

## Activity Schedule

Today M, 7/4	10am	<b>Worship Service</b>
	11a-3p	<b>Picnic, Planes and Hot Dogs for a Great 4th of July afternoon!</b> Traverse Bay UMC: 1200 Ramsdell (near Tom's West Bay) is sponsoring a hot dog and homemade cherry cobbler picnic on their church lawn. It will feature Maxbauer hot dogs and fresh baked buns along with dog toppings, chips and a variety of Coke beverages. The view of the air show is fabulous from the lawn and parking in the church lot is free, so it makes for a great afternoon! The proceeds from the picnic will benefit the work at Love In the Name of Christ.
Wed, 7/6	3pm	<b>All-Faith Worship Service at Samaritas (Hope Village) Retirement Center Chapel</b>
	6pm	<b>Evening on River Street in Elk Rapids</b> —We are providing Hospitality tables for those who need a place to sit and eat! Come help us be a presence in the community!
Th, 7/7	10am	<b>Bible Study—Everyone is welcome!</b>
Sun, 7/10	7pm	<b>The Talk of the Town-A Community Conversation on Today's Topics</b> Williamsburg UMC is delighted to host this Public Forum, allowing people of All Walks of Life to discuss difficult issues in a peaceful, respectful manner. Teens Welcome to join the Conversation! May we once again find the Good News in This World! Sunday Evenings of July 10, 17, 24, and 31. Doors open at 6:30p, Discussions start at 7p. Child Care Available. Call Pastor Nate with Questions (586) 229-5767

### Prayer Requests:

ACTS Ministry & Food Pantry ( <i>they need volunteers</i> )	Law Enforcement officers safety
Bill Beckwith (Carol Hockins' brother)-brain tumor	Shirley & family of Gene Lewis in his death
Wilma Bowdle (Gail Gualtiere's mom)-lung aneurism	Pat Martindale—poor health
Jim Brinks-in rehab in Houston. Bonnie also needs prayer	Delores McCullough (young Barb Drummond's mom) -recovery from open heart surgery
Jim & Bonnie Brinks' 16 yr. old granddaughter	Matthew Miller
Doug Bronkema-heart surgery recovery	Clara Moon-health
Ginny Claudepierre-ovarian cancer	Arnie Ochs (Brad's father) @ Munson rehab, healing from a fall at home
Bob Clone-lung and liver cancer	Jeanne and Klaus Rennert (Sara Och's parents)
Laurie Clone	Safe travels
Ron Clone-brain tumors causing seizures	Isabella Stapleton
Clara Drummond-broken ankle	Dustin & Neysa Summers-Dustin seriously ill, no diagnosis & they have 5 children
Friends and family with anxiety and/or depression	James Teague
Minnie Ferguson	Olivia Terrell-brain tumor treatment
Charlie Jokinen	Unborn Babies
The Kyle Kramer family (Connie & Jeff Nault's son)- Surgeries, financial difficulties	_____
	_____
	_____
	_____



# Welcome!

## Williamsburg United Methodist Church

### July 3, 2016



Williamsburg United Methodist Church  
 Pastor Nate Starkey  
 E-mail: [pastornatestarkey@gmail.com](mailto:pastornatestarkey@gmail.com)  
 Cell: (586) 229-5767

5750 Williamsburg Rd., P.O. Box 40  
 Williamsburg, MI 49690  
 Church Office: 231-267-5792  
 E-mail: [wumctoday@gmail.com](mailto:wumctoday@gmail.com)  
 Website: [www.wumctoday.com](http://www.wumctoday.com)

### **Thank you to:**

Bass: Dennis Aurand  
 Coffee Fellowship: Beth & Doug Bronkema  
 Liturgist: Jan Bassett  
 Organ: Vonnie Everts

Piano: Barb Drummond & Cara Bagley-Aurand  
 Usher: Jim Wright  
 6/26/16 Attendance: 42

Welcome!  
Good News! True Independence!

Open Hymn Sing  
Prelude and Procession  
Greeting & Opening Prayer

Pass the Peace of Christ

Unison Prayer  
*All: Gracious God, you have made all of the peoples of the earth for your glory. You invite us to serve you in freedom and in peace. Give to the people of our nation a zeal for justice and the strength for forbearance, that we may use our liberty in accordance with your gracious will. We ask this on a day of celebration, a day of hope for a nation made free. We ask this in the name of the one who welcomes all to be free indeed. Inspire us to live and worship in your freedom and for the sake of your Kingdom. Amen.*

\*Opening Hymn "America the Beautiful" Media Screens or Red Hymnal 696

Scripture: Psalm 119:41-48

Offering & "Noisy Offering" supports UMCOR Imagine No Malaria—please see bulletin board in hallway for more information

Doxology

Hymn "God of Our Fathers" Media Screens or Blue Hymnal 573  
(Children may be excused for Sunday School)

Community Praises and Prayer  
The Lord's Prayer

Hymn "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" Media Screens or Blue Hymnal 614

Sermon & Scripture "Freedom in Christ" Pastor Nate Starkey  
Galations 5:5, 13-18, 1 Corinthians 6:12, 1 Peter 2:13-16

Communion Blue Hymnal:

\*Benediction

\*Closing Hymn "If My People's Hearts Are Humbled" Media Screens or Blue Hymnal 574

\*Postlude

\*Please stand

Everyone is invited to coffee fellowship!

Notes:

---

---

---

---

---

<u>July Birthdays and Anniversaries!</u>		
15th	Ned VerHage	
2nd	Donavan Ochs	16th Evie Huver
3rd	Larry Everts	19th Tom & Linda Slopsema's 31st Anniv!
3rd	Linda Belcher	20th Tom & Judy Jenkins' Anniv!
5th	Forrest Barrett	21st Ron & Jean Ridge's 48th Anniv!
5th	Pete Peters	22nd Chuck Walter
7th	Sam Starkey	24th Jael Reinhold
8th	Shirley Lewis	24th Sue Whitney
13th	Rebecca Hamstra	28th Holly Barrett
13th	Panzer Rouse	28th Sami Aisthorpe
14th	Bob & Jan Bassett's 13th Anniv!	30th Denise Graham

- Kind of like a walking or exercise buddy, it's good to have a daily walk with prayer. **The Upper Room** Publication (available in the hallway!) is just that—a daily devotional with a short uplifting message and a chance to chat with God. They are there for you—if you're able to leave a \$2 donation, great—if not, that's fine too!
- **CALLING ALL BOTTLE/CAN RETURNS! Deposit \$ goes to ACTS.** (Acme Christian Thrift Store) There are boxes in the Sunshine Room upstairs and one by the back door in Fellowship Hall.
- **AA Meetings:** Mon. - 8pm , Wed.- 7pm (women), Sat. 10am (men) & 7pm
- **ACTS (Acme Christian Thrift Store & Food Pantry)** Info: (food, clothing, household items gladly accepted!) Store: Tues-Fri 10am to 5pm; Sat 10am to 3pm
- Pantry: Wed 2 to 5pm; Sat 10am to 1pm.