



*A note
from the pastor*



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REFLECTIONS

Dear Congregation,

What a beautiful opening service we had this past Sunday, June 7th for a new blended service! We had 93 in attendance (with several visitors), and it was good to see so many young children. The sanctuary renovations were lovely in every way possible. I enjoyed seeing people congregate around the raised tables with coffee. The new unisex bathroom is clean, modern, and convenient. The archway into the gathering spaces is inviting. Thanks to Glenda Man-Waring; her employees; and Sandy, Gene, Trace, and Greg, and Lee Road members who worked so hard to modernize and update our worship area. Likewise to those who prepared the new prayer room. I was so proud of the service and the fact that we were all truly one church again. The traditional and the contemporary blend sounded so good together. Both have the same audience: not ourselves, but The One who deserves all praise!

Our goal for unity must be both maintained and expanded upon at the same time. I call on all Lee Roaders not to allow the typical summer doldrums to blunt our new momentum and initiatives. Here's what you can do:

- † Faithfully attend the service whenever you can
- † Invite friends to attend services with you
- † Tell others about our excited new blended service
- † Continue to give your tithes and offerings as a faithful steward
- † Attend our special events this summer (the Textile History and Hops event this Saturday, June 14; the Hawaiian luau on Wednesday, June 17; and the outdoor movie on Friday, June 26). Invite your friends to come to these events. That is a great way for them to get to know people and make friends.
- † Continue to pray for our church daily

In Christ,
Rusty

PS Thanks to all who volunteered to help serve 1 Sunday a month as a Safe Sanctuary assistant for the children's Sunday School and nursery programs. We could use a few more volunteers. Contact Laurie Fite

Lee Road United Methodist Church presents:

LESSONS OF FAITH FROM ABRAHAM

June 7: Following God's Call

June 14: Believing in God's Promises

June 21: Willingness to Surrender All

June 28: Trusting God into the Future

JOIN US FOR
SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM Sundays

Pastor Rusty Godfrey

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A Lighthouse Congregation Where All are Welcome.

The Father of Faith
in the Holy Bible



HAWAIIAN LUAU

IN THE SOCIAL HALL

JOIN US FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE EVENING!
Enjoy the sounds, taste
and look of Hawaii

WEDNESDAY

JUNE
17
2026

AT 6:00 PM

✦ HAWAIIAN CUISINE



🎵 THE MUSIC OF HAWAII



DRESS IN YOUR BEST HAWAIIAN ATTIRE!



PRIZE WILL BE GIVEN TO the LADY & GENTLEMAN
for the Best Dressed!



A WONDERFUL TIME TO CATCH UP WF WITH LR FAMILY & FRIENDS

PLEASE REGISTER AT [office@leeroadumc.com]
OR (864) 244-6427



Thank you for your sympathy

There are not enough words to fully express our heartfelt thanks for the sympathy, love and support you have extended to our family during this time of loss.

The Family Of Steven W. Frantz
March 24, 1951 - April 26, 2026



UMM SPONSORED CHURCH GET-TOGETHER
Saturday, June 13, 2026 at 3 PM

at **GREENVILLE**
TEXTILE HERITAGE
PARK



(Smyth Street across from Monaghan Mill)



Join as as Greenville Textile Heritage president Don Harkins presents a talk about the creation of the “Mill Walk” and the Textile Heritage Park. Next we will briefly tour the sanctuary of Monaghan UMC (next door at 2 McBeth St.) and then “repair” to the nearby Swamp Rabbit Cafe & Grocery for some refreshments.



Thank you to everyone who made our renovated narthex and sanctuary and new prayer room look great for June 7, 2026.



Renovation Pictures!
Click here!



May God take what we planted in faithfulness and bring us the harvest!
To God alone be the Glory!





