

LeRoy Adult, Youth & Children's Sunday School – following Worship
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Welcome and Announcements

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Accept my praise, O Lord, and teach me your ordinances.

He has put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise for our God.

My heart desires to perform your statutes forever! Praise be to God!

*Hymn 2152 sing 2 times

Change My Heart, O God

Celebrations & Concerns

Pastor Diane

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Scripture

Genesis 25:19-34 & Psalm 119:105-112

A Lesson for the Child in All of Us

Children's Time

Sermon

"About the Birthright..."

Pastor Diane

*Hymn 241 vs. 1, 3

To God Be the Glory

Offering Invitation ~ Offering

*Doxology Hymn (inside front cover of hymnal)

*Prayer of Dedication

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We believe in the Spirit deep within us, advocate and guide, who lives with us eternally.
We believe in God's resurrection-created world, where all things are fixed, and all creation fits together in vibrant harmonies.
We believe in God above, beside, within.
We believe in God yesterday, today, and forever, the three in one, the one in three,
We believe in God. Amen.**

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Awesome God

*Benediction: Go from this place, remembering God has been faithful to his children, to believers who desire to keep his laws. Know that you have a right to great blessings before the Lord. Let your life be used to build the faith of our lost and troubled world.

We go to from here, holding firm to God's laws and to be examples for the world. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

In the midst of sin, may you find peace.

Peace and forgiveness.

Fatigued by life's pain, may you find peace.

Peace and comfort.

Burdened by the law of do and do not, may you find peace.

Peace and joy. The peace of Christ Jesus be unto us all.

**Please stand as you are comfortable*

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"Two nations are in your womb,
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Psalms 119:105-112

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¹¹¹ Your statutes are my heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart.

¹¹² My heart is set on keeping your decrees to the very end.

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**TUESDAY Bible Study – Fully Devoted**

July 14 & 28 @ 6:00 pm  
HCUMC Fellowship Hall

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Humeston Watermelon Days

Friday, July 17 – Sunday, July 19

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**Watermelon Day Community Worship Service,  
featuring Avery Graham**

Sunday, July 19 @ 10:00 am  
Humeston City Park Band Stand  
(At HCUMC if inclement weather)

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For anyone who is hurting...
For any who feels alone...
...You are not alone

Compassionate Healing

Begins Wednesday
July 22 @ 6:00 pm HCUMC

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**August Newsletter Deadline**

July 22 @ 3:00 pm

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LeRoy Session Meeting

Wednesday, July 29 @ 6:30 pm



Names will remain on the prayer list for two Sundays following the first request.

Concerns

Janette – double bypass surgery July 16, Janell's daughter-in-law
Farmers

Family of Dennis Hughes – Andrew Rash's father-in-law

Leroy – at Iowa City Hospital with pancreatitis

Family of Debbie (Woosley) Poore

Summer Travelers

Allen – diagnosed with Alzheimer's, Mary Jackson's brother

Paul – gall bladder surgery recovery

Terry – abnormal kidney and cardiac test results

June – recovering from a fall, staying with daughter in Indianola

Celebrations

Kase – new great grandson of Carolyn Coffey

Sandee Smith – playing piano at HCUMC

Upcoming VBS @ LeRoy (August 1 – Illumination Station)

Becky Cobb's 40th birthday

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*Hymn # 672 vs. 1

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