

WELCOME!

FIRST UMC OF LEBANON

Thank you for worshipping with us today. To help us in our ministry, please complete this card and place in the offering plate.

Date: _____

NAME(S): _____

____ Please **UPDATE** my information:

ADDRESS: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOME: _____

CELL: _____

____ I am a visitor.

____ I am interested in joining the church.

____ I attend regularly

____ Add my phone or email to the Connection Line to receive general announcements, but not prayer requests.

____ I need directions for Connection Line text messages.

USE OTHER SIDE FOR PRAYER REQUESTS

Events for the Week:

Today	9:30 AM, Worship "Imitating"	Genesis 15:1-12,17-18 Philippians 3:17 - 4:1
	10:30 AM, Fellowship Time 11:00 AM, Sunday School	
Mar. 18	10:00 AM, Prayer Group (Room 101) 2:00 PM, Chair Yoga (Fellowship Hall) 6:15 PM, YWBS (Kay Korte's)	
Mar. 19	9:00 AM, King's Closet Work Day (507 W. St. Louis) 1:00 PM, Food Pantry (108 Dee St.) 2:00 PM, Lenten Study (Room #101)	
Mar. 20	Circuit Rider Deadline 6:30 PM, Chimes Rehearsal (Room #101) 7:00 PM, Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)	
Mar. 23	8:00 AM, Methodist Men	
Mar. 24	9:30 AM, Worship "Repenting"	Isaiah 55:1-9 1 Corinthians 10:1-13
	10:30 AM, Fellowship Time 11:00 AM, Sunday School	



See our calendar page online at: www.lebanonmethodist.org

For your information:

- The **Connection Card** is used for attendance and prayer requests. Please fill it in and drop in the collection plate.
- Ushers can help with **hearing assistance devices, large print hymnals**, and directions to the **nursery, Fellowship Hall** and **Sunday school classes**.

We hope you'll join us for worship again!

Attendance & Offering (Mar. 10)

3/10 Worship: 77	General: \$ 3,055	Ministries: \$ 135
Mar. Sunday Offerings:	General: \$ 5,315	Ministries: \$ 235
2019 Monthly Budget:	General: \$19,074	



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MARCH 17, 2019
2ND SUNDAY IN LENT

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude *Fidelis Servus* Benoit

* **Call to Worship**

* **Opening Hymn** *I Am Thine, O Lord* #419

Children's Moment

Offering/Offertory *I Want to Walk as a Child of Light*
Choir #95

Doxology

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

* **Hymn** *Blessed Be the Name of the Lord* #2034 (TFWS)

Scripture Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18; Philippians 3:17-4:1

Sermon *Imitating* Pastor Kim

* **Hymn** *Take Up Thy Cross* #415

* **Benediction**

* **Benediction Response**

Postlude *Ricercare* Frescobaldi

* *Please Stand if Able*

Monitors will have words to all songs and congregational prayers responses.

*The altar flowers are in memory of Lamar Renfro,
given by David & Helen Renfro.*



Feeding the Community

Food Pantry Donation Suggestions for March:

- Mar. 17 .. Paper products
- Mar. 24 .. Boxed dinners
- Mar. 31 .. Canned vegetables



LMM FUNDrive

Lebanon City Hall Parking Lot
 Saturday, April 6, 2019
 8 AM—1 PM

Raising funds for the Community Food Pantry & Community Care Coalition. Donate suggested items: clothing, coats, shoes, household linens, and accessories. A complete list is available with bags in the Fellowship Hall.

SAVE THE DATE

COMING UP

- Apr. 18... Maundy Thursday Service, 6 PM
- Apr. 19... Way of the Cross, Noon
..... Good Friday Service, 7 PM
- Apr. 20... Prayer Vigil, 7 AM - 7 PM
..... Easter Egg Hunt 10 AM
- Apr. 21... Easter Sunday, 9:30 AM



Community VBS 2019

Roar! Life is wild, God is good

June 24-28

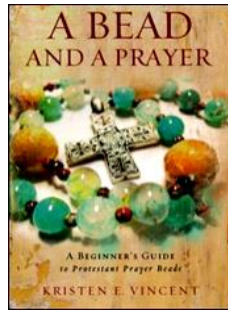
Interested volunteers are asked to attend a **March 18 meeting** to begin planning for this summer's community vacation Bible school. Contact Deborah Kuth: lebstjoepa@gmail.com for more information.

This year Ecumenical VBS will be hosted by St. Joseph Catholic Church, June 24-28. The theme this year is ROAR. VBS is open to children going into Kindergarten through 5th grade.



April 2019 Circuit Rider

Articles Due: Wednesday, Mar. 20th
 To: Kim Vunesky (kimvunesky@gmail.com)



Lenten Study

"A Bead and A Prayer"

by Kristen E. Vincent

A 5 week study learning to use Prayer Beads to assist in your prayer life. **Tuesdays, 2 PM.**
 Cost: \$15 Includes book & prayer beads.
 Must **RSVP** for preparations. Sign-up in the Fellowship Hall or call the office: 537-6622.

Senior Stretch



Thursday, Mar. 28, Noon
 Fellowship Hall

Please come at 12 noon for age-appropriate exercise, lunch, and fun. All are welcome! Invite your friends and neighbors!

Note Connection Line Text Users:

Change Is Coming! March 18

The **Connection Line text** messages will be sent from an 800 number beginning March 18. This is a change from the current 292929 text sender. We do not have the number as yet, but wanted those who receive text messages to be aware. Current users, as far as we know, you will not have to do anything to receive a message.

For those who wish to begin receiving text messages, we will have new instructions for getting your cell number on the text messaging Connection Line in the near future.

PRAYERS

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These will be lifted in prayer by the Prayer Group this week.

JOYS:

CONCERNS:

- Add to Prayer List (Bulletin)
- Desire a Pastor call or visit

PERMISSION TO PUBLISH:

I give permission to publish my/our birthday(s) & anniversary in the Circuit Rider.

Name: _____ Birthday: _____

Name: _____ Birthday: _____

Anniversary _____