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Lyndonville United Methodist News

Upcoming Ministries, Meetings & Programs June 2023

June 4	Sunday Youth Service at the Park Picnic & Baptisms (Weather Permitting)	11AM
June 6	Ad Council Meeting	6:30PM
June 11	Youth Sunday School Worship Service-Online & in Sanctuary	9AM 10AM
June 12	Hope Resale Meeting	6PM
June 18	**Happy Fathers Day!!!** Youth Sunday School Worship Service-Online & in Sanctuary	9AM 10AM
June 19-24	**Pastor On Vacation**	
June 25	Youth Sunday School Worship Service-Online & in Sanctuary **Special Speaker Susan Mendelson**	9AM 10AM



Summer Hope Resales Hours

Wednesday 10AM-1PM

Thursday 5PM-8PM

Friday & Saturday 10AM-1PM

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Service Times

Sunday School 9:00am
Worship in the Sanctuary &
Online 10:00 am
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On Facebook

Happy Anniversary!

June 10

Harold & Anna Marie Kingdollar

June 23

Jim & Valarie Wells



JUNE

Hope

RESALES

* A Community Thrift Store.

Wednesday 10 Am to 1 PM

Thursday 5 PM to 8 PM

Friday 10 AM to 1 PM

Saturday 10 AM to 1 PM

Volunteers Always Welcome!!!

Please Call the church office 585-765-9313

Note: New Winter Hours for Thursday Nights 4PM-7PM

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIVING!!!!

Let us continue practicing

"Extravagant Generosity."

Send your offerings by US mail to

P.O. Box 483 Lyndonville NY 14098, or online through

Tithe.ly

"Remember whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously."

- June 2 Kaitlin Gray & Kelly Cleveland
- June 4 DeAnn Diermyer
- June 6 Halli Gray & Dana Joy
- June 8 Matt Carpenter
- June 9 Michaela Carges
- June 13 Brooks Boyle
- June 15 Ginny Carpenter, Robert Olinger & Rick Rumble



- June 17 John Olinger & Kathy Blair
- June 18 Jenna Gawne & Robin Botsford
- June 22 Mary Scarlet
- June 25 Michael Blount & Kimberly Waters
- June 28 Larry Wolfe
- June 30 Debora Becker

Church in the Park

Sunday June 4, 2023 @ 11AM

Join us at Yates Town Park in the newly built pavilion

Bring a dish to pass for after service

THIS IS A YOUTH LED SERVICE SO PLEASE COME AND ENJOY WHAT THE LORD HAS IN STORE!!!

June

FROM THE PASTOR'S

DESK

2023

Reimagining Normalcy

There is no doubt that, like the flu, Covid will remain a perennial threat to our world. But we should all take a victory lap—or do a dance—to celebrate the end of a pandemic—one we were haunted and daily reminded of for the past few years.

Covid wreaked havoc on our country, our world, and our families. Churches are still in a recovery mode. It is rare to see someone wear a mask in church services and we are back to sitting closer together—thankfully—but there remains a dark cloud that prevents us from returning fully to our former patterns of church attendance, giving, and involvement.

I would urge that those who stopped attending worship services during the pandemic to return to regular worship. I would encourage members to give regularly to support our church, even though we have not resumed passing the offering plates. We all know how easy it is to drift into patterns of passivity: “Let’s just watch from home....They don’t miss our offerings.....Too much has changed since then.”

I would add that as summer approaches, there is also the tendency to relax our spiritual commitments. But there are too many souls yet to be saved, there is too much that God wants to do in and through us. And our short lives are passing by too quickly to avoid the most fulfilling and purposeful parts of our existence.

So, welcome back and let us move forward together!



Pastor Tim Schultz

Carpe Occasionem



A bunch of years ago I was walking through a parking lot. As I approached my car, I saw that a group of people were gathered around the driver's seat of a car near mine. I could tell that whoever was in that seat was in some sort of health distress,

and I could hear sirens in the distance. I loaded my purchases into my car and looked back at the group of people. I felt strongly led to pray for them so I got into my car and began to pray. Then I began to cry – surprisingly.... tears simply poured while I prayed. I sat there praying until the ambulance arrived and then for a bit more.

