

Christ Church UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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PASTOR'S LETTER

Dear Church,

I am writing this letter to you at the 72-hours out mark for my 40-day military Basic Chaplain Course. It has been 5 years since I've been required to do this much consecutive active duty. Because life is so much more complicated now (with a house, children, and a fulltime job) a tremendous amount of planning has had to go into this journey. Life is different than it was the last time I left for this long... A lot of family, house, military, and church arrangements have had to be made. At the same time, I have had to take care of myself as well. One of the self-care practices that I have taken on has been watching old reruns of the series *Frasier* on Netflix.

Maybe you vaguely remember *Frasier*, the Seattle-based show that centered on the life of the lovable radio psychologist Frasier Crane and his family. Frasier's father Martin lives with him in his condo. Martin requires physical therapy for an injury he acquired while serving on the Seattle Police Force. One episode really struck me when I watched it because it had to deal with "parting ways." You see, Daphne, Martin's live-in caretaker, gets into a fight with Frasier and decides to quit her job and move away from the Crane family. When Frasier, Niles, and Martin talk about Daphne's relationship with them, Martin describes her as the "cream in the middle of the Oreo" that is their family. She holds them together. The more I have been thinking about things the more I realize that *you all* are the cream in the Oreo that is Christ Church. Well, I'm more of a Hydrox Cookie sort of guy (I like the vanilla variety) – but the analogy *still* stands. Pastor Dan Stark is not the cream in the Oreo that is Christ Church UCC – you are. The mission, building, institution, traditions, friendships, fellowship, worship, and all that is good about Christ Church is held together by you—not me (but please, continue to employ me!).

There are a lot of really awesome and exciting things happening at Christ Church this summer. There will be a Bible study in the Beer Garden at Humboldt Park. There is a game night that has been in the works. There is a card-club that recently started meeting up to play games. We will be collecting canned goods during Chill on the Hill for the Bay View Community Center. We have several guest pastors lined up to share exciting messages. We have a couple special services on the horizon in June – including a Sunday when we will explore spiritual gifts and one where we will explore an exciting mission opportunity involving Milwaukee children. The Breakfast Club met in May and the ideas that were presented were absolutely incredible. All this makes me excited for you all to be the Church – the cream in the Oreo.

I want to leave you with some of Jesus' parting words to his friends from John's gospel. When Jesus was giving his farewells, he left the disciples with assurance that everything was going to be OK.

He gives them peace. In John 14 he says, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid." He says this after he tells the disciples about "the Advocate" – the Spirit of God that would be

with them always, even long after he was gone. Friends, I am confident that through all of this, God will be present and God's hand will guide us through to the other side. I'll be gone for 40 days and I miss you and Wisconsin already. However, I know that you, the cream in the Christ Church cookie, will embody the spirit of the Advocate that guides, looks after, and grows the Church. My prayer for you is that God blesses you and guides you in my absence. May you experience the peace of God that Christ shared with his friends. May you discern, grow, and be the Church that God calls you to be. See you in July.

With joy,
Chaplain Dan Stark, Captain, USAF.

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Members and Friends of Christ Church

The last few months has been a journey of discovery through many aspects of life. I have walked along side people through the realization of lifelong dreams. There have been opportunities to bring together organizations for the common good. Recently I joined with other UCC members from around the United States in discussions about spiritual development, what it is, what it looks like and how we can improve the ways we help people to become the people God has called them to be.

At the same time, I have been learning about the complexities of plant growing. There is a lot to know and plenty to do. I discovered that there is a process of starting with good soil, certainly maintaining the right environment, and of course, protecting the young plants from predators once the plants start to grow. All of this is for the possibility of some additional color and beauty in the future.

Perhaps the journey seems so disjointed. Actually the process of living through these divergent life experiences all follow the same path. In following God's call to make the world a better place, sometimes we need to step in and be the change. Sometimes we need to walk along side someone else and support them in making the change. Other times we need to create a good environment that will increase the chance of success for the person who will come after us to make change in the future.

As people of God, our lives follow a repetitive and always renewing pattern. Our calling is to create a friendly environment that enables us to engage with others who do not yet know the love and grace of God as we do; Then to place them in a soil that we have carefully prepared for their arrival and then to feed and nurture them in a caring home, as they grow in faith. Finally, we provide and guide them to opportunities to live out the calling that God has extended to them.

