

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

YOUTH GROUP, SUNDAYS, 5-7 PM at Faith UMC for 5th-12th graders. **Sign up in the hall to be the 2nd adult and/or to provide a meal.** November 19, youth will go to Gretna Glen. Meet at Faith at 3:30PM and pick up at 7PM. Permission slips are required. Contact Pastor Jason for more info. Students from any church are invited to join us.

GRIEFSHARE GROUP to help people find support and process the loss of loved ones meets every other Monday from 5-6 PM at Faith UMC. **Next Meetings: November 6 & 20.**

CHATting VIA ZOOM on Mondays at 6:30 PM: This member-led, discussion group meets online at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86190453518?pwd=cEVDeDljeThaaWVlYjJlQWmZjTm5oUT09>.

BIBLE STUDY on Wednesdays at 6:30pm at Oregon Community UMC in Fellowship Hall led by Mike.

FRIDAY BIBLE STUDY at 10AM in Faith UMC Fellowship Hall with Pastor Jason.

VOTE: Don't forget to vote this Tuesday, November 7. You can find candidates info on vote411.org.

THE CHURCH & SOCIETY TEAM engages in improving our community by standing up against injustice. **Next meeting: Nov 16 at 5:30 PM (3rd Thursdays).** To learn more, contact Renee Norman. **POWER Interfaith will be hosting a Community Wide Assembly on Sunday, Nov. 12 from 3-5pm at Grandview Church,** 888 Pleasure Rd, Lancaster, PA 17601. We will plan on ways to work together for justice in Lancaster County across multiple faith communities. Register at: <https://secure.everyaction.com/uKGVNAO2AESIkjQladaA8A2>. To be a part of the team working on **Bail Reform & Representation for persons accused of crimes,** join the Zoom Session at Noon every Wednesday: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82483314676?pwd=K2ZtZGQ0LzBOe1VlVXQwUk5LR2VFQT09>

JUNIOR CHURCH TEACHERS NEEDED AT FAITH UMC: Teaching our children about our faith is a core mission of church. We need people to take turns teaching 3 year-4th grade students during the 10:30AM Service. *Deep Blue* Curriculum and materials are all provided. **We need teachers and aides. Contact Pastor to volunteer.**

BIBLE2SCHOOL SMALL GROUP LEADERS are needed for 2-4th grade classes on Tues and Wed for 1.5 hours each class. Students from Reidenbaugh Elementary get bussed to Faith UMC each week. The teachers provide the core lesson, **but we need small group leaders to follow up the lesson with a 10-minute-long discussion time with pre-planned questions and activities.** Contact Pastor Jason to sign up to help.

LITITZ MEALS ON WHEELS has an urgent and on-going need for volunteer cooks. Follow pre-printed easy menus for 50-60 people. Contact Jewel Shaub at 717-626-4352 or tjshaub@gmail.com or John Huber at 717-627-1176 or jehuber@ptd.net or leave a message at 717-626-2500.

IMPACT MISSION Lunch Crew needs volunteers on Thursdays, 10AM-Noon. Volunteer for 1 or more Thursdays a month (or some Wednesdays). **Help make bagged lunches for Impact volunteers** at Christ UMC, 935 E. Walnut St., Lancaster. Contact Sue Grimm Mattox at sgrimm1028@gmail.com or 717.575.6414

LUMINA KIDS NIGHT needs volunteers for Monday evenings Nov. 6, 13, & 20. They need 3-4 adults to play with the kids and provide a light supper for 15 students. Contact Pastor Jason or Correen Russo 717-808-8633.

SUB SALE: Oregon Community UMC still has certificates from S. Clyde Weaver for sale at \$7.00 each. Pick up a delicious made-to-order sub at any of their locations. It's convenient when you don't feel like cooking! You have a choice of at least 7 varieties of sandwiches available on a sub roll, bread or wrap. Please see Pastor Jason or Joetta Henry to buy a coupon. If we run out, Faith UMC is selling some as well.

THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE on November 22nd at 7:00 PM at Oregon Community UMC to celebrate God's goodness to us and to express our thankfulness for his continued providence.

Welcome to Oregon Community United Methodist Church



Address: 1214 Creek Road, Lititz, PA 17543

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Website: OregonCommunityUMC.us

Facebook: Oregon Community UMC

Pastor: The Rev. Jason Perkowski

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Mission of Oregon Community United Methodist Church:
“**Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation
of our community and the world.**”

**SUNDAY WORSHIP IN THE SANCTUARY at 9:00 AM at Oregon Community UMC
& BROADCAST at 10:30 AM from Faith UMC on Facebook & church websites.**

OFFICE HOURS: Pastor Jason is generally available Mon-Thurs from about 10-5pm. He is spending time with family from Friday at Noon through Saturday. If there is an emergency, please leave a detailed message.

Oregon Community United Methodist Church

November 5, 2023 at 10:30 AM – All Saints Sunday

WELCOME: We come together to worship the triune God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit who created, redeem and restore all things. You are welcome in this sacred space in the presence of the Holy and Loving God no matter who you are; from where you have come; what experiences, struggles or gifts you bring; or the questions, doubts & beliefs you carry. Together, we seek to learn and live out our Faith. We are so glad you are here!

