

Worship with us in-person, live streamed on our YouTube channel, or on-demand!

IN-PERSON Worship at 11:00am each Sunday.

Join the Adult Sunday School online or in-person in the sanctuary at 9:30am Sundays

Additional Ministries:

Free monthly CLOTHING CLOSET: men's, women's, and children's clothing and shoes

1st Wednesday from 10:00am - Noon and 1:00pm - 3:00pm

and 1st Saturday from 10:00am - Noon

NEW HOPE MOBILE FOOD PANTRY 717-432-3053 located in the church parking lot

monthly on 2nd Wednesday from 2:00 - 3:00pm

Paddletown's Ladies Tea is scheduled for May 16th @ 2:00pm.

There is a \$25.00 fee to cover all costs. Only 50 seats are available, so please contact Brenda Lane 717-818-7473

The Women's Circle is having their annual **Mother's Day Banquet** on Saturday, May 2nd at 6 PM. The entertainment will be provided by Taylor Hood who will present Musical Jeopardy. It should be an entertaining evening. We would love for you to come. Signup sheet is on the table in the hallway.

Paddletown's VBS - Rainforest Fall: Exploring the Nature of God will be held Sunday, June 21st through Thursday, June 25th from 6:15 to 8:15 pm with the closing program Sunday, June 28th @ 9:00am. Contact Sheila (717) 773-3408 or Susan (717) 943-0607 or email kingsheilamiller@yahoo.com with questions or to be a helper.

Worship Beyond the Pews Moment: Take and share photographs along with brief backgrounds of your God-sightings and email to: sheila@heider.us. These moments will be shared during Sunday Service, so that we all may offer praise and thanksgiving to our Father. Don't worry, presenting is optional depending on your comfort level with public speaking.

Lewisberry's mission for April is Habitat for Humanity

Mission Central Critical Needs – WILL YOU HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

They have temporarily paused assembly of Activity Kits and Care Kits because they are critically low on the following necessary items:

Children's Scissors, Composition Books, Spiral Notebooks,

12 inch Rulers/w inch & centimeter measurements

Nail Clippers and Hand Towels - no fleece, microfiber, or kitchen towels

Learn how you can help at www.missioncentral.org/current-needs

Lewisberry United Methodist Church

*Sharing Christ's message of love with each other
and our neighbors to change the world.*

April 19, 2026

And Jonathan Made A
Covenant With David
Because He Loved Him
As Himself.

1 Samuel 18-3

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Ministers: Everyone

Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.
The People of the United Methodist Church.

Welcome to our church! We are a small-town community of faith that seeks to share God's love with our community—and world. We hope you and your family will have a warm and spirit-filled experience with us as we worship and fellowship together at our services, events, and ministries. Even more, it is our greatest hope that you will find the extravagant love of God through God's son, Jesus. This love is for all people. God welcomes you just as you are. There is a place for you in our community of faith.

Order of Worship

*April 19, 2026
11:00am Worship*

Music as We Gather

Welcome/Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: Let us come together in hope and joy.

People: For this is a day to celebrate and to remember.

Leader: It is a day to give thanks and praise to God for life and love and eternal life.

People: This is a day to remember and be thankful for those who have gone on before us.

Leader: It is a day to celebrate the virtues of love, family, friendship, compassion and faithfulness.

People: People: In this time as we remember, may we feel God's presence as we join as friends to praise His name.

***Opening Hymn *Come, Thou Almighty King* UMH #61**

***Opening Prayer (Unison)**

Beloved Lord Jesus, remind us that the church is Your people. It is also a place of prayer and compassion. Instill in us a new spirit and inflame us with a love that burns deep and ignites other hearts with

friendship and peace. Help us to remain aware of Your teachings so that we will do justice, walk humbly and live in kindness all our days. Amen.

*Apostles' Creed

Worship Beyond the Pews

Giving Our Gifts to God

Ushers will collect by passing of plates.

Offertory

*Doxology

UMH #95

Prayer for the Gifts

Hymn of Worship

Pass It On

UMH #572

Pastoral Prayer/**Lord's Prayer**

Choir Anthem

Children's Message

Hymn of Preparation *Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word* (Verse 1) UMH #596

Scripture Lesson – 1 Samuel 18:1-4

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God

People: Thanks be to God.

Morning Message – “We Are Family: Spiritual Friends”

Benediction

Traditional Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy *catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. *or universal

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

- PRAISES AND PRAYER REQUESTS
- Transition of Pastor Nick McMichael and Angie to Lewisberry and Paddletown
 - Transition of Pastor Ryan and family to Zion UMC

LEWISBERRY

- PADDLETOWN
- Norma’s granddaughter Hope (friends of Carol) – melanoma
 - Grace Yohe, Dee Henry’s cousin – surgery recovery
 - Rob (Carol Leshers brother-in-law) – Barrett’s esophagus diagnosis, no cancer

LONG-TERM PRAYER NEEDS

- Matsiko Children, specifically those connected with LUMC: Rocio, Wonder, Grace, Otis and Prosperous
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- Dee Henry - kidney disease getting worse – P
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