



IN MOURNING FOR THE FAMILY & FRIENDS OF:

Peyton Dennis—passed away of cancer at 5 years old
Mary Jane Scowden—passed away Nov. 27, 2019 ~95 years old

GENERAL PRAYER CONCERNS FOR THE WEEK:

Angela—Kim Davis' niece in critical condition after a car accident.
Laura Fisher—Judy Tuccillo's daughter
Shirley Vickers—still having trouble with vertigo

ASSISTING AS USHERS

John Thomas Ellen Hisey
Mike Fry Claire Cooper

GREETER: Dorene Bava

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Donna Blythe
Music Director: Melissa Macnab
Administrative Assistant: Dot Myers
Treasurer: Bob Snyder
Pianist: Patty Moody
Audio/Visual Tech: Andy Macnab
Nursery Attendant: Sheila Rossner
Custodian: Fred Dean

FLOWER CHART

The 2020 Flower Chart is now available for people to reserve their dates when they would like to sponsor our Altar Flowers. Please be mindful that the flowers need to be paid for and taken home on the Sunday that you sign up for them. The current price is \$31 for two beautiful bouquets. Thank you!

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN BY:

Buck & Susie Lawson

"In honor of our Savior's birth"

The single white rose on the altar is in loving memory of Mary Jane Scowden from the ladies of the UMW.

Flower Arrangements by: B J'S FLOWERS and PLANTS

Attendance Last Week: 275

12/14 P&P=12 12/15 9AM=38 10:30AM=115

Christmas Cantata: 110

SUNDAY SCHOOL

TNT (Teens & Tweens): Students: 3 Leaders: 2
Adult Sunday School: Attendees: 4 Leader: 1
Prayer Ministry: Attendees: 3 Leader: 1

Salty Servants: 82

Upcoming Events 2019-2020

Christmas Eve Service: Dec. 24th at 7:00 PM & 11:00 PM
Crossfire Concert: Jan. 19th at 10:00 AM BLENDED Service
Easter Cantata: Apr. 5th time TBA
Christmas Under the Palms: Dec. 12th ~ 9AM-4PM

CHURCH PLANNING MEETING

**Changed to Mon., January 6, 2020
6PM-8PM in Hardin Hall**

**All leaders and members of all church ministries
are encouraged to attend this meeting.**

Life Touch Photography Sessions

Feb. 3rd, 4th, & 5th, 2020

**Sign up after church with Arlene Tilison or Monday
afternoon thru Friday morning on website:**

<https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/b5vt8314/>



RICE
is **needed** for
THIRD Sunday donation
January 19, 2020
THANK YOU!



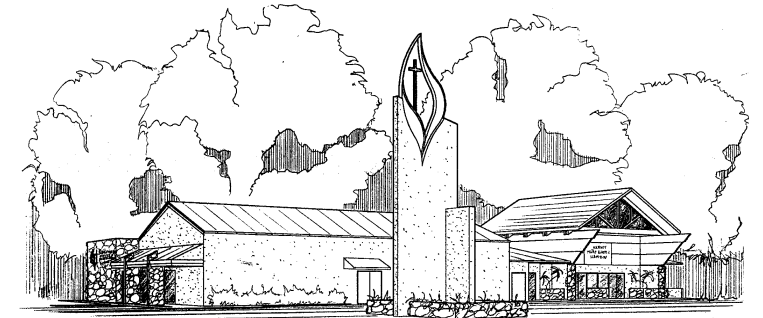
This helps more than you can imagine!

No more plastic bags are needed at this time!
Thank you for donating them!

Edgewater

United Methodist Church

Rev. Donna J. Blythe, Pastor



December 22, 2019

Open Hearts—Open Minds—Open Doors

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OFFICE HOURS:

9:00 AM to Noon, Monday through Friday

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 A.M.

All of the music for our service of worship will be projected on the screen at the front of the sanctuary. We **provide excellent care for your infants and toddlers** in our nursery, which is located near the front doors. Please ask for assistance and you will be directed to our nursery.

✠ Please stand if you are able.

It would be a blessing to us if you would:

- Sign the attendance pad and pass it to the next person in the pew. Your presence is important to us.
- Please fill out your prayer request cards and pass them to the ushers prior to the beginning of the service.
- Pay special attention to the announcements of our up-coming events on the screen prior to the service!

WELCOME & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF FIRST TIME VISITORS

✠ PASSING the PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS Claire Cooper

PRELUDE *What Child Is This?* Patty Moody

ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP Claire Cooper

God's Spirit has led us here.

And where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is PEACE.

God's Spirit has led us here.

And where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is HOPE.

God's Spirit has led us here.

And where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is JOY.

God's Spirit has led us here.

And where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is Love.

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in the place,

And we know that it's the Spirit of the Lord!

✠ OPENING HYMN

Angels from the Realms of Glory 220

CHILDREN'S CHAT Claire Cooper

SPECIAL MUSIC *Gentle Mary Laid Her Child*
Handbell Choir

WORSHIP in PRAYER Pastor Donna

✠ MUSICAL RESPONSE

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing 240

GIFTS for GOD'S SERVICE

OFFERTORY

Sleep Well Heavenly Child Patty Moody

✠ DOXOLOGY

SPECIAL MUSIC *Do You Hear What I Hear?*
Judy Locke

SCRIPTURE *Matthew 1:18-25*
Pastor Donna

MESSAGE *Are We There Yet? - TRUST*

✠ CLOSING HYMN *O Little Town of Bethlehem* 230

SENDING FORTH



CHRISTMAS EVE: *Luke 2:1-14*
Are We There Yet? - LOVE

NEXT WEEK:
Matthew 2:13-23
So What Now?

TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH CHRIST'S LOVE

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS & EVENTS

December 22, 2019 December 28, 2019

Boys and Girls Club—CLOSED

Sunday, Dec. 22nd

8:45 AM TNT (Teens & Tweens)
9:00 AM Adult Class
9:00 AM Praise Worship Service
10:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
11:30 AM Disciple One Bible Study
5:00 PM Sunday Dinner (feeding the hungry)

Tuesday, Dec. 24th

8:30 AM T.O.P.S.
7:00 PM **Christmas Eve Service (Communion)**
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Wednesday, Dec. 25th

Christmas Day
Office Closed

Thursday, Dec. 26th

7:30 AM UMM Breakfast (Sand Bar, NSB)
Office Closed

Saturday, Dec. 28th

8:30 AM Food Pantry (8:30-11:30AM)
6:00 PM Praise & Pizza

BIRTHDAYS

12/22 Chuck Jessup
12/23 Mary Lawson +
12/24 Joy Hughes +

+ = over 80



ANNIVERSARIES

12/23 Bob Gudis & Ginger Clark



Thank you to so many people who helped with our Christmas Under the Palms event last week. The total amount received:

Vendors=	\$4,065.00
Christmas Shop=	600.36
Craft Ladies=	365.00
Bake Sale=	663.90
Donations=	<u>60.35</u>
Total	\$5,754.61