Pastor Rusty wishes to thank everyone for the best wishes for our 35th wedding anniversary. "We love Lee Road UMC and are honored to serve as your pastor family." June 8, 2026



Pastor Rusty Godfrey, Sandy Davis and Jetson Skelton at Annual Conference, June 2026



INDONESIAN MISSION TRIP



M&M FUNDRAISER

**CHARIS MISSION
SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2026**



**Bring back candy tubes given
on June 14 with your donation**



WHERE YOUR FUNDS GO:

Funds used to support mission trip on November 4-17, 2026, including travel and lodging support for Lee Road members and clothing needs for Charis School students



CH[★]TRIS Institute
PLAYGROUP AINGEGAATEN ELEMENTARY JUNIOR/NIOSHOOL



Summer MOVIE NIGHT

Fun, All-Ages Movies that the whole
family can enjoy on the lawn!



JUNE 26

Dr. Seuss'
**The
LORAX**



Lee Road United Methodist Church



8:15PM - Games

8:30 - Movie &

Popcorn



2026

MISSIONS

...at home and around the world



- + **June – Charis Scholarships / Indonesian Mission Trip**
- + **July – Collect school supplies for Hollis Academy**
- + **August 16 - Homecoming: Celebration of Missions of the Church**
- + **September – Epworth Workday Offering**
- + **November 4-17: Indonesian Mission Trip: Solo, Indonesia
(Pastor Rusty, Laurie Fite, Cindy Stewart, Susan Ford)**
- + **November – Kairos Cookies baked for Tyger River Long Weekend
(Nov. 12-15)**
- + **December – Choose your own personal charity such as Toys for
Tots, etc.**



Upcoming events

Thursday, June 11, 2026

6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Friday, June 12, 2026

Saturday, June 13, 2026

7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday, June 14, 2026

9:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. New Blended Service (Sanctuary)

Monday, June 15, 2026

6:00 p.m. Stewardship Team (Conf. Room)

7:00 p.m. Witness Team (Conference Room)

Tuesday, June 16, 2026

6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Gamblers Anonymous

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

8:30 a.m. Men's Sharing Group (S.H.)

9:45 p.m.—10:45 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

6:00 p.m. An Evening of 'Ohana (S.H.)

Thursday, June 18, 2026

6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Friday, June 19, 2026

social hall reserved for the quilting guild

Saturday, June 20, 2026

7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday, June 21, 2026—Father's Day

9:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. New Blended Service (Sanctuary)



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To add to or delete from the list, please call the church office.

Special Prayer Requests

- Marie Watt
- Vicky Williams
- Cindy Jones
- Linda Hand
- Geno Cope
- Ann Huntley
- Rev. Jim & Carolyn Gilliam
- Gail Bachman
- Don Sandor
- Harry & Betty Johansen
- Monica Frantz
- Gene & Nancy Johnson
- Max & Susan Cromer
- Mary Jo Gay



God Answers
Prayers

Residential Care

Linda Black, Bob Elson, Jim Crain, Annette Hunter, Natalie Smith, Gene & Nancy Johnson, Sadie Murphy, Max & Susan Cromer, Catherine Hamill, Jim & Carolyn Gilliam, Maxie Wood, Brenda Sharp

At Home

Ann Huntley (Hospice)
Mary Jo Gay (Hospice)
Father of: Marc Turcotte, Karen Turner

Brother of: Vicky Williams

Nephew of: Linda Black, Mckelvie Wilder, Sandy & Joan Davis

Niece of: Gene Turner, Richard & Stephanie Hamilton

Grandson of: Gary Dodson

Family of: Don Sandor, Patsy Kleman

Friends of:

Sandy & Joan Davis, Debbie Gantt, Jane Pingley, Elizabeth Lowrey, Gail Bachman, Alida Weber, Trace Silvers, Susan Ford, Pastor Rusty Godfrey

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, June 7, 2026
New Blended Service—93

2026 Tithes & Offerings
Thank you for giving toward the budget. Your faithfulness is much appreciated.

June 7, 2026	\$6,411.36

Prefer to pay your tithe online?



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