** *UMH 95*

***Offering Prayer** *Pastor Marleah*

Sermon *The Shepherd and The Sheep / Psalm 23:1* *Pastor Marleah*

***Song** *Good Good Father* *Barrett/Brown*

***Sending and Blessing** *Pastor Marleah*

***Postlude** *You Make Me Lie Down In Green Pastures* *Zuziak*

Scifres, Mary; Beu, B.J.. The Abingdon Worship Annual 2024 (p. 202). Abingdon Press. Kindle Edition. UMH – United Methodist Hymnal; FWS – Faith We Sing; W&S – Worship & Song, CH – Celebration Hymnal.

Upcoming Events



Praising God

Children's Programs During Service

Nursery is available during the service for infants through age 2. Jr. Church will be dismissed after the children's message for children 3 years and older.

Lay Readers:

- Aug 16 Liz Bonner
- Aug 23 Michele Johnson

Ushers

Geri Hare, Michele Dasch, Cathy Kennedy, Kathy Herbert



Making Disciples

New Members Class

Classes will be held Sept. 20, Sept. 27, and Oct. 4, from 10:30–11:30 a.m. in Stringer. New members will be welcomed during worship on Oct. 11.

New Horizons Fellowship: New Horizons Fellowship will begin the study "Through the Eyes of the Angels", a 4-lesson study that examines the life of Jesus from a unique perspective — through the eyes of the angels. Each lesson will include a short video presented by Jennifer Hicks followed by discussion. The study will begin on September 20, 2026 and group will meet in room A101. Details will be announced in the weekly bulletin beginning September 6, 2026. All are welcome, questions contact Warren Shaedle.



Serving Locally

Women United in Faith Supports Laurel House

Needed items include food, snacks, cleaning supplies, new Twin/XL comforters, pillows, and pads. Please place donations outside Stringer Auditorium. Thank you!

Support Families Affected by the Recent Fire in Lansdale

Gifts may be given online or text to support the families affected by the recent fire in Lansdale. Text LansdaleFirstUMC to 73256 and select "Lansdale House Fire" in the dropdown list.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

1:00–6:00 PM at Lansdale UMC, Stringer Auditorium

2026: August 31, November 30 / 2027: January 25

Register at: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/>

2026 Men's Retreat

Save the date! Nov. 6-8 with guest speaker Rev. Jim Goudie!

August Missions Emphasis: Liberty Ministries

Liberty Ministries has been serving inmates and former inmates since 1980 by sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ and providing spiritual, emotional, and practical support. Through prison ministry, residential recovery homes, mentoring, counseling, and vocational training. For more information, visit: <https://www.libertyministries.us/>

Indoor Yard Sale Saturday, August 22nd from 9 to 2 pm.

Books, puzzles, holiday decorations, kitchen items, knick knacks, children's clothing all accepted. Items can be placed on the stage of Stringer Auditorium, feel free to drop them off when you go to church. Be sure to stop by for lunch during the yard sale, we will be serving pork bbq sandwiches, homemade baked goods, and other treats! Book bags filled with school essentials will be distributed to children and free back to school haircuts will be available during the indoor yard sale from 12 to 2pm.



Serving Globally

Other News:

Weekly Bulletin

Announcements for the bulletin must be emailed to church office by **9 AM Monday Morning**. The bulletin will include date, time, location, and a brief description or contact info for the event.

September Circuit Rider Newsletter

Please email announcements, pictures, or articles to the church office by Aug 15th.

Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9 AM -1:00 PM,
Wednesday 9 AM – 3 PM.

Church Contact Information:

Church Office: office@lansdaleumc.org 215.855.8364
Pastor Marleah: pastormarleah@lansdaleumc.org

Ways To Give Online

Please see pew card with QR code or text
LansdaleFirstUMC to 73256.

Prayer Chain

Janet Harper is coordinating the LUMC Prayer Chain. You can email harperjanetk6@gmail.com to add someone to the Prayer Chain.



Lansdale UMC

Aug 16, 2026

Through The Valley

Psalm 23



Message:

The Shepherd and The Sheep

Psalm 23:1

Our Mission

Praising God • Making Disciples • Serving All

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

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