Planting, feeding, caring for others is the call that God extends to us at Christ Church. It is no coincidence that it is the same pattern of intentional planting, that will allow us a brighter, more colorful and exciting future as Christ Church.

In as much as we are now in the planting season in Milwaukee, so to we are entering into an extraordinary season of planting at Christ Church. This change of seasons will require from us a special effort of intentional and purposeful change. I believe that with our firm conviction to the covenant of working together and the excitement and the anticipation of a brighter and more fruitful future, we are well placed to meet the challenges that face us as God's people in motion.

Many recent members have begun to engage in the process of "being the church", bringing new perspective and energy to defining who we are as Christ Church. At the same time, members who have been part of the church for a long time have found new ways to "till the soil". Perhaps you have not recently found a place in Christ Church to be an active and intentional part of our church family and the lifestyle to which God has called you. Participation in the programs and events is the surest way to find the place which God has held open for you here.

God's blessings and traveling mercies on your journey.

Paul Mayeshiba
President - Church Council

KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH PASTOR DAN

To keep in touch with Pastor Dan while he is gone for Military duty you may email or mail: Air Force Chaplain Corps College, ATTN: Captain Daniel Stark, 550 East Maxwell Blvd. #3000, BCC 18B, Maxwell AFB, AL 36112-6026 or dan_stark@att.net

PASTORAL COVERAGE IN PASTOR DAN'S ABSENCE

In Pastor Dan's absence, please contact Debbie Behling (Office Administrator) in the church office via phone or email for Pastoral care needs. Emails and phone messages will be monitored regularly daily & nightly. Pastor Dan has established a schedule of available clergy for any Pastoral needs while he is gone. Debbie will be the filter for those communications. Pastor Dan's schedule will allow him to check his emails most evenings. Know that he may not be able to respond in a timely fashion.

STEWARDSHIP: HOW IS CHRIST CHURCH DOING FINANCIALLY?

Our 2018 annual church budget is \$205,350, or \$17,030 per month, or \$3,930.00 per week.

Month	Budget	Running Budget Total	Monthly Receipts	Monthly Balance/ (Shortage)	Running Balance/ (Shortage)
January	\$17,030.00		\$17,843.90	\$813.90	\$813.90
February	\$17,030.00	\$34,060.00	\$10,497.07	(\$6,532.93)	(\$5,719.03)
March	\$17,030.00	\$51,090.00	\$15,800.00	(\$1,230.00)	(\$6,949.03)
April	\$17,030.00	\$68,120.00	\$20,049.17	\$3,019.17	(\$3,929.86)

"AT A GLANCE"

For a quick update each month check out the large thermometer in the Niefer Chapel showing our budget and the funds received each month. As of the end of April we were approximately 6% short of our budget, or about \$3,930. *Quite an improvement from March!*

Thank you to all for your faithful and generous giving. Keep up the great work!! Your gifts are the reason Christ Church is able to continue our mission in the Bay View area and beyond.

IDEA: Did you know you can **purchase a leaf for the Living Tree** at the Lenox Street entrance and the proceeds go to General Fund? The leaf could be a family leaf or a leaf in memory or honor of your loved one. **The cost is \$125.00.** If interested place the funds in a separate envelope in the offering plate with your request.

Joan Gaeth, Stewardship Committee

MEET KYLE CASON, OUR NEW BOOKKEEPER

Hello Christ Church,

I am Kyle Cason, your church bookkeeper. I am married with three children. My wife's name is Julie and our children are Dylan (18), Abby (11), and Carter (6). I grew up in Wauwatosa and have lived in the Milwaukee area all my life with the exception of the four years I spent in Illinois for college.

I have a bachelor's degree in Economics from Knox College and have been working for One America Retirement Services (formerly M&I retirement services and BMO retirement services) for the last thirteen years.

In my spare time I help coach Carter's baseball team and I run a local Thursday night dart ball league.

Respectfully,
Kyle



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES

~Brad Berger, son in law of Noelle and Jon Simons, has graduated from MATC with a Bachelor's degree in Nursing. He is working as an RN at Aurora South in Cudahy.

