

OUR PRESENCE

August 4, 2024

- Online: 108
- Sunday School: 96
- Contemporary: 76
- Traditional: 145
- Total In Person: 221

August 11, 2024

- Online: 72
- Sunday School: 122
- Contemporary: 83
- Traditional: 124
- Total In Person: 207

August 18, 2024

- Online: 74
- Sunday School: 105
- Contemporary: 93
- Traditional: 104
- Total In Person: 227

August 25, 2024

- Sunday School: 86
- Contemporary: 77
- Traditional: 141
- Total In Person: 218

OUR GIFTS

Giving Deposits

- July Online: \$7,297
- August 4: \$10,006
- August 11: \$9,527
- August 18: \$4,143
- August 25: \$7,180

General Budget Giving Through July 2024

Tithes & Offerings \$361,700

Expenses \$358,051

Parsonage Kitchen

Renovation: \$24,158

WE ARE FAMILY



A Vision Series

September 2024



A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR PAUL

As United Methodists, our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. But what does that look like for us here at LUMC? **Our vision is to be a family where all people are welcomed, loved, empowered and transformed by God's grace.** In our family, we welcome all to the table of grace (September 1st). We are empowered to serve side by side (Servant Day, September 8th). We're invited to find a place to belong and grow in faith (Connect Sunday, September 15th). And we are transformed by the care we give and receive in our church family, community, and beyond (September 22nd). We are family. And I'm so grateful you're a part of it.

In God's love,
Pastor Paul



A Family for All...

INTERESTED IN JOINING LUMC?

coffee with the pastors



**Sunday, September 1st
at 10AM in the Parlor**

Our Church Family

We'd like to say a heartfelt Thank You to our church family for the love and care that was shown to us after Glenn's passing. We appreciate the cards, texts, phone calls, and hugs very much. What a blessing to call Lewisville UMC our church home! -The Chamberlins

Birthdays in September

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|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 William Huffman | 16 Kaleb Flanery |
| 3 Jo Beth Melton | 17. Jason Harvey |
| 4 Brian Edwards | Samantha Morris |
| Travis Markle | 19 Kristopher Bramlett |
| 5 Etta Farlow | Isabel Shuping |
| 7 Dustin Jennings | 21 Brian Crewey |
| 8 Jerry Farmer | 22 John Wells |
| 9 David Criner | 23 Wayne Hall |
| 10 Carol Miller | 24 Betsy Schneider |
| 11 Gianna DeAngelis. | 25 Ashley Woodard |
| 12 Joe Arnoczy | 26 Owen Boger |
| 14 Alexa Gordon | Olivia Mock |
| Mary Myers | 27 Lingjing Bramlett |
| Erika DeAngelis | 28 Libby Katers |
| | 29 Britt Anne McClelland |
| | 30 Julie Collins |
| | Linda Lyon |



Anniversaries in September

- 1 Richard & Phyllis Herring
- 3 Gary & Cheryl Gross
- 6 Jeff & Anne Hennis
- 7 Brian & Erika DeAngelis
- 12 David & Joy Googe
- Eliot & Janene Ewald
- 14 Doug & Melony Brown
- 15 Matt & Missy LaMontagne
- 24 Larry & Linda Peddycord
- Gordon & Donna Stanford
- 26 Stuart & Kara Chamberlin
- 29 Mark & Valerie Alexander





Empowered to Serve...



LEWISVILLE UMC

SERVANT
Day

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

COMBINED WORSHIP: 9AM

SERVICE PROJECTS FOR
ALL AGES AND ABILITIES

LUNCH PROVIDED



September 15, 2024

Connect Sunday

Find a place to belong, a place to grow...

For Kids

- **Preschool Sunday School**
(Sundays at 10am)
- **Elementary Sunday School**
(Sundays at 10am)
- **Tween Time** (4th & 5th Graders,
monthly from 3-4:30pm)
- **Children's Choir** (Sundays from
4:30-5:15pm)

For Youth

- **Bible and Breakfast**
(Sundays at 10am)
- **Youth Handbells** (Sundays from 3:45-
4:30pm)
- **Youth Group**
(Sundays from 4:30-6pm)

For Adults

- **Sunday School** (Sundays at 10am - see next page for class list)
- **Pastor Paul's Bible Study** (Tuesdays at 10am in Asbury Hall)
- **Pastor Kara's Bible Study** (Wednesdays at 6:30pm on Zoom)
- **United Methodist Men** (meets monthly for meals and service opportunities)
- **United Women in Faith Circles** (2nd Monday of the month at 10am in Yokefellow and 1pm in the Parlor)
- **Shelf Care Women's Book Club** (meets monthly on Sundays at 4:30pm)
- **Echoes Senior Adult Ministry** (4th Wednesday of the month)
- **Dinner for 8 Fellowship Ministry** (monthly meals at local restaurants and participants' homes)
- **Fitness Faith** (Mondays at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall)
- **Pickleball Players** (Tuesdays at 6pm at the Shallowford Lakes Tennis Courts)
- **Hiking Group** (1st Saturdays of the month at 9am, October-March)
- **Chancel Choir** (Wednesdays at 7:15pm in the Choir Room)
- **Worship Team** (Sundays at 8am in the Sanctuary)
- **Handbells** (Mondays at 7:15pm in the Handbell Room)

