

PRIME TIME SENIORS

Lunch Out in October -

Hi-Way Harry's in Johnson Creek is our destination on Wednesday, October 25th. The sign-up deadline is Friday, October 20. Bring a friend if you wish. A menu is posted in a folder below our Senior bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

November Prime Timer's Fish Fry at **The Fireside** in Fort Atkinson on Friday evening, November 17th. For those who don't like fish, chicken is also served. We will be there early enough to get free dessert. Find more information and a sign-up sheet on our Senior bulletin board.

HURRICANE RELIEF

Thank you for your generosity! So far, the total of designated funds for UMCOR Hurricane Relief is \$7485. Five hundred dollars of this total was from the Missions Outreach account, so nearly \$7000 in contributions in 5 weeks! Wow! If you would still like to make a financial contribution in support of hurricane relief efforts through UMCOR, you may write your check to Cargill UMC and designate it as Hurricane Relief. Remember that 100% of your financial contribution to UMCOR goes directly to relief efforts because we as a denomination have already paid the overhead costs.

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY TOTAL

Last week we collected \$369 for World Communion Sunday. Thank you for your generosity!

Did you know the church library has a collection of large print books?
Check it out!

SCHOLARSHIPS

Are you thinking about taking class to further your education in your job related field? Or maybe a Bible or church related class or seminar? If so, you should be aware that the fall application period for scholarships made available by the Howard W Marquardt Trust is now open until October 22. All members of the Cargill UMC congregation are eligible to apply. Simply complete one of the forms that are now available in the church office and return it prior to the deadline.

There are two categories of scholarships available. The Christian Education Fund is for anyone furthering their knowledge in any ministry or religious program, seminar, or class. The Vocational Education Fund applies to anyone choosing to further their knowledge involving their vocation.

Awards will be announced in early November. Any questions can be directed to Jeff Schmoltdt at 752-9421.

DONATIONS NEEDED:

Any old jeans & men's neckties



For: October 21st Women's Retreat Mission Project
Drop off: In Narthex at the Women's Retreat table or in the church office

Deadline: Monday, October 16th

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who have shown us so much love and support during my stay in the hospital. Your prayers have given us strength. We are both humbled by your kindness. May God bless each and every one of you. -Les Delo



COURIER

October 8, 2017 – 18th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Thank you for worshiping at Cargill UMC today! We extend a warm welcome to all. Please feel free to connect with one of our pastors or staff members if you need assistance. Ask an usher for a large print bulletin or a hearing assistance device. Nursery care is available during Sunday services in Room 107.

If you are a visitor or guest, please look for a Welcome Card in the pew rack, share any information about yourself that you'd like to, and drop it in the offering plate. And then please join us in Fellowship Hall for some coffee and conversation!

90+ BIRTHDAYS



October 12 – Orval Appleman
October 23 – Caroline Fish
October 23 - Barbara Mixon

FELLOWSHIP TIME

This week's treats have been provided by the Church Council. Everyone is welcome! We hope you'll join us in the Fellowship Hall after Sunday services.

SPIRITUAL GIFTS EXPLORATION

This class meets today, October 8th and the 2nd Sunday of each month at noon in room 106. Anyone who is interested may join us.

HEARING AID USERS

An Induction Loop system has been provided in the sanctuary to assist hearing aid users. Please switch your hearing aid to the T position.

LAST WEEK FOR COATS FOR KIDS!

October 15th is the deadline to bring your donations for Coats for Kids. The need in our community is greater than ever before so your help is very much appreciated. The need this year is for new or gently used:

- winter jackets (children and adult sizes)
- snow pants
- hats & scarves, boots
- water-repellant gloves
- sweatshirts
- flannel or fleece jackets
- men's and women's sizes 3X and 4X are needed too.



Please do not include adult dress coats and summer clothing.

Look for the collection barrel in the narthex. Thank you!

SATURDAY EVENING BAPTISMS

Baptized this week are Vivian and Valori Stapelmann, daughters of Roni and Ian Stapelmann and granddaughters of Sandra and Gary Stapelmann.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

“DEEP BLUE” BIBLE JOURNEY ONE ROOM SUNDAY SCHOOL

At the 9am service: children are led by Shepherds to their classrooms immediately following Children’s Time. Parents can pick up their children downstairs from Room 008 at the conclusion of Sunday School.

At the 10:30am service, children will immediately go to the Fireside Room for Sunday School. For children who arrive after 10:30am, shepherds will be waiting in the narthex to take them to Sunday School. After Sunday School class is over, parents can pick up their children in the Lounge at 11:30am and enjoy fellowship in Fellowship Hall.

Youth in 6-8th grade may go immediately to Room 110 for Sunday School during the 10:30am service.

UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Sunday October 8:

9am Sunday School, Rm. 008

10:30am Sunday School, Fireside

2-4pm Youth Gathering

BUBBLE SOCCER @ LUTHERDALE

5:30-7pm Confirmation, South Entrance

Monday October 9:

6:30pm Children’s Team Meeting

Tuesday October 10:

6:30pm “Seven Things John Wesley...”

CALVERLEY’S HOUSE

Wednesday October 11:

6pm SPARK in Fireside

FAMILY BIBLE STUDY

~ **New Dates and Locations** ~

This study will meet in rotating homes on the following Tuesdays:

October 10, 17, 24; November 14, 21

December 12, 19

SEVEN THINGS John Wesley Expected
Us to Do for Kids

Teach them Intentionally
Care for them Practically
Pray for them Intensely...and more!

This is an inspiring book that reinforces Wesleyan DNA of being passionate and purposeful in our ministry with children. Nurturing children is an ongoing blessing and this is a great way to gain some insights from John Wesley and other parents. Please talk to Rev. Dan Verdegan today if you are interested in being part of this study.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

A Ministry Exploration Class will be held on Sunday, October 22nd at 12 noon in Room 106. Join us for this opportunity to get connected with the various ministries of Cargill UMC. The gathering will include an overview of the rich Methodist tradition of social action and service, Cargill’s ministries of outreach and spiritual growth, discipleship of time, talent and treasure and making connections with one another.

If you want to learn more about Cargill UMC or are ready to partner with others to live into this mission, this is a great opportunity to learn more. This class will be led by Rev. Lee Meissner. See Pastor Susan with questions.

COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES

We will be collecting items to put in the college care packages through October 20. Please put items in a bin located in the Fellowship Hall underneath our College Student bulletin boards. If you have a son or daughter in college and they attend Cargill UMC, we would love to send them a care package, which will be sent at the end of October.



Please get an updated address to Rev. Dan ASAP so that we can send them supplies.

NOW HIRING CHILDCARE PROVIDERS!

Requirements:

- * Must be confirmed and at least age 13
- * Must have current CPR, AED & First Aid Certification
- * Must have experience caring for infants and toddlers
- * Must pass a background check
- * Minors must obtain a work permit

If you are interested in an opportunity to help guide the littlest of God’s children on their faith journey at Cargill, please email Jessica Benewich, Childcare & Family Ministries Coordinator at Jessica@cargillumc.org.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Contributions Budget through Sept 2017	\$ 440,237
Actual Contributions through Sept 2017	\$ 397,160
Actual Contributions thru end of Sept 2016	\$ 422,740
2017 Contribution Budget Shortage	\$ 43,077

CALENDAR

Sunday, October 8

8:00am – Cargill Choir/Special Music, Lounge
9:00am - Worship Service
9:00am – Adult Sunday School, Room 106
9:15am – Bible Journey
10:30am - Worship Service
10:30am – Adult Sunday School, Room 106
10:30am – Bible Journey
12 noon – Spiritual Gifts Exploration, Rm 106
2:00pm – Youth to Lutherdale
5:30pm - Confirmation

Monday, October 9

8:30am – Goshen Quilters, Room 110
9:00am – Aerobics, Fellowship Hall
9:30am – Bible Study, Room 106
2:00pm – Fellowship Committee, Library
3:00pm – Caring Ministries, Room 109
6:00pm – Daycare Staff Mtg, Fireside Room
6:30pm – Children’s Ministries Comm, Room 110
6:30pm – Church Council, Fellowship Hall
7:00pm – Choral Union, Sanctuary

Tuesday, October 10

9:00am – Al-Anon, Room 106
9:00am – Aerobics, Fellowship Hall
9:00am – Daycare, Sanctuary
9:00am – Ruth Circle, Lounge & Rm 110
6:00pm – Family Bible Study at Calverley’s
7:00pm – Boy Scout Troop 402, Fireside Rm
7:00pm – Trustee, Room 108

Wednesday, October 11

9:00am – Aerobics, Fellowship Hall
9:30am – Rebekah Circle, Room 106
12 noon – Overeaters Anonymous, Library
1:00pm – Elizabeth Circle, room 106
6:00pm – Alleluia Ringers, Sanctuary
6:00pm – Gardening, Harmony Garden
6:00pm – SPARK, Fireside Room

Thursday, October 12

9:00am – Aerobics, Fellowship Hall
10:30am – Bible Study, Room 106
5:45pm – Girl Scout Troop 3469, Fireside Room
6:00pm – SWEPT, Lounge

Friday, October 13

6:00am – Promise Keepers, Room 106
9:00am – Aerobics, Fellowship Hall
6:30pm – AA, Lounge
7:00pm – Al-Anon Open Speaker Mtg, Fell Hall

Saturday, October 14

9:00am – UMW Craft Show, Fair Grounds
10:00am – Overeaters Anonymous, Library
5:00pm – Worship Service, Chapel