~Taylor Gilgenbach, daughter of Jason & Jenny and granddaughter of Laurel Dayton will graduate from South Milwaukee H.S. In the fall she plans to study Nursing in the at UW Stevens Point.

~Blair Goedel, son of Jean & Shawn and grandson of Joan Amich will be graduating from Oak Creek H.S. He will be going on to UW-Milwaukee where he will study International Transportation.

~Zachary Luebstorf, grandson of Noelle & Jon is graduating from Waukesha Engineering Preparatory Academy. He will be attending the University of New Orleans majoring in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering.

~Michael Miksic, son of Tom & Sandy Miksic, is graduating from Greendale High School on June 10th. He will be attending UW-Madison in the fall.

~Larry Savage Jr., son of Larry & Judy graduated from Law School in Massachusetts on May 20th & will go on to Los Angeles to pursue his masters in Entertainment & Media Law at Southern.

~Abby Simons, granddaughter of Noelle and Jon, has graduated from Wisconsin Lutheran College with a Bachelor's degree in nursing. She will be working at Froedert Hospital as an RN.

~ Harrison Tremarello, son of Rich and Jade will graduated with honors from Reagan I. B. High School May 24th. He has received all A's in every subject since middle school and has been accepted to the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University under full scholarship where he will major in Broadcast Journalism. He may minor or double major in History or Political Science. His other activities will be playing his cello, electric guitar, harmonica and maintaining his ever growing vinyl record collection.

~Andrew Vail, son of Dan & Michelle and grandson of Joan Amich is graduating from Fernwood and will go on to Reagan H.S. in the fall.

NEW OPPORTUNITY: SHARING IN OUR SPONSORSHIP OF DAWA CHOEDON

Did you know that the United Church of Christ has partnered with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) to form a relief organization called "Global Ministries"?

Did you know that "Global Ministries" has a program for sponsoring elders and youth?

Did you also know that Christ Church Council has voted to sponsor a child through "Global Ministries"? Yes, we are all very excited about our sponsored child, Dawa Choedon.

Dawa is 12 years old and lives in Lhaze Zong in Tibet. Both her father and mother are farmers. She has 2 sisters. Since Dawa's parents are poor they have sent all 3 siblings to the Upper Tibetan Children's Village (TCV) for an education. **The cost of sponsoring Dawa is \$45/month, or \$11.25/week.** We hope to be able to sponsor her for a year with proceeds from our donut hour offering. We are encouraged to write to Dawa so she will know who is sponsoring her and that she may be able to write back to her "family" in the United States. The address to write to her is:

Dawa Choedon
Tenzin Zeden, Children's Secretary
Tibetan Children's Village
Dharamsala Cantt 176216
Distt. Kangra H.P. India

This is a special mission that was initiated to bring special meaning to our social gathering on Sunday mornings. Please give as you are moved to support this mission effort. This particular children's mission was chosen because it is connected with the United Church of Christ. If our Donut Hour ministry is successful perhaps we can support another child/organization next year through our funds. If you have any thoughts regarding this mission step taken through the donut hour please voice them to any member of the church council or to Dean Kothrade.

May we all share our God given blessings with Dawa.



EVENT: ICE CREAM SOCIAL JUNE 7TH 5:00pm-7:00pm
Come for Dessert!! Bid on the Silent Auction!! (Still taking donations)



Menu:

*Sundaes (\$3.00) *Root Beer Floats (\$1.00) *Soda .50 *Bottles Water \$1.00 *Cookies
Silent Auction (must be present to win or have a representative): Bidding begins Sunday June 3rd and concludes at 6:45pm at the Ice Cream Social.

Proceeds benefit the Christ Church General Fund.

Please join us for Dessert, Door Prizes & Fellowship! ~Doris Mayeshiba and Debbie Behling~

NEW OPPORTUNITY: ASLC (Arts, Science & Literacy Camp) SUNDAY JUNE 10TH

Be sure to attend church on Sunday June 10th for ASLC Mission Sunday where you can hear Award Winning Master and Lead Teacher Jane Morden introduce Christ Church to this important and inspiring educational program and mission for poverty ridden children in the city of Milwaukee.

Ways to support:

*Like the aslcforkids facebook page and copy posts to your own.

