

Good News

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Food for Thought

Communion will be August 8. Pastor David is on vacation August 1–7. We will have a potluck on August 1 following worship.

Thanks to everyone who gave extra money to the General Fund or made their pledges up to date. We had a good month financially! Your Leadership Team can breathe a lot easier.

The fall Thrift and Bake Sale will be September 18. Get your treasures together and marked. I have a feeling this is going to be a big one. Reminder: no electronics! This includes TVs, phones, microwaves, computers, radios etc. You will be able to bring your marked goods starting Sunday, September 5. Sign-up sheets for setting up before and working the day of will be out the middle of August.

We will have a Bazaar meeting tentatively August 29, after worship, to go over planning and help needs. Anyone who is interested in planning for the Bazaar mark your calendars!

Hopefully everyone will be able to get a vaccine within a few months. Even after you receive it, make sure you stay safe.

Please don't forget our homeless friends. Please keep them in your prayers. They especially need donations of money at this time. The mailing address is Chippewa Valley Street Ministry, PO Box 51, Eau Claire, WI. If you prefer, you can go to the website, chippewavalleystreetministry.org, and donate through PayPal.

Also, don't forget our Birthday Challenge. August birthdays, it's your turn!

It's getting closer to the time we need to order the TVs for our AV system. Any donations would be greatly appreciated.

See you in church!



August Worship Calendar

August 1

10th Sunday after Pentecost

Community Table offering

2 Samuel 11:26–12:13a or Exodus
16:2–4, 9–15; Psalm 51:1–12 or Psalm
78:23–29; Ephesians 4:1–16; John
6:24–35

August 8

11th Sunday after Pentecost

Prayers for the People

2 Samuel 18:5–9, 15, 31–33 or 1 Kings
19:4–8; Psalm 130 or Psalm 34:1–8;
Ephesians 4:25–5:2; John 6:35, 41–51

August 15

12th Sunday after Pentecost

Prayers for the People

1 Kings 2:10–12; 3:3–14 or Proverbs
9:1–6; Psalm 111 or Psalm 34:9–14;
Ephesians 5:15–20; John 6:51–58

August 22

13th Sunday after Pentecost

OCWM offering

1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10–11), 22–30, 41–43 or
Joshua 24:1–2a, 14–18;
Psalm 84 or Psalm 34:15–22;
Ephesians 6:10–20; John 56–69

August 29

14th Sunday after Pentecost

Song of Solomon 2:8–13 or

Deuteronomy 4:1–2, 6–9;

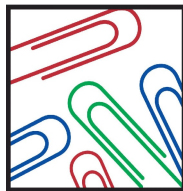
Psalm 45:1–2, 6–9 or Psalm 15;

James 1:17–27; Mark 7:1–8, 14–15,
21–23

Prayer Ministry

In August, we are praying for these

individuals/families: Maria Patton,
Mimi Pederson, Kevin & Jean Phillips,
Kenny (Annette) Polden, Gloria Polden



New Office Hours

9:00 A.M.–12:00 Noon
Monday–Friday

August Birthdays

15	Haddie Mayer
16	Sam Zehms
24	Mary Stygar
25	Sue Thompson
	Peggy Larson
30	Jim Oliver
31	Matt Gilbertson
	Ken Snart

Pastor David on Vacation

Pastor David will be on vacation August 1–7. While he is away, Rev. Mark Pirazzini will cover any pastoral emergencies. Because he will be gone August 1, Communion will be postponed until his return on August 8.

Memorials

General Fund

In memory of Jim Welk:

Larry & Barb Kleist, Sally Gotlibson, Jo
Ann Smith, George Stecher, Joanne
Miller

Birthday Challenge

Louise Partlow

Dear Friends and Family of Plymouth,

The work on our wooded area has been continuing. A lot of sweat and time has been put into cutting, pulling, and hauling out buckthorn, and a lot of effort has gone into planting on the north side of the building and preparing for more planting. We have also sent letters to our neighbors, and the response has been very positive about what we're doing. Many thanks to the volunteers who have been working so hard on this project!

Another helper of our project has been the Lower Chippewa Invasives Partnership. They will do a presentation at Plymouth for us and our neighbors/neighborhood about our project, and also about invasive species and their elimination. They will be here August 31 to do two presentations (the same each time), one at 2 P.M. and 6 P.M. We will need a few volunteers to help with hospitality serving drinks and snacks. Please contact the office if you would like to help with that.

I'll be on vacation August 1-7. Rev. Pirazzini will be available in case of emergency, and Lynn will be leading worship on August 1. We are moving Communion to August 8. Many thanks in advance to Lynn for doing so!

Lynn and I have also been leading worship again at Good Shepherd

Apartments once every other month. We did this before the pandemic, and are glad to be able to do lead worship again for the good people there.

Have a blessed and safe August!

Pastor David



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<h1>August 2021</h1> 						
1 Community Table offering 10:00 A.M. Coffee 10:30 A.M. Worship 11:30 A.M. Pot Luck	2	3 10:00 A.M. Quilters	4	5	6	7
8 Prayers for the People 10:00 A.M. Coffee 10:30 A.M. Communion Worship	9 7:00 P.M. Leadership Team	10 10:00 A.M. Quilters	11	12	13	14
15 OCWM offering 10:00 A.M. Coffee 10:30 A.M. Worship	16	17 10:00 A.M. Quilters	18	19	20	21
22 10:00 A.M. Coffee 10:30 A.M. Worship	23	24 10:00 A.M. Quilters	25	26	27	28
29 10:00 A.M. Coffee 10:30 A.M. Worship	30	31 10:00 A.M. Quilters 2 & 6 P.M. LCIP Presentations				