

# FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF ORLAND PARK

## FAITH MATTERS

November 2021

### Give Thanks

*"How you view life determines how you do life."* – Jeff Henderson

How do you view life? Is your glass half empty or glass half full? Are you driven by fear or faith? Is life a gift or a curse, an opportunity or a puzzle? Is life a sad tragedy, a romantic comedy, or an action-packed adventure?

For busy people, I like the reflection that life is what happens to you while you're busy making other plans. For fatalistic people, I like the idea that life is more than just B to D (Birth to Death). In between the letters B and D is the letter C, which reminds us that we have a Choice.

How do you view your life? The apostle Paul viewed his life as an offering to God. He viewed himself as a living sacrifice. Every part of his life was devoted to honoring God, sharing God's love, and carrying on Christ's mission in the world.

***"So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God."*** – 1 Corinthians 10:31

I love this description of life by Paul because he reminds us that life is more than suffering and sacrifice. It's more than praying and reading the Bible. Life is also about eating and drinking. It's learning and laughing and loving. It's about falling down and getting back up. As Paul reminds us, we can do all of these things for the glory of God.

Can I teach for the glory of God? Parent for the glory of God? Drive for the glory of God? Golf for the glory of God? The answer to all these questions is YES. We can incorporate every part of our lives into the gifts we offer God. Every aspect of our lives can become a song of praise to God, who invites us to live life fully – to suck the marrow out of life – to treat every day as a precious and priceless gift.

Friends, life is not always easy. There are plenty of problems to go around. However, there's more to life than problems. There are opportunities and blessings in the midst of the trials and troubles. So, lift up your heads. Listen for God's still small voice, and give thanks to God for the gift of today.

### Worship Services

It's been wonderful having "live" worship back in our worship services. While we have a long way to go, it's a step in the right direction. Please make sure you take time to thank our AV team and our music directors, who have been working tirelessly on this transition. Our musical staff, Rolf Moan & Beth Ridderhoff, have been working hard to gather singers and instrumental musicians – all while working within our church's safety guidelines. Our AV staff, led by Pastor Josh Bailey-Green, have been troubleshooting weekly issues with livestream and utilizing multiple programs to run sound and visuals. Of course, our Worship Committee is led by our fearless (and very gracious) leader, Sarah Kubicki. Thank you to our amazing worship team!

### Beware Phishy Emails

Over the last few years, fake emails have been sent out to church members using my full name "*Caleb Yong Min Hong*." Unless it's for legal purposes, I never use my full name. These emails ask for emergency gift card or for an urgent response. Please be wary of any phishy emails from "*Caleb Yong Min Hong*." All of these emails utilize a phony gmail address.

I will only reach out to you from one of two email addresses: [pastorcalebhong@gmail.com](mailto:pastorcalebhong@gmail.com) OR [pastorcaleb@faithumcop.org](mailto:pastorcaleb@faithumcop.org). I will never ask you to buy and send me authorization codes for emergency gift cards. If I need to reach you, I'll call you personally on the phone.

Once again, my apologies for this inconvenience. If you receive these phishy emails, please do not respond. Contact me or the church office so we can inform others of the latest scam.



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# Faith Matters November 2021

Pastor Caleb's message continued:

## November Sermon Schedule

November (at Faith) is a month of equipping the saints (Ephesians 4:12). This year, we'll focus teaching on 2 areas: **Parenting** and **Finances**. What does the Bible say about these subjects? What wisdom and guidance can we glean from our Scriptures and community of saints?

In the 2-week Parenting series, we'll be reminded that, in this age of social media and technology, what our children (and grandchildren) need most are strong relationships with real people who know and love them. In the 2-week Finance series, we'll hear practical tips on how to break free from debt and establish a healthy (and holy) relationship with finances. If you know anyone who would benefit from these series, make sure you invite them to worship with us in-person or online.

