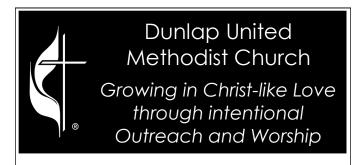
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DISPATCH JUNE 2021

A Message from Pastor Melissa...

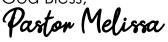
I once heard of a pastor who told his friend, "I never take a break because Satan never takes a break." His friend replied, "I think you need to find a better role model." We live in a time and culture where busyness is celebrated, and overwork is expected. If you are not doing something 100% productive from 8 AM to 8 PM, then you are wasting your time. How many people preparing to retire repeatedly hear the question "What are you going to DO now?" Too often we have forgotten the value of play or rest, so even our play must be productive.

The reality is, though, that working 24/7 with no respite is not at all Biblical. It is certainly important to work hard, but if we follow the guidance of the one we worship, then we will take a break. In Genesis 2:2-3, as the first account of Creation is wrapping up, we read, "By the seventh day God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. And God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done." God rested. In this way the concept of Sabbath rest was set up from the very beginning of time.

As Scripture goes on, the concept of Sabbath grows and changes, but the idea that Sabbath is required never stops. When Jesus talks about it, Sabbath is a day that is dedicated to rest from normal work, but this does not mean you can't do anything. It means you can do those things that bring glory to God, including loving and caring for your neighbor. Sabbath is intended to be intentional time of rest but also of revitalizing your relationship with God.

It is difficult to take time for Sabbath in our very busy world, but it is necessary that we do so. I encourage every person to sit down right now, as you read this note, and consider how you will take your next Sabbath time. What will you do, and what will you not do? How will you rest, and how will you draw closer to God? Let us all revitalize the practice of Sabbath in our lives.

God Bless,



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JUNE LITURGISTS

June 4th	Wayne Stutsman	June 6th	Andrea Nelson	
June 5th	Aiden Wheeler	June 13th	Jane Hunsberger	
	Bruce Brothers	June 20th	Karen Weeber	
June 11th	Beverly Simmerman	June 27th	Carolyn Anderson	
June 13th	Jackie Pressler			
June 20th	Dave Miles	Jl	JUNE ALTAR FLOWERS	
Holly Snook June 22nd Barbara Martin Stan Woaoman	•	June 6th	Carol Robinson	
	Stan Wogoman		In memory of David Robinson	
June 24th	Betty Myers	June 13th	Karen Weeber	
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June 25th	Arlen Troup Jacob Vollmar		In memory of dad, Max Ganger	
Drayton	Drayton Nelson	June 27th	Kim Anderson	
June 27th	27th Bruce Hill	In memory of John Anderson		

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

June 1st	Kenneth & Debra Lienhart	June 22nd	Arlen & Shirley Troup
		June 23rd	Gene & Lois Coney
June 13th	Randy & Amy Vollmar	June 26th	John & Kim Dooley
June 14th	Michael & Susan Kime		Dave & Donna Miles
June 18th	Wayne & Barb Stutsman Tim & Lori Anderson	June 28th	Vaughn & Sara Leedy
		June 30th	Jerry & Jana Workman

DUMC Shut In Ministry

Some information concerning our Shut-Ins has been updated.

Contact the church office for the updated copy of the Shut-In list,

or pick up a paper copy of the newsletter

in the church lobby on Sunday Morning.

June 2021 Dunlap United Methodist Church Sunday Monday Wednesday **Thursday Friday** Saturday **Tuesday** Pastor Melissa & Alice Vacation 12 10 1:00 PM: 6:00 PM: Sunday S.W.A.N. VBS Morning Worship: Planning 6:30 PM: Meeting Guest Worship Speaker: Committee Pastor Vince Meeting Turner Pastor Melissa & Alice Vacation **Annual Conference** 16 13 14 15 17 18 19 **CCS Sunday** 7:00 PM: Sunday Finance Morning Committee Worship: Meeting Hymn Sing 22 23 24 25 26 Father's Day Nelson's Chicken Sunday **Fundraiser** Morning 10 AM Worship 28 29 30 Sunday 7:00 PM: Morning Youth Worship Education Committee Meeting



Knights of North Castle: Quest for the King's Armor VBS 2021

July 12th - 16th, 2021 6 - 8 PM

Dunlap United Methodist Church

North Castle is hidden in a frozen land. The King's valiant Knights are on a quest in search of the King's Armor. But the Armor isn't what they think it is. **Knights of North Castle: Quest for the King's Armor** invites children to be strong in the Lord and in the strength of God's power!

At Knights of North Castle VBS, your children will enjoy an interactive, energizing, Bible-based good time as they go on a quest in search of the King's Armor. They will become Knights and discover how to serve God and God's mission for their lives.

Registration is now Open!

You can register 2 ways:

- 1. Pick up a registration form at church on Sunday mornings.
- 2. Go to www.elkhartdunlapumc.org and click on the VBS 2021 Registration tab.

We Need Your Help!

There will be a meeting on THURSDAY, June 10th @ 6:00 PM for everyone willing to help make this the best year of VBS yet! We will need all the help we can get, so come on out and see how you can be a part of the team!

We have something for everyone!





Anyone want some Nelson's Chicken?

It's time for our annual Nelson's Chicken Fundraiser!

Saturday, June 26th 10 AM DUMC Parking Lot

Tell your family, neighbors, friends, and everyone in between. You don't want to miss this chicken! We open at 10 and will be there till the chicken is gone!

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers adorning our altar each Sunday morning have become a special part of our worship service. Each week these flowers are placed by individuals or amilies who wish to honor or remember a loved one or a special occasion. If you would like to be a part of this special program you can sign up on our website (www.elkhartdunlapumc.org) under the Get Involved @ DUMC menu or by signing up on the flower chart at the back of the sanctuary, **but don't wait too long as there are only a few dates left**. We request a \$20 donation for each date you sign up for and the flowers are yours to take or donate at the end of the service that day.

Please Note:

For the month of June, we are pushing CCS Sunday back one week. We will collect Donations on Sunday, June 13th.

