

stay connected

We connect people to Jesus and help God change their lives.



We're going to begin Re-Gathering soon!

by Pastor Liz Green

We long to see you! We continue to plan for a time when we are able to worship together in person in the church building.

We don't have a specific date set yet, but we welcome your participation in a **survey** on the next page to help us make plans for our worship service.

**CORONAVIRUS
CHURCH SURVEY**

But first, there are a few things we want you to be aware of in making your decision to attend in-person or via live-stream:

- 1) Initially, worship is likely to be limited to 50 people (25% capacity in the sanctuary).
- 2) We plan to begin live-streaming our worship service when we are able to meet in person again. For those of you who prefer to remain at home, this may be an option.
- 3) We will begin a **reservation system** for each week once we have a date for re-gathering, so that we can ensure that we remain within our allowed capacity. Each week we will ask that you call the church office or email stating that you wish to attend in-person and how many people will be in your group.
- 4) Those over 60 years of age or those with compromised immune systems, or other underlying health conditions are encouraged to remain at home.
- 5) It is recommended that all in-person attendees wear masks. Please bring your own. We will also have a small disposable supply available at the Welcome Desk.
- 6) The hand sanitizer will be available.
- 7) We encourage the continuation of social distancing by:
 - a. Roping off certain pews to ensure safe distancing in the pews.
 - b. Asking you to avoid touching, hugging, or being too close to another person not in your household group.
 - c. Congregational singing will not be allowed for a season because of the enhanced threat of transmission it causes.
 - d. Eliminating the greeting time. We also encourage you not to congregate in the Parlor or other areas to meet and greet before or after service.
 - e. Eliminating Treats that Tie/Coffee time and bread/donut distribution in the

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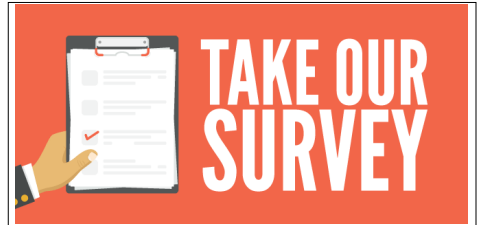
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- Welcome Center.
- f. Not passing the plates during offering time. Instead, a collection box will be at the Welcome Desk. You may also use online giving or mail a check to the office.
 - g. Ushers will no longer hand out bulletins or shake hands.
 - h. Entrance doors will be propped open to avoid having to touch the handles. Weather permitting, the windows in the Sanctuary will be opened to allow for fresh air circulation.
- 8) We are closing the Nursery for a season. We ask that parents keep their children with them during the service.
 - 9) We will show the Children's Message on the large screen. This will allow children to see this portion of the service without having them leave their places with family and break social distancing.
 - 10) We will continue to Zoom Pastor Nate's class during the summer. There will be no in-person class. He will conclude promptly at 10 AM to allow time to come to the church for worship for those attending in-person.
 - 11) Small Groups may continue to meet via Zoom or in person as long as social distancing requirements and gathering limits can be met.



There is only one survey question to help us plan to get an idea of your preference and numbers:

Do you prefer to attend worship in-person or livestream? (Choose one) Please include your name and number in your household who will plan to attend.

You may email (churchoffice@miltonsdb.org) or phone Janet in the church office at 608-868-2741 with your answer. Thank you!

Join us for worship online!

Our service is Saturdays at 10:30 a.m.

Go to www.theconnecting.church/worshiponline for how to connect online to our worship service, Grow Groups, Bible studies and ministries.

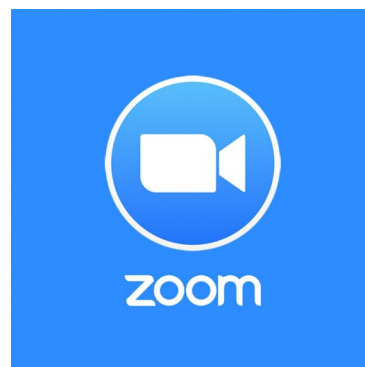
Chat with Pastor Nate – 3:00 p.m.

on Tuesdays and Thursdays
There's no need to feel like you are all alone!