*Donate and/or purchase bakery for the Bake Sale on Sunday June 10th.

*Support our goal financially of sending 15 kids to camp: \$2625.00.00 (Watch our tracking board)

*Save your change all summer and drop it in the can Rally Sunday September 9th.

Thanks! *Jim Wick, Debbie Behling & the Social Concerns Committee*

EVENT/OPPORTUNITY: DONATE BAKERY FOR ASLC JUNE 10TH BAKE SALE

We are looking for donations of your delicious homemade cookies, bars, pies, breads, pastries and/or treats to sell at the Bake sale. Donations can be dropped off Friday June 8th until noon or Sunday June 10th prior to church in the basement kitchen labeled "bake sale". Please let the church office, Debbie Hansen, Mary Ann Mowery, Sandy Miksic or Sara Rogers know if you are planning on donating items. Thank you for your support of our new Christ Church mission of helping children!

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME-FFF ACTIVITY

Join us, Friday June 22nd 7:10p.m. for a wonderful evening watching the Milwaukee Brewers play the St. Louis Cardinals. It is not only Free T-shirt night to the first 20,000 fans BUT, our very own Joe Menard will be the organist for the night. How great is that? Tickets are only \$13.00 and the seats are very easy to get to, NOT MANY STEPS. Terrace Box so up escalators and only 2-3 steps down to seats. We will meet at the seats so you can carpool and tailgate if you want. We can get a discounted price for parking if you let me know far enough in advance. Contact Judy or Larry Savage for tickets. We have already purchased 30 tickets but if we need more we can them. Come cheer on the Brewers, (or Cardinals) for a wonderful night of fun festivities and fellowship.

NEW OPPORTUNITY: SPIRITUAL GIFTS DISCOVERY SUNDAY JUNE 24TH

During worship on Sunday, June 24th Christ Church will engage in a series of activities that are directed towards identifying each member's spiritual gifts and talents. God has gifted each of us with a special expression of the Holy Spirit to support the vision and mission of the church. Identifying and knowing what our gifts are should help each of us to be guided where God call us to serve within the church.

1 Peter 4:10 (ESV) As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace.

Helper Training- Monday, June 18TH 7-8 PM for Spiritual Gifts Discovery Sunday.

The Stewardship Committee

DI: SOS (Sharing our suppers) FRIDAYS IN JUNE

Thanks to your generous hearts we have filled all of the Friday's in June with hosts for DI at Christ Church. The schedule of hosts is:

June 1-Dave & Nancy Wareham

June 8-Joe Rogge & Madeline Norton, Danette & Renolle Volz

June 15-The Boyle Family

June 22-The Miksic Family

June 29-Jim & Randene Wick

Please contact Debbie Behling in the church office 414-481-3530/christ-church@att.net or any of the hosts listed above if you would like to assist or contribute to any of the meals. Thank You!

CARD CLUB

Saturday June 9th 10:00am in the fellowship hall.

If interested please contact Joyce Jakimczyk (Deb Hansen's mom) at 414-481-5051.



OPPORTUNITY: BREAKFAST CLUB

Please join me for a breakfast on Tuesday June 26th at 8:30 in Fellowship Hall. All are welcome. Bring your appetite and ideas to support the Church and community.

Please sign up on sheet in fellowship hall or contact me, Dan Crass at dcrass@wi.rr.com or 414 235 0906. Donation basket to cover cost. Hope to see you there.

OPPORTUNITY: FERMENTING THE FAITH-THE BIBLE AND A BREW

*Place: Humboldt Park Beer Garden

*Dates: 4th Wednesday of the month: June 27, July 25, August 22

*Time: 6:30-8:00 PM.

Purpose: A Light-Hearted Bible Study group gathered in the social atmosphere of the Humboldt Park Beer Garden. The Fermenting Faith Program offers faith formation opportunities to all adults who are 21 years old and older. At each Fermenting Faith session participants come together to learn about and discuss some aspect of faith in a relaxed and hospitable atmosphere. To help foster a sense of Christian hospitality liquid refreshments and hors d'oeuvres are available for purchase at the session site.

Topics: May include current event, lectionary discussion, scripture, social issues, theological doctrine.

