

# Calendar of Events

Sun., Jan. 14th		Human Relations Day Sunday
Mon., Jan. 15	3:00 p.m.	Study Group @ Kathy Hanson's
Tues., Jan. 16th	5:30 p.m.	Martin Luther King Day
	6:30 p.m.	Bell Choir Practice @ V
Wed., Jan. 17th	10:00 a.m.	Finance & Council @ V
	3:30 p.m.	TOPS @ V
	4:00 p.m.	Church School @ V
	4:00 p.m.	Talk on Peru and Peruvian meal @ V
	6:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Thurs., Jan. 18th	6:45 p.m.	Worship Meeting @ V
Sun., Jan. 21st	10:30 a.m.	Choir sings @ V
	4:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class @ V
Tues., Jan. 23rd	5:30 p.m.	Bell Choir Practice
Wed., Jan. 24th	10:00 a.m.	TOPS
	3:30 p.m.	Church School
	6:00 p.m.	Choir Practice @ V

**SAVE THE DATE: SAT. FEB 10TH, 2018**

**"THE BIG THING"**

**BE THINKING OF HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE. IT'S AN ALL-CHURCH EVENT!**

Prayer List: Carol H., Robert P., Lana D., Mae O., Orvin G., Dr. Robert and Janet S., Ron S., Brian G., Janice F., Michael, Deedee, Family of Janet Cheever  
**Viroqua UMC offers two adult Bible Study classes from 9:00-10:00 a.m., every Sunday @ V.**

## LIBERTY POLE UMC

## VIROQUA UMC

### USHERS

Veryel & Lorraine Gerdl

### GREETERS

David Peterson

### LITURGIST

Renee Baker

Gregory Cheever

### LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE

33

51

### LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

\$959.00

\$12,040.00

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Irene Fortney

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Kristin Potochick



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## Viroqua & Liberty Pole United Methodist Churches

***2nd Sunday after Epiphany—Jan. 14th***

January 14th, 2018

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Liberty Pole UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 9:00 A.M.      Viroqua UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 10:30 A.M.

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics.

\*\*Please stand if you are able.

**PRELUDE**      “VARIATIONS ON PUER NOBIS NASCITUR”      ARR. BY: HAL H. HOPSON

(A time to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation.)

### WELCOMING WORDS

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please sign the attendance sheets.)

### INTROIT (V) CHOIR

\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE      “TELL ME THE STORIES OF JESUS”      UMH No. 277

\*\*CALL TO WORSHIP      PSALM 139:1-12      UMH No. 854

\*\*OPENING PRAYER      (PRAY IN UNISON)

Lord, it is winter now. The days are short, the darkness of our despair encroaches soon...Still, you call us out of this darkness into your great light.

The winds of our icy discontent swirl all about us, to freeze our faith and numb our courage...but you are our light and salvation, why should we be afraid? God, enter with us into this place, your house. Here, may all that troubles us melt in the light and warmth of your care. *Amen.*

### CHILDRENS TIME

CHILDREN LEAVE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL @ LP

### SPECIAL MUSIC—CHOIR SINGS @ V

OLD TESTAMENT READING      PSALM 26:1-8      PEW BIBLE No. 663

HYMN      “I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY” (REMAIN SEATED)      UMH No. 156

NEW TESTAMENT READING      ACTS 2:42-47      PEW BIBLE No. 1320

\*\*GOSPEL      LUKE 6:46-49      PEW BIBLE No. 1237

L: This is the word of God for the people of God.

P: THANKS BE TO GOD.

SERMON      “ARE YOU A SPINNER?”

BARB ROBSON

JOYS AND CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD’S PRAYER      UMH No. 895

L: Lord, in your mercy,

P: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

OFFERING      “CHORAL”      BY: FLOR PEETERS

### \*\*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

### \*\*OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*\*CLOSING HYMN      “PASS IT ON” (2 TIMES)      UMH No. 572

### \*\*BENEDICTION

Go now into this cold world, warmed by the very presence of God.  
Go safely, for there is no place that God has not already been.  
Go in joy, for Jesus has already gone ahead of us, and we gladly follow.  
Go in confidence, for we are kept in God’s Care.

\*\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE “GO TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN” (REFRAIN) UMH No. 251

POSTLUDE      “BENEDICAMUS DOMINO”      BY: COR KEE

Human Relations Day Sunday—Special Offering