Group Meetings via zoom

Event	Day	Time	Host
Men's Study	Mon.	8:30 p.m.	Pastor Nate
Men's Study	Weds.	6:30 a.m.	Pastor Nate
Ladies Study	Weds.	9:30 a.m.	Renee Sanford
Ladies Study	Thurs.	9:30 a.m.	Pastor Liz
Ladies Sit 'n Sip	Tues.	9:00 a.m.	Angie Mullen

Contact the event host listed or the church office for information on how to connect.



Grow Group – Bible Study on the book of John reZooms beginning May 30th at 9:00 a.m.

Plan to connect on zoom for Grow Group as we will be digging into John 18, the betrayal and arrest of Jesus.

The Parable of the Coffee Spill *by Pastor Nate Crandall*

One Sabbath day there was a coffee spill in the church fellowship hall (of course back when gatherings occurred in the church building). The following is an account of what happened next.



Prophecy stood on a chair and began to caution people to not step into the spill and slip and run the risk of hurting oneself. Then prophecy began to proclaim that although coffee is a marvelous blessing from the Lord, too much of it can distract a person from their devotion to the Lord as many a person has been led astray by the distraction that too much of a good thing can bring.

Teacher began to gather a group of people together and explain just how coffee spills happen. To insure that coffee spills are avoided in the future, teacher highlighted a simple 15 step process which will guaran-

tee safety and the preservation of our valuable coffee resources.

Exhortation saw that the coffee spill could turn into a major problem and began to reassure everyone that no one was hurt and that we were all going to make it through this difficulty together. A loud, “We’re in this together” was heard reverberating through the bowels of the church.

Generosity saw the commotion and pulled out a \$20 bill to cover the cost of the spilled coffee and to make sure that a little extra was available to buy more coffee. Generosity was always ready to provide coffee to those in need.

Leader mobilized a team to respond quickly and efficiently to the problem. Leader instructed one person to cordon off the affected area to keep unsuspecting coffee drinkers from getting the spilled coffee on their shoes, one person to make sure that more coffee

was brewing, and one person to mobilize a prayer team for the coffee spiller to pray for them for inner healing if necessary.

Mercy quickly came to the aid of the coffee spiller and made sure that they knew that coffee spilling happens to us all. Mercy began to describe how something similar happened to them just a few months ago and that they knew how the coffee spiller was feeling.

Meanwhile, when Servant saw the coffee spill take place, they calmly went and got a mop and cleaned up the mess before everyone else had finished with their responses.

What is the meaning of the parable? God has given each one of his people spiritual gifts. All of the gifts are needed for God’s family to function properly. Let’s celebrate God’s gifts and use them for his glory so that his family can become the kind of family God has designed us to be.



Camp Wakonda and VBS 2020 are cancelled!

Much as it saddens us, we have made the decision to cancel Camp Wakonda 2020. We have prayed, consulted with medical experts, and considered the options. Because the situation with Covid-19 remains so fluid and uncertain, we are cancelling both VBS and all Camps for 2020. We want to be sure that we are compliant with all government regulations, whatever they may be by camp time, and also to provide a safe environment for our kids, youth, and staff. We thank all of you for your patience and we look forward to our camping season 2021.

Prayer Focus – People suffering from the pandemic and its collateral damage and aftershocks

by Renee Sanford, Prayer Coordinator

There really isn't a lot that needs to be said – for we are all acutely aware of the issues and the needs. And what we see around us is mild compared to places like the refugee camps in Bangladesh or the crowded hospitals in Iran.

And oh how much greater is the spiritual suffering of those dealing with this crisis without knowing Jesus as savior, protector, comforter, and lord.

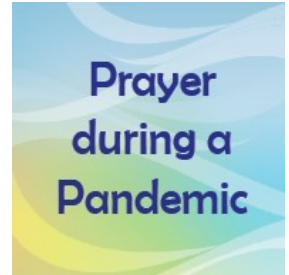
Let us pray specifically for people here at home and around the world, including:

- Our leaders – guidance and wisdom
- Clear communication – may we receive and respond appropriately to information
- The entire medical community – protection, endurance, wisdom
- Vulnerable people – safety,

health, emotional stability

- People who are sick, whether with COVID-19 or other health concerns – healing, encouragement
- Our economy, both businesses and personal – recovery
- Workers continuing to work while at risk; workers laid off
- Your help for all going through “social distancing” – adjusting to new protocols, facing emotional and physical stresses
- Encouragement for families with children isolated at home and isolated individuals
- A growing appreciation of our church
- An awakening among the unchurched to their need for Jesus
- Opportunities to share our faith

It is helpful to remember that pandemics have occurred before – I found this prayer included in the 1928 update of the Book of Common Prayer: “O Most mighty and merciful God, in this time of grievous sickness, we flee to you for comfort. Deliver us, we beseech you, from our peril; give strength and skill to all those who minister to the sick; prosper the means made use of for their cure; and grant that, perceiving how frail and uncertain our life is, we may apply our hearts unto that heavenly wisdom which leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.” There really is nothing new under the sun!