Fall is also the season when we honor those who passed away and those who served in the armed forces. On **October 30&31**, we will lift up prayers for family and friends who passed away during our **All Saints** service. On **November 6&7**, we will lift up prayers for all who have served in the U.S. armed forces as part of our **Veterans Day** service.

Finally, we close up November with a special guest preacher. Rev. Jacques Conway is the Lake South District Superintendent. He will worship with us and offer us the gift of God's word.

October 30&31	<b>"Parental Guidance Needed: Relationships"</b>	(All Saints)
November 6&7	<b>"Parental Guidance Needed: Friendships"</b>	(Veterans Day)
November 13&14	<b>"Money Matters: Devotion"</b>	
November 20&21	<b>"Money Matters: Financial Freedom"</b>	
November 27&28	<b>Guest Preacher: Rev. Jacques Conway</b>	(Advent 1)

Pastor Caleb



**Daylight Savings Time**  
ends on Sunday, 11/7. Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour before going to sleep on Saturday, 11/6.



## Pastoral Emergency Fund

**Objective:** Provide monetary assistance to our neighbors in need.

**Background:** Faith currently has a designated fund that provides bill assistance and gift cards to our neighbors who express need. Foreseeing the economic repercussions for our neighbors who receive hourly wages and are unable to work for two weeks, we are anticipating a significant increase in assistance requests. By donating to the Pastoral Emergency Fund, your resources will be used by Faith's pastors to assist with bill payments and gift card assistance.

**How to help:** You can donate to the Pastoral Emergency Fund by mailing a check to Faith United Methodist Church, 15101 S. 80<sup>th</sup> Ave., Orland Park, IL 60462. Please make checks payable to Faith United Methodist Church. In the memo line of the check write Pastoral Emergency Fund for your donation to be used towards bill assistance. Or, in the memo line of the check write Pastoral Emergency Fund - Gift Cards if you would like for your donation to be used to purchase gift cards for assistance.

You will be credited on your giving statements for donations to the Pastor Emergency Fund.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Pastor Caleb at [pastorcaleb@faithumcop.org](mailto:pastorcaleb@faithumcop.org) or 815-474-3136 (cell).



## Offering Envelopes

If you presently have a box of envelopes but intend to give electronically in 2022, please email Sue Eade ([cgeade60@yahoo.com](mailto:cgeade60@yahoo.com)) or Lois White ([loisann50@netzero.com](mailto:loisann50@netzero.com)).

We will then not assign a 2022 box of envelopes to you.

Thank you,

## Worship Services

**Church In Person Services:** You must sign-up to attend on our website (faithmccop.org). This allows us to provide contact tracing. **Nursery care is available at all three services.** Updated guidelines can be found on our website & Facebook.



**facebook**  
LIVE

You can also join our livestreamed worship service on Sunday @ 9:00 AM. You can find the links on our website (www.faimc.org). You can also view the service at any time later on Facebook or YouTube.

## Sign-Up Genius Information

Linda has taken over the responsibility of Sign-Up Genius. Linda will do the registration sheets on Fridays. So, if you signed up on Friday afternoon or on Saturday you will have to write in your name when you check in at church.

## Office Closed

Church Office will be closed on Thursday, 11/11 in honor of Veterans Day.



Happy Thanksgiving



Also, the office will be closed on Thursday, 11/25 & Friday, 11/26 for Thanksgiving. Have a wonderful holiday with family & friends.

## Hanging of the Greens

Our annual Hanging of the Greens event will be Sunday, November 21st starting at 1 PM. In particular, we need individuals who are willing/able to help assemble and decorate the large tree in the sanctuary.

Please contact Sue Roessler at 708-802-1523, if you have questions.



# Worship News

*Come Worship with Us...*

The Faith Matters newsletter is now available in the footer of every page on the website. Simply scroll to the bottom of the page and click on Faith Matters in the footer.

