



The Saltshaker

BROADWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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*YOU ARE THE SALT OF THE EARTH
MATTHEW 5:13*

Easter Celebrations:

He is Risen! Easter morning at Broadway started off with breakfast. Around 50 people were in attendance. After breakfast, the Easter egg hunt began. We had around 14 children hunting for eggs. Worship was lively with classic Easter songs and an outstanding performance by our Broadway Ringers (see picture below).



Maundy Thursday:

This year's Maundy Thursday service was another success. The food, worship, and fellowship was amazing. Participants washed each others' hands, read scripture, sang, and feasted. It was a wonderful way to commemorate some of Jesus' last moments with his disciples. Many thanks to everyone who made the beautiful event happen, especially Ken, Pastor Cassie, and Jacob.



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MISSION

To make new disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

VISION

To grow in the faith of Christ by reaching out and connecting with others through intentional service and witness.

Youth Update:

- VBS t-shirt contest entries due Tuesday, April 30th
- Methodists on a Mission (local mission trip) - June 11th-15th
- Youth Mission Trip (Cleveland, OH) - July 7th-13th
- Vacation Bible School - August 1st-4th



CONTEST!

VBS T-Shirt Contest:

We need YOU to help design our Broadway Vacation Bible School Shirts! This design will be used year after year, so it should stand the test of time and portray Broadway's dedication to sharing God's love with the children in our community. If you'd like to enter a design, email it to the office at bumcoffice301@gmail.com or drop off your drawing at church!

Palm Sunday:

On Sunday, March 24th, Kim Tongue and the Sunday School kiddos paraded around the sanctuary while shouting "Hosanna" and waving palm branches. The Broadway Ringers also performed on Palm Sunday. If you missed it and would like to watch, visit <https://plattsburgbumc.org/video-message>.



Ministerial Alliance Taco Bar:

Sunday, April 28th, the Ministerial Alliance will host a taco bar for their annual fundraiser. This is a free will donation dinner, located at the Plattsburg High School Cafeteria. The dinner starts at 4:30.

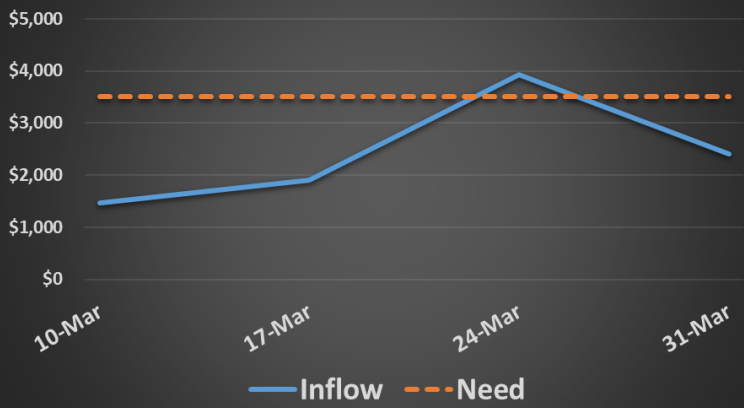


March Board Meeting:

- The parsonage floors have been successfully replaced (due to water damage)
- The board approved the purchase of an AED machine for our church members and those community members who use our building. The AED machine has arrived and will be installed soon.
- The 2024 scholarship application was reviewed and approved.
- Cassie is planning another confirmation class for fall 2024. Most likely, three students will participate. Confirmation mentors are needed. If you are interested in being a mentor, please reach out to Pastor Cassie.
- Our 2024 board goals were approved (mission moments videos, capital campaign planning, and children's ministry updates)
- We are looking at bids for building security. Ideally we would like a buzzer system to allow the front doors to be locked during business hours with the ability to 'buzz' people in.

BUMC Giving Summary

BUMC Weekly 2024



Weekly Attendance:
03/03: 54
03/10: 55
03/17: 48
03/24: 53
03/28: 29
03/29: 15
03/31: 74

APRIL CELEBRATIONS

Celebration Sunday is always the last Sunday of the month. We invite those with birthdays and anniversaries during the month to "Feed the Fish" and make a special offering to support the Plattsburg Food Pantry.

BIRTHDAYS:

Jesse Penney - 05
 Beth Garr - 22
 Grant Clifton - 24
 Ron Cravens - 25
 Olivia Enderle - 27
 Robyn Penney - 27

ANNIVERSARIES:

No April anniversaries

PRAYER LIST:

Betty Shoemaker
 Betty Swanson
 Peggy Shoemaker
 Rita Kilgore
 Ben Baldwin, Jr.
 Gil Sander
 Charlotte Atwater
 Mary Goldberg
 Harold Bowling
 Russel White
 Gary McQuerrey
 Jerri Morris
 Aimee McClallen

LITURGIST SCHEDULE:

04/07: Bruce Hageman
 04/14: Amanda Schaffer
 04/21: Nichole Hageman
 04/28: Bill Jones

Food Pantry Data:

In February the food pantry assisted 53 families and 166 individuals. They helped 1 new family, including 5 individuals. 1017.8 pounds of food was donated. They recorded 194.5 volunteer hours.

March (3/11) mobile pantry was held in Lathrop. **The April mobile pantry will be held on 4/8 at FBC in Plattsburg.**

Second Harvest
MOBILE FOOD PANTRY
APRIL 8TH @ FBC



The Broadway Ringers:



April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 'Good Grief' 7:00-8:30pm	2	3	4 AA Meeting 6:30pm	5	6
7	8 'Good Grief' 7:00-8:30pm	9 Council meeting @ 7:00pm	10	11 AA Meeting 6:30pm	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 AA Meeting 6:30pm	19	20
21 Oakridge Service @ 12:15pm	22 Dinner on Broadway @ 5:30pm	23	24 Oakridge Bible Study 10:00am	25 AA Meeting 6:30pm	26	27
28 Ministerial Alliance Taco Bar @ 4:30 Celebration Sunday	29	30			<p>Sunday Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 10:40 a.m. Youth Group - 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>Wednesday Handbells- 6:30 p.m. Choir - 7:15 p.m. Worship Practice - 8:00 p.m.</p> <p>Office Hours Tuesday/Thursday - 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday - By Appointment</p>	

**Want to stay up-to-date on everything happening at Broadway?
Text the following codes to the number 81010.**

Care Portal: @carebumc
 Immediate Requests: @irbumc

Announcements: @infobumc
 Prayer Requests: @prayerbumc