

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF ORLAND PARK

FAITH MATTERS

November 2020

Change

At a recent webinar, the presenter began by asking us, *“What is your favorite season?”* He offered 5 options: spring, summer, fall, winter, and election. What would you choose?



Change is in the air. Yesterday, the trees were adorned in their summer “greens.” Last night, the cooler north air returned. Today, the trees will display their fall colors. Tomorrow, their leaves will cover the ground and clog up gutters.

Just last week, Abby & I went for a bike ride in a t-shirt and shorts. The sky was sunny and the breeze was warm. It was perfect weather for a ride around the block. Yesterday, we went for a bike ride in similar attire and had to turn around to put on jackets and gloves. Yes, Abby promised not to tell mom.

While some things never seem to change, other things change constantly. Friends, this is the rhythm of life.

I’ve heard it said that the only constant in life is change. I would disagree – God is the only constant in life. More importantly, God, who is the same yesterday, today, and tomorrow (Hebrews 13:8,) loves us with an unyielding, unrelenting, unwavering love. No matter what else changes in life – no matter what mistakes we make – no matter what losses we endure – no matter where we call home – God’s love does not change.

“For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.” – Romans 8:38-39

As we enter into the fall season – this season of change – let’s remain grounded in our faith. Remember, faith does not shield us from change. Instead, faith keeps us grounded in the midst of it.

Stewardship

Thank you to everyone who turned in their **2021 Estimate of Giving** cards. As our Stewardship Committee reminded us, this has been a challenging and unpredictable year. However, in the words of the Beatles, ***“All We Need is Love.”*** If you haven’t yet turned in your Estimate of Giving cards, no worries. Turn them in when you can. If you need a card, contact the church office. Some of you have chosen not to turn in your cards because the economy is uncertain – your jobs are uncertain – your future is uncertain. Please know this is ok, too.

While the church is concerned with our 2021 budget, we are more concerned about your health. While it matters that the lights stay on at church, we want to make sure that your family is safe and well during these difficult times. So, if there are ways our church can assist you (or someone you know) – with prayers, comfort, and/or emergency assistance – please contact Pastor Caitlyn or myself.

Just so you know – while the church office has remained closed throughout the pandemic, we have continued to offer bill assistance and emergency gift cards. Since our Pastor Emergency Fund is not limited to church members, we’ve cared for neighbors from all around Chicagoland during this past summer and fall. While we cannot do everything, we have (and will continue) to love one another.

Micro Pantry

Let me offer a shout out to Ryan Matchen and our Mission Committee for their work with the Micro Food Pantry. As you know, our Mission Committee responded to the pandemic (and ensuing shut-down) by opening up a Micro Food Pantry (ie. 5 large bins where people can freely take and donate food.)

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Pastor Caleb's message continued:

This summer, Ryan Matchen, a senior at Sandburg High School and soon-to-be Eagle Scout, helped establish a Micro Pantry at Faith. Ryan partnered with a local organization that provides Micro Pantries. Next, he organized a food drive to collect food for the pantry. His goal was 1,000 items. He received more than 3,200! Now, Ryan is reaching out to local scouting and service groups to help keep the pantry going. To learn more about the Micro Pantry, contact Ryan at eagleproject2020@gmail.com.

Upcoming Sermon Series

November is the start of our church's "stuffed" season. Every weekend is jammed packed with occasions for memorials & celebrations. We'll begin the month with a message, **"What Would Jesus Say: Who Matters?"** and remember loved ones who passed away in the past year. Next, we'll start our **"Prayer"** series. Corresponding with these messages, we'll celebrate our **Veterans, United Methodist Women, and Thanksgiving**. Finally, we'll close out the month with our Advent series, **"Making Room."**

You are welcome to join us for in-person worship services (*Saturday @ 4 PM, Sunday @ 9 & 11 AM*). You're also welcome to join us for our live-streamed online service (*Sunday @ 9 AM*). You can find the weekly links for YouTube & Facebook on our website (faithumcop.org).

Oct. 31 / Nov 1	WWJS: Who Matters?	(All Saints weekend)
November 7 & 8	Prayer: Moving Up	(Veterans weekend)
November 14 & 15	Prayer: Moving In	(UMW weekend)
November 21 & 22	Prayer: Moving Out	(Thanksgiving weekend)
November 28 & 29	Making Room: Remember	(Advent 1)

Pastor Caleb

Notes Received in the Office

Dear Faith Family,
I would like to thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers, and cards on the passing of my brother. Your support and caring are comforting and much appreciated.