## Strategic Goals

Bless Children & Youth  
Deepen Discipleship  
Broaden Missional Impact

## Applications for Office Manager Position



Church Staff Opening

Linda Bitzer has turned in her notice of retirement to Staff Parish & it will take effect at the end of 2021.

If you are interested in applying for this position or if you know of someone who would be interested, please have them contact Bruce Person, Staff Parish Chair at brukar621@yahoo.com.

This is a 5 day/week position: Mon – Thursday, 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM & Friday, 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM.

If you have any questions about the job, you can contact Linda at faith@faithmccop.org. She would be glad to answer all your questions.

## Financial \$ Report September 30, 2021

<b>Income YTD</b>	<b>Budgeted YTD</b>
\$366,156.61	\$384,150.10
<b>Expenses YTD</b>	<b>Budgeted YTD</b>
\$364,448.63	\$403,123.39
<b>YTD Apportionment Payments</b>	
\$35,739.00	
<b>YTD Profit/Loss</b>	
+\$1707.98	



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### Family Ministries

Hooray!! In person children and youth activities have resumed at Faith!! Wahoo!! We are all so excited to see our Faith Kids back in the building. Sunday school began on Halloween Sunday with a costume party filled with fun and games. Youth enjoyed pizza, s'mores, a bonfire and pumpkin decorating at the first youth group meeting of the year.

The Sunday school schedule has changed for this year. In an effort to allow more children and families to worship together, Sunday school will be held between Sunday services (10:15-11:00am). We will not have Sunday school on the first Sunday of the month. All children ages 3 years-high school are invited to attend Sunday school classes.

### Sunday school Schedule for November and December: November 14 and 21      December 12 and 19

We are still looking for volunteers to help with Sunday school, Youth group and other children's activities and events. If you are interested in learning more about amazing volunteer opportunities please contact Kim Clifton, [kids@faithumcop.org](mailto:kids@faithumcop.org) or 708.444.8560.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Santa Claus is coming to town!! Santa will be visiting Faith UMC on Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am-12pm. Santa will be outside and this will be a drive thru opportunity with an option for parking your car and visiting Santa. All families are invited and encouraged to bring your own phone/camera to take photos. Each child will receive a special gift from Santa. There will also be some surprises along Candy Cane Lane while you are waiting to see the Big Guy. HO! HO! HO!



## Athletics

**"Witness to Fitness"** meets Monday, Wednesday & Friday, for exercise, fellowship and walking class. Call Darryl Wertheim with questions (708-781-9696) God Bless !!

**Tai Chi:** Meetings at the church on Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 AM. Call Bill Grizzle for more information. 708-636-5330.

### Northern IL Annual Conference Report - Part 2

In a continuation of the 182nd Northern IL Annual Conference, more than 600 members gathered for a 1/2 day fall session held virtually on Oct. 2. Voting took place on the budget, a nominations slate, Board of Pension proposals and other business.

The Annual Conference approved a \$4.3 million budget for 2022 annual conference expenses. This is a \$70,029 decrease from 2021 based on lower apportionment projections and other cost savings.

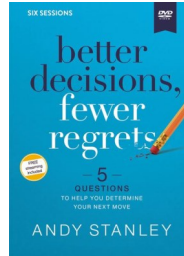
The Annual Conference also approved the Board of Pensions initiative establishing a "Because hey Cared" fund. Individuals and churches can make a \$100 donation in a clergy's name. This fund will be a way to affirm and celebrate the service of clergy who have made an impact in our lives and churches as well as honor their legacy through our commitment to support future clergy in retirement. More information on this initiative will be coming soon.

The Ordination and Commissioning Service saw 10 men and women commissioned and ordained as Deacons or Elders. An increase from \$77 million in 2019 to \$99 million in 2021 was reported by the United Methodist Foundation.

June 8-9 are scheduled for the next Northern IL Annual Conference. Hopefully, it will be able to be held in person. Barry Barnett, Jim Simmons, Sandy Ward - Lay Delegates to Annual Conference

## Small Groups

In the last six weeks we have had eight small groups study Andy Stanley's **"Better Decisions, Fewer Regrets"** with about fifty participants.



