



No one has chosen to sponsor the radio broadcast this week.. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast. **The cost is \$95** and you may sign up on the bulletin board or the Let Jakki know in the office. The radio broadcast is a very important piece of our Ministry; any support is appreciated! Thank you!

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Silver Bucket for May is the Love Offering

Our Love Offering this year will help our neighbors—in Minnesota and around the world—heal from trauma and find safety. **30%** of the Love Offering will go to a **new trauma care center in Ukraine**. **30%** will go to **immigration legal support in partnership with the Volunteer Lawyer Network**. **30%** will go to **special programming aimed at reducing trauma at Emma Norton Services' new Restoring Waters facility**. The final **10%** of the Love Offering each year goes to **Volunteers in Mission scholarships**, which support first-time mission trip participants.



Another year has gone by for our Children and Youth Ministry...Hard to believe! It has been such a great time and learning experience for all! It's time to celebrate our year with a time of bowling and treats at JJ's! Mark your calendars for **May 5, 2024 at 3pm**. Speak with pastor Dorie for any questions!



On May 12th we will have 3 Confirmands kneel before the alter during this special worship service and make the promises they have been learning about during their time in Confirmation. This year's Confirmands are Danny Aning, Garret Cattnach and Reegan Gabrielson. Please join us in support of this spiritual milestone for them! Congratulations Confirmands of 2024!



There will be a men's group breakfast on May 18th at 8am. It will be held here at the church. If you are interested in going or have questions you can speak to Bryce Schomacker. We hope to see you there.

Weekly Calendar

May 5, 2024 – Sunday

9:30am - Adult/FUEL SS
9:45am – Coffee time
10:30am – Livestream Worship service
11:30am-2pm - Ella's graduation party in FH
4:30pm - Genesis to Revelation Bible Study
2pm - End of the Year Party - Bowling/JJ's

May 6, 2024 - Monday

6pm - Finance Meeting
6:30pm - Genesis to Revelation Bible Study

May 7, 2024 - Tuesday

1:30pm - God's Circle

May 8, 2024 - Wednesday

9am-7pm - Open Prayer Chapel
10am - Shut in visits
6pm - Confirmation Dinner - Meet at Church
8pm – AA Meeting
Last Pizza Ranch Take Out night for the year

May 9, 2024 - Thursday

8pm – NA Meeting

May 11, 2024 - Saturday

8pm – AA Meeting

**UPCOMING
EVENTS!**



Luverne United Methodist Church Sunday Worship Service *Sixth Sunday of Easter* May 5, 2024



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Your Worship Assistants today are:

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| Accompanist: Anissa Vis | Sound: David Vis |
| Lay Reader: Bryce Schomacker | Worship Assistant: Jeanne Bowron |
| Host: Peggy Nelson | Coffee: Lola Donth |
| Power Point: Reegan Gabrielson | Trustee: Al Aanenson - May 6-12, 2024 |
| Grocery Cards: Mary Gehrke | |

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 *"Days of Elijah"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

OPENING PRAYER

UNITED WE SING *"Go Down, Moses"*

#448 UMH
VERSES 1, 3 AND 5

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: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C: Who made heaven and earth.

L: If it had not been for God, who was on our side — let Israel now say:

C: If it had not been for God, when our enemies attacked us, they would have devoured us.

L: If it had not been for God, who was on our side — let Israel now say:

C: The flood would have swept us away; the torrent would have gone over us. Blessed be God, who delivered the people of Israel from slavery and oppression!

L: If it were not for God, alive and active, here and now,

C: We would know only darkness, chaos and despair.

All: Blessed be God, who delivers us! Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth. Amen.

God's People Worship

This time is to hear God's voice

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 7:14-21

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OUR MESSAGE

Our Journey Series:
Here it Comes

UNITED WE SING

"I waited for the Lord"

PRAISE TEAM SONG

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

"Almighty"

PRAISE TEAM SONG

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



Need Sunshine Grocery Cards?

Make sure to talk to **Mary Gehrke** as she will be handling that this week and she will be happy to help you this morning!

Prayer Chain for May 5, 2024

Jeff and Sheila Aukes
 Josh and Emily Crabtree Family
 Norbert and Loreen Fick
 Todd Leech
 Randy and Marcia Mulder
 Jerry and Ann Rigney
 And for the Rock County Food Shelf