Seventh Day Baptist Church Planting Prayer Initiative

Wow! It's hard to believe that three months have passed since we prayed for 21 days in March to discern where the Holy Spirit is working and for His power enabling us to join in His work of multiplying churches. But it has. And our denominational leaders (John Pethel and Carl Greene) are again seeking participants to pray daily for 21 days – this time for our personal and church ministries to be preaching the gospel in ways that are boldly spoken and winsomely lived.

If you would like to participate in our Facebook prayer group (or receive a daily e-mail of the Facebook content), please contact Renee Sanford. This season of concerted prayer will start June 7.

World on Mission

by Linda Lyke, Outreach Coordinator

Renee Sanford, Melissa Lade and I just finished an online course called “Perspectives on the World Christian Movement.” It was a college level course with college level readings and it had been a very long time since I'd taken a college course. But it was exhilarating to hear about God's plan for all to know him!

When I signed up for the course, my perception was that I'd have a better understanding of what missionaries do and how to support them. Wow, did I have an “ant size” understanding of God's mission. So in upcoming newsletters I'll share something of what is going on in the world for God's mission – the Great Commission: (Matt 28:18-20) *Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”*

In “World on Mission,” I'll share what I learned in the class or articles relating to the Great Commission and our part in it – because God calls ALL of us to have a part in it. What a wonderful, awesome thing, that God allows and desires us to have a part in his plan. He could do it all on his

own, but he so wants us to work with him, he loves us so much.

My prayer is that during this time of social isolation, that you will seek God in a greater way. Our Perspectives Study Guide Lesson 1 states:

We were made to live for purpose. God Himself lives for purpose. The way to live with significance is to devote yourself to a purpose that is larger than your life.

So...for all of us, that purpose is the Great Commission. Ask the Lord, what is my purpose in the Great Commission? I'll leave you with that question, to ponder and pray on that.

For this month's newsletter, I'll share an update on the Rohingya around the world from various sources.

Rohingya Update: Described as the Most Persecuted Minority People Group

Our church continues to be drawn to the Rohingya of SE Asia and their plight in the world. Our church continues to support the Devon Oasis ministry in Chicago and their outreach to the Milwaukee Rohingya.

Pastor Bob of Devon Oasis, in their densely populated neighborhood has been isolating as

much as possible. He shares in his April 29th newsletter:

Right now, I have 47 families (200-300 people) on my immediate contact list that need care. While I have hundreds of families on a broader list, I want to focus on these 47 for the next few weeks. In addition, (his wife) Lynne and I will be delivering food to 20-30 families in Milwaukee next week. Please pray for open doors!

As of May 14, 2020, two Rohingya have tested positive for Covid-19 in the Bangladesh refugee camp, the largest refugee camp in the world. Here is an excerpt of an article from the BBC:

(<https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-52669299>)



These are the first confirmed cases among refugees in Cox's Bazar, where around one million Rohingya are encamped, a government doctor said. Officials told the BBC that those infected were now being treated in isolation.

Aid agencies have been warn-

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ing for weeks about the potential impact of the virus on the Rohingya refugees who live in cramped, congested conditions and have limited access to clean water. "Now that the virus has entered the world's largest refugee settlement in Cox's Bazar we are looking at the very real prospect that thousands of people may die from Covid-19," Dr Shamim Jahan, Save the Children's health director in Bangladesh, said in a statement.

Pray4Rohingya.org shares this in their May 12 update:

Boat Prayer: *Recent news reports tell of boats carrying Rohingya refugees, bound for Malaysia have been refused entry due to the Covid-19 lockdown. The boats are left to drift at sea without sufficient food or water supplies. Many people have died at sea, with some survivors arriving back in Bangladeshi waters. In response to this sad news, we invite you to pray with us the following prayer for those at sea.*

Father, we bring to you our Rohingya brothers and sisters who are at sea. Our hearts are torn by their suffering, the risks they face on the journey, and the desperate realities that

lead them to take these risks.

