CRUCIFYING UNBELIEF Sermon Notes Then [Jesus] said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me." Luke 9:23 NIV I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20 NIV The next day, when they came down from the mountain, a large crowd met him. A man in the crowd called out, "Teacher, I beg you to look at my son, for he is my only child. A spirit seizes him and he suddenly screams; it throws him into convulsions so that he foams at the mouth. It scarcely ever leaves him and is destroying him. I begged your disciples to drive it out, but they could not." "You unbelieving and perverse generation," Jesus replied, "how long shall I stay with you and put up with you? Bring your son here." Even while the boy was coming, the demon threw him to the ground in a convulsion. But Jesus rebuked the evil spirit, healed the boy and gave him back to his father. And they were all amazed at the Luke 9:37-43 NIV greatness of God. Jesus asked the boy's father, "How long has he been like this?" "From childhood," he answered. "...But if you can do anything, take pity on us and help us." "'If you can'?" said Jesus. "Everything is possible for one who believes." Immediately the boy's father exclaimed, "I do believe; help me overcome my unbelief!" Mark 9:21-24 NIV 1) Faith is received, not achieved. 2) Faith must have an object. After Jesus had gone indoors, his disciples asked him privately, "Why couldn't we drive out [the evil spirit]?" He replied, "This kind can come

Mark 9:28-29 NIV

out only by prayer."

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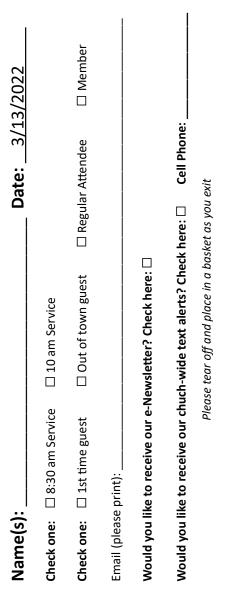
REMINDER:

We will not have Supper or AWANA Club on Wednesday, March 16 due to Spring Break. Youth Group will meet at the regular time/location.

Welcome!

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today!

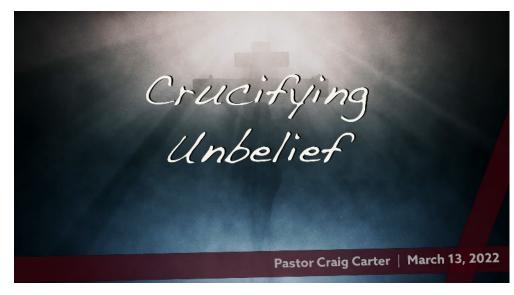
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Welcome to Lynn Haven United Methodist! We're glad you're here!

Youth Group Spring Break Mission Trip: Please be in prayer for the members and leaders of our student ministry who are currently serving the community of Ponchatoula, Louisiana during Spring Break. They will be traveling home on March 16.

We're getting ready for VBS ... Can you help? Our Vacation Bible School will take place June 5-9. Leading up to those dates, we need help assembling and hand making decorative items. If you are interested in helping, please contact our Children's Minister, Mary McQuagge, Mary@mylhumc.net. There are even projects you can take home and work on! We will announce details soon regarding participant sign-ups and servant opportunities during the week of VBS.

<u>Join us to pray!</u> In Paul's First Letter to Timothy we're instructed, "The first thing I want you to do is pray. Pray every way you know how, for everyone you know..." (1 Timothy 2:1 MSG) Did you know that we meet virtually for prayer at 8 am every Monday-Thursday? Everyone is welcome to join! Just visit <u>mylhumc.net/Zoom</u>, click the link and enter password: lhumc.

Hardly Able Needs You! If you like working with tools or would enjoy learning, the Lynn Haven UMC Hardly Able ministry would love to have you help out with its upcoming projects. The Hardly Able team builds ramps in the name of Jesus for home-bound residents and seniors. If interested in serving, please email Larry Wells at larry.a.wells@att.net or simply show up in parking lot at 3203 Minnesota Avenue, 7:50 am any Saturday morning. Older children (with a parent or guardian) and students can help, too!