A huge "Thank You!" to the facilitators of these groups: Sandy Ward, Dorothy Wertzbaugher, Janet Statkus, Jackie Konidaris, Kitty Chapple, Carole Reicheldt, Nancy Carver, Chelsea Castaneda, Pastor Caleb, and Sally Puzon. Our Faith UMC community is grateful to them for their interest, efforts, and commitment in this endeavor. We all benefit and grow in our faith and discipleship by being part of a small group. Watch for more in the future and consider being part of a group!

### Notes Received



Thank you to my church family and friends for the kind words and expressions of sympathy extended to me on the passing of my husband, Tom. "God loves you and so do I."

Elaine Eubank

I want to express my deepest gratitude for your prayers during my illness. Thank the Lord that I am now on the path to recovery! I also appreciate the many get well cards I've received from so many of you. You have been a tremendous source of strength and encouragement.

Again, thank you and God bless you!

Pastor Wil Nicholson

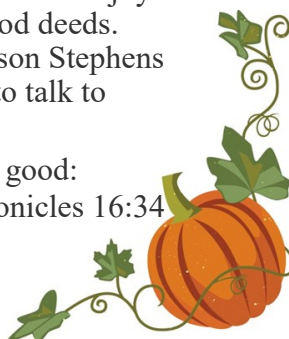
With the ups and downs of the last year and a half we should all take time now to reflect and be thankful.



As we gather together more, we are so very thankful for the blessings of the ordinary everyday. The thought of our culture's "instant gratification" is no more. Now an Attitude of Gratitude can release joy in all you do and say. Nothing no nothing should be taken for granted. Take joy and thankfulness and spread it with good deeds. Contact Pastor Hong or Bruce Person Stephens Ministry Coordinator if you need to talk to someone.

"Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good:  
His love endures forever." - 1 Chronicles 16:34

Have an Attitude of Gratitude  
Nancy Duracka



## United Methodist Men Activities for November 2021, and beyond!



### Men of Faith Sunrise Breakfast: **BIG CHANGE!**

We normally don't have a breakfast meeting in November because of the Veterans Day Pancake Breakfast. Due to Covid, we won't be hosting the pancake breakfast at Faith UMC this year. We **will** have our regular Sunrise Breakfast on Sunday, 11/14, at 7:30 a.m. Masks are required. The breakfast is a bring your own breakfast and beverage (BYOB&B). There will be an update on UMM activities for the next quarter and a short reading/discussion led by Dale Carver.

**Promise Keepers Breakfast:** Wednesday, 11/17, at 8:30 a.m. at Stacks Restaurant. Stacks is located at the corner of Harlem Avenue and 183rd Street. Jim Simmons will lead the meeting.

Lake South District of UMM is hosting a Monday evening Bible study on the book of Judges. For information on how to participate contact Dale Carver.

Questions? Contact Dale Carver @ 762-218-7657 or [aonemanshow@comcast.net](mailto:aonemanshow@comcast.net)

## Food for Faith Families

Food for Faith Families provides meals to our congregation who may need help while recovering from surgery, returning home from rehabilitation, or having a baby. I would like to thank my team for preparing and delivering meals in the past. If you are interested in being a part of the team, please call Jan Kubillus at (708) 687-0953.

Andy & Jeanne Vaveris  
16338 Wirestem Dr.  
Lockport, IL 60441

Keeley & Jim Absher  
11824 Golden Gate Dr  
Mokena, IL 60448

Cathy Caffrey  
22919 S. Scheer Rd.  
Frankfort, IL 60423

Amy & Andrew Rybak  
12813 S. Misty Harbor Ln.  
Palos Park, IL 60464



## Veterans Voices

**Veterans Voices:** Join a group of veterans of the armed forces of the United States. We support each other & the greater community of veterans in the area and the U.S.A. Check out the Veterans Voices Website: [www.veterans-voices.org](http://www.veterans-voices.org). May we never forget their service to our country.




