

**Ransomville Faithfulness in Giving: February 20, 2005**

2005 Budget Gen. Fund	\$ 61,612.00
Apportionment Budget	\$ 9,496.00
2005 Budget Total	\$ 71,108.00

	Needed Weekly	2/20/05	YTD	Needed to Date
General Fund	\$ 1,184.85	\$ 755.00	\$ 6,608.30	\$ 9,478.80
Apportionment Budget	\$ 182.62	\$ 54.50	\$ 374.50	\$ 1,460.96
Total	\$ 1,367.47	\$ 809.50	\$ 6,982.80	\$ 10,939.76

**You will or have received a letter explaining our Capital Fund Campaign for the major projects that need to be completed this year. Please give your prayerful consideration to help.**

**You've Got Mail:** Judy Denio, a Trustee and a member of UMW.

**PEOPLE SERVING IN WORSHIP**

<b>USHERS:</b>	<b>Today</b>	<b>Paul &amp; Betty Manchester</b>
	3/6	Lou & Nicole York
<b>NURSERY:</b>	<b>Today</b>	<b>Jessica Spring &amp; Kristen Olsen</b>
	3/6	
<b>GREETERS:</b>	<b>Today</b>	
	3/6	Shirley Williams & Liz Maacks
<b>COFFEE HOUR/REFRESHMENTS:</b>	<b>Today</b>	<b>Rich &amp; Bev Chauvin</b>
	3/6	No Coffee Hour (Ham Dinner)

***Sign up sheets  
are available in the entryway.  
Please sign up to help.***

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# Ransomville United Methodist Church

**Third Sunday in Lent**

## *The Worship of God*

*As the music begins, prepare yourself for worship in silence and prayer.*

**9:30 AM**

**February 27, 2005**

### *The Gathering*

The Prelude

The Greeting & Announcements

The Sign of Peace

### *\*The Call to Worship*

*Red Praise Book I Love You, Lord No. 21*

*I will sing of the love of the Lord forever.*

***I WILL MAKE YOUR FAITHFULNESS KNOWN***

***THROUGH ALL GENERATIONS.***

*O Lord God Almighty, who is like you?*

***YOU ARE MIGHTY, O LORD,***

***AND YOUR FAITHFULNESS SURROUNDS YOU.***

*\*Song of Praise Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee No. 89*

### *Acts of Faith & Praise*

*The Morning Prayer Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.*

Prayer Response	<i>Red Praise Book</i>	No. 43
The Reading	<i>Psalm 95</i>	No. 814
<i>*The Gloria Patri</i>		
The Act of Confession		No. 891

The Children's Moment  
The Affirmation of Faith No. 888

### *Time of Prayer*

Song of Prayer *In the Cross of Christ I Glory* No. 295  
Sharing Our Joys and Concerns  
Cares Chorus *Red Praise Book* No. 48  
Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer, The Lord's Prayer

### *Giving Thanks to God*

The Giving of Our Gifts to God  
The Offertory  
\*The Doxology  
\*The Prayer of Thanksgiving

### *Choral Anthem*

*Lamb of Glory Medley*  
(Russell Mauldin)

### *Talking About God*

The Word of the Lord *Luke 13:1-9*  
The Message *Give a Fig*

### *Going Out*

\*Song of Faith *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me* No. 361  
\*Words of God's Love  
\*The Closing *Blest Be the Tie That Binds (vs.1)* No. 557  
\*Choral Dismissal

(\* Congregation Please Stand)

Organist/Pianist: Jeanette Brooks & Alan Spring

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## Remember in Prayer

Donna Johannes, James Campbell, Anthony Aaron, Breanne Sterner, Louie York, Joshua Nemecek, Hugh Clark Davidson, Rick Diez, Tom Vail, Deont'e Wright (baby), Buck Peters, Millie Hillman, Clarabell Senek, Elsie Hilton, Florence Kickbush, Richard Wade, Julie Kleylein, John Pirinelli, the Feathers family, Cindy Stewart, Ruth Stewart, Doug Ortiz, Mary Ruth Blanchard, Harold Barnes, Marbeth Minnie, Chris & Kim Sembert & Family, Marge Jeffords, Ruth Schultz, the family and loved ones of Raymond Hale, and the family of Lee Austin.

**Remember in prayer the men and women in our armed forces and the families of those who have lost their lives in this conflict.**

## Announcements

**Today: Fillmore Chapel Administrative Council** - meeting is February 27th at noon.

The **Easter Flower** order forms are available in the back of the church. Please submit order and payment to Ellen Truesdell before March 6<sup>th</sup>. For further information Ellen can be reached at 791-3960.

Rev. John has United Methodist Loan and Grant Information for 2005. Deadline is April 15. Contact Joan at the office for application forms.

**Tsunami Relief Skate - Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 - 7:00 PM** - presented by the Niagara Frontier District Council on Youth Ministries (DCYM). Eastern Hills Roller Rink (behind Eastern Hills Mall). Cost is \$7.00 per person. Skate rental is extra, (Rollerskates - \$2.00, Rollerblades - \$3.00). Please bring extra money for food at the snack bar. Beverages will be provided. All proceeds will go to UMCOR.

### Youth News:

**Today: Game Night** with Warren's Corners and North Ridge from 5:30 - 8:00 PM. See Hap for further details.

**Ham Dinner - Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup>**, 1:00 - 4:00 PM in Ransomville Fellowship Hall. \$7.00/adult, \$3.50/(ages 4-12), Free/(ages 3 & under). The proceeds from this dinner will benefit the Youth Group trip to Camp Asbury. **The Youth Group is in need of desserts for our ham dinner so please see Mom York or Hap if you can help out.**

## Activities & Meetings

**Ladies Prayer & Support** - Mondays, 10:00 AM in Ransomville.

**Choir Rehearsal** - Tuesdays, 7:00 PM in Ransomville.

**Youth Group** - Wednesdays, 6:30 - 8:00 PM in Ransomville.

**Bible Study** - Wednesdays, 7:00 PM in Ransomville.

**Men's Fellowship Breakfast** - Thursday, March 17, 8:30 AM at Knead the Dough.

**Ransomville Administrative Council** - Next meeting is March 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM.

**United Methodist Women** - Next meeting is Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM.

Hostess: Betty Lederhouse, Devotions: Reta Hanson, Program: To be announced,

Refreshments: Millie Hillman.