***Know Christ! Grow in Faith! Serve Others!***

**Mission Statement** of LTUMC (adopted 6/5/2024)

**WELCOME—ANNOUNCEMENTS Mary Fulton**

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**INVITATION TO WORSHIP/OPENING PRAYER Pastor Rod**

**PRELUDE Jenny Claybaugh, Jane Wildermuth**

**SONG LEADER Diane Lewis, Jason Brunson**

**LITURGIST Tracey Notestine**

**\* Indicates To Please Stand If Able**

**\*Call to Worship:** Psalm 24: 1-4, 7-10 NKJV

L: The earth is the LORD’s, and all its fullness, the world and those who dwell therein.

***P: For He has founded it upon the seas, and established it upon the waters.***

L: Who may ascend into the hill of the LORD? Or who may stand in His holy place?

***P: He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who has not lifted up his soul to an idol, nor sworn deceitfully.***

L: Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in.

***P: Who is this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, The LORD mighty in battle.***

L: Who is this King of glory?

***All: The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory. Stop and think about this.***

\***Hymn: *We Are Climbing Jacob’s Ladder***

**Unison Prayer:** *For God’s Gifts,* #489 UMH modified

***O Holy God, open to us light for our darkness, courage for our fear, hope for our despair. O Loving God, open unto us wisdom for our confusion, forgiveness for our sins, love for our hate. O God of peace, open unto us peace for our turmoil, joy for our sorrow, strength for our weakness. O generous God, open our heart to receive all Your gifts. Amen***

**Scripture Reading:** *Genesis 28:1-5*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Diann Brower**

Lord’s Prayer: **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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.***

**\*WORSHIPPING GOD WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS/DOXOLOGY**

**\*Prayer of Thankfulness: *Accept these gifts, O God, as testimonies of our love for You and our desire to serve You. Let these offerings be an affirmation that we are bound to one another as Your people. In Your generous name we pray. Amen.***

**Children’s Moments** *(Junior Church following)*

**\*Hymn**  ***Surely the Presence of the Lord (Twice)***

**Prayer for Illumination:** *#353 Ash Wednesday, United Methodist Hymnal,1989*

***O God, maker of every thing and judge of all that You have made, from the dust of the earth You have formed us and from the dust of death You would raise us up. By the redemptive power of the cross, create in us clean hearts and put with in us a new spirit, that we may repent of our sins and lead lives worthy of Your calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

**Scripture:** Genesis 28-10-22

**Message:** *Not All Who Wander Are Lost* *Pastor Rod* **Response:** *As The Holy Spirit leads*

**\*Hymn:*****All the Way My Savior Leads Me***

\***BENEDICTION & SENDING** *Our “World” Is Our Mission Field*

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*A Wanderer’s Path*

**THOSE ASSISTING IN CREATING OUR SERVICE:**

**Musicians: Jenny Claybaugh, Jane Wildermuth**

**Sound/Video: Andy Wildermuth, Kathy Berg**

**Online: Tracey Notestine, Sandy Shaner**

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**Adult Sunday School Class Leader/Lay Leader: Mary Fulton**

**Sunday School Superintendent/VBS/God’s Team: Diane Lewis**



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**August 31, 2025**

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*with Us Today!*

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