

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ!

Please take the time to read this important email from Chaires United Methodist Church.

SUNDAY MORNING PUBLIC WORSHIP CANCELLED THE REMAINDER OF MARCH!

Based on the information from the CDC and recommendation of the Bishop and Cabinet of the Florida Conference of The United Methodist Church, we will not have corporate worship on March 22 and March 29.

WE WILL OFFER WORSHIP VIA LIVE-STREAMING THROUGH FACEBOOK - 10 AM SUNDAY MORNINGS

If you don't have Facebook, please consider joining Facebook and in the settings you can keep your information private (Friends Only). Then search Chaires United Methodist and you will see our Facebook page.

The link below will bring you to our Facebook page.

The service will start at 10 AM on Sunday morning as a live-stream.

Following the worship service, the service will remain on our Facebook page and will be uploaded to our church website.

Our church website is: www.ChairesUMC.com (see the link below)

NO GROUP MEETINGS DURING MARCH - INCLUDING CHOIR, SUNDAY SCHOOL, AND BIBLE STUDIES

I encourage you to find ways to spend personal time in devotional material, Bible reading, and prayer.

WHAT CAN I DO DURING THIS TIME?

Pray! Pray for one another, for the church, our community, our state, our nation, and our world. Pray for me as your pastor. Pray for our church leadership. Pray for employees and businesses that are adversely effected by the current restrictions. Pray for God to relieve this pandemic!

Give! Faithfully give financially to our local church. Our financial needs continue! You may give electronically through our web site (a secure site). We have a link marked "***Give***" at www.ChairesUMC.com. You can also write our a check and mail it to the church.

Connect! Reach out to others you know by calling them and checking in on them. Send cards. Use social media to stay connected.

Trust God! "*When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the*

fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze, For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior;" Isaiah 43:2-3

PRAYER REQUEST AND NEEDS

As we journey through this unprecedented time together. Let us hold (figuratively) one another together through our prayers and petitions. If you have a need please let me know. Call, text or email me!

*Merciful God, hold your people in your hands during the time of uncertainty. Gracious Lord, enable us as a church to successfully live stream services and to glorify you. Keep the band width strong and may the Spirit of God transcend the video waves into the living rooms of your people. We ask this in the blessed name of Jesus Christ! **AMEN.***

2 Timothy 1:7 "For the Spirit of God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love, and self-disciplined."

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"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in faith so that you overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13 CEB)