Sincerely,
Janice McBride

Thank you for your prayers and support. God Bless.

Paul Gillespie



Notes
Received

Election Day Nov. 3, 2020

Voting is important: Faith UMC's Church & Society Committee asks that you vote. Our democracy depends on our citizen's participation in elections. You can:

1. Vote at the polls on Nov. 3rd.
2. Vote early starting Sept. 24th through Monday, Nov. 2nd.
3. Vote by mail if you have requested an absentee ballot, If you are signed up to vote by mail, please do so shortly after you receive your ballot. VOTE!



Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, 11/1. Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour before going to sleep on Saturday, 10/31.



Office Closed

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



Happy
Thanksgiving



Also, the office will be closed on Thursday, 11/26 & Friday, 11/27 for Thanksgiving. Have a wonderful holiday with family & friends.



Worship Services

Please join us at one of our services on Saturday at 4 PM & on Sunday at 9 AM & 11 AM. All 3 services are the same. Pre-registration is required (find the link to pre-register on our website faithumcop.org starting the Monday before that week's services). **If you don't have access to a computer**, you can call the church office to register.



You can also join us on Facebook Live & YouTube Live for our Sunday services at 9 AM. The YouTube link is on our church website: faithumcop.org.



Worship News



Drive-In Communion

We are offering monthly "Drive-In Communion" the 1st Saturday of the month, **5:30 - 6:30 PM**. Location: church parking lot. This is communion especially for people who are uncomfortable and/or unable to join in-person worship services. Just drive up to the front entrance, receive communion elements from a pastor, & drive away. Next "Drive-In Communion" date: **Sat. Dec. 5, 5:30 - 6:30 PM**.

New Membership in 2020

There is an opportunity to join Faith UMC in 2020 on Nov. 14/15th. Class date: Wednesday, 11/4, 7 PM for a virtual new members class. Sign-up sheet is in the lobby Welcome Center. Contact Gwen Svoboda (gwensvoboda@comcast.net) or Nancy Clemenson (nancyclemenson@gmail.com) for more information.

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

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. 80th 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 Caitlyn at pastorcaitlyn@faithumcop.org or 815-474-3136 (cell).





Children's Ministry



Thank you to all who participated in the **1st Ever Not So Scary, Spooky, Selfie Scavenger Hunt!** What a great way to celebrate Halloween in a fun and safe environment. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place teams were gifted with a basket full of

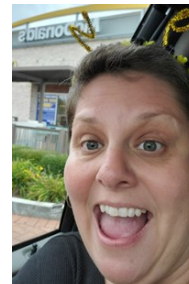
Halloween goodies and a free family dinner. Every team also received Halloween treat bags filled with all sorts of snacks, candy and toys. Check Faith Kids Facebook page (& see below) for pictures of the fun!!

Children's Ministry Survey Update: Families with children were recently given the opportunity to complete a survey regarding children's programming at Faith. Results of that survey overwhelmingly support the position of postponing any in-person children's programs for the time being. Most families have not returned to in-person worship services and have shared that they will not be returning for some time. While we miss seeing our Faith Kids friends, we recognize that the best decision right now is to delay in-person programs and events including weekly Sunday School. This decision is not permanent. We will be re-evaluating children's activities again in January. In the meantime, we will continue to offer a Faith Kids time during worship services and a weekly Sunday School lesson, both of which can be viewed online via the church website, Facebook or YouTube. We also promise that we will keep loving and praying for our children!

HO! HO! HO! Faith UMC is hosting a **Drive Thru Santa** visit! We are so excited to announce that we have spoken with Santa Claus and he is ready. We are not able to host our traditional Santa Breakfast and Jamboree this year, but that doesn't mean we can't spend some time with the big guy in red. Santa will be bringing his sleigh filled with gifts on **Sunday, December 6th, 1-3 pm.** For those wishing to remain in their cars, Santa will offer a wave and a socially distanced photo. Visitors will also have the option of getting out of their car for a quick photo opportunity with Santa. All kids will receive a special gift. Santa is very busy and can't afford to become sick, so we will observe social distancing and mask wearing. Santa will also be bringing his special North Pole mailbox so bring your Christmas wish lists and notes for Santa!