**General Membership Meeting:** This month's meeting will take place on 11/4, 7 p.m., at the Orland Park Veterans Building, 10545 S. West Ave., Orland Park. There will be a short business meeting followed by a presentation by Bill Grizzle, "War Dogs".

**Honor Flag:** We raise the honor flag on the first Sunday of the month in honor of a deceased veteran. Registration forms can be found outside Room 4. Contact Dale Carver at (762) 218-7657 or [veteransvoicesop@gmail.com](mailto:veteransvoicesop@gmail.com) for more information.

**Veterans Day Observance:** (Note: The annual Pancake Breakfast has been cancelled due to Covid.) Veterans Voices will be posting the Colors at each of the FUMC services on Saturday 11/6 and Sunday 11/7. A video honoring veterans will be shown as part of each of those services. Members of Veterans Voices will also be participating in the Veterans Day Observance Ceremony at the Orland Park Civic Center, 14750 Ravinia Avenue, on Veterans Day, Thursday 11/11 at 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome to attend to honor our veterans.

Questions? Contact Gary Lang @ 708-638-5213.



# GOD'S WILL

God wants us to follow his will, but how can we know what that is?

*Directions: Write the letters on each vine in the correct order on the lines provided to complete 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, NIV.*

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w 3    y 5    l 2    a 4    s 6    a 1

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continually,

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in all circumstances; for this

is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

h 2    n 4    t 1    a 3    s 6    k 5

1 THESSALONIANS 5:16-18, NIV



Answer: rejoice, always, pray, give, thanks





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### \*\*\*BAKELESS BAKE SALE\*\*\*

Your donations will allow Faith's UMW to support local and international programs and services for children, women and youth.

There are 3 ways to make your donation. Please place your donation in the envelopes available at church marked U.M.W.BAKELESS BAKE SALE

- ◆ Place donation in the OFFERING PLATE AT CHURCH
- ◆ Mail or drop off at church
- ◆ Use VANCO

Which ever method you choose, Faith United Methodist Women **Thank You** for your support.

God Bless!

Donna Petersen, President



### Singles Fellowship

Singles Events Now Open to Others!

No need to be jealous anymore of our fun outings. *If you see something of interest, please sign up and send me your payment.*

There is some space available in these events: ALL EVENTS INCLUDE A MEAL

November 10, (Wednesday) June's Got Cash at Jacob Henry Mansion, \$48

November 18, (Thursday) Remembering Marshall Fields at Christmas at Jacob Henry Mansion, \$48

December 1, (Wednesday) Christmas Down Memory Lane with Phil & Amy at White Fence Farm, \$41

December 15, (Wednesday) Holiday Inn at Drury Lane Theater, **BUS TRIP**, \$119

Be sure to sign up as soon as possible as I suspect many of these events will fill up quickly. Please feel free to email or call me to get your name on any list. 309.337.9174. [nancyclemenson@gmail.com](mailto:nancyclemenson@gmail.com)

I will give Linda Bitzer envelopes to collect payments in the office. Or you can mail (please do not mail cash) them to me at: 7950 Lakeside Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60487

Payments may also be made by Zelle at my email: [nancyclemenson@gmail.com](mailto:nancyclemenson@gmail.com) or call me at 309.337.9174.