What if I Don't Drink Alcohol? To some the name Fermenting the Faith, Bible & a Brew suggest that this program promotes the use of alcohol. To others it suggests a relaxed, social environment where adults gather. Although the beer garden offers beer and wine, alternatives such as soda and water are available for those who do not wish to drink. There is no pressure to drink at any of the sessions.

Notice: This approach to intentional faith development is not intended to appeal to everyone. Similarly, our traditional Adult Christian Ed sessions do not capture everyone's interest within our congregation. To those who choose to participate in Fermenting the Faith, we hope that a casual, social atmosphere will encourage lively discussions on some of the critical faith issues we face in our daily lives and world around us. Recall that Christ's first miracle was changing water to wine in the midst of a wedding celebration. Let us likewise gather as followers of Christ in a joyous celebration of our faith.

OPPORTUNITY: LAY ACADEMY – YEAR 1 STARTS SEPTEMBER 2018

Lay Academy is a ministry of the UCC Wisconsin Conference that engages lay people in spiritual growth and development through theological education. Faith Foundations, the first of a two-year program, is set to begin in Sept 2018. Interested in knowing more, contact Jill Unglaub, Jim Wick or contact Rev. Tisha Brow at the UCC Wisconsin Conference office, [Email Tisha Brown](mailto:Tisha.Brown@uccwisc.org)

OPPORTUNITY: SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE FOR MPS SCHOOL "PARKSIDE"

The Social Concerns Committee is once again hosting a school supply drive for our neighboring school, Parkside located across from Humboldt Park on Howell Ave.

*Dates: Sunday July 8th-Sunday August 19th

*Items Needed: Crayons, Washable Markers, Glue, Glue Sticks, and Backpacks

*Where to put donations: Chapel in the container(s) labeled "School Supply Drive"

*Monetary donations are appreciated and accepted also and can be dropped in the collection plate, put in the black mailbox outside of the church office or mailed to the church marked "School supply drive".

Thank you. The Social Concerns Committee: Sara Rogers (Council Liaison), Debbie Behling (Chair), Debbie Hansen, Sandy Miksic and Mary Ann Mowery

OPPORTUNITY: ALL CHRIST CHURCH BOOK CLUB

We would like to invite all members of the congregation and any family or friends to our upcoming book club meetings. Our April meeting was enjoyable, with lots of thought provoking discussion. We plan to meet on August 26th after church and will be discussing "Hidden figures" by Margot Lee Shetterly. On November 25th we will discuss "Christmas Jars" by Jason F. Wright. Books can be obtained at the library, Half Price Books and online at Amazon or EBay. If you have any questions contact Carol Borchardt, Carol Dohoney, Debbie Hansen or Mary Ann Mowery.

OPPORTUNITY: EARN POINTS THAT TURN INTO \$\$\$ FOR CHRIST CHURCH AT GFS (GORDON FOOD SERVICE)

Christ Church now has an account with GFS. GFS is similar to Restaurant Depot where they sell bulk foods and food related supplies and offer points when you make a purchase. Here's how you can help:

*Shop at any of these these locations: 6919 S 27th St., Franklin, 2064 Miller Park Way, Milwaukee, 1025 S. Green Bay Road, Racine

*When checking out ask that the points from your purchase go to Christ Churches account. (The cashier will look up our account and credit Christ Church with the points)

*If you're making a purchase for a Christ Church event contact Debbie in the church office for our member card and any cash on the account can be used towards your purchase.

NEED: BAY VIEW COMMUNITY CENTER COLLECTION

(1st Sunday of the month) SUNDAY'S JUNE 3rd & JULY 1st

Canned proteins such as: • Canned Soups (both cream and broth) • Peanut Butter • Jelly • Canned Vegetables • Canned Fruits & Juices • Cereal • Mac and Cheese • Canned Tuna

NEED: DIVINE INTERVENTION & LARRY UNDER THE BRIDGE

Most urgent needs are: Paper Towel, Toilet Paper, Kleenex and Laundry pods

SCHEDULE FOR UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

June 1-30: Church Office Hours Tuesday-Friday 8:00am-12:00pm

Pastor Dan at Military Training in Alabama

June 1: DI-SOS at Christ Church Wareham's hosting 5:30-7:00pm

June 3: BVCC Food Pantry Drive, Christian Ed. Leadership Appreciation, Choir 8:15am, Worship with Communion, Sunday School 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am, IC Social Silent Auction bidding opens