Not So Scary, Spooky, Selfie Scavenger Hunt! Pictures 10/25/20





Youth Group

While the Stay-At-Home order is in place, in-person Youth Group has been cancelled until further notice. If you would like to be a part of the Youth Group email chain to be updated when Youth Group meets, please contact Pastor Caitlyn at pastorcaitlyn@faithumcop.org.

Confirmation

Faith's Confirmation class has begun meeting with five students in the class. Please continue to hold our confirmands in prayer as we learn and grow together in our faith.



ASP

If you are interested in being a part of the 2021 Youth Mission Trip to Appalachia Service Project, contact Pastor Caitlyn at pastorcaitlyn@faithumcop.org.

Security Team Recruiting

We have created a security team of 10-12 members to be a welcoming smile to anyone who might come into the building during worship services. Additional security members are needed.

We are looking for someone to chair this group. If you are interested, contact Sandy Ward at 708-349-7490 or sandyward60462@yahoo.com

United Methodist Men Activities for November, 2020 and beyond!



Sunrise Breakfast: Sunday, November 8, 7:30 a.m., in the fellowship hall. This is a BYOBB event (Bring Your Own Breakfast and Beverage). See rules, below. Dale Carver will present a short message and lead a brief information session.

Promise Keepers Breakfast on Wednesday, November 18, 8:30 a.m. in Room 17 at FUMC. This is a BYOBB event (Bring Your Own Breakfast and Beverage). See rules, below.

Save the date: Saturday, December 5. The Aurora District Advent gathering will take place via ZOOM. Details to follow.

Rules for our gatherings:

- 1) Social distancing is required. No handshakes, no hugs, etc., at the event.
- 2) Masks must be worn at all times when not eating or drinking.
- 3) Temperature scans will be performed on all attendees to ensure no person with a fever above 100.4F is admitted.
- 4) Each attendee must provide his own food and beverage at the event, as appropriate. No food or drink will be made or served at the event.

Questions? Contact Dale Carver @ 762-218-7657 or aonemanshow@comcast.net

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;



His love endures forever.

1 Chronicles 16:34

Stephen Ministry

This year as Thanksgiving is approaching things might be a little different. Social distancing is the new norm. As you prepare for whatever table setting you will have at Thanksgiving, remember to put God at the head of your table. Whether family is near or far be thankful and know that God loves you. Remember to practice Thankful Living at Thanksgiving and always. If you need encouragement, call either pastor or Bruce Person, Stephen Ministry coordinator. "Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good: for His steadfast love endures forever." - Psalm 107:1

Count your blessings, not the pitfalls.
Nancy Duracka



Golden Opportunity Coupon Books

It's that time of year again—new coupon books. Golden Opportunities books allow you to save thousands of dollars at a variety of your favorite LOCAL merchants. They sell for \$25 (our profit \$7) and are valid now until September 30, 2021. While restaurants and stores really need business during the pandemic, this is one way to support them. Since we cannot sell the books at church this year, Golden Opportunities will offer 3 ways for Faith members to purchase books and have the credit for the sale go to Faith UMC:

You can **call 800-884-6533** and use a credit card to purchase one or more books by phone. There will be a \$5 flat shipping charge, no matter how many books are purchased as long as they're being shipped to the same address.

Members can **mail in a check payable to Golden Opportunities**. Again, the cost is \$25 per book ordered plus the flat \$5 shipping charge. The address is Golden Opportunities at P.O. Box 1011 Frankfort, IL 60423.

To avoid any shipping charge, you can **stop by their office at 11535 183rd Place, Unit 118 Orland Park, IL** (Take Wolf Road to 183rd Place. Turn right. Go through the first stop sign and then turn left at the first driveway. Go to Unit 118). They accept cash, check, or charge. Theresa will even bring the book to your car if you don't want to go in. Please call before stopping to be sure she knows you're coming. She is typically in the office M-F from 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Please help the church support this fundraiser and local businesses. **Be sure to mention FAITH UMC or Sandy Ward so they'll know to credit the church.** If you have questions, call Sandy.

