

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

APRIL

26: 9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 WORSHIP

2:00 YOUTH

27: 12 NOON AA

6:15 WEIGHTS

6:45 YOGA

28: 8:00 AA

29: 6:15 WEIGHTS

6:45 YOGA

8:00 AA

30: 11-3 ACCEPT CLOTHING AT STORE

1:00 AA

MAY 1: 8:00 AA

2: 10-4 THRIFT STORE

12 NOON AA

3: 9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 WORSHIP

2:00 YOUTH

6:00 BACCALAURATE

**APRIL EXTRA MILE GIVING WILL GO TO PASTOR'S DISCRETIONARY
FUND/GOOD SAMARITAN FUND
WE ARE STILL LOW ON FUNDS**

**IN APRIL WE WILL BE COLLECTING CANNED GOODS:
CORN, PEAS, GREEN BEANS, CARROTS, BLACK BEANS,
PEACHES, PEARS, PINEAPPLE ETC. FOR OUR
PRESCHOOL/CHILD CARE CENTER**

CLARE UMC'S MISSION:

Making Disciples of Jesus by Helping People Know God,
Grow in Faith, and Share Christ's Love.

GENERAL FUND APRIL 19, 2026 : \$2,759 ATTENDANCE: 90

**A special thank you to all who helped out with our
community dinner, by donating items to give away, making
desserts and salads. A very special thank you to Deb Gloss
for making our soups every month.**

It is very much appreciated!

Clare United Methodist Church

April 26, 2026

MEDITATION FOCUS

When the Lord is our Shepherd, we truly shall never want.

PRELUDE "Morning Has Broken" perf. by Mollie and Lee Newton

*OPENING PRAISE

HYMN "To God Be the Glory" UMH #98

HYMN "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" UMH #349

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The One who seeks the lost and gathers the scattered calls us together, drawing us out of wandering and into care.

People: We come, trusting the voice that knows us and leads us toward life.

Leader: The Holy Shepherd tends the weak, strengthens the weary, and guides with justice and compassion.

People: We come, ready to be restored, to find healing, and to walk in paths that are good.

Leader: The Gate stands open before us, inviting us to enter into safety, provision, and belonging.

People: We come, leaving behind fear and false voices, to follow the way that leads to fullness.

Leader: The One who calls us by name goes before us, making a way where there was none, offering life abundant.

People: We come, to listen, to follow, and to live as a gathered people under faithful care.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING "If Thou Be Near" perf. by Mollie and Lee Newton

SCRIPTURE Ezekiel 34:11-16 & John 10:1-10

MESSAGE Pastor Brian Comiskey
"Jesus: Not the Good Enough Shepherd"

MESSAGE SONG perf. by Mollie and Lee Newton
"Just a Closer Walk With Thee"

HYMN "Savior, Like a Shepherd Leads Us" UMH #381