April Mission of the Month

Lake County Food Pantry

5 WAYS TO GIVE...

- 1. Sunday Offering during worship or mail your check.
- 2. Bill Pay with your online banking.
- 3. *EFT Electronic Fund Transfer,* contact church office for more information.
- 4. On your *phone* with 'VancoMobile' free phone app, credit card or e-check.
- 5. On our *website*, *madisonumc.com*, credit/debit card or e-check.

Give, Serve, and Pray any time and wherever you are!

Send **announcements** for the bulletin to the church office by **8:00AM** Thursday mornings.

Finance Offering:

April 14: John Eilertson April 21: Dave Daniel

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United Methodist Church Madison, SD April 14, 2024

'Love God and Love Neighbor'

Happenings This Week and More...

Sunday, April 14: Camp & Native American Ministries Sunday 9:00am Worship

10:00am Sunday School & Coffee Fellowship

11:00am Baked Potato Meal with S'mores, Bake Sale, and register for 100 Miles in 100 Days

Monday, April 15:

4:30 pm Staff Meeting

5:00-6:00pm Gathering Meal

Serving: Interlake's United Way

6:00pm Faith Circle

Tuesday, April 16:

12:00pm Colossians Bible Study

Wednesday, April 17:

1:00-4:00pm Quilting

5:30pm Confirmation

6:30pm Youth Group

Thursday, April 18:

9:00-11:00am Coffee w/Pastor Peggy at Sundog Coffee

Friday, April 19: Newsletter Info Due

Sunday, April 21:

8:00am Choir Practice

9:00am Worship

10:00am Sunday School & Coffee Fellowship

Monday, April 22:

4:30pm Staff Meeting

5:00-6:00pm Gathering Meal Serving: Persona

Health Concerns: Barb Fiege, Kendra Paulson, Barbara Kroger.

Register for 100 Miles in 100 Days Today! The event will start on Friday, April 26.

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn: *This is the Day*UMH #657

*Call to Worship: This is the day!

This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice in it! This is the place.

This is the place that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice in it! Grace is the gift!

Grace is the gift that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice in it! All: This is the day that the Lord has made. We come today to rejoice in this place for the gifts we have been given.

*Song of Praise: *Amazing Grace* UMH #378

Unison Prayer:

God of Grace, join us now in this special time set apart from our busy lives so that we may experience you in a new way. We come to you seeking your presence and grace. The love you have shown us in Jesus is more than we deserve. Your arms are open wide, like a waiting father for his prodigal children, ready to welcome and restore. Open us up to receive all that you have to lavish on us today. May this time of worship be a celebration of your love for us and our love for you. In the name of Christ we pray, Amen.

Musical Offering Children's Choir

Children's Moment

Time for Prayer: Silent Prayer & Reflection

Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer

Scripture: Luke 15:11-32

Song: Sanctuary TFWS #2164

Message: "Linked by Grace" Rev. Nicole Anderson

Offering

Doxology UMH #95

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction:

*Song: *Pass It On* UMH #572

Camp Sunday Is Here! Today Sunday, April 14, 2024 Bake Sale and Potato Bar at 11:00am

Come dressed in your "Camp Clothes!" We are excited to have Rev. Nicole Anderson joining us. Nicole serves as site director at Lake Poinsett Camp. Camp is an opportunity to connect with God in a different and fantastic way! Interested in signing up for camp?

We'd be happy to help! Scholarships are available as well!

Native American Ministries Sunday, April 14, 2024

Native American Ministries Sunday is one of six churchwide Special Sundays with offerings of The United Methodist Church. Native American Ministries Sunday serves to remind United Methodists of the gifts and contributions made by Native Americans to our society. The special offering supports Native American outreach within annual conferences and across the United States and provides seminary scholarships for Native Americans.

Builders Club of the Dakotas Annual Conference

Each year, the Builders Club chooses to support the building projects of four churches across the Dakotas. This year Madison United Methodist Church was chosen as one of those churches! The goal of Builders Club is to assist churches in need of financial support for their building, remodel, or expansion projects. If you would like to join or donate to the Builders Club, you can do so at www.dakotasumf.org/donate and click on Builder's Club.

Camp Workday: May 4 from 10:00am-3:00pm

It is the time of summer preparation, and we need your help to fight against cobwebs and restore cabins and equipment to working order for the summer season. Work begins at 10:00am with a break for lunch at 12:00pm. Accommodation for sleeping can be arranged. Please contact Nicole at nicole.anderson@dakcamps.org for more details.

Future Dates to be Aware of:

Wednesday, May 1: Last Night of Youth Group Sunday, May 12: Recognition of Graduates, Mother's Day, last day of Sunday School Wednesday, May 15: Last Confirmation Class

Sunday, May 19: Confirmation Sunday