Although our small group is not meeting, we continue to send birthday and special occasion cards to 46 adults with special needs. In the past, some of you have been generous with donations of cards and postage which have been greatly appreciated. We would like to encourage you to continue to do so—there is still a box for cards outside Room 4 and stamp donations can be placed in Sue Eade's mailbox in the office. Thank you for your help from **"Cheer Givers"** Mary Bukovi, Sue Eade, Peggy Gillespie, Jan Kubillus, Madeline Magnus, Sally Puzon, Marla Smith, and Liz Whitcher.



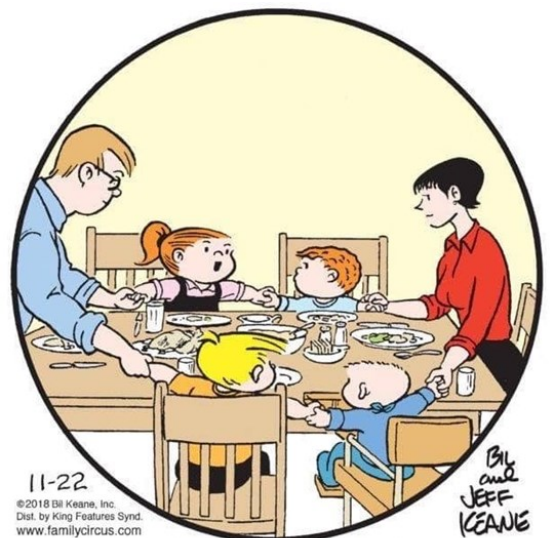
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Small Groups

Thank you to all the small group leaders & those who participated in the fall small groups. If you did not get a chance to see the videos & would like to, please contact Sandy Ward. There is a copy of the DVD in her office.



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



The first time I became aware of a “church ladies group” was at the LaGrange Methodist Church. The first thing I noticed was that these ladies had a beautiful room; all their own called the Ladies Parlor. It had lovely, comfortable chairs and couches, fancy lamps and tables – like a beautiful living room; but the ladies were seldom there. Oh, they were at church, but they were busy doing things around the church like serving refreshments,

signing people up for something. They were hard working. The ladies were the Women’s Society for Christian Service-WSCS. A few years later the name was changed to United Methodist Women, but the mission has remained the same.

Time rolled on, I moved to Orland Park and became part of our church’s U.M.W. From our mother’s I learned that there certainly is a PURPOSE and a VISION too. The vision is *“Turning faith, hope and love into action on behalf of women, children and youth around the world.”*

This month, Faith U.M.W. will be getting back to our PURPOSE AND VISION.

- November 14th & 15 will be UNITED METHODIST WOMEN’S Sat. & Sun. At these services we will share a little about our group, honor those ladies from Faith’s UMW who have died.
 - We will launch our Bakeless Bake Sale. Ladies of the church (and gents if they’d like) will be invited to donate the money that they would have ordinarily spent baking and purchasing baked goods at one of our wonderful sales. Details will be shared in the near future.
 - The money will be used to pay our pledge to the Aurora District U.M.W. and to support some of our local programs and missions.

Don’t forget your THANK BANK – November - \$.15 for each guest at your Thanksgiving table.

Watch for announcements about some virtual interacting and programing, hopefully, in the very near future.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING - Donna Petersen, U.M.W. President

Bishop’s Appeal

Each year our Bishop, Sally Dyck, chooses a project for our Northern IL Conference's Bishop Appeal. This year she has chosen Rev. Christina Kim's secondary school in Tanzania, Africa. Rev. Kim is a member of our annual conference and is a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries. It is hoped that funds raised will help to complete construction on the secondary school that she has been building over the last year and it is hoped that it can open in 2021. Funds will be collected at services on Nov. 7 and 8th or mail your contribution to church. Money raised will be sent for inclusion at the Northern IL Annual Conference. While the Annual Conference will be conducted using a Zoom webinar this year, the needs for help worldwide continue. Please make checks payable to Faith UMC and put "Bishop's Appeal" on the memo line.

The Global Mission Secondary School is a Christian, English-language, co-educational boarding school. The mission of the school is "to provide quality education for students, providing a biblical foundation and supporting their hopes and dreams." This fund will support the construction of the school's administrative structure to facilitate hiring of staff. For more information, please visit umcnic.org/bishopsappeal.