Adult Sunday School Classes

New and Re-Launching Classes are bolded in red

- **Young Adult Class:** Open to anyone who describes themselves as a “young adult”. This new group will gather to make connections, and grow in faith and fellowship with the hopes of gathering outside of the Sunday School hour as well. Facilitated by Karen Stutzman in the Prayer Room.
- **Early Parenthood Class:** Designed for those with young children, this new class will gather weekly to discuss healthy habits for faithful homes, share the joys and worries and parenting young children, and support one another in prayer. Facilitated by Daniel and Lily Godfrey in the Library.
- **Wesleyan Class:** Geared toward parents of youth and children, weekly meetings include time for light refreshments, fellowship, a Bible based discussion, and prayer. Facilitated by Pastor Paul in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Seekers Class:** Re-launching this fall with the same spirit of openness and love that is deeply grounded in United Methodist theology, this class will read various books and studies by Rev. Adam Hamilton. Facilitated by Anne Watkins in the Seekers Classroom.
- **Upper Room Class:** Dive deep into God’s word to study, discuss and reflect upon the biblical truths it contains which can guide our lives. This class is currently using the LifeGuide Bible Study Series and rotate studies about 8-10 weeks. Facilitated by Cheryl Gross in the Upper Room Classroom.
- **Yokefellow Class:** Sometimes called the “formerly young adult class,” this class’s Bible studies seek to apply scripture to Christian living. Facilitated by Bo Houff in the Yokefellow Classroom.
- **Fellowship Class:** A mixed-aged discussion based class that examines the intersections between current events, relevant topics, and our Christian faith. Facilitated by Emily Jennings in the Fellowship Classroom.



Back to School Blessing



Fall Youth Kickoff



Transformed by Care...



Please only donate requested items that have not expired as there is limited space in the pantry. Financial contributions are always appreciated. Checks should be made out to LCAP. Thank you!

Lewisville Community Garden

Grow healthy produce with your neighbors on Wednesdays and Saturdays. For his Eagle Project, Jonas Williams has expanded the Blessings Box to provide produce from the garden for families in our community. Thank you Jonas!



Remember to donate non-perishable food & toiletry items to the Blessings Box as often as possible.

September Blessings Box Volunteer:

Morris Family - Connie Beard



On August 5th-7th, some of our youth cared for neighbors in Winston-Salem as part of Spark'Dwell



On August 17th, 60 of our church family members joined 40 United Methodists from other churches in packing 16,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger!

Habitat for Humanity "Methodist House"

United Methodist churches in Forsyth County are joining forces to build a Habitat House in 2025! We will have a guest speaker from Habitat for combined Sunday School on Sunday, Sept. 22nd and will collect our 5th Sunday offering for Habitat on Sept. 29th.


Children's Consignment Sale Dates:

- Sat. Sept. 21st 8am-2pm
- Sun. Sept. 22nd 2pm-5pm
- Mon. Sept. 23rd (1/2 Price Sale*)
9am-12pm & 4pm-7pm

Contact Starr Green at lumcpdex@gmail.com to consign or volunteer. Wire hangers needed! Drop off in black bins in preschool lobby.

The next Red Cross Blood Drive will be on Sept. 14, at Shallowford Presbyterian.

Pray for our missionary in Cambodia, Patrick Booth (pbooth@umcmmission.org)



We all go through hard times. Stephen Ministers are congregation members trained to provide one-to-one, ongoing, Christ-centered care and support for people who are hurting. Contact Pastor Tom Lee or Pastor Paul to be put in touch with a Stephen Minister.



Memorials & Honorariums

General Fund

- Given by Nancy Fisher in memory of Elanor Thompson
- Given by Mike & Toni Jones in memory of Margaret Bowers & Charlie Bowles
- Given by Ron & Sue Darby in memory of Glenn Chamberlin & Sue Peters
- Given by Bob & Donna Stebbins in memory of Glenn Chamberlin
- Given by Francis Brown in honor of Maxine Mast's 92nd Birthday
- Given by Jimmy & Phyllis Moore in memory of Charlie Bowles, Margaret Bowers, Eleanor Thompson, Glenn Chamberlin & Sue Peters
- Given by Debby Trivett in memory of Margaret Bowers

Parsonage Fund

- Given by David Shanks in memory of Sue Peters, Margaret Bowers, Eleanor Thompson, & Glenn Chamberlin
- Given by Bo & Beth Houff in memory of Glenn Chamberlin & Margaret Bowers
- Given by Jerry & Ellen Farmer in memory of Charlie Bowles
- Given by the Fellowship SS Class in memory of Charlie Bowles

LCAP Fund

- Given by Margaret Vanderiet in memory of Charlie Bowles

New T-Shirts are Here!
If you ordered a shirt- it is labeled with your name in the Hallway outside the Narthex.

Extra Shirts are available in the Narthex- first come, first served.



Pick Up Your LUMC Car Magnet in the Narthex





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