



United Methodist Church
Madison, SD April 7, 2024

'Love God and Love Neighbor'

Strikes For Special Olympics

April 13, 2024 at Cherry Lanes in Madison

Cost is \$45 per participant which includes bowling & shoes, snack and water. Proceeds from this event will benefit the Madison Area All Stars Special Olympics team and Special Olympics South Dakota. To register: contact Connie Daniel at 605-291-9654, or email:

Connie.J.Daniel@hotmail.com

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 7: John Eilertson

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Happenings This Week and More...

Sunday, April 7: UWF Sunday

9:00am Worship

10:00am Coffee Fellowship & Sunday School

10:00am Mission & Evangelism Meeting

10:30am Tractor Blessing

Monday, April 8:

4:30 pm Staff Meeting

5:00-6:00pm Gathering Meal *Serving: Chester UMC*

Tuesday, April 9:

12:00pm Colossians Bible Study

6:45pm Trustees Meeting

7:00pm Education & Finance Meetings

7:00pm Food Pantry Meeting

8:00pm Council Meeting

Wednesday, April 10:

1:00-4:00pm Quilting

5:30pm Confirmation

6:30pm Youth Group

Thursday, April 11:

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

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:

4:30pm Staff Meeting

5:00-6:00pm Gathering Meal

Serving: Interlake's United Way

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

Welcome and Announcements

Missional Moment

*Centering Song: *Great Is the Lord* TFWS #2022

*Call to Worship:

Make a joyful noise to the Lord.

Worship God with gladness!

Come into God's presence with singing.

We are God's people, the sheep of God's pasture.

Give thanks to the Lord; bless God's holy name,

For God's steadfast love is present now and endures forever!

Hymn: *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* TFWS #2193

UWF Moment and Award

Children's Moment

Time for Prayer

Silent Prayer & Reflection

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Scripture: James 5:13-20

Song: *I Come With Joy* UMH #617

Message: "Why Should I Pray?" Pastor Peggy Hanson

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The United Methodist Church provides an open table; all are welcome to share in Communion. You'll be invited to come by the center aisle, you'll receive the bread and a cup. You're invited to spend time in prayer at the altar, and then return to your seat by the side aisles. There is a place to put your cup as you return to your seat. If it would help to have communion brought to you in your seat – please let an usher know. If you have brought an offering to share this morning, please place it in the plate as you return to your seat.

*Benediction

*Closing Song: *There is a Balm in Gilead* UMH #375

Tractor Blessing this Sunday

Sunday, April 7, 2024 @ 10:30 a.m.

Drive your tractor* to church or just bring the keys!

*We do ask that those who are not driving tractors to please park on the street to help leave room in the parking lot for the tractors.

100 Miles in 100 Days Registration

Sunday, April 14th

Everyone is invited to register and kick-off the 100 Miles/100 Days event movement challenge to promote health and wellness.

The event will start on Friday, April 26.

Invite your friends and family to join us!

Camp Sunday Is COMING!

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!

Bake Sale Bars for Camp Sunday, April 14

We are asking that each child bring a dozen bars, cookies, breads, etc. to fill up the bake sale table. You can drop them off in the kitchen at church or bring them with you on Camp Sunday. All proceeds will go to the Camp Scholarship fund.

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.

April Mission of the Month

Lake County Food Pantry