



Living Faith
United Methodist Church

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Pastor Sandy Webster

Sunday, June 21, 2020

Trust In Jesus

John 14:1-7

Prayer Requests

- **Tracy's mom Donna** ~ in hospital
- **Joanne Raterman** ~ continued healing, retirement 31 years at UP
- **Terry Unterseher and family** ~ comfort as they grieve for **Terry's aunt**
- **Rosalie Weber** ~ healing
- **Grace Thomsen's granddaughter Anna** ~ healing from dental surgery
- **Denise Waller** ~ healing & joy o fa new hip!
- **Camp Fontenelle**
- **Pastor Jaime Farias** and his family for transition from his current churches to Living Faith
- **Pastor Sandy and family** for transition into retirement and future endeavors
- **All who are feeling isolated and lonely**
- **Bishop Ruben Saenz, Jr.** for his leadership and for modeling life in Christ
- **Transition for LF & All UMC's**
- **Protection from viruses and illnesses going around**
- **Shirley Morris** ~ healing, encouragement
- **Larry & Karen Lakeman** ~ healing & encouragement
- **Donna Chaney** ~ health & strength
- **Gloria Peterson** ~ health
- **Wava Jean Carl** ~ strength
- **Our nation, our leaders** ~ wisdom and discernment
- **Vernon Thomsen** ~ health, pain management
- **Elderly, shut ins**
- **Adeng , Annie, Julie Kristin, and Renson Michael Chen**
- **Pray for Marriages, Families, Relationships**
- **LFUMC, and all of God's churches**

Until further notice, we will not be meeting in person for Worship Services, Sunday School or Wednesday Night Live. Please watch sermons Sunday mornings at 10:10 a.m. on our church Facebook page.
<https://www.facebook.com/LivingFaithUMCOmaha/?ref=bookmarks>

From The Pastor

What a day today was! Today I cleaned out my office at the church and did a final walk-through of the church. Also moved access to “my” laptop to Pastor Jaime so he will be set to go when he arrives. All the necessary steps and all is well. So why do they feel so bad? I just have such an empty feeling and emotions that jump from joy and relief to sadness and regret.

Our faith journey through life can be sort of like that. One day we are strong in Bible reading and prayer and we feel close to God. Another day we waiver in our faith and question where God really is. We are human, and that makes us emotional at times and certainly makes us vulnerable at times too.

Scripture comes to mind easily for me when I feel empty, lost or sad. Scripture comes to mind when I am happy and excited about life. Scripture just seems like the answer to a whole lot of problems, issues, or emotions!

As I bid you farewell, know that I will always love you and know that I will continue to pray for you and your families. You are very special people to me and I will miss you terribly!

Follow your Shepherd, Jesus Christ. He will never leave you nor forsake you!

Be blessed!
Pastor Sandy

West O Auto & Cycle Show

Living Faith United Methodist Church

182nd & Q in Omaha

For more information call: 402 393-2321

Saturday, June 20th

10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Cars & Cycles

Old, New & Classic



FREE ADMISSION:
*Accepting donations of
canned goods for
food bank.*

NO REGISTRATION FEE

Registration beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Retirement Drive By For Pastor Sandy!

Please bring a card with an encouraging word or
memory verse!

Living Faith UMC
Sunday, June 28th
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Class of
2020

CELEBRATE OUR GRADUATES

BEN HIZER

&

GARRETT CARBULLIDO NEGLEY

Saturday, June 27, 2020

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

at

Living Faith UMC
5310 S 182nd Ave
Omaha NE 68135

RSVP lynnhizer6@gmail.com or

text 402-515-8906



Scripture and Sermon Titles

You are invited to read the Scriptures prior to Worship Services.

Sunday, June 21

Trust In Jesus

John 14:1-7

Sunday, June 28

Grace And Peace To You!

John 14:15-19, 25-27

1 Thessalonians 3:16-18

Sunday, July 5

Keys For Success

Joshua 1:1-18

A Look Ahead

June 20 ~ West O Auto Show 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

June 28 ~ Drive by Retirement for Pastor Sandy 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Finance May Update:

Our pledges have remained strong. Thank you for dropping off your offering or for mailing them into the office.

Tithing has not been cancelled.

Thank you for faithful giving!

**We will be continuing online worship for the
upcoming Sunday:
June 21**

A photograph of a hand pushing a shopping cart in a grocery store aisle. The cart is silver with green handles. The background is a blurred aisle with shelves of products.

**Debbie Beavers small group is willing to shop for any
congregation members who are not wanting to or
can't get out.**

**You can email Debbie directly at
pemberly01@gmail.com**

Committees

Living Faith has a structure of committees to do our work. We have great volunteers, but attending evening meetings is difficult so attendance is low.

How would you re-structure?

The structure of the local church in the United Methodist organization includes a Lay Leader who helps the pastor with leadership of the church. LFUMC is fortunate to have two Lay Leaders, Gene Latham and Rita Pflingsten and both are active leaders. Thank you, Gene and Rita, for your wisdom, discernment, and for always keeping the best interests of Living Faith in your hearts.

Lay Representative to Annual Conference has been Joyce Savage. Please thank Joyce when you see her for representing you well at these huge gatherings year after year. She attends every session, listens well, and takes good notes so she can report back to you. She has voted conscientiously and has always kept the interest of the church as her highest priority.

Four people served as Chairpersons for Church Council during my years with Living Faith: Linda Zimmerman Morgan, John Maxell, Phil Fisher, and currently Joan Smith. Thank you for running meaningful meetings and for leading us towards results.

Doug Simon leads the team of Trustees and they ensure the protection of the church's assets and they care for the property. Doug leads with confidence and common sense, as well as with a sense of humor and flexibility.

Elisa Booth has served for the past two years as the Chairperson of Staff Parish Relations Committee. SPRC supports the pastor and acts a liaison between pastor and congregation if needed. Elisa leads a great group of people who have given me all the support I could ever want!

We are a rather small church, and yet our leadership team is strong and capable. Listen to them and heed their expertise. They love Living Faith and serve well for its success.

Other teams include Joan Smith and Joan Roberson: Christian Caregivers, Ellen Ring: Membership, Lynn Hizer: Prayer, and Joyce Savage Special Events.

Psalms 37:5 "Commit everything you do to the Lord; Trust Him, and He will help you."

What would make it easier for you to serve?

What keeps you from volunteering?

What could change that would turn your "no" to "yes" for committee work?

Please send and email to Tracy
info@livingfaithumc.com

**Pray
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Bishop Saenz has asked all United Methodists to unite

In prayer each day at noon.

Pray The Lord's Prayer at 12:00 noon everyday.

We lift our prayers together—

one body, one LORD.



Habitat for Humanity is a mission that many of us feel passionate about, even though we no longer go to the worksite together as a team.

If you want to volunteer, go to their website and sign up for the date & time you'll work.
They will be glad to have you!

<https://habitatomaha.org/volunteernow/>



POWER *of* **PRAYER**

1st Sunday Prayer
Following Worship

Personal individual prayer
with two people.

Meet in the FH

OUR MISSION

To make disciples for Jesus Christ
to transform the world

OUR VISION

- 1) To be disciples for Christ
- 2) To bring others to Christ

OUR GOALS

- 1) Become & remain Spiritually Strong
 - a) Attend Worship Regularly
 - b) Be Part of a small group
 - c) Pray faithfully
- 2) Share God with our Community & the world
 - a) Mission Shares
 - b) Service to others
 - c) Reaching out
- 3) Interact with The Holy Bible Daily
 - a) Educate & guide our children & youth
 - b) Christian Education for all ages

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