

PRAYER REQUESTS

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THE LOST AND THE LONELY

**MEARS UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH**

August 6, 2023

CONFIDENCE

**"Hope Like
Moses"**



Pastor Bev's
Sabbath is on
Friday's

As it is written in Matthew 14:23, Pastor Bev "goes up into a mountain apart to pray" on Friday's for taking the time for 1 on 1 with God.

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Today



Greetings and Announcements

Breathing in God's Grace

Call to Worship —

They forgot God, their Savior, who had done great things in Egypt,

Wondrous works in the land of Ham, and terrible things by the Red Sea.

Therefore the Lord intended to destroy them had not Moses, his chosen one, stood in the breach, to turn away God's wrath from destroying them.

Save us, O Lord our God, and gather us from among the nations, that we may give thanks to your holy name and glory in your praise.

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting!

And let all the people say, "Amen!" Praise the Lord!

Doxology

Opening Hymn

Great Is Thy Faithfulness UMH 140

Opening Prayer & Prayer of Thanksgiving

God Winks

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Time with Pastor Bev

Hymn of Preparation

Confidence

The Apostles' Creed: **UMH 881**

Scripture: **Exodus 14:10-14**

Message: **Confidence: "Hope Like Moses"**

Communion Hymn: *Spirit of the Living God* UMH 393

Communion: Come to meet with Christ and have fellowship with Him at His invitation.

Closing Hymn

My Hope is Built UMH 368

Benediction & Going Forth

Offering plates are located at the back of the sanctuary.

~ Thank you for your gift! ~

A N N O U N C E M E N T S

as of August 6, 2023

Miracle Sunday

Miracle Sunday is scheduled for August 13. We are looking forward to exploring more areas that we can make a difference. Missions and Ministries that we help are on the back of this bulletin.

Coffee Hour

Volunteers are needed for Coffee Hour for August. A sign-up sheet is located in the welcome area.

Soup/Salad

Volunteers are needed to bring a Pot of Soup or Salad for August. A sign-up sheet is located in the welcome area.

District Superintendent

On Wed. August 16 we will have a meet and greet with our District Superintendent at 3:30pm.

U P C O M I N G W O R S H I P M E E T I N G S & E V E N T S

Sunday, August 13

Confidence: "I Can Face My Giants"

Numbers 13:27-33

Sunday, August 20

Confidence: "A Heart Like David"

1 Samuel 16:11-13