June 6: Staff Meeting 10:30am, Ice Cream Social Set Up 12:00pm

June 7: Weekly Announcement submissions by 10:00am, Ice Cream Social, Silent Auction, Fun and Fellowship 5:00pm-7:00pm

June 8: DI-SOS at Christ Church Joe, Madeline, Danette & Renolle hosting 5:30-7:00pm, Wisconsin Conference Annual Meeting June 8th-June 10th

June 9: Crochet Class & Card Club 10:00am, Kinsella Irish Group Fundraiser 2:00pm-5:00pm

June 10: (ASLC)Arts, Science & Literacy Camp Mission Sunday & Church School Picnic 9:30am
(Last day the Sunday School gathers until Rally Sunday-Nursery for children ages 0-6 available for the summer), Children's Camp Mission Bake Sale & Coffee Hour 10:30am

June 11: Property Committee Meeting 7:00pm

June 13: Quilters 10:00am

June 14: Weekly announcement submissions by 10:00am

June 15: DI-SOS at Christ Church Boyle's hosting 5:30-7:00pm

June 17: *Happy Father's Day!* No Chapel Communion, Worship & Nursery Ages 0-6 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am

June 20: "Fermenting The Faith" Bible Study Humboldt Park 6:30pm-8:00pm

June 21: Weekly announcement submissions by 10:00am

June 22: DI-SOS at Christ Church Miksic's hosting 5:30-7:00pm, FFF Brewer game outing 7:10pm

June 24: Spiritual Gifts Discovery Sunday! Worship & Nursery ages 0-6 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am

June 26: Breakfast Club 8:30am (fellowship hall)

June 27: Quilters 10:00am

June 28: Weekly announcement submissions by 10:00am

June 29: DI-SOS at Christ Church Wick's hosting 5:30-7:00pm

June 30: Pastor Dan returns

July -1-July 31: Church Office Hours Wednesday-Friday 8:0am-1:00pm

July 1: Welcome Back Pastor Dan! Worship with Communion, Nursery ages 0-6 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am

July 4: Happy Independence Day!

July 8: School Supply Drive for MPS Parkside School kick's off, Worship & Confirmation 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am, Confirmation Class 11:00am

July 11: Quilters 10:00am, Staff Meeting 10:30am, Endowment Meeting 7:00pm

July 12: Weekly Announcement Submissions by 10:00am, Social Concerns Meeting 6:00pm

July 14: ?Card Club TBD

July 15: **New-**Chapel Communion following worship, Worship & Confirmation 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am

July 18: Quilters 10:00am

July 20: August Chronicles Deadline 10:00am

July 22: Worship & Confirmation 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am, Confirmation Class 11:00am

July 25: Fermenting the Faith Bible Study 6:30pm at Humboldt Park

July 26: Weekly Announcement Submissions by 10:00am

July 29: Worship & Confirmation 9:30am, Coffee Hour 10:30am, Confirmation Class 11:00am

PROPERTY COMMITTEE WILL NOT MEET IN JULY. MEETINGS WILL RESUME IN AUGUST

CROCHET CLASS

Saturday June 9th at 10:00am in the music room. No Crochet class in July or August.

QUILTERS

The Quilters will gather June 13th, 20th, July 11th and 25th in the music room. Please join us. For information contact Maggie Jorgenson, Carol Borchardt or Gloria Konkel.

CHOIR SABATICAL AFTER JUNE 3RD UNTIL AUGUST

Sunday Rehearsal and Service	6/3 8:15-9:15
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PRAISE TEAM ON SABATICAL UNTIL AUGUST



LENOX STREET PARKING SCHEDULE

6/3 Bill & Carol Borchardt	6/10 Don Antoniewicz	6/17 Tom & Carol Dohoney	6/24 Dave & Nancy Wareham	
7/1 Don Antoniewicz	7/8 Tom & Carol Dohoney	7/15 Dave & Nancy Wareham	7/22 Bill & Carol Borchardt	7/29 Jim & Randene Wick