As they face fear; may your love break through.

As they endure suffering; may you comfort them and draw them closer to you. As they risk death; may you bring them life in all its fullness.

As their hope is frustrated; may you fulfill their longing.

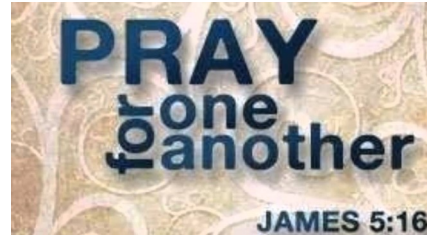
We declare our trust in you; their maker, father, kinsman and redeemer. Amen.

A few prayers for our church's outreach and missions efforts – near and afar, in our community and around the world:

Lord in the midst of these tragedies and upheaval in the lives of the Rohingya, reveal yourself to them. Draw them to you, Jesus, the one true God!

The Rohingya religious leader of one of the Milwaukee Mosques in Milwaukee was reported to be severely ill. Pray for him to know Jesus and be healed by God's healing hand. And for the Rohingya worldwide as they experience more difficulties, for Jesus' love to surround them and for them to see The Way, The Truth and The Light.

Lord, what is each of our part in the great commission?



Lord, we seek you and want to know you in a deeper way. There are still 2 billion people around the world who do not know Jesus! Lord, break our heart for what breaks yours!

We lift up our church supported missionaries: Zac Muench, Nathaniel Muench, James Lima and Larry Schultz. Show them how to best support their ministry work in this uncertain time.

We continue to pray for our teachers and students at Milton East. We pray for resources for the families who are struggling. We pray for your blessing of health and faith in Jesus.

Pray for our county's Sheriff Chaplains, including Pastor Nate. Lord, how can they support our officers at this time? Draw the officers to you in new and exciting ways.

As Shanny Snyder, Melissa Lade and I start a new Q Place group of spiritual seekers, Lord, bring the ladies you want and open their hearts to you.

As our young adults start planning for the winter Cross Conference – a missions conference for young adults – show Cross Conference officials and our church how to plan for this.

Nathaniel – “Locked Down” in Nuremberg

It has been a wild month here in Germany, as I'm sure it's been for you too! It's been lots of growling, learning, and being...and despite everything, it's had lots of super positive experience.

For the past 3 months, every day we've heard about the virus--lots of negative; more people diagnosed, the news is overwhelming and Facebook is a dumpster of one million thoughts and conspiracy. For me as an optimist I can find it all very challenging to stay stoked. At the start of April I would google “good news about corona” because I was sick of the negative and just wanted some good vibrations.

I spent April listening to 5 audio books and reading a few too, trying to take in more positive content than negative, and you know what?, it helped. God showed me so much and grew me so much. So this newsletter is going to be focused on the good.

We in Germany have had it really easy compared to Spain or other countries. My brother Zac was only able to go outside once a week for groceries and going to doctor. Knowing this took away any right to complain here – because we still had the freedom to go outside, grocery shop – AND, there was no shortage of coffee beans (Praise Jesus!). We could go outside and spend time in the park; we just couldn't gather in groups and couldn't meet with anyone be-

sides the ones we lived. To top it all off, spring is here and the fresh smell and fresh air makes it feel normal.

There is a plaza in front of a museum here, I've written about it before and shared photos. During the quarantine, we were able to skate it!! So every day there would be a few guys out there skating. The cops did show up almost every day we were there, and we didn't have any problems. Because it was a smaller group, it allowed more personal relationships with the fellas. On a normal April day there could be more than 30 skaters. As of last week the skateparks are now once again opened so we can skate officially and legally now, and the museum plaza, and skateparks are PACKED. So focusing on the positive, it's exciting seeing people and talking with homies again.

One of my listens this month was Man's Search for Meaning by Victor Frankl. It's not an easy read – in fact the opposite – but if you read it you will never complain about Corona again.

