

## Calendar of Events

**Thrd Sunday after Pentecost**

**June 30, 2019**

**Sunday, June 30**

Service of Worship - Sanctuary	10:00 a.m.
Fellowship - Baumann Fellowship Hall	11:00 a.m.
Youth at Synod Discussion - Sanctuary	11:20 a.m.

**Monday, July 1**

Paint & Palette - Fellowship Hall	10:00 a.m.
Alcoholics Anonymous - Blue Door Room	8:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, July 2**

**Wednesday, July 3**

**Thursday, July 4th - Independence Day**

Offices closed in observance

**Friday, July 5**

Church offices closed	
Alcoholics Anonymous - Blue Door Room	8:00 p.m.

**Saturday, July 6**

**Sunday, July 7**

Service of Worship - Sanctuary	10:00 a.m.
Fellowship - Baumann Fellowship Hall	11:00 a.m.

**Monday, July 8**

Paint and Palette - Fellowship Hall	10:00 a.m.
Alcoholics Anonymous - Blue Door Room	8:00 p.m.

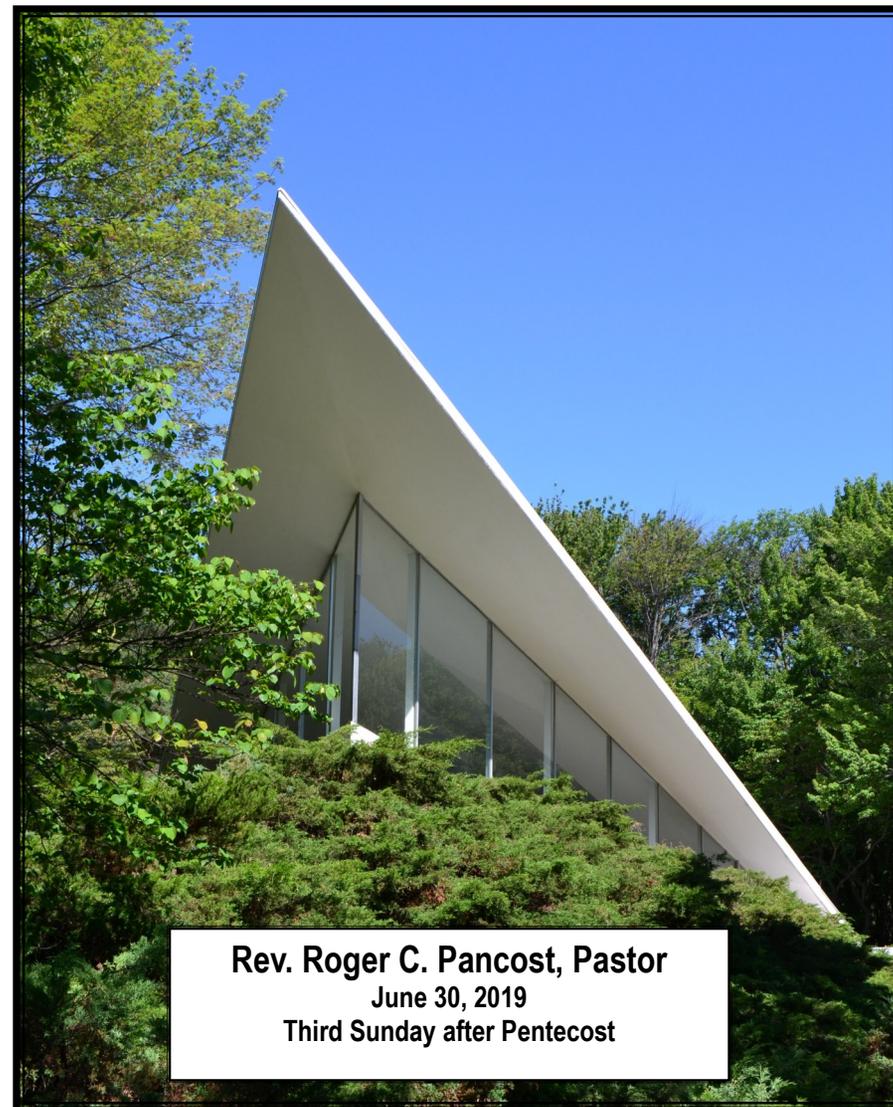
A coalition of people in Michigan is partnering with international, national, regional and local communities and organizations to hold a vigil on Friday July 12th, 2019, *Lights for Liberty: A Vigil to End Human Detention Camps*.

The Michigan vigils will be in Ann Arbor (Federal Building, 8:00 – 10:00 pm), Detroit (333 Mt. Elliot, 7 – 9:00 pm), and Battle Creek (185 E Michigan Ave, 7:00 – 9:00 pm). The vigils intend to bring thousands of people to locations worldwide to protest the inhumane conditions faced by refugees.

It is possible that a vigil will be organized in Midland, but this is not yet definite.

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**OF CHRIST** *Midland*

an open and affirming church



**Rev. Roger C. Pancost, Pastor**  
June 30, 2019  
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**The Rainbow Door Room** is available for infants and children age 3 and under. Families are invited to remain in worship with their babies, or are welcome to utilize the Rainbow Door Room space and listen to the service via the speaker system.

**After Children's Moments** Sunday School classes meet in the Education wing. There will be a one-room Sunday School class for pre-schoolers through the fifth grade this week meeting in the Red Door Room. Middle and High School students should remain in the sanctuary with their families.



**Immediately following our service of worship please join us in Fellowship Hall** for a time of fellowship and refreshments provided by the Board of Trustees.

**Today, Sunday June 30**, after worship, youth who traveled to General Synod in Milwaukee would love to share more about their trip with the congregation. Please spend a few minutes eating and visiting in Fellowship Hall, and if you wish to hear from the youth, return to the Sanctuary at 11:20 a.m. so we can utilize the sound system.

Based on the experiences of the trip, the youth would like to discuss more than just the presentation from Matthew Desmond and Evicted. We will postpone the book discussion until August 25 to give more time to read the book. Copies of the book are available at the library, Barnes & Noble, Amazon.com, and also from [uccresources.org](http://uccresources.org). At this time, a group order for books will not be placed. If you would like to borrow a copy, please see Jenn Ringgold.

\* **Unison Prayer** Seasons of the Spirit  
**God of wisdom and wonder, we gather in this place as prophets and disciples, as people led by your spirit, and as humble followers seeking to do your will. Called here by your love, we come to be renewed in our faith and go from here ready to serve you again. Open us to your spirit, we pray. Amen.**

**Children's Moment** UCC Youth  
*Reflections from General Synod*

**Musical Offering** *Morning Has Broken* arr. John Rutter  
 Sopranos - Carole Swinehart, Nancy Wells, Shirley Rose, Robin Von Wald and Phyllis Ferris  
 Altos - Jan Baumgras, Sarah Gorman and Melanie Willison  
 Sheree Clark Lovell, accompanist

**Scripture**  
 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 Pew Bible, pages 319-320  
 Galatians 5:22-26 Pew Bible, page 1015  
 Luke 9:51-62 Pew Bible, page 901

**Sermon** *Servant Leaders* Rev. Roger C. Pancost

\* **Hymn** *Called as Partners in Christ's Service* #495

**Prayers of the People**

**The Lord's Prayer** ("Debts" and "Debtors")  
**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
 hallowed be thy name.  
 Thy kingdom come.  
 Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

