

Calendar of Events

Third Sunday in Lent

Holy Communion in the pews

Confirmation Class

Yoga Class @ V

Set up for Taco Feed

Bell Choir Practice

No church school today @ V

Taco Feed for Youth @ V

Lenten Worship service and Bell Choir @ V

VUMW - V lounge

Choir Practice

Worship Mtg.

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Choir sings @ V

Study Group @ K. Hanson's

Yoga Class @ V

Care & Nurture @ V

Bell Choir Practice

Trustees Mtg. @ V

Church School @ V

LP UMW

Potato Bar @ LP

Lenten Worship service @ LP

Clown Practice @ V

Sun., March 4th

4:00 p.m.

Mon., March 5th

5:00 p.m.

Tues., March 6th

4:00 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

Wed., March 7th

3:30 p.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

Thurs., March 8th

1:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

Sun., March 11th

10:30 a.m.

3:00 p.m.

Mon., March 12th

5:00 p.m.

Tues., March 13th

10:30 a.m.

5:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Wed., March 14th

3:30 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

5:15 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

Prayer List: Carol H., Robert P., Lana D., Mae O., Orvin G., Dr. Robert and Janet S., Ron S., Brian G., Jay, Deedee, Ken, Family of Bedena Jacobson, Family of Bobbie Pierce

Viroqua UMC offers two adult Bible Study classes from 9:00-10:00 a.m. every Sunday @ V.



Third
SUNDAY
IN
LENT

LIBERTY POLE UMC

VIROQUA UMC

USHERS

Aaron & Angie Hanson

GREETERS

Annabel McGarry

LITURGIST

Sandy Marohl

Joanne Hornby

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE

21

51

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

\$530.00

\$1,036.00

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Abby Diehl (LP)

Kathy Hanson & Barb Casper (V)

Choir Director

Irene Fortney

Secretary

Kristin Potochick



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Viroqua & Liberty Pole United Methodist Churches

3rd Sunday in Lent—March 4th

March 4th, 2018

Third Sunday in Lent

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 **“WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS”** BY: DARWIN WOLFORD
(A time to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation.)

WELCOMING WORDS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please sign the attendance sheets.)

****HYMN OF PRAISE** **“LIFT HIGH THE CROSS”** UMH No. 159

CALL TO WORSHIP **PSALM 19, RSP. 1** UMH No. 750

**OPENING PRAYER

Giver of light, we come here today, seeking the way out of our darkness. O Healer of the blind, let us feel the touch of your clay upon our eyes. Then we, too, shall bathe in Siloam's waters. We shall wash and return seeing, our sight restored. Your light shall burn within us, O God, and our neighbors shall behold the light of the world. *Amen.*

HYMN **“TAKE OUR BREAD”** (REMAIN SEATED) UMH No. 640

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (IN PEWS) UMH No. 12

CHILDREN LEAVE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL @ LP

OLD TESTAMENT READING **1 SAMUEL 17:34-35** **PEW BIBLE NO. 346**

OLD TESTAMENT READING **PSALM 23** **PEW BIBLE NO. 662**

****GOSPEL** **JOHN 2:13-22** **PEW BIBLE NO. 1281**

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

P: THANKS BE TO GOD.

SERMON **“RESURRECTION HOPE”**

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

L: Lord, in your mercy,

P: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

OFFERING **“DRAW NEAR AND TAKE THE BODY OF THE LORD”**
BY: JOHN A. BEHNKE

**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** **“MUST JESUS BEAR THE CROSS ALONE?”** UMH No. 424

**BENEDICTION IN UNISON:

L: The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth.

P: He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable.

L: He gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless.

P: Even youth will faint and be weary, and the young will fall exhausted;

L: But those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

P: They shall mount up with wings like eagles.

L: They shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

In the steps our Savior trod, let us follow faithfully,

Where the sinless Son of God, went to set us sinners free.

Mark each footstep in the strife, of the way, the truth, and Life.

****BENEDICTION RESPONSE** **“THROUGH IT ALL”** UMH No. 507

POSTLUDE **“PRELUDE IN E MINOR”** BY: J. S. BACH