November 3, 2024 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. All Saints Sunday



Welcome! We're glad that you're here. Please use the time before worship to prepare your heart and mind for being in the presence of God. The musical prelude is offered as a time of spiritual preparation

Please let us know you are here, especially if you are new to worship with us! Simply open your camera on your smart phone and aim it at the code below. Thank you!.



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ENTRANCE

Prelude & Processional

"When Morning Gilds the Sky" by Page (Karen Weirman)

Welcome & Announcements This is the day the Lord has made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Passing of the Peace

Opening Prayer

O Lord our God, you are always more ready to bestow your good gifts on us than we are to seek them, and are willing to give more than we desire or deserve. Help us so to seek that we may truly find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive, so to knock that the door of your mercy may be opened to us; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Opening Hymn "For All the Saints" #711 (vs. 1,4,6)

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Remembering Our Saints

(No Children's Moment)

Anthem 9:00 "Forever Rejoice!" by Scholes (Herald Bells)

> 11:00 "Marching Up To Heaven" by Gilpin (Chancel Choir)

Moment of Silence and Prayer of the People

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.

Scripture Reading Luke 12:22-34

Sermon: "Generosity: A Matter of Heart" Rev. Wesley S. Dickson

THANKSGIVING

Invitation/Confession

Moment of Gratitude and Generosity

Want to give electronically? Please scan the code to give now! Thank you!

Offertory

9:00 "Festive Celebration" by McChesney (Herald Bells)

11:00 "Antiphonal Jubilate Deo!" (Chancel Choir)

Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95

Prayer of Dedication

All things come from you, O God, and with gratitude we return to you what is yours. You created all that is, and with love formed us in your image. All that we are, and all that we have, is a trust from you. And so, for all your gifts, we offer you ourselves, and all that we have, in union with Christ's offering for us. By your Holy Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving Sacrament of Holy Communion

SENDING FORTH

Closing Hymn	"Hymn of Promise	#707
Benediction		
Recessional 9:00	"Edelweiss"	(Herald Bells)
11:00	"May The Lord Bless You" (Chancel Choir)	
Postlude	"Solfeggiato"	(Karen Weirman)
Flowers on the altar have been placed by:		

Flowers on the altar have been placed by: Wendy & Mick Peterson, in memory of my mother Jean Warning and Al & Linda Haring, in honor of Jim & Debbie Speicher and their leadership with flea market



Church Happenings

Thank you Vocal Choirs for hosting coffee hour today.

Thank you! The United Women of Faith wish to thank all the women, men and children than helped make the Potato bar a success. You are all greatly appreciated.

Thank you to all the volunteers and donations for this year's Trunk or Treat. It was a great success due to all of the donations and volunteers that came out to decorate their cars. This is a fun event that could not happen without all of your support.

Introduction to United Methodism This 4-week study is open to our entire church, designed as an interactive way to learn much about United Methodism. This class is also offered to those who desire to join the membership of The United Methodist Church of New Lenox. We will cover a little of our history, doctrine, theology, and membership vows. There is no cost to participate, simply contact Pastor Wesley (wesley@umcnl.com) so that we have enough materials for everyone. This Study will be held on Sunday afternoons beginning at 2:30 p.m. on 11/3, 11/10, 11/24 and 12/1. Those desiring to join the membership of UMCNL will be received during the service of their choice on Sunday, December 15.

Blanket Sunday November 10 will be Blanket Sunday. The Church World Service blanket program distributes blankets to those in need - in need of warmth, in need of shelter, in need of love. In times of disaster, and in times of struggle. There will be an opportunity to give monetarily so that others might receive a blanket.

Our Annual Church Conference will be held on Tuesday, November 26 at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel with our District Superintendent. This is our Annual meeting of the church where we celebrate ministry, tend to necessary business, elect our leadership, and approve our budget. Everyone is welcome; all members are eligible to vote.

Sunday Email If you are not receiving a Sunday morning email for Wesley and wish to be added, please contact Pastor Wesley at wesley@umcnl.com. You'll receive an email each Sunday at 7:30 a.m. with the most current UMCNL information.

Get Involved

Greeters Needed We are looking for greeters on Sundays! Please contact Joyce Korista at (815) 485-6879 if you can help!

Welcome Center Volunteers are needed on Sundays! If you are interested and/or have any questions, please contact Amanda Fox at amandaseverson1281@gmail.com

Friendship Group Our next Friendship Group Luncheon will be November 21, 2024 at Noon at the Aurelio's located at 9901 W. Lincoln Way, Frankfort. The Sponsors are Chuck and Diane Kozielski. Guest Speaker is Tim Borchert. All are invited 55+ to see you there. Sign up sheet is in the Narthex next to the name tags.

Friday Morning Women's Bible Study meets in the church chapel Friday mornings from 9:30-11:00 a.m. New ladies welcome!

UMM Advent Fellowship Breakfast will be Saturday, December 7. We are planning to meet at a local restaurant, details to follow. Please note, there will not be a breakfast in November due to the Potato Bar.

Winter Joy Camp is coming January 3-5, 2025. The UMCNL is providing a snack for one of the nights of camp. We are looking for donations of the following items:

- 8 boxes of plain graham crackers
- 8 boxes of individual packages of hot chocolate (Like Swiss Miss)
- 5 bags of regular size marshmallows
- 8 6 packs of Hershey bars

Donations will be collected from November 1st - November 29th. Please put them in the container in the narthex. Thank you for your continued support of our youth.

The Comfort Makers sewing group meets on various days throughout the year to make different projects for missions. They make comforters, backpacks and other items to be used throughout the world. You don't even have to know how to sew to join in the fellowship of this wonderful group of ladies. You can cut fabric or iron if sewing is not your forte. If you would like more information, please contact Judy McCune at jmcsews@sbcglobal.net

Prayer Shawl Ministry Our group meets on the third Monday of the month. If you knit or crochet, come join us for fellowship and mission. Yarn and patterns are provided. For more information, contact Beverly at (815) 514-6814.

Youth Updates

Youth Group Join us! UMCNL will host a weekly youth program for 7-12 grade students every Wednesday from 7:00 p.m.- 8:30 p.m. We would love for you to join us! Keep in touch via email and text by texting JOINUYM to 84576 or connect online with us at unitedmethodistchurchofn.flocknote.com

Gift Cards for Students The Membership committee will purchase gift cards for our college students as they prepare for final exams in December. Please submit your son or daughter's current address on campus or at home (where they will be residing during the month of December). If students are not attending a college, but are in any type of training (military or otherwise) or apprentice program, we want to include them! We want our young adults to know we are thinking of them and praying for them. Please send addresses to Jane Corradetti at JCorradetti1@comcast.net or (815) 258-8304 by Sunday, November 17.

Contact Us/Prayer Requests

Would you like to connect with one of our Pastors? Please see the contact information below or you can scan one of the codes below using your smartphone to directly set an appointment. If you have a prayer request, please scan the prayer request code.

Pastor Mark:Call/text: 815-587-3795; mark@umcnl.comPastor Wesley:Call/text: 630-708-2470; wesley@umcnl.comTerri Novy:Call/text: 815-370-3063; terri@umcnl.com

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