GREETER SCHEDULE

Oklahoma Avenue	6/3 Fritz & Maggie Jorgenson	6/10 Todd & Debbie Hansen	6/17 Judy Borkowicz	6/24 Larry & Judy Savage
7/1 The Vail Family	7/8 Judy Borkowicz	7/15 Larry & Judy Savage	7/22 Doris Piacentine & Joyce Neumann	7/29 Dean & Mary Ann Mowery
Lenox Street	6/3 Paul & Doris Mayeshiba	6/10 Joyce Zieman	6/17 The Tremarello Family	6/24 Dick & Joan Gaeth
7/1 Dean & Pam Kothrade	7/8 The Berger Family	7/15 The Pfeifer Family	7/22 Marion Schoenfeld	7/29 Glenn Budzien Betty Budzien

USHER SCHEDULE

6/3 Bill Borchardt Tom Dohoney Carol Dohoney Debbie Hansen	6/10 Ben Clark Julene Flanagan Katelyn O'Brien Fred Passow	6/17 Ben Clark Chelsea Clark David Porn Mike Thomae	6/24 Mary Ann Mowery Judy Savage Chuck Terlinden Mike Thomae	
7/1 Joan Amich Brad Boyle Cheri Boyle Judy Savage	7/8 Julene Flanagan Bob Polachowski Chuck Terlinden David Wareham	7/15 Mary Ann Mowery Fred Passow Danette Volz Renolle Volz	7/22 Ben Clark Chelsea Clark Debbie Hansen David Porn	7/29 Tom Dohoney Carol Dohoney Dick Gaeth Mike Thomae

LITURGIST SCHEDULE

6/3 Dick Gaeth	6/10 Dean Kothrade	6/17 Howard Fritsch	6/24 Bill Borchardt	
7/1 Randene Wick	7/8 Jill Unglaub	7/15 Dick Gaeth	7/22 Bill Borchardt	7/29 Howard Fritsch

JUNE & JULY WEEKLY SCRIPTURES

6/3	1 Sam 3:1-10(11-20)	Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 or Deut. 5:12-15 or Psalm 81:1-10	2 Corinthians 4:5-12	Mark 2:23-3:6
6/10	1 Samuel 8:4-11, (12-15), 16-20 (11:14-15)	Psalm 138 or Genesis 3:8-15, Psalm 130	2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1	Mark 3:20-35
6/17	1 Samuel 15:34-16:13, Psalm 20	Ezekiel 17:22-24, Psalm 92:1-4,12-15	2 Corinthians 5:6-10, (11-13), 14-17 or 2 Cor 5:6-17	Mark 4:26-34
6/24	1 Samuel 17: (1a,4-11, 19-23), 32-49 or 1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, 18:10-16	Psalm 133 Psalm 9:9- 20, Job 38:1-11	Psalm 107:1-3,23-32, 2 Corinthians 6:1-13	Mark 4:35-41
7/1	2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27	Psalm 130 or Psalm 30	2 Corinthians 8:7-15	Mark 5:21-43
7/8	2 Samuel 5:1-5 , 9-10 Psalm 48	Ezekiel 2:1-5, Psalm 123	2 Corinthians 12:2-10	Mark 6:1-13
7/15	2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 , Psalm 24 or Amos 7:7-15	Psalm 85:8-13	Ephesians 1:3-14	Mark 6: 14-29
7/22	2 Samuel 7:1-14a , Psalm 89:20-37 or Jeremiah 23:1-6	Psalm 23	Ephesians 2:11-22	Mark 6:30-34, 53-56
7/29	2 Samuel 11:1-15 , or Psalm 14	2 Kings 4:42-44, or Psalm 145:10-18	Ephesians 3:14-21	John 6: 1-21

THANKS:

~We accept with thanks and gratitude donations to the roof fund in honor of Betty Budzien's Birthday and Bill & Carol Borchardt's 50th Anniversary from Gloria Konkel.

~With appreciation we accept a memorial for Dan Crasses parents Clyde & Lucille Crass, from Bill & Carol Borchardt and Judy Borkowicz for the Roof Fund.