Nancy Clemenson, Singles Fellowship

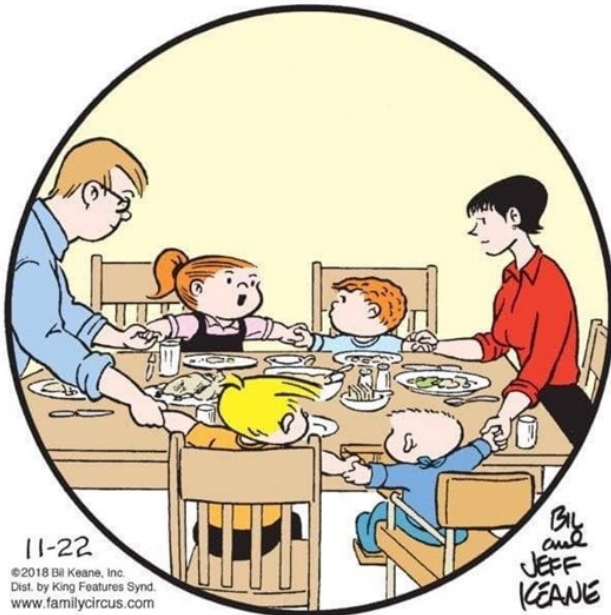


# Missions News

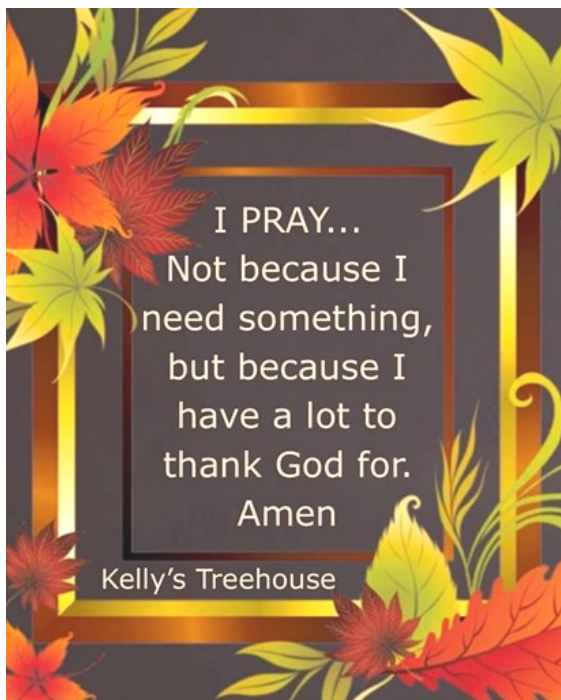
## Teen Bridge Center Thrift Store

On Saturday, Nov. 13th from 9 to 11 AM we will be helping out at the Teen Bridge Center Thrift Store. If you want to participate, please contact Genie Lang at 708-638-5213 or [genielang@hotmail.com](mailto:genielang@hotmail.com).

More info coming soon on the Christmas gift programs that we participate in through Together We Cope - Adopt a Child & the Prison Ministry's Angel Tree. Watch announcements in the weekly bulletins, on Facebook & our website.



**"We hafta hold hands while we say grace so nobody gets a head start eating. Right, Mommy?"**



## Blood Drive

The Blood Drive will be Nov. 7th, 9 am to 1 pm. It will be held in the fellowship hall. Please mark your calendar for November 7th and prayerfully consider donating to save lives.



## Scrip

Dear Scrip Customers,

I have been placing Scrip orders every Sunday. You can put the orders in the scrip mailbox in the office & pick them up the following Sunday. Arrangements can be made to pick them up sooner. Call 708-638-8461. Because I won't be able to pass out order forms in the church, please feel free to write your orders on a piece of paper to give to me with your check or cash. Thanks to all who have continued to support our Scrip Gift Card Program which raises money for youth and adult mission trips. Hope you all are staying safe and healthy.

Blessings,  
Genie Lang, Scrip Coordinator





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### Weekly E-Notes

Weekly e-notes continue. These are short news blasts (different from our monthly newsletters) that Pastor Caleb & Pastor Caitlyn send out each week. Each note contains a short devotion and a reminder of "news" for the upcoming week. The goal of the weekly e-notes is simple: to improve communication within our church family. If you'd like to subscribe to this mailing list, go to our church website ([www.faithumcop.org](http://www.faithumcop.org)) and sign up.

