



Today's broadcast was sponsored in honor of the two pastors who are sharing their messages with us and being here while our Pastor is away. It was/is wonderful to have both of you. Pastor Laura Borman last week and today we welcome Pastor Nancy Manning. Thank you for your time and wisdom!

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The Silver Bucket Ministry for January is UMCOR



UMCOR comes alongside those who suffer from natural or human caused disasters – be it famine, hurricane, war, flood, fire or other events - to alleviate suffering and to be a source of help and hope for those left most vulnerable. We provide relief, response and long-term recovery grants when these events overwhelm community's ability to recover on their own.



Just a reminder - Our Pizza Ranch Fundraiser Night is Wednesday, January 10th. Want a pizza?...chicken?...Both? It's simple -just order and pick it up and you will be donating 10% of your cost to our very important Children's Wednesday Night Programs! See you there!



We will be having Leadership Sunday next week, January 14, 2024. This will give us an opportunity to recognize and appreciate the people in leadership roles here at church. Thank you for all you do!



January's name comes from the Roman god Janus, the god of beginnings and endings.

1. In **1890** African American inventor William Purvis receives a patent for the fountain pen.
2. **January 7th** must have been the day for comic strips - both "Buck Rogers and Tarzan made their debut in **1929** and in **1934** the Flash Gordon comic makes its debut.

Weekly Calendar

January 7, 2024 – Sunday

9:30am - Adult/FUEL SS/9:45am – Coffee time
10:30am – Livestream Worship Service
4:30pm – Genesis thru Revelation Bible Study

January 9, 2024 - Tuesday

1:30pm - Sewn in Faith
Pastor has LLP in Mankato

January 10, 2024 – Wednesday

9am-7pm - Open Prayer Chapel
10am - Shut in visiting
6:15pm - FUEL and Confirmation
8pm – AA Meeting

January 11, 2024 - Thursday

Pastor at DCOM in New Ulm
8pm - NA Meeting

January 13, 2024 - Saturday

8pm – AA Meeting

UPCOMING

EVENTS !



Luverne United Methodist Church **Sunday Worship Service** *Epiphany Sunday/Baptism of the Lord* **January 7, 2024**



Pastor Nancy Manning officiating today

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Your Worship Assistants today are:

Accompanist: Anissa Vis

Lay Reader: Mary Gehrke

Host: Becky Anderson

Power Point: Reegan Gabrielson

Sunshine Gift Cards: Christine VonHoltum

Sound: David Vis

Worship Assistant: Jack Hanson

Coffee: Bill and Maggie Paulsen

Trustee: Roger Carlson - January 8-14, 2024

God's People Gather...

This time is to welcome each other, share announcements, joys and concerns and all other necessary information.

COMING TOGETHER/ANNOUNCEMENTS

UNITED WE SING *"Come, Now is the Time to Worship"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

OPENING PRAYER

UNITED WE SING *"Great is the Lord"*

#2022 TFWS
ALL VERSES

DOXOLOGY

#95 UMH

Please note: We will pass the offering during our second song and bring it forward during the doxology. You may also use the online GIVE link on our website at umcluverne.com or use our mobile app at any time.

CALL TO WORSHIP, *responsively*

L: May the Lord be with you,

C: And also with you.

L: Give to the Lord the glory due God's name.

C: Worship the Lord in holy splendor.

L: The voice of the Lord is over the waters.

C: The God of glory thunders over mighty waters.

L: The voice of the Lord is powerful.

C: The voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

All: Let us lift our voices in praise to the God of glory, strength, and peace.

~Based on Psalm 29

God's People Worship

This time is to hear God's voice

SCRIPTURES

Genesis 1: 1-5

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OUR MESSAGE

Awestruck

UNITED WE SING

"Surely the Presence of the Lord"

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God's People Pray...

This time allows us to lift our thoughts to God

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

God's People Go to Live Out...

This is the time we are called to go and Share Jesus with the world.

UNITED WE SING

"All the People Say Amen"

PRIASE TEAM SONG

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



Need Sunshine Gift Cards?

Make sure to talk to **Christine VonHoltum** as she will be handling that this week and she will be happy to help you out!

Prayer Chain for January 7, 2023

Kim Donth
Pastor Dorie and Luther Hall Family
Colby Crabtree
Madigan Flom
Marie Paulsen
And for the Epiphany Season