

PRAYER REQUESTS

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THE LOST AND THE LONELY

MEARS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 19, 2023

Guest Speaker:
Rev. Ray Field
"I Am Grateful"

Dear Mears United Methodist Church,

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks for the beautiful flower arrangement in honor of our 155 years serving the Hart community. It means a lot to us during these difficult final days.

Sincerely,

Your Friends at Hart Congregational UCC

Pastor Bev Williams
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Today



Greetings and Announcements

Breathing in God's Grace

Call to Worship —

Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary;

Praise God in his mighty firmament!

Praise God for his mighty deeds;

Praise God for his exceeding greatness!

Praise God with trumpet sound;

Praise God with lute and harp!

Praise God with tambourine and dance;

Praise God with strings and pipe!

Praise God with sound cymbals;

Praise God with loud clashing cymbals!

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord!

Doxology

Opening Hymn: *We Gather Together* UMH 131

Opening Prayer & Prayer of Thanksgiving

God Winks

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Time with Marcia

Hymn of Preparation: *Count Your Blessings*

The Apostles' Creed: UMH 881

Scripture: *Luke 17:11-19*

Message: *Guest Speaker: Rev. Ray Field*

"I Am Grateful"

Closing Hymn:

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come UMH 694

Benediction & Going Forth

Offering plates are located at the back of the sanctuary.

~ Thank you for your gift! ~

ANNOUNCEMENTS

as of November 12, 2023

Thanksgiving Baskets

Volunteers are needed to distribute Thanksgiving Food Baskets on Sat. Nov. 18 at 10am. We will distribute the baskets from 12am-2pm. A sign-up sheet is located in the welcome area.

Advent Readers

Volunteers are needed to be Advent Readers. There is a sign-up sheet in the welcome area.

UPCOMING WORSHIP MEETINGS & EVENTS

Sunday, November 26

Guest Speaker: Rev. Ray Field

"When Only Jesus Matters"

Matthew 25:31-46

Sunday, December 3

O Christmas Tree:

God Will Send a Righteous King

Jeremiah 23:5-6
