

# **The MESSENGER**

Rev. Paula Timm-Potrykus

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Sunday Worship at 10:00 am

*News from Around the Congregation*

Mio United Methodist Church

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Office Hours: Friday 9 am - 11:15 am

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## **ARTS DAY CAMP "LOVE THY NEIGHBOR"**

**MONDAY, JULY 31<sup>ST</sup> – FRIDAY, AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>**

**9:30 am – 3:00 pm**

**At**

**MIO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**For Kids**

**6 yrs – 12 yrs**

**LUNCH & SNACK INCLUDED**

**\$25 per child**

**Scholarships available to cover cost.**

*Closing Program Friday from 3 - 3:30 pm. Adults & Families invited.*

*Application on next page.*

Mio United Methodist Church

Vacation Bible School 2023

July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 4<sup>th</sup>

**Arts Day Camp – “Love Thy Neighbor”**

APPLICATION – ONE PER CHILD

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age & Grade Next Fall \_\_\_\_\_

Special Skills or Talents \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Any known allergies, prohibited foods or health issues \_\_\_\_\_

Child's T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

**Drop off at 9:30 am & Pick Up at 3:00 pm**

*Closing Program Friday 3-3:30 pm – Adults & Families invited*

**TUITION \$25 PER CHILD FOR WEEK – LUNCH & SNACK INCLUDED  
DUE BEFORE OR UPON REGISTRATION**

**PLEASE CHECK BOX FOR SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE**

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**MIO METHODIST@GMAIL.COM**

CELEBRATE!!!  
REV. PAULA'S  
1<sup>ST</sup> YEAR WITH US

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Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>  
After worship

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Bring a dish to pass  
and  
Enjoy fun, friendship  
and good food

Sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

## Ad Council

- After much discussion the Council voted to pay all overdue apportionments and continue to pay in the future. This money had been put in escrow over the past few years.
- Both custodial and lawn care vacancies were filled.
- A new riding lawn mower was purchased.
- Mabel Hager Fund donations were to Mio School Music Program, Scholarships, Veterans Memorial and Arts Camp.
- The Love INC Gap Ministry for Medical Equipment will be disbanded due to little use. Equipment will be given to Council on Aging.
- June Yard/Garage Sales garnered \$775 for the UWF and \$640 for the UMM.

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## Meal Ministry

Barb Butler will head up a new "meal ministry" for those who are incapacitated from illness or surgery and need meals. They will be scheduled and taken as needed to the persons home. To help with this ministry talk to Barb or sign up in the Fellowship Hall with name and phone number.

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## Michigan United Methodist Church Changes

The districts of the Michigan United Methodist Church have been realigned. Formerly Mio UMC was in the Central Bay District. The name has been changed to the Northern Skies District. The district will include all UMC's from West Branch/Gladwin area and north including the Upper Peninsula and from I-75 to the east coast of the Lower Peninsula.

A new District Superintendent has been appointed to cover this new district. His name is Scott Harmon. We will be meeting him at our annual charge conference in the fall.

## Taylor & Tasha Kann Fund

Tasha and Taylor are young folks in our community that need our love, help and prayers. She is a mother of 2 young children and Taylor is an Oscoda County Sheriff's Deputy.

Tasha Kann was diagnosed with Anaplastic Astrocytoma Grade III was given a life expectancy of 12 months. She has been accepted into a new medical program in Texas for possible life saving treatment. This treatment costs \$17,000.00 per month.

They are in Texas at this point in time and prognosis looks better than when the left Mio,

Our church family has collected \$1085 at this point in time. We will continue this effort for as long as possible. We will also participate in a larger effort if one is offered.

If you are able to donate to this "Special Local Mission" project it would be appreciated. Make checks out to Mio United Methodist Church with "Kann" in the memo.

Mail it to: Mio United Methodist Church, 1101 We 8<sup>th</sup> St, Mio, MI 48647 or drop it in the offering plate on Sunday.

Thank you for your generosity.