Another April read was The Master Plan of Evangelism. It brought out the fact that even though Jesus had 12 disciples, he had his 3 guys he really invested in. So this past month while reading this book, there were a few guys at the plaza that gave me a literal picture of what this looks like. Finding those couple guys and really

being intentional with them. I've been skating with Daniel quite a bit and it's been cool seeing him loving and becoming friends with so many of the dudes at the plaza these days. I think he's there almost every day.

I started making masks because they are requiring everyone to wear them when we go shopping. I've been able to make quite a few masks for friends which has been fun. I got to make a trade with a local skater who runs a wax brand, I gave two masks for some wax and it was something that sparked something and now we are gonna try and skate together more. So April was full of friendships.

In closing, the gospel is always good news, God is always present and wanting to meet us. He didn't bail because of some dumb virus – He stays the same to give peace in the midst of it. So many people are on a peace hunt these days and losing hope, trying to find a fix. I think the biggest thing we can do in this time is to BE LOVE.

A quote from another book I read in April: *“Being engaged is a way of doing life, a way of living and loving. It's about going to extremes and expressing the bright hope that life offers us, a hope that makes us brave and expels darkness with light. That's what I want my life to be all about – full of abandon, whimsy, and in love.”*

– Bob Goff

Updates From Zac – “Quarantined” in Barcelona

On May 9 Barcelona began the first phase (of four) integrating everyone back into normal life. They now allow us to go out for individual exercise from 6 to 10 a.m. & 8 to 11 p.m. each day. Unfortunately, they pushed back the next phase in the larger cities (Barcelona included) for obvious reasons.

“Who are some people that you’ve been pouring into that we can pray for?” Pastor Nate asked in our weekly zoom chat. Our weekly meetings over Zoom since the beginning of the quarantine have been encouraging. After sharing about David & Matt (skaters I’ve mentioned before), I realized that they’ve both returned home since the pandemic.

Pastor Nate also asked *“Who am I pouring into now that they’re gone?”* This thought passed through my head throughout the day. The applause began promptly at 8 p.m. as usual later that day while I was walking to the

nearby park. The air was pleasantly cool which made for perfect weather for skating. A group of skaters clustered near a small set of stairs

we were skating. Standing next to me was a skater who was trying a trick down the stairs. *“¿Puedo intentar el 360-flip contigo?”*, I asked in my broken Spanish. His eyebrow raised in confusion. *“Can I try the 360 flip with you?”* I reiterated in English. *“Yes, of course!”* He responded. Mild chitchat filled the time in-between trying tricks. Parting ways we exchanged Instagrams to keep in touch. Walking away, I was really encouraged with the fresh revelation of why I’m here: To love, encourage and disciple skaters, and to share Jesus with them. This can be through something as simple as starting a new friendship with a skater at a spot.



In other news, we decided to have a “Calling All Skaters Reunion” over zoom. All the skaters from every Youth With a Mission school. The Zoom call ended up having

25 participants! Staff and students from almost every school over the past 7 years. It was so cool hearing what old friends are up to and seeing them living out our faith, whether in “classical missions,” or loving their coworkers at their 9-5 job. Calling All Skaters is a growing family and I’m excited to see what God is doing in each individual’s life.

Nathaniel and Zac Muench are “skateboarding missionaries” who reach out to the skaters in Europe and other parts of the world. If you would like to find out more about them and to provide financial support, please visit our website: the-connecting.church/missions.



Kwik Trip

Our church supported missionaries and outreach work continues even in this time of COVID-19 isolation and our church is grateful for the Kwik Trip proceeds from your purchase of Kwik Trip cards!

We are all traveling less these days but when you do, get your gas and groceries at Kwik Trip. Call ahead to our church office to purchase the cards. Proceeds benefit our Outreach Fund which supports our missions and outreach efforts near and afar, in our community and around the world.

Medication and Aging *by Barb Green, Parish Nurse*

If you are looking at the title of this article and thinking that you don't need to read it because you certainly are not old, think again. All of us are aging and even though 65 may be a standard number used for becoming old, I heard on the radio the other day that people are considered elderly at 57! Wow!

Statistics reveal that 91% of people over 65 take at least one prescription drug and 41% use five or more. The term for this is polypharmacy. The more prescriptions taken, the higher the risk of side effects. One in six over 65 have one or more harmful reactions to drugs they are taking. The reasons for this are multiple. Older people may be more sensitive to drugs. As their brains, kidneys liver etc. age their bodies do not metabolize drugs as they once did, causing problems. As we age, we tend to have more chronic health problems. Treatment for these may cause interactions with resulting side effects. A drug taken for one condition may make another worse.