Veteran Voices



Veterans Voices next scheduled monthly meeting is Wednesday, November 25th. An e-mail will be sent to all members regarding time and location.

Please contact Darryl Wertheim co-chairman of Veterans Voices with questions, 708-781-9696.

Food for Faith Families

Food for Faith Families is looking for more members. We provide meals for families in our congregation that need short term help after having surgery or bringing home a new baby.

There are many great reasons to join us.

- (1) We are a small group that NEVER meets.
- (2) You do not need to be a great cook as no one complains when a free meal is involved!
- (3) We do not get many requests per year.
- (4) You are able to help as your schedule allows.
- (5) It’s really easy. Everything is done via our website: Mealtrain.com. If you don’t use a computer, don’t fret, we use Calling Post as well. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact Jan Kubillus at 708-687-0953.

Missions News

We will again participate in the **Together We Cope Adopt a Child** Christmas program & the Prison Ministry's **Angel Tree**. Details below for Angel Tree & TYWC will be coming soon. We hope you will take part in one of these worthwhile programs.



We are still collecting non-perishable items for the Micro Pantry outside the front doors. Take what you need. Share what you can.

Winter Coat Collection: We will be collecting gently used or new coats, hats, boots, gloves & scarves for Night Ministry from Nov. 1 through Nov. 22. The collection bin will be in the lobby.



SHOP SCRIP THIS CHRISTMAS!

Christmas is around the corner! Don't forget to check out our one-stop shopping for gift cards through our Scrip program. Hopefully, by November 1st (or sooner) you will be able to access the list of cards and order form on our website. I ask that you not use the form with all the businesses listed. You can either use the short form that you can print out and write your order on, or write your order on a piece of paper. A check made out to the church must be turned in with your order form. You can either leave your order in my Scrip mailbox at church or drop it off at my house. I process orders only on Sunday, and I get them on the following Tuesday morning. You can either pick your order up at my house or we can make other arrangements for pick up.

There will be \$10 and \$5 cards available for some restaurants and stores for a limited time for Christmas. They make great gifts for teachers, your mailman/woman, garbage man, stocking stuffers and anyone you like to give a little something to for Christmas.

Don't forget that all money raised goes to support our adult and youth mission trips. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me 708-638-8461 or 708-429-2205.

Yours in Christ,
Genie Lang



ANGEL TREE TIME AGAIN

This year instead of buying gifts, wrapping them and having the families pick them up, all activities will be online. We will be purchasing Walmart gift cards from Angel Tree, for a specific child in the amount of \$20.00. The actual price for our members will be \$22.00, the extra \$2.00 will cover shipping and processing by Angel tree. Once we received the names, we will get the information on how members can participate. Any questions, contact: Clyde Blanke & Donna Petersen (708-349-0150).



Athletics

Congratulations Witness to Fitness Exercise Group!!

The group reached their goal of (collectively) WALKING AROUND THE WORLD.



On October 7th they completed walking 24,700 miles. It took over 7 years to finish this accomplishment, beginning the journey in April 2013. Witness to Fitness is not stopping now. The group still meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday for 2 sessions of exercises in our gym. 9-9:30 am & 9:30-10 am. One session exercises while the other session walks. Everyone participates at their own pace.

There is a maximum of 15 masked participants in each class, socially distanced 10 feet apart. In addition to staying healthy with exercise, so we may continue to do God's work, the friendships made at Witness to Fitness have been a blessing to all.

You are welcome to join the group any or all days.

Tai Chi meets on Monday & Wednesday, 10:30 AM.

Contact Darryl Wertheim (darryl.wertheim@gmail.com) or Bill Grizzle (708) 636-5330 for more info .



Blood Drive

We received 19 units of blood yesterday. What a wonderful gift was given to those in need! Thank you for all who donated.

The next blood drive is scheduled for January 10th.



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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) 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). 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. 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 evenings out of the week allotted for children and youth programs to follow along with our Church Strategic Goals. These evenings are Tuesday & Friday from 5:30 - 7:45 PM and Sunday from 4:45-7:30. 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, Pastor Caitlyn, Kim Clifton or Ed Bayles.