GREETINGS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & CENTERING PRAYER

Pastor Jason

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Jason & God's People

On this All Saints Day, we gather to join the multitude of saints across the generations from all tribes, peoples, and languages, to proclaim: **Salvation belongs to our God, who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!** We come to remember, to grieve, and to celebrate those saints who have come before, yet whose life and witness continues to teach us: **Salvation belongs to our God, who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!** We gather today as the family of Christ, siblings and saints, diverse yet united by grace to live lives that declare: **Salvation belongs to our God, who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!** May we be guided today by the Lamb who is our Shepherd, the one who gathers us, comforts us and tends us. **May we join in the work of the Shepherd to bring about a world with no more hunger, no more thirst, no more suffering, and no more pain that all the saints of the past, the present, and the future may share in God's abundant life. Amen.**

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, April 2023

A TIME FOR CENTERING & PRAYER & REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

*HYMN

For All the Saints

UMH #711 v. 1-4

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Revelation 7:9-17

Dot Lange

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Jason

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 34:1-10, 22

Dot Lange

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

*HYMN

Faith of Our Fathers

UMH #710

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 John 3:1-3

Dot Lange

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Pastor Jason

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Matthew 5:1-12

Dot Lange

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

SERMON

From Every Tribe

Pastor Jason

COMMUNION

UMH #12-15

All are invited to the Lord's Table to receive God's forgiveness and grace through Communion

OUR OFFERINGS OF PRAYERS, PRESENCE, GIFTS, SERVICE & WITNESS

*Hymn

My Tribute

UMH #99

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH #13-15 & #895

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*HYMN

Sing With All the Saints in Glory

UMH #13-15

UMH #702

BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH

Pastor Jason

*HYMN

Ye Servants of God

UMH #181

Pianist: Jody Wiker **Pastor:** The Rev. Jason Perkowski **Ministers:** The People of God

Liturgists: November 5 Dot Lange; 12 Bob Jolly; 19 Mike Shifflet; 26 Ralph Stone;

BIRTHDAYS: November 1 Jane Hess; 3 Jody Wiker; 15 Gene Denlinger

ANNIVERSARIES: November 13 Bob & Christie Jolly

PRAYER REQUESTS: Healing for Ralph's toe; Cynthia Kelly's mother, broken hip; All those in mourning; Kathy Fisher, healing from hip surgery; Dean Cooper, healing for heart; Vince Habel, healing; Shirley Baker, healing; Larry Cooper, continued healing and relief from back surgery and pain; Cheryl Cooper, MS; Bruce, hamstring; Fritsch & Stone family; Rev. Dorcas, healing from cancer; Cynthia from NJ, battling cancer; Shirley Gehr; Kevin's kidneys (Joetta's grandson); Dot's sister, Margaret; Robert T. Perkowski, healing and strength; Brent Rollins, healing after spinal surgery; Denny Armstrong, healing after colon surgery; Josh & Megan (Jackie's grandkids); Foster families; Kathy Muth, cellulitis; Jack Muth, brain cancer; Chuck Flory, ALS; Bob Rinier; Judy Brivchik, eyesight; all those with cancer; Campus Ministries; Bishop John Schol, Conference Staff, DS Jenny Freymoyer, Pastors and Laity. **PRAISES:** God's presence and healings. **PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD:** The people of Israel, Palestine, Ukraine & Russia; Wisdom & safety for government officials globally; President Joe Biden and VP Kamala Harris; Healthy and gentle campaigns and election process; Prayers for political candidates—safety & wisdom; Victims of gun violence; The UMC & disaffiliations; Veterans & Service members; police & medical personnel; the sick & caregivers; victims of violence & racism; peace, wisdom & reconciliation; abused persons & abusers; all affected by disasters; refugees & immigrants; the hungry, homeless & incarcerated; students, teachers & administration; libraries & staff; those struggling with addictions or mental illness; seniors; those grieving; our ministries & our community.



OFFERINGS: Thank you to everyone that supports our ministries. **Please consider if you are able to make a gift.** You can set up recurring donations through your own financial institution or at www.OregonCommunityUMC.US or via the QR Code. You can direct gifts to the **General Ministry, Building Funds, or UMCOR relief efforts (via <https://umcmmission.org>.)** We are able to receive gifts from **Required Minimum Distributions** from tax deferred **Retirement Accounts** (of those over 73 years of age), **Stocks, Bonds, Investments, Foundations, IRAs, etc.**

IN NEED OF HELP? Contact Pastor Jason, dial **2-1-1** or visit www.211.org to reach the **United Way Call Center** for social services. The **Crisis Intervention Lifeline** is (717) 394-2631 or dial 9-8-8.

LONG MEMORIAL FREE GROCERIES for those in need every Friday Night at 6pm. You can drive up and receive groceries to help support you through the week. *Volunteers are needed from 5-6pm.*

MEDICINE BOTTLE PROJECT: We collect empty prescription pill bottles for clinics overseas to package medications. *Remove labels & residue.*

COMMUNITY AID will donate \$.13 to Faith UMC for every pound of clothing, shoes, electronic, toys, & household goods (excluding furniture) donated at 31 Rohrerstown Road Mon-Sat, 9am – 6 pm. *Tell staff to credit Non-profit partner # 10221 - Faith UMC.* Write or tape partner number on bags/boxes.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS: If you are interested in learning more about joining the UMC contact Pastor Jason

VETERANS DAY: On November 12 we would like to honor all of our church members and their family who have served in the armed services. **Please bring a framed photo of your loved ones to the church that morning. No later than Monday Nov 6,** please email Pastor Jason the full name, date of birth/death, military branch and rank.