Loudonville UMC
Loudonville, Ohio
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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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, November 29, 2026, 10:30am
First Sunday of Advent

Order of Worship

Prelude — Amy Loveday

Announcements — Kelly Fetzer

Advent Wreath Lighting — Hughes Family

***Call to Worship** — Kelly Fetzer

You know what time it is,
how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep.
For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers;
the night is far gone, the day is near.
Let us then lay aside the works of darkness
and put on the armor of light.

"Greeting 243" from: Romans 13:11-12., in *The United Methodist Book of Worship*, p. 240, *Nashville, TN: The United Methodist Publishing House, 1992.*

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***Doxology** (Presentation of Tithes and Offerings) #95

***Prayer of Thanksgiving** Pastor David

***Music** *People, Look East* *#202*
Amy Loveday

Time of Praise and Prayer Pastor David
- Sharing of Joys and Concerns
- Prayers of the People
- The Lord's Prayer

Choir Anthem *How Great is Your Goodness*

Children's Message Pastor David

Scripture Reading Mark 13:32-37 Pastor David

The Message *Keep Awake – Keep Watch* Pastor David

***Music** *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* *#211*
Amy Loveday

***Benediction** Pastor David

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
Patty Brink
Rick Pace
Lolita Eberhart
Mary Ann Wigton
Holly – Nila's daughter
Megan – Emma Whitaker's nephew's wife
Kiera—Florence Lowe's granddaughter
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

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

Isaiah 64:1-9; Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19;
1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37

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Serving in Worship This Week

Pastor: David Miller
Liturgist: Kelly Fetzer
Choir Director: Barb Burd
Accompanist: Amy Loveday
Greeter: Karen and Ken
Acolyte: Youth of the Church
Sound Tech: Grayson Oswald
Flower Wreaths: Sharon Ray

By the Numbers

*Last Week's Attendance

Worship	70
Sunday School	13
Online	20

Average Attendance

Worship	69
Sunday School	16
Online	29

*Last Week's Giving

$2,883 towards budgets

Average Weekly Budget

Weekly budget: $3,333

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: November's radio broadcasts are sponsored by the Hughes family in memory of dad, Kermit Richert.

Tithely Giving

Tithely is 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.

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Announcements November 29, 2026

Progressive Dinner



On Sunday, December 6, our church will participate in *Mingle, Jingle, and Dine* – a 4 course progressive dinner hosted by four churches in our town. The event is from 5:00-8:00 pm and includes soup at St. Peter, salad at our church, the main course at First Baptist, and finishes with dessert at Zion Lutheran. We will conclude the evening with a candlelight singing of "Silent Night." This is a free event and you are welcome to invite friends and family. Please help us prepare by signing up in the overflow if you plan to attend. We hope you will join us for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship as we usher in the Christmas season. Please see Laurie Bower, Tammy Kindle, or Amy Loveday with any questions.

Salvation Army Bell Ringers

We are ringing the bell on Sunday, December 20 from Noon – 5pm at Stakes IGA. Please sign up for a time to help with ringing the bell this year. The sign up is in the overflow area.

Advent Candle Wreath Lighting Volunteers

Readers are needed each Sunday of Advent and on Christmas Eve. Lighting the Advent wreath candles is a perfect Advent activity for a family. Please sign up in the overflow area. Advent begins November 29.

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Day of Sharing

The Loudonville Church Women are preparing for Day of Sharing on December 08 and are asking for our congregation to consider donating coats (new or gently used). The sizes they are looking for are Men S and M, Boys 3-5yrs, Girls 2-5yrs. Please bring the items unwrapped by November 29.

Helping Hand Needs

This week's needs for Helping Hand are: Jelly, Canned fruit, Size 5 diapers. Thank you for helping our community.

2027 Church Volunteer Sign ups

Sign up now for how you would like to be involved with our Sunday Morning Worship. We are looking for Greeters, Liturgists and sponsors of our Radio and Altar Arrangements. Sign up in the overflow area.

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On the Calendar

Events This Week

12/01 Community meal, 5pm
12/02 Tai Chi
12/06 Sunday School, 9:45am
12/06 Coffee Time, 10am
12/06 Worship, 10:30am
12/06 Progressive Dinner, 5pm

This Week's Celebrations

Anniversaries

11/30 Robert & RHONDA Close
11/30 CHIP & Jacqui Pollard III
12/03 GENE & NANCY Heller

Birthdays

11/29 LISA Reiheld
11/30 KAREN Motz
12/01 Nancy Statler
12/01 MARK Lemke
12/03 WENDY Zody
12/05 CHERYL Raines

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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Christmas Schedule of Events

November 29 – First Sunday of Advent – Combined Worship Perrysville UMC will join us at 10:30am

December 6 – Mingle, Jingle and Dine – Progressive Dinner from 5-8pm

December 13 – Community Christmas Service at 5pm at Perrysville Presbyterian

December 20 – Children will join with the choir and sing during 10:30am Service.

December 20 – Bigelow UMC host West Holmes Chamber Choir with candlelight service, 7pm

December 24 – Christmas Eve Service, 7pm

January 3 – Parsonage Open House, 3-5pm



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