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## Filling the Pulpit

Rev. Paula will be taking some Sundays off later this summer. Filling in will be:

- July 9<sup>th</sup> – Nancy Crane
- August 20<sup>th</sup> – Becky Sidebottom
- August 27<sup>th</sup> – Mike & Lisa Gordon

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# July 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 ☞ 10:00 AM Worship ☞ 11:30 AM Celebrate Potluck	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 ☞ 10:00 AM Worship ☞ 11:15 AM Trustees	10	11	12	13 ☞ 6:00 PM Ad Council	14	15
16 ☞ 10:00 AM Worship	17 ☞ 1:00 PM UWF (UMW)	18	19 ☞ 1:00 PM Prayer Bears	20	21	22
23 ☞ 10:00 AM Worship	24	25	26 ☞ 9:00 AM Happy Crafters	27 ☞ 9:00 AM Happy Crafters	28 ☞ 9:00 AM Happy Crafters	29
30 ☞ 10:00 AM Worship	31 ☞ 9:30 AM Arts Camp					

# August 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 9:30 AM Arts Camp	2 9:30 AM Arts Camp	3 9:30 AM Arts Camp	4 9:30 AM Arts Camp	5
6 10:00 AM Worship	7	8	9	10 6:00 PM Ad Council	11	12
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27 10:00 AM Worship	28	29	30	31		

## JULY BIRTHDAYS

16 – Scott Janke  
Dorothy McGlynn  
25 – Sharon Contner

## JULY ANNIVERSARIES

10 – Herb & Linda Atherton  
13 – John & Gloria Phillips  
14 – Gary & Becky Sidebottom  
29 – Dennis & Barbara Kann  
30 – Larry & Shar Lee

## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

1 – Gary Sidebottom  
5 – Linda Atherton  
8 – Sandy Brown

## AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

11 – John & Marty Smith  
14 – Lynn & Roma Galbraith  
Bob & Susa Hegel  
24 – Scott & Lorri Burzlaff  
31 – Larry & CarolLynn  
VanNorman

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## JULY LECTIONARY

Week of July 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Genesis 22:1-14  
Psalm 13  
Romans :12-23  
Matthew 10:40-42

Week of July 9<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 24:34-38,  
42-29, 58-67  
Psalm 45:1-17  
Romans 7:15-25a  
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

Week of July 16<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 25:19-34  
Psalm 119:1-12, 23-24  
Romans 8:1-11  
Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Week of July 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Genesis 10-19a  
Psalm 139:1-12, 23-24  
Romans 8:12-25  
Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Week of July 30<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 29:15-28  
Psalm 105:1-11, 45b  
Romans 8:26-39  
Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Week of August 6<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 32:22-31  
Psalm 17:1-7, 15  
Romans 9:1-5  
Matthew 14:13-21

Week of August 13<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28  
Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b  
Romans 10:5-15  
Matthew 14:22-33

Week of August 20<sup>th</sup>  
Genesis 45:1-15  
Psalm 133  
Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32  
Matthew 15:10-20), 21-28

Week of August 27<sup>th</sup>  
Exodus 1:8-2:10  
Psalm 124  
Romans 12:1-8  
Matthew 16:13-20

## PRAYER CONCERNS

Sandy  
Corinna Anderson  
Angie Bicknell  
Christine Hegel Cantarella  
Jill DeVito  
Susan Glance  
Kathy H.  
John & Barbara Halsey  
Bob Hegel  
Don Higgins  
Taylor & Tasha Kann  
John Kent  
Nick Kowaleski  
Ben Ledbetter  
Alexis Marchese  
Jan Reed  
Gail Schultz  
Maryann Zinc

## SHUT-INS

*At The Brook – Grayling*  
Marge Bryant  
Bill Kusey

*At Fairview*  
Esther Socia  
Irene Miller

*At Home*  
Dorothy McGlynn

## MILITARY

All Armed Forces  
Corey Brown  
Whitney Kann  
Marshall Socia