It is very easy to miss medication side effects because they masquerade as other symptoms. Some drugs have anticholinergic effects which means that they reduce or interfere with a chemical messenger that is a key to healthy nerve function. This can cause drowsiness, confusion, blurred vision,



dizziness and other symptoms that impair thinking skills. A drug that is fine for a younger person can cause huge side effects for someone who is having even a little difficulty with thinking and memory. When you or someone you love seems to have beginning or worsening symptoms of dementia, ask your doctor about the effect their medications may be having. Confusion and memory loss might be medication fog. Sometimes side effects appear right away but in other cases they develop slowly over time. Patients may not make the connection between a drug that they have been taking a long time and the appearance of new symptoms.

How does this happen? Often doctors are not aware that their patients are taking prescriptions prescribed by other physicians. Sometimes a person may be taking the same drug prescribed by two different doctors. Although medications are reviewed at doctor visits, patients don't always tell what another physician has prescribed or doesn't remember all of what they are on. That is why some doctors ask you to bring in all your medications including over the counter vitamins, supplements and herbs. This enables them to take a look at what you are really on. It is extremely important that you keep an updated list of everything you are taking and

carry it in your wallet. If you are attending appointments for someone else you should also carry a list of their drugs with you.

To help avoid medication problems use these tips:

- Make sure you know all the medications someone is taking. Don't assume some are safe just because they don't require a prescription
- Keep a running list with the date each medicine is started and stopped and note any symptoms.
- Review the total medication list with a doctor, a geriatrics specialist or a pharmacist.
- Make sure you understand the purpose of the drug and how you will know if it is working.
- Find out when and how you should be taking each medication.
- If you miss a dose what should you do?
- What is the impact on other medications you are taking?
- Is there a generic available?
- Will the drug interact with an over the counter drug you are taking? What dose of an OTC is right for you?

Mistakes are made because people cannot read the label, have trouble opening the bottle, can't afford the drug or can't remember to take it. Talk to your pharmacist if

Reminder to Awana Clubbers:



Because of the unique situation when we had our final club nights this year, you have until June 15 to complete all your handbook sections required for your book award this year. Contact Angie if you have sections you are ready to complete or questions about what you need to do.

June 15th is a firm deadline. Book Awards will be given out in the late summer or just before we are cleared to start the 2020-21 club year. We'll communicate those details as soon as we have them.

We miss you all!

Keep praying, reading your Bibles, and living in a way that shows the world you love Jesus!

Operation Christmas Child

Samaritan's Purse is still planning on shipping boxes all over the world to children. Lynnette Millard who is a regional volunteer with Operation Christmas Child said that as of a recent update, they continue to make plans to send boxes. As you see deals online or start to get out to stores, ramp up your purchases of toys and fun items to pack those boxes full for children around the world this Christmas. Since we are not yet meeting at church, call ahead to the church office to make plans to drop off the items.



June:

Summer Items: children's t-shirts (plain, no writing), smaller flip flops, small slip-on sandals, smaller balls, uninflated soccer balls & pumps, jump ropes, summer toys, sunglasses, hats / ball caps

WOW Items (fun special gifts): small cars, small dolls, small stuffed animals, small toys (puppets, trucks, small etch-a-sketch), kazoos/harmonica, yo-yos/Slinkys, small Lego kits, playdoh, small games, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), flashlights, musical instruments, playing cards, glow sticks

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these problems exist. He/she can give large print labels or blister pack drugs among other things. Other problems include: taking drugs not prescribed for you, using drugs past the expiration date, stopping a drug because you feel better and drinking alcohol when taking drugs for sleep, pain, anxiety or depression. Never start or stop taking a drug without your

physician's okay. When you have questions ask a professional.

Healthinaging.org lists drugs that can potentially be problems for older people. These include non-steroidal anti-inflammatories (NSAIDS), digoxin, some diabetes drugs, muscle relaxants, drugs used for anxiety, sleeping pills, anticho-

linergic drugs, Demerol, anti-psychotics such as Haldol, Risperdal or Seroquel unless you are being treated for psychosis and estrogen pills. For the full list including reasons see the above website. Don't let the list scare you but if you have questions please talk to your doctor or pharmacist.



