

Kenn Curren, Pastor 124 N Market St Loudonville, OH 44842 office hours: Mon-Thu 9am-12pm

Our Mission: Make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world by reaching the unbeliever for Christ, discipling the believer in Christ, and preparing God's people to serve in the name of Christ.

Sunday, January 04, 2026, 10:30am

Order of Worship

Prelude Amy Loveday

Announcements Jackson

Prayer of Thanksgiving Pastor Kenn

Doxology #95

Call to Worship

Jackson

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory.

"Greeting 272" from John 1:1, 14a., in *The United Methodist Book of Worship*, p. 271, Nashville, TN: The United Methodist Publishing House, 1992.

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Music

Hark! the Herald, Angels Sing

#240

Amy Loveday

Time of Praise and Prayer

Pastor Kenn

Sharing of Joys and Concerns Prayers of the People

Choir Anthem

Just One Star

Scripture Reading

John 1:1-14

Pastor Kenn

The Message

Shine Forth

Pastor Kenn

Sacrament of Holy Communion

UMH p.12

Music

Joy to the World

#246

Amy Loveday

Benediction

Pastor Kenn

Music

May the Lord Bless You

Amy Loveday

May the Lord Mighty God, Bless and Keep you Forever. Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see God's face, full of Grace forever. May the Lord, Mighty God, Bless and Keep you Forever.

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Prayer Concerns

Mary Warbel—Mike and

Sally's daughter

Ricky Zellner—Carol

Bordner's grandson

Eileen Lowe—Sandy Esto's

friend

Ned Burgess

Carol Baker

Carol Bordner

Mike – Nila's son in law

Patty Brink

Rick Pace

Lolita Eberhart

Pam Swain

Mary Ann Wigton

Megan – Emma Whitaker's

nephew's wife

Kiera—Florence Lowe's granddaughter

Glanddaugned Gleo Kossinger De

Mike Kassinger—Pam's

husband Kristi Ray

Jim Jones—Carol Speck's son

Dan and Carol Speck

Florence Lowe

Brian – from Carol Speck

Marlene Bookman

Kathy Cates

Beverly – Nila's daughter-in-law

Please let the church office know of updates to the prayer list. We are thankful for God's answer to prayer and help in troubled times.

Today's Scripture Readings

Jeremiah 31:7-14; Psalm 147:12-20; Ephesians 1:3-14; John 1:1-9, 10-18

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Serving in Worship This Week

Pastor: Kenn Curren **Greeter**: Jackie and Dave

Liturgist: Jackson Acolyte: Children of the Church

Choir Director: Barb Burd

Accompanist: Amy Loveday

Sound Tech: Steve Hughes

Flower Wreaths: Sharon Ray

By the Numbers

Last Week's Attendance		Average Attendance*	
Worship	58	Worship	66
Children's Sunday School	12	Children's Sunday School	14
Online	30	Online	62

Last Week's Giving
4verage Weekly Budget
\$2,692 towards budgets
Weekly budget: \$3,212

Altar Arrangements Sponsor: January's altar arrangements are provided by Nila Thewlis.

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: January's radio broadcasts are sponsored by Bob and Edna Moritz.

Parents and Grandparents - if your child needs to visit the restroom during the service, we would ask that you accompany them. The doors off the education wing are easy to push open, allowing children to see an adult outside the door and let them in. Our focus is to keep our children and our church family safe. Thank you for your consideration.

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Announcements January 04, 2026

Unhanging of the Greens

On Sunday, January 4 after the service we will be unhanging the greens. You are invited to stay and help.

Bingo Night

Saturday, January 24 from 5-7pm join us for Bingo Night. It will be a fun night for the whole family. There will be prizes to be won. Bring a snack to share if you would like and get ready to shout BINGO!

Offering Counters Needed

If you would like to help with the counting of the weekly offerings please see Judy Pollard.

Tithely Giving

Tithely as a way for giving to the church. Tithely giving is an easy to use platform that will allow you to give online and on your phone. You can make both one-time and recurring gifts, give with a credit/debit card or ACH (bank account) transaction, and even Cover the Fees (which will help your gift go even farther!)Use the QR code to download the Tithely App or give online at the church website: loudonvilleumc.com/give.

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Helping Hand Needs

This week's needs for Helping Hand are: Toilet paper, Kleenex, Salt & pepper sets. Thank you for supporting your community.

On the Calendar

Events This Week

01/06 Community Meal, 01/11 Sunday School,

5pm 9:45am

01/07 Tai Chi 01/11 Coffee Time, 10am

01/10 Lakeville UMC Food 01/11 Worship, 10:30am

Pantry, 9am

This Week's Celebrations

Anniversaries Birthdays

01/04 MARLENE Bookman

01/08 Betty Curren

oı/11 ALAN Fair

01/11 TONI Fair

If we missed your day, we also want to recognize you. Please let the church office know to be added to the database.

(Note: Names in ALL CAPS denote church members.)

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