### Newsletters by E-mail

We have gone green with our newsletters. If you're tech-savvy and able to receive our monthly newsletter via email, send a note to our church office ([faith@faithumcop.org](mailto:faith@faithumcop.org)). Let the office know that you'd like to receive the newsletter as an email attachment and the email address you'd like for us to use for this mailing. By taking this simple step, you can help us save both dollars and trees.



### Deadlines

Please forward all articles/information/photos for the monthly newsletter and for the Sunday bulletin to: [faith@faithumcop.org](mailto:faith@faithumcop.org). The deadline for all newsletter articles is noon **the 15th of each month**; the deadline for the bulletin information is **Wednesday at noon**. Be certain to indicate if the news is for the bulletin and/or the newsletter.

### Church Usage Policy Exempt form

Last year we adopted a new Church Usage Policy which has a few times out of the week allotted for children and youth programs to follow along with our Church Strategic Goals. This evening is Friday from 5:30 - 8:00 PM. On Sunday from 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM only church sponsored events can be held. We wanted to remind people that there are days that we do not have programming and we have a "Church Usage Exemption Form" you can fill out if your group is wanting to meet on one of those days. You will want to look on the church calendar in room 4 and see if there is anything scheduled. Please do not write anything on this master calendar. If nothing is on the schedule, pick up an Exemption Form outside of room 4 and submit it to Sandy Ward. It will be reviewed by the team and an answer will be given to you in a timely fashion. If you have any questions on how this works, you can see Sandy Ward, Kim Clifton or Ed Bayles.

### Faith United Methodist Church

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Saturday Service: Contemporary - 4 PM

Sunday Services: Traditional - 9:00 AM

Contemporary - 11:00 AM

Nursery - 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

### Church Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 AM — 3:30 PM

Friday 8:30 AM—1:00 PM

Caleb Hong: Pastor

Beth Ridderhoff, Director of Contemporary Worship

Kim Clifton, Director of Family Ministries

Linda Bitzer: Office Manager

Sandy Ward: Program Coordinator

Josh Bailey-Green: Director of AV and Web Ministries

Rolf Moan: Choir Director

Don Lowry: Custodian

Please submit newsletter articles by the 15th of each month. Articles can be e-mailed, or submitted in MS WORD format.

### Text Messaging Sign Up

We are using a free, safe, and simple messaging tool that will help us share important **updates and reminders**. If you are interested in being added to this means of communication via text, please text to 81010 in "To" line & [@faithum](mailto:@faithum) in message line. All personal information is kept private. You can opt-out of messages at any time by replying "unsubscribe [@faithum](mailto:@faithum)". There is no charge for using this service if you have an unlimited text plan. If you have a specific text plan, each received message will be 1 text.

### Check out our website: [www.faithumcop.org](http://www.faithumcop.org).

Attn: All committee chairs should review their web page information to ensure accuracy of information. Provide updates to Sandy Mawhinnie, webmaster ([smawhinnie@sbcglobal.net](mailto:smawhinnie@sbcglobal.net)).

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## SHEPHERD'S MINISTRY

### Please keep our homebound in your thoughts and prayers:

Doriss Hoover, Warren Koerner & Garnet Suhs

### Please keep these people in your prayers:

For military service men & women, healthcare workers, first responders, and everyday heroes who serve and protect us; For victims of gun violence in Chicagoland & our nation; For students, teachers, & school staff starting the new school year; For neighbors struggling without power because of Hurricane Ida