That might be the most dramatic time I was led to pray for someone but it is by far not the only time. I've been woken up in the middle of the night, or overwhelmed with concern or, moved to prayer through persistent thoughts and even while driving when certain individuals are brought to mind.

Now, I have no idea who was in the car that day, I have no idea what the problem was, I have no idea why I was so strongly moved to pray and I have no idea how it all turned out – and I have no idea why it all invoked tears. I do know that I feel I was in the right place at the right time to be blessed with an opportunity to pray for someone who was in need. I'll probably never know. I know that I will likely never know the who, what, where, when, and why of the circumstances, but I don't need to know. It is enough to have prayed, for whomever, for whatever.

This all brings to mind Esther. Have ya ever read the Book of Esther? You should! Esther was instrumental at a critical time in God's plan for Persia. The key scripture upon which the entire book turns is when Mordecai implores Esther saying *"Do not think that because you are in the king's house you alone of all the Jews will escape. For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to royal position for such a time as this?"* Esther 4:13,14.

We would do well to learn from the experiences of Esther and Mordecai. Mordecai's life is filled with challenges that he turned into opportunities. Notes found in the Life Application Bible include these two points about lessons from Mordecai's life:

- 1) "The opportunities we have are more important than the ones we wish we had." God's opportunities will present themselves in a myriad of ways. We must remain open to his leading, to the possibilities of a life of service to Him. You never know when you may be called to pray, or act, or offer a kind word, or whatever
- 2) God is using the situations you face each day to weave a pattern of godliness into your character. Pause and ask God to help you respond appropriately to the situations you find yourself in today. Even if it is to simply sit in your car and pray while someone else is in distress. Because who knows..... perhaps you are here for a time such as this.

- Anne Hyndman

COMING TO LUMC ON SUNDAY JUNE 25

SPEAKER SUSAN MENDELSON NOW WITH KINGDOM FORWARD COACHING, A JEWISH BELIEVER IN JESUS, PREVIOUSLY SERVED IN EVANGELISTIC JEWISH MISSIONS FOR ALMOST 24 YEARS. AS BOTH MISSIONARY AND MUSICIANARY, BOTH POSTED IN NY AND HAVING TRAVELED THROUGHOUT THE NATION AND WORLDWIDE, SHE HAS DONE DIRECT OUTREACH MINISTRY, ONE-ON-ONE MINISTRY WITH JEWISH PEOPLE, AND HAS ALSO MINISTERED IN HUNDREDS OF CHURCHES, PRESENTING JESUS-CENTERED MUSIC, HER PERSONAL TESTIMONY AND MESSAGES. SUSAN HAS AN MA IN MINISTRY AND LEADERSHIP FROM WESTERN SEMINARY. SHE LOOKS FORWARD TO BRINGING KINGDOM FORWARD COACHING TO YOU. SHE DESIRES TO ENCOURAGE AND SUPPORT YOU TO TAKE A FRESH LOOK AT WAYS THAT WE CAN SPEAK ABOUT GOD IN OUR EVERYDAY LIVES AND PARTICIPATE IN GOD'S KINGDOM WORK.



• SUMMER CAMP •



Summer Camps have long been a vital ministry of the United Methodist Church in NYS. We are excited to share 2023 summer camp and retreat opportunities with you!

Camp & Retreat Ministries has five centers throughout New York state – from the Adirondacks west to the edges of two Great Lakes, north to the St. Lawrence Seaway and south to the state border with Pennsylvania.

Each of our centers serves a diverse population, including rural, urban and suburban, while offering opportunities to connect with God's creation, with a loving Christian community, and with friends, new and old.

