

# THE STORY

## Dunlap United Methodist Church

*Growing in Christ-like Love  
through intentional Outreach and Worship*

## Celebration of Christian Worship

**April 3, 2022**

*5th Sunday in Lent*



**CHAPTER 24  
NO ORDINARY MAN**

## Welcome & Parish Announcements

### Prelude

*Just a Closer Walk With Thee - By James Denton  
Lois Coney, Organist*

### Lighting of the Candles\*

*\* Please Stand*

### Call To Worship\*

*Liturgist: Karen Newland*

- Leader: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.
- People: For once we were lost and felt so far away; now we have been found and welcomed home.
- Leader: Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.
- People: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!
- Leader: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love.
- People: AMEN!
- Leader: Let us pray:
- All: How incredible is your love, O God!  
We have been made new in your love and reconciled to you and to each other in peace and joy. Be with us this day as we hear your words of comfort and hope. Guide our lives that we may serve you more fully all of our days. AMEN.

*Call to Worship by Nancy C. Townley*

### Hymn\*

**You Are My All in All**  
*#583 - Blue Hymnal*  
*Verses 1 & 2*

### Scripture\*

Matthew 6:12 & 18:23-35

# Worship Through Our Giving

## Offertory

*Prayer - By George Blake*

*Lois Coney, Organist*

## Doxology\*

All: 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.

## Prayers of the People

### Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## Hymn

Break Thou the Bread of Life

*#413 - Blue Hymnal*

*Verses 1, 4 & 5*

## Children's Moment

*Bruce Hill*

## Sermon

Jesus Freely Forgives

*Pastor Ed Geleske*

## The Great Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: It is right, and a good and joyful thing...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Leader: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: Christ has died; Christ has risen; Christ will come again.

Leader: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here...all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

## Hymn\*

There's Something About That Name

*#83 - Blue Hymnal*

## Benediction

## Postlude

*Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken - By Robert J. Hughes*

*Lois Coney, Organist*

## Altar Flowers

*The Altar Flowers are lovingly placed today*

*By the Lienhart Family*

*In memory of Walter Lienhart*

## Maundy Thursday & Easter Sunday

As we prepare for our Holy Week activities, we wondered if you would be will to help. Would you consider helping to make soup for our Maundy Thursday meal? Or how about some breakfast food for our Easter Morning Breakfast? Stop by the back table today to sign up to help!

*The Scripture read comes from the New International Version.*

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# Announcements

## Easter Egg Hunt

Easter will be here soon! We are again having an Easter Egg Hunt for the children and we need your help! Donations of individually wrapped candy (small pieces please) and coins can be brought to the church and placed in the box in the back of the sanctuary by **NEXT Sunday!**

## Easter Lily Orders

It's time to order your Easter Lilies! Each plant is \$8.50 and following our Easter Morning Worship Service they are yours to take home. The easiest way to order is to visit our website at [www.elkhartdunlapumc.org](http://www.elkhartdunlapumc.org). Scroll down and you will find the order form and the link to pay for your plants. There will also be a sign up sheet in the back of the sanctuary. All orders and money must be turned in **TODAY.**

## Lenten Breakfast Series

Join us for the final Lenten Breakfast at 8:30 AM this Saturday, April 9th, at Jamestown United Methodist Church

## Summer Camp

Schedules & information about the 2022 Summer Camps as well as scholarship forms are located in the back of the sanctuary. Pick yours up today and get ready for a great summer!

## Celebrating Birthdays This Week

Mary Hesse	April 4th
Alex Nelson	April 5th
Karen Newland	April 8th

## Coming Up This Week

<b>TODAY:</b>	Bible Study	5:00 PM
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Instruments of Joy	6:30 PM
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Choir	6:30 PM
	Bells	7:30 PM
<b>Saturday:</b>	Lenten Breakfast @ Jamestown UMC	8:30 AM

## Church Office Reminder

Pastor Melissa is on Vacation all this week. Sara will also be out of the office Monday-Thursday. The office hours this week will be Monday-Friday 8 AM - Noon.

## Holy Week Schedule

### Sunday, April 10th

Palm Sunday & Palm Processional

### Thursday, April 14th

Maundy Thursday Service, 6 PM

*Worship, Supper & Communion*

### Friday, April 15th

Good Friday Service, 7 PM

### Saturday, April 16th

Walk Thru The Bible, 10 AM - 2 PM

### Sunday, April 17th

Easter Sunrise Service, 7 AM

*Outdoors, weather permitting*

Easter Breakfast after Sunrise Service

Easter Egg Hunt, 9 AM

Easter Worship Service, 10 AM

## DUMC Stewardship Corner

Attendance 3/27/22: 75 (In person & On-line)

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$ 3,556
Offering Last Week:	\$ 1,964**
Needed Year to Date (3/27)	\$ 46,228
Received Year to Date (3/27)	\$ 61,081*

*\*Please note: this total includes a number of families who give their entire pledge for the year in January.*

*\*\*This number includes the online giving for the month of March.*

*A full financial statement is available in the church office upon request.*

The Loose Change Offering for this week will be donated to **Faith Mission.**