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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 & Caitlyn Nesbit: Pastors
Beth Ridderhoff, Director of Contemporary Worship
Kim Clifton, Director of Children's Ministry
Linda Bitzer: Office Manager
Sandy Ward: Program Coordinator
Rolf Moan: Choir Director
Patty Lazarz: Organist
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 in message line. All personal information is kept private. You can opt-out of messages at any time by replying "unsubscribe @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.

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

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SHEPHERD'S MINISTRY

Please keep our homebound in your thoughts and prayers:

Doriss Hoover, Warren Koerner, Helen Morris & Garnet Suhs

Please keep these people in your prayers:

For all military service men & women, Health Care workers, Fire Fighters, Police Officers, and all Essential Workers. Also, for those recovering from the fires on the west coast, cleaning up of Hurricane Delta in the south, all the teachers, students & administrators who have started back to school

For Health & Healing:

Beth Anderson-Hall

Linda & Phil Bitzer's niece, Justine

Clyde Blanke for friends, Rob & Howard

Vicky & Greg Brudnicki's son, Jason

Mary Bukovi's friend, Mary

Laura Cardinal for niece, Miranda & friend, Lori

Rich Carriel

Trinity Casto & family

Dan Clark

Nancy Clemenson

Bob Connolly

Wendy Connolly's sister, Merle

Harold Deneka

Peggy DeNormandie's mother, Marge & cousin, Beverly

Betty Doherty

Glenn Drechsel

Kathy Drechsel for grandson, Emmitt

Ron Drechsel

Della & Dick Ehret

Bob Fulton

Dolores Genis

Peggy Gillespie's husband, Paul

Susan Heaton for her mother, Janice

Joyce Januszewski

Rich Jones' cousin, Greg's wife, Wendy

Wendy Koch

Jim Kough

Carole & Chuck Kreuz' son, Steven

Chuck Kreuz

Jan Kubillus for daughter, Kim

Genie Lang

Paula Morrone's friend, JoAnn

George Motzer's cousin, Sarah

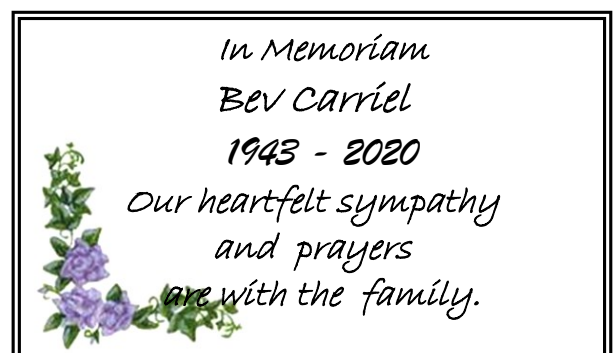
Blanche Schuck's sister, Theresa

Joan Smith

















Janet Statkus

Cathy Van Kooten for friend Phyllis & her family

Bill Zeitz



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 All Saints Day Confirmation 5 PM 	2 	3 Election Day 	4 Witness to Fitness 9 AM CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM	5 CODA 10 AM Al-Anon 7:15 PM	6 Witness to Fitness 9 AM	7 OA 8:30 AM Worship 4 PM Novak Baptism 5:30 PM 
8 Men of Faith Breakfast 7:30 AM Worship 9 & 11 AM OA 2 PM Confirmation 5 PM	9 Witness to Fitness 9 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM Church Council 7 PM 	10 	11 Veterans Day Witness to Fitness 9 AM CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM 	12 CODA 10 AM Puppets 6 PM Al-Anon 7:15 PM	13 Witness to Fitness 9 AM 	14 OA 8:30 AM Worship 4 PM New Members Join
15 Worship 9 & 11 AM New Members Join OA 2 PM Confirmation 5 PM	16 Witness to Fitness 9 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM Website 7 PM 	17	18 Promise Keepers 8:30 AM Witness to Fitness 9 AM CODA 10 AM Tai Chi 10:30 AM	19 CODA 10 AM Al-Anon 8 PM	20 Witness to Fitness 9 AM	21 OA 8:30 AM Worship 4 PM
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Nov. 1	All Saints Day
Nov. 3	Election Day
Nov. 7	Novak Baptism
Nov. 11	Veterans Day
Nov. 14/15	New Members Join
Nov. 24	Lifeline Screening
Nov. 26	Thanksgiving Office Closed
Nov. 27	Office Closed
Nov. 28	Bechtold Wedding



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