

Ministers

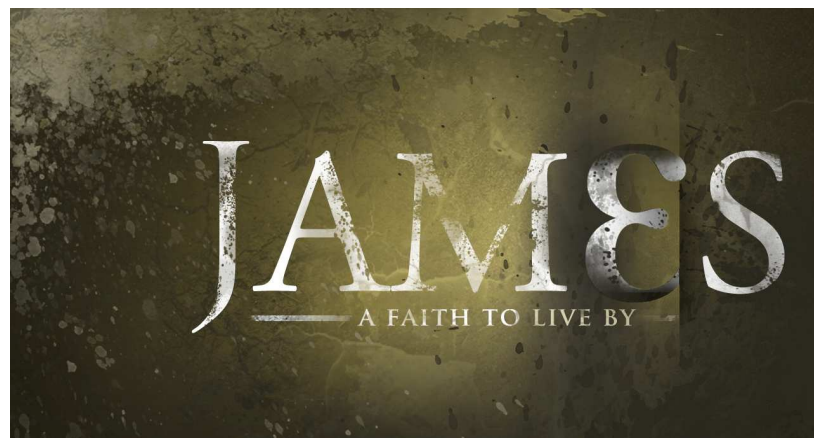
Ministering	Today	Next Wk. Sept. 16
Liturgist	Karen Benton	Rick Gorham
Cool J 2 9:30	Carol Gorham & Nancy McKinnon	
Education Chair	Danna Segrest	
Song Leader	Danna Segrest	Rick Gorham
Greeter/Usher	Nancy McKinnon	Jo Page
Sound/Media		
Fellowship	Education Team	John & Linda Reilly
Counter	David Jachalke	David Jachalke

What's happening

Every Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Worship
	8:15 a.m.	Adult Bible Study
Every Monday	7:00 p.m.	Pub Theology – Inverness Inn
Every Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Divorce Care
Every Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Book Study and Prayer Pack
Every Thursday	3:00 and 7:00 p.m.	Grief Share
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Sept. 9	9:30 p.m.	“Back to Church” Sunday
Sept. 10	7:00 p.m.	Pub Theology at Inverness Inn
Sept. 11	6:00 p.m.	Membership Care & Outreach
	7:00 p.m.	Divorce Care - begins
Sept. 12	9:00 a.m.	Book Study and Prayer Pack
	6:00 p.m.	Trustees meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Staff-Parish Relations Committee
Sept. 13	3:00 & 7:00	Grief Share - begins
Sept. 15	9:00 a.m.	All Church clean up
Sept. 16	2-3:30 p.m.	Cemetery Walk
Oct. 7	1:30 p.m.	CROP Walk - Chelsea

Tithes and offerings

Offering Sept 2	\$2,589.
Weekly goal for 2018:	2,165.
Received so far this year:	69,285.
Goal year to date:	75,772.



NORTH LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.

**WELCOME TO
NORTH LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship
in spirit and truth. John 4:24

Worship

Sept. 9, 2018		9:30 am
* Notes where you are invited to stand as you are able		
Prelude (Tolling of the bell and Entrance of the Light)		
Welcome		
*Hymn	Shout to the North	3042
*Call to Worship		
Hymns	O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing	57
	Step by Step	3004
Prayers of the People	Sentence prayers spoken	
	<i>Response: Lord, hear our prayers / Thanks be to God.</i>	
The Lord's Prayer		895
Scripture	Luke 12:7, N.T. pg.69 and Psalm 139:16, Psalm 16:11, O.T. pg. 545, 469	
Message	James: Brother/Servant	Pastor Todd
<i>Please fill out a Connection Card</i>		
Offertory		
* Doxology		94
* Prayer of Dedication		
Benediction		

Scripture Reading Plan

New Bible Reading Plan: God's Story Is Our Story – From Acts to New Creation {The devotionals written for this plan are longer & more engaging.}
<https://bible.com/p/5960555/0297aa2791c977935eb08b20bb439956>

Sunday September 9	1 Thessalonians 5:1-3 and 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3
Monday September 10	1 Corinthians 1
Tuesday September 11	1 Corinthians 2 and 1 Corinthians 3
Wednesday September 12	1 Corinthians 4 and 1 Corinthians 5
Thursday September 13	1 Corinthians 6 and 1 Corinthians 7
Friday September 14	1 Corinthians 12 and 1 Corinthians 13
Saturday September 15	1 Corinthians 1:26-31
Sunday September 16	1 Corinthians 12:22-26



**Pub Theology is moving to
Mondays for everyone -
begins tomorrow**

If you want to order food, come
at 6:30. The discussion will
begin around 7:00pm.

**Divorce Care - Tuesdays - begins Sept. 11
At 7:00 p.m.**

**Study & Prayer Pack - Wednesdays – begins Sept. 12
At 9:00 a.m.**

Book "The God We Can Know" Methodist pastor Rob Fuquay

**Grief Share -Thursdays – begins Sept. 13
At 3:00 and 7:00 p.m.**

James: Brother/Servant

“James, a servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, To the twelve tribes in the Dispersion: Greetings.” – James 1:1

“Why, even the hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear not. You are of more value than many sparrows.” – Luke 12:7

In the midst of the immensity of God,
God is _____, made in his image.

“Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them.” – Psalm 139:16

You need to personalize what the Bible is saying
about God’s interest in _____.

“You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.” – Psalm 16:11

“The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.” -John 10:10

What God is after is he is trying to lead you into the deepest, richest, and fullest life imaginable. He is not the enemy of life. He is the author of it, and he is heaven-bent on laying the path before you that leads you to the _____.

How does God lead us into this life?

1) By revealing to us _____: to gaze upon the beauty, glory, magnitude, and might of the Creator God of the universe is what our hearts have been created for.

2) By laying before us throughout the Scriptures the _____: the “Thou shalt,” and the “Thou shalt not.”

Who is James? The brother of _____

What convinced James that Jesus was the Messiah?

The _____

Who did James write his letter to? – the 12 tribes in the dispersion, which would have been the _____ (including Jews and Gentiles)

Outline of James:

Chapter 1 - trials and Christian perseverance that will move into hearing and doing the Word of God

Chapter 2 - the sin of partiality and the relationship between works and deeds

Chapter 3 - the taming of the tongue and wisdom coming from God and not from our hearts

Chapter 4 - a warning against worldliness and boasting in tomorrow, being arrogant

Chapter 5 - a warning against trusting in riches and comfort as a satisfier of the longings of our hearts. Also a call to patient suffering and prayer

What to look for in James: that suffering never surprises God, that he will be with us in our suffering, and he will redeem it. That God is about progress, not perfection. Where there is faith, there is movement forward. Lastly, the constant pull of the world is that riches and comfort will satisfy, and that pull is always, always, always a lie.

3 things to draw your attention to in James:

1) Trials, suffering and difficulty can be _____

2) That we’re _____ in this journey of sanctification

3) The pull of the world to _____ (to change, to make easier) what the Bible teaches about life and practice will be ever present

Adult bible study starts at 8:15 am every Sunday.

All Church Work Day Saturday, Sept. 15 9 a.m. to about noon

We will work outside:

weed and clean flower beds

weed whack

wash siding on fellowship hall

move wood chips

spread grass seed

Bring your yard tools, your jokes, and a snack to share.

Debbie Rydzon, Trustees

Annual Conference for the SPRC meeting with Elizabeth Hill and the Zone 3 Church Charge Conference:

SPRC - Tuesday, September 25th at 6 pm at our church (Chelsea 1st will meet at our church at 7 pm and Dexter will meet here at 8 pm).

Zone 3 Church Charge Conference - Saturday, September 29th from 8:30 am - 11:30 am. We will give out the Church Charge Conference booklets and celebrate the ministry achievements from the last year on Sunday, September 30th. The conference will be at the Howell United Methodist Church - 1230 Bower St, Howell, MI.
Pastor Todd

Missionary Support



Randy Joe Hildebrant
Serving At: God's Country Cooperative Parish,
Newberry, MI

Randy is a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church.

The parish consists of seven churches. Randy works with them in community development, leadership development, special projects, and in

hosting volunteer-in-mission teams. He travels and speaks often in churches. North Lake Church sent a work team there this past June.

Support for Randy Hildebrant - \$399.



8th annual Cemetery Walk
Sunday, September 16, 2018
2:00 – 3:30 PM

WHAT IS A CEMETERY WALK?

A Cemetery Walk is NOT a stroll in a cemetery. It is a visit to a cemetery where you will hear folks from the past who lived in the area tell about their lives. It is an event that is interesting, educational, and fun. This year you will meet:

Judson Collins

Herman Hudson - grandfather of Bob Fitzsimmons

Luella Mapes - wife of the founder of a Chelsea funeral home

Florence Boyce - North Lake resident for 95 years

It's interesting, it's entertaining. It's free! **THE MOST FUN YOU WILL EVER HAVE AT A CEMETERY.** Rain or shine.

Prayer Concerns

Please fill in your prayer requests cards. Pray with us on Wed Mornings at 9AM at Fellowship Hall or out in the world.

North Lake UMC♥ Pastor Todd & Cheryl Jones Family
Dorothy Antis ♥ Irene Bokros ♥ Jocelyn & Larry Harwood
♥Greta Kelly ♥ Ann Beyer♥ Jay Hopkins

Comfort for those who grieve:Nadine Pierce Family ♥ Norman Hewitson Family ♥ Lil Leeman Family ♥ Honbaum Family ♥Susan Bairley Family ♥ Baize Family ♥Terry Hookstra lost mother

Travel Mercies: McKinnons to Scotland ♥ Bill & Shirley Westphal ♥Zora Longworth ♥ Jinx Bailey

Pray For Friends:

Kevin Line♥ David Westphal♥ Matt Gladwin♥ Joan Allen♥
Sheri Caulkins ♥ Fred Eibler ♥ Vickil ♥ Bonny's nephew♥ Norris
& Diane Cutler ♥ Jane VanKirk ♥ Bill & Edith Moller ♥ Steven Draper ♥Ed
& Barbara Brown♥ Terry Hookstra♥ Dale Tupper ♥ Mike Penny ♥ Alex Li
♥ Donna Lane ♥ Jim & Gerry Tallman ♥Jann & Marilyn Tripp ♥ Robin
Eberts ♥ Ron Woodworth ♥The Veltris
God's Country Cooperative ♥ Our Country & Leaders♥ First Responder