JUNE

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 Isaac Kersten
- 4 Merry FitzRandolph
- 4 Miriam Shook
- 6 Ralph Hays
- 6 Natalie Geske
- 7 *Paul & Denise Green*
- 11 Carol Watson
- 14 Julianna Crandall
- 15 Rich Gallegos
- 15 *Neil & Carol Aiken*
- 18 Theodore Lubke
- 20 Tracy Porter
- 20 *Angie & Rick Mullen*
- 20 *Carl & Cindy Greene*
- 21 Zach Groelle
- 23 *Brian & Carol Watson*
- 25 Joel Osborn
- 29 Martha Shaw
- 29 Robert Muench
- 30 Brittany Kersten

June Scripture Memory Verse

He put a new song in my mouth,
a hymn of praise to our God.
Many will see and fear and put
their trust in the LORD.
Psalm 40:3

Capital Campaign Update

As of April 30, 2020

Starting Balance	\$ 2,505.00
Total Income	\$39,250.24
Total Expenses	\$14,445.42
Fund Balance	\$27,309.82

The outside masonry work on the bell tower has been completed and the bill will be due soon. This will deplete this Fund, we will borrow from another Fund and pay ourselves back. If you feel led to take one of the envelopes still on the money wall through June, just mail your check to the Church. Envelopes available: \$42, \$44, \$46, \$61, \$63, \$64, \$65, \$81, \$83, \$84, \$98, \$99, \$101, \$102, \$103, \$119, \$120, \$121, \$122, \$138, \$141, \$157, \$158, \$175, \$176, \$177.

Bulletin Board

Congratulations



Graduates

Calling All Graduates!

We plan to honor our graduates on June 6.

Graduates this year:

- Micah Crandall: Messiah College
- Lucas Mullen: Milton High
- Luke Greene: Homeschool

If you are graduating, call the church office at 608-868-2741 so we don't miss anyone!

Congregational Meeting



Mid-Year Church Meeting Sunday, June 28, 9:00 a.m.

Our current plan is to meet in the sanctuary since the capacity is higher than the LGA. We will keep you updated of any changes.



The 2020 Church Pictorial Directory is still available at the church.

Call 608-868-2741 to have one mailed to you, or pick one up at the Welcome Center when the church is open.



Focus on Funds

as of April 30, 2020

General Fund Balance	\$ 9,801.48
Cash at Mem. Fund	\$66,449.72
April Undesignated Income	\$15,304.97
April Total Income	\$17,113.64
April Expenses	\$18,849.27
Denomination Giving YTD	\$ 6,591.41

June 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						
	1 8:00 TOPS - Library 8:30 Men's Bible Study - zoom	2 9:00 Ladies Sit 'n Sip - zoom 3:00 Chat with Pastor Nate - zoom	3 6:30 Men's Study - zoom 9:30 Women's Bible Study - zoom 7:00 Collision - Camp Wakonda	4 9:30 Women's Bible Study - zoom 3:00 Chat with Pastor Nate - zoom	5	6 9:00 Grow Group - zoom 10:30 Worship - Facebook and YouTube
7	8 8:00 TOPS - Library 8:30 Men's Bible Study - zoom	9 9:00 Ladies Sit 'n Sip - zoom 3:00 Chat with Pastor Nate - zoom	10 6:30 Men's Study - zoom 9:30 Women's Bible Study - zoom 7:00 Collision - Camp Wakonda	11 9:30 Women's Bible Study - zoom 3:00 Chat with Pastor Nate - zoom	12	13 9:00 Grow Group - zoom 10:30 Worship - Facebook and YouTube
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28  Meeting Together 9:00 Mid-year Church Meeting - Sanctuary	29 8:00 TOPS - Library 8:30 Men's Bible Study - zoom	30 9:00 Ladies Sit 'n Sip - zoom 3:00 Chat with Pastor Nate - zoom				
Sabbath Sunset Times June 5 8:31 p.m. June 6 8:31 p.m. June 12 8:35 p.m. June 13 8:35 p.m. June 19 8:37 p.m. June 20 8:37 p.m. June 26 8:38 p.m. June 27 8:38 p.m.						

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Count yourselves dead to sin
but alive to God
in Christ Jesus.
Romans 6:11