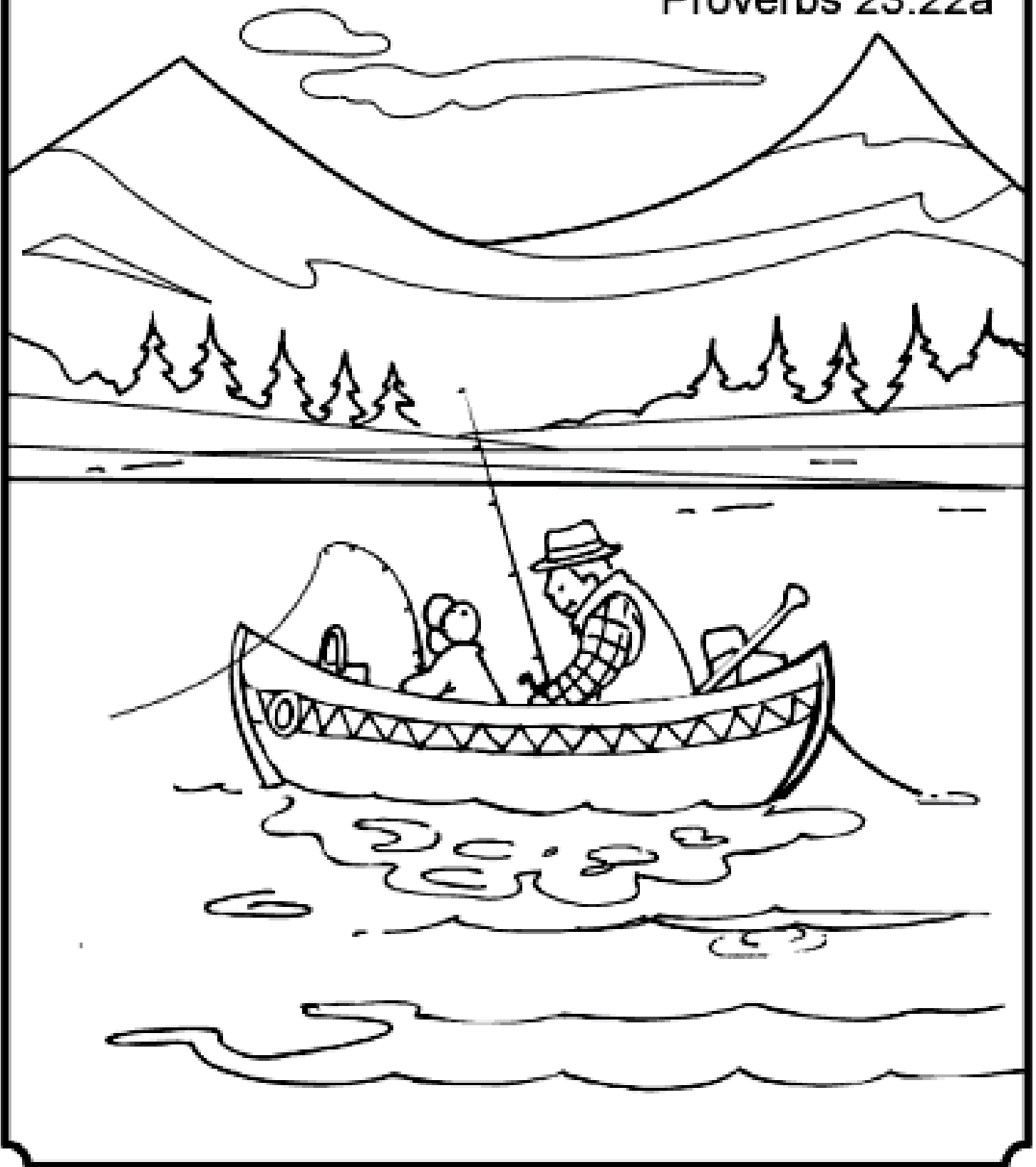
This year at LUMC, Hope Resales and our UM Women's group are partnering to offer scholarships for our children and families to facilitate a camping experience. If you are interested find out more at www.campsandretreats.org. If you see a camping opportunity that interests you and fill out a request form (in the church office) and turn it into the church office. Someone will get back to you in short order.

Pay attention to the registration dates and act ASAP, camps fill up quickly.

Summer Camps provide endless laughter, meaningful worship, and important friendships. Retreats provide a unique experience in a beautiful setting.

Listen to your father.

Proverbs 23:22a



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<i>Pastor on Vacation</i>						
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FATHER HAS
COMPASSION
ON HIS
CHILDREN,
SO THE
LORD HAS
COMPASSION
ON THOSE
WHO FEAR
HIM.

- PSALM 103:13 -