~Thank you to everyone who helped with the Marion Consort concert! The food for the reception was delicious and your financial contributions were very much appreciated. The concert was just beautiful, as usual. Thank you Molly Pufall-Brown for bringing these talented musicians to Christ Church! Pam & Dean Kothrade

~With appreciation and gratitude we accept a donation for May 27th Sundays Coffee Hour in honor of Pam Kothrade's May 28th Birthday. Happy Birthday Pam!

~With appreciation and gratitude we thank Sue and Ken Klockow for the beautiful Pentecost display in the Art Gallery and the Worship Committee for decorating for the season with the colorful Sanctuary banners.

~With appreciation and gratitude we accept the donation of a large computer monitor from Dan & Ellen Crass for the church office administrator.

~A Thank you was received from the Bay View Community Center for the 20 bags and 1 box of food donation received from Christ Church. "Your donation shows the kind of commitment, faith and support that strengthens the fabric of this community." Sincerely, Linda Niefert/President, CEO



BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday to all these wonderful folks!

JUNE 2

Samantha Blackwood
Jade Tremarello
Danette Volz

JUNE 4

Gerald Freitag
Bruce Krogstad

JUNE 5

Jean Goedel
Susan Pfeifer

JUNE 6

Juleen Flanagan

JUNE 8

Joan Billstrom

JUNE 9

Joshua Zieman

June 11

Sandy Miksic
Jerome Zasada

June 12

Ruth Boretsky

June 13

Mary Spidell

June 14

Haley Broberg
Pastor Dan Stark

June 15

Brynn Johnson

June 17

Robert Kroening
Benjamin Scheske

JUNE 22

Katelyn O'Brien

JUNE 25

Michael Spidell

JUNE 27

Don Antoniewicz

JUNE 28

Ola Zyskiewicz

JUNE 29

Lauralei Schmidling

JULY 2

Fritz Jorgenson
Lori Pisarek
Gary Wegner

JULY 3

Ernestine Faja
Lynn Slattery

JULY 4

Allison Thomae

JULY 5

Rachelle Volz

JULY 6

William Scheske

JULY 11

Patrick Koszuta
Debbie Zasada

JULY 13

Diane Bingheim
Aidan Vail

JULY 15

Jessica Lang

JULY 17

Tom Miksic

JULY 18

Gerald Goebel
Mick Mantie

JULY 19

Susan Belongia
Karen Engstrom
Robert Polachowski

JULY 20

Amber Urbaniak

JULY 21

Bonnie Schulz

JULY 22

Renolle Volz

JULY 23

Gerri Luther

JULY 25

Austin Ast

JULY 27

Carol Borchardt

JULY 30

Eunice Kopke

JULY 31

Maggie Jorgenson

REGRETS-DIVA/DIVO

Dear Christ Church Parishioners,

I am writing to let you know that a decision has been made, sadly, to close the Diva side of Diva/Divo. There are a couple of reasons for this. One being Case managers are no longer referring women to our organization. Another huge reason is our clothing source, Boston Store, is closing. At the same time, Divo is going strong; we have plenty of men who continue to need our services. I will be stepping back and Jerald Westmoreland will continue to manage Divo.

I want to thank all of you for believing in this program and making it possible to have served thousands of women over the years. We did that together.

Michele Billingsley

Director, *DIVA: A Women's Clothes Closet /DIVO: Clothes For Men*

<http://divadivo.org>

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Online giving is now a possibility! If you're in the pew and you'd like to give something other than cash or a check, you are encouraged to use your phone to visit www.christchurchbayview.org and tap the donate button at the bottom. You can pay with an existing PayPal account or with any credit card. It's easy and it saves your information for the next time you visit! Wondering what one of these weird scanny codes in the bulletin is? Give them a scan with a QR reader app on your phone and it will bring up the donation page! Want more information about online giving? See Pastor Dan or contact the church office at 414-481-3530. **Please only donate with a credit card using a Pay Pal account so the church doesn't incur costly fees.**



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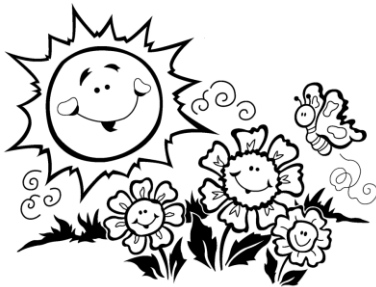
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