### For Health & Healing:

Meriellen Anderson

Brian Bachman for father

Diane Barnett

Vicki Brudnicki for mom, Theresa

Pastor Caitlyn's father, Steve Butler

Nancy Clemenson for friend, Linda, hospice care

Harold Deneka

Debbie DeLorenzo for son, Christopher

Peggy DeNormandie's mother, Marge, granddaughter, Paige & friend, Mary

Glenn Drechsel

Ron Drechsel

Doris Fenton

Bob Fulton

Dolores Genis for granddaughter, Skylar

Susan Heaton's mother, Janice, hospice

Doriss Hoover

Dennis Iwinski

Joyce Januszewski for friend, Cathy

Mike Kubillus

Wendy Koch

Jackie Konidaris for Joey's grandfather, Tony & friend, Brook

Chuck Kreuz

Patty Lazarz for friends, Connie & daughter, Heide & Mary & daughter, Kelly

Vanessa Leon for her mother, Teresa & father, Bernardino

Connie Lundin for sister, Mary & sister-in-law, Pat

Ken Pruim

Sally Puzon for aunt, Judy

Sue Roessler for 18 mo. old Emmie

Joan Smith

Janet Statkus

Kim Thompson

Mario Vergara

Linda Wright for husband, Don Edgren



*In Memoriam  
Matthew Brown*

*1990 - 2021*

*Our heartfelt  
sympathy and prayers are  
with the family.*



















*In Memoriam  
Rich Carriel*

*1929 - 2021*

*Our heartfelt sympathy  
and prayers  
are with the family.*

# November 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <b>1</b> Tai Chi 10:30 AM SA 7 PM	<b>2</b> 	<b>3</b> CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM SA 7 PM	<b>4</b> CODA 10 AM AI Anon 8 PM Confirmation 7 PM Vet Voices 7 PM 	<b>5</b> 	<b>6</b> OA 8:30 AM RISE Rehearsal 1 PM Worship 4 PM UMW Bakeless Bake Sale 4 PM	
<b>7</b> Daylight Saving Time ends Blood Drive 9 AM-1 PM Worship 9 & 11 AM UMW Bakeless Bake Sale 9 & 11 AM OA 2 PM Hong/Castaneda Small Group 7 PM	<b>8</b> Tai Chi 10:30 AM Church Council 7 PM SA 7 PM O'Green 7:30 PM 	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM Trustees 7 PM SA 7 PM	<b>11</b> Office Closed CODA 10 AM Confirmation 7 PM AI Anon 8 PM 	<b>12</b> 	<b>13</b> OA 8:30 AM Quilters 10 AM-12 PM Worship 4 PM 
<b>14</b> Men of Faith Breakfast 7:30 AM Worship 9 & 11 AM OA 2 PM	<b>15</b> Tai Chi 10:30 AM Worship Committee 7 PM SA 7 PM 	<b>16</b> 	<b>17</b> Promise Keepers 8:30 AM CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM SA 7 PM	<b>18</b> CODA 10 AM Confirmation 7 PM AI Anon 8 PM	<b>19</b> Ruth Circle 6 PM	<b>20</b> OA 8:30 AM RISE 1-4 PM Worship 4 PM 
<b>21</b> Worship 9 & 11 AM Palmer Baptism 12:30 PM Hanging of the Greens 1 PM OA 2 PM 	<b>22</b> Tai Chi 10:30 AM Website Committee 7 PM SA 7 PM	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM SA 7 PM 	<b>25</b> Thanksgiving Office Closed CODA 10 AM AI Anon 8 PM 	<b>26</b> Office Closed 	<b>27</b> OA 8:30 AM RISE 1-4 PM Worship 4 PM
<b>28</b> Worship 9 & 11 am Church Conference 1:15 PM OA 2 PM	<b>29</b> Tai Chi 10:30 AM SA 7 PM	<b>30</b>			<b>Note: Walking Club Witness to Fitness</b> meets every Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9-10 AM 	

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## Special Upcoming Events

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| Nov. 6 & 7 | UMW Bakeless Bake Sale         |
| Nov. 7     | Blood Drive 9 AM-1 PM          |
| Nov. 14    | Men of Faith Breakfast 7:30 AM |
| Nov. 17    | Promise Keepers 8:30 AM        |
| Nov. 21    | Hanging of the Greens 1 PM     |
| Nov. 28    | Church Conference 1:15 PM      |



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