

BROADWAY UMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you aren't already subscribed to our **Weekly E-News**, click the link on our [website](#) or on our [facebook page](#) or send an email to the [church office](#).

If you are **willing to assist in worship by reading** our Offering Invitation/Prayer, or Scripture, **providing special music** such as solos, duets, groups on vocals and/or instruments, or **assisting with media**, please sign up [here](#). You may also [contact the office](#) to volunteer.

We have a **clothes collection box** on the Southeast corner of our parking lot, serviced by the GAIA movement. Please share this information with your friends and invite them to leave their donations in the collection box instead of our front door!

The **Community Food Pantry** outside BUMC is there for anyone in need but it's often EMPTY! We invite all who are able to pick up a few items next time you're at the grocery store and drop them off in our Community Food Pantry! See our [giving page](#) on our website suggested items/items to skip.

April Mission Minute: Mercy Ships. Our hospital ships are filled with state-of-the-art medical equipment and a volunteer crew of doctors, nurses, medical staff, technicians, teachers, physical therapists and other caring people driven by mercy to help make the world a better, healthier place for all. More information at <https://www.mercyships.org>. Please visit Broadway's [donation page](#) to read more about our Mission Minutes and how to give.

Broadway United Methodist Church: Celebrating the Promise 2023 — All ministries our church implements are dependent on the generosity of God's people. **You may fill out a pledge card at church, fill out this form online, or let the office know your pledge for 2023.**

At our Community Celebration of MLK day, we created a **BUMC Love and Resistance playlist**, to inspire and empower us towards creating the Beloved Community, a world in which everyone is cared for, absent of poverty, hunger and hate. We created [this list as a padlet](#). To watch a video, click on the "play button" - a triangle over a circle that is on top of the picture of the video.

This Week — March 27 to April 1, 2023

You are invited to help in the celebration of Easter with the donation of **fresh flowering plants** to decorate the Sanctuary for the Easter Worship Service. Hard copy forms are on the table outside the Sanctuary. You may also fill out the online form [here](#). Completed forms are due back to the office by Sunday, April 2nd.

As part of our celebration of Holy Communion, we receive an offering of nonperishable food items for our Community Pantry. Suggested items: canned meat (tuna, salmon, chicken), crackers, peanut butter, canned soups and stews, canned fruits and vegetables, canned beans, pasta, rice, olive oil or Canola oil, powdered milk, spices, granola bars, applesauce, nuts, instant mashed potatoes. **“As we are fed, so we are called to feed.”**

This Week — April 3 to 9, 2023

Please join us Wednesdays at 7pm for our **Online Bible Study**. Click [here](#) to join Zoom by video. (link also on our website events page) To join by phone, please [contact the office](#).

BUMC's Social Justice Committee meets online every other Tuesday evening! We have decided our work will be interfaith, and we are continuing to discuss what issue(s) to address and how. Our next meeting is Tuesday, April 4th at 8pm. Click [here](#) for the zoom link.

Our **Maundy Thursday service** this year, on Thursday, April 6th at 6pm, will be a **joint Passover Seder experience with the Makom Shalom community**. If you are interested in participating, please sign up [here](#) by Monday, April 3rd. Details will be shared with those registered.

Our **Good Friday service** will be on Friday, April 7th at 7pm. Zoom link [here](#).

Easter SONrise service. Meet at 6:00am on Sunday, April 9, by the Clock Tower Café (3600 N Recreational Dr, Chicago) and walk the path to the Lake to enjoy an Easter Sunrise. (rain location is the church)

We are planning for our traditional **Easter BRUNCH!!!** We do want to know if you will be able to attend and what you might bring for the table. Here is the [link for you to register](#) by April 7. Facebook event [here](#).

Our **Easter Worship Service** will be on Sunday, April 9th at 11am.

LENT 2023 AT BROADWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

LOOKIN' FOR... IN ALL THE WRONG PLACES

FEBRUARY 22 | ASH WEDNESDAY | *LOOKING FOR LOVE*

FEBRUARY 26 | FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT | *LOOK FOR THE RESISTER*

MARCH 5 | SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT | *LOOK FOR THE HELPER*

MARCH 12 | THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT | *LOOK FOR THE THIRST-QUENCHER*

MARCH 19 | FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT | *LOOK FOR THE SHEPHERD*

MARCH 26 | FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT | *LOOK FOR THE LIBERATOR*

APRIL 2 | PALM SUNDAY | *LOOK FOR THE UNEXPECTED*

APRIL 6 | MAUNDY THURSDAY; APRIL 7 | GOOD FRIDAY | *LOVE LOOKS FOR US*

APRIL 9 | EASTER SUNDAY | *LOVE WINS*

This week's office hours are

Tuesday	April 4	1:00pm-5:00pm	Please check our online calendar for the most up to date information. Need to stop by at a different time? Please email the office .
Wednesday	April 5	9:30am-1:30pm	
Thursday	April 6	9:30am-1:30pm	