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“Hearing”

As Presbyterians and as Christians we have historically placed great significance on the Word of God, especially as it is proclaimed. From the foundations of our faith, people followed Jesus because “he taught them as one having authority, (Matthew 7:29)” and they listened to his teaching. Peter preached to the crowds in Jerusalem and Paul traveled around the Mediterranean world, teaching in synagogues and even preaching to a skeptical crowd on Mars Hill in Athens. For centuries, a central part of Christian worship has been the Word proclaimed—when the Scriptures are read, then interpreted in the sermon and made visible in the sacrament. Do you know why the pulpit in our sanctuary is on the left side as you are facing the front of the church? Me either. Because John Calvin suggested that the pulpit be in the middle of the chancel in the front of the church to show the centrality of the Word of God.

But what if one can't hear? That's an ever growing concern in the church today as many of us age to the point when we need hearing assistance and fewer and fewer of those who speak in church (especially pastors, it seems) are trained to project their voices so that they can be heard by all. To help with this problem, and due to the generosity of John and Kay Polzin, we have installed a “Hearing Loop System” in our sanctuary. The way this works is that underneath the floor in the sanctuary is a thin wire that acts as an “induction loop” and will magnetically transmit sound that is broadcast over our sound system directly to hearing aids or cochlear implants. This allows anyone with a telecoil or “t-coil” in their hearing aid to get the sound right in their ears. Most newer hearing aids come with a

t-coil, although it may need to be turned on or activated by your audiologist.

Already people are telling us that they can hear far more than they used to be able to with just a hearing aid. Some have said that they can hear my sermons far better than before (is that a good thing?) and can hear the choir more clearly than they have in years (that is a good thing!). We are still working things out with this system but we hope it will be used by many people for many years to come. As St. Paul says, “Faith comes through what is heard, and what is heard comes through the word of Christ.(Romans 10:17)” That more people hear the Word of God is one of the goals of our church. As many of you know, the first of the great historic ends of the Presbyterian Church is “the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind.” Thanks again to John and Kay for enabling us to have a renewed focus on proclaiming God's Word.

Grace and Peace,

Mark

April Volunteer Assignments

	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Coffee</u>	<u>Nursery Help</u>	<u>Teacher/Crafter</u>
3	VOLUNTEER?	The C & P Gobble family	Urban Vantine	VanDyke	
10	Lebiecki	Lebiecki LaLonde Monk	Monk LaLonde	Smith	
17	McConnell	Saddler Brundage Barton	Sorrell Stafford	Stafford	VanDyke Ruser
24	Clawson	Wieber J Croasdale A & R Gross	Alexander Brundage Barton	Deater	Deater Gibson

Serving Communion

Please remember that only ordained elders and deacons should serve communion.

April 3

Laura LaLonde
Barb Langshaw
Larry Langshaw
Cindi Lebiecki
Nancy Lynch
Amy Mack
Becky Mandrell
Gene Rothenberg
Sharon Rothenberg

May 1

Kay Irely
Larry Irely
Sharin Noall
Tom Noall
Donna Odar
Val Osborne
Kay Polzin
Nancy Remley
Judy Ruser

June 5

Ed Schaadt
Ronda Schaadt
Marilynn Simon
Jennifer Spengler
Jean Stafford
Tara Steele
Tom Stegink
Christie Sutherland
Steve Sutherland

We rely on many members and friends to help Sundays run smoothly and be a good worship experience for those attending our church. If for some reason you are not able to help on the day originally selected, please find a replacement or someone to trade with, and let the church office know. The yearly list of volunteers can be found at www.fpcrich.com, under "Living the Faith", then "volunteer schedule". Or call Julie for a list of names. Thank you!

April 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 8:30 Chancel Choir 9:45 Worship - Communion No Sunday school or youth group	4 9:00 Care Team 10:30 Office Staff 6:00 Boy Scouts	5 10:00 Connected Threads 5:00 Girl Scouts	6 10:00 Dancing Dogs in the GPR 1:00 PW Meeting 7:00 Cub Scouts	7 9:00 Bible Study	8	9
10 8:30 Chancel Choir 9:45 Worship - 2 cents-a-meal No Sunday school or youth group 3:00 VGA - Cantus Femina	11 6:00 Boy Scouts	12 10:00 Connected Threads 5:00 Girl Scouts	13 7:00 Cub Scouts	14 9:00 Bible Study 6:00 Deacons	15	16
17 8:30 Chancel Choir 9:45 Worship 11:05 Sunday School 5:00 Youth Group at Westminster	18 9:00 Care Team 10:30 Office Staff 6:00 Boy Scouts	19 10:00 Connected Threads 5:00 Girl Scouts	20 1:00 Women's Book Club at Sherry's 6:00 Session 7:00 Cub Scouts	21 9:00 Bible Study 11:00 Jack & Jill Moms Tea	22	23
24 8:30 Chancel Choir 9:45 Worship - PW Birthday Offering 11:05 Sunday School 12:00 Youth Group at 1st downtown for CropWalk	25 10:30 Office Staff 6:00 Boy Scouts Missive Articles Due	26 9-5 & 6-8 Rummage Set-up 10:00 Connected Threads 5:00 Girl Scouts	27 9-5 & 6-8 Rummage Set-up 9:30 Flower Group in White Room 5:00 Worship & Music 6:00 Committee Meetings	28 9:00 Bible Study 9-5 & 6-8 Rummage Set-up 7:00 Cub Pack Meeting	29 9-3 & 5-7 RUMMAGE SALE	30 9-11:30 RUMMAGE SALE 2:00 Memorial Service for John Knox



Presbyterian Women

*PW meets the 1st Wednesday of each month at 1:00 p.m. in the church,
The next meeting is April 6th. EVERY WOMAN is welcome.*



THE RUMMAGE SALE

Oh my, Spring is just around the corner and that means the Spring Rummage Sale is only 4 weeks away! As you begin your Spring cleaning, we hope you'll take time to set aside those good, reusable household items, tools, clothes, toys, etc. that you no longer want, so they can be recycled at the Rummage Sale.

This is a great way to support PW missions and provide good items to folks at a low cost.

The SALE is April 29th from 9 to 3 and 5 to 7, and the 30th from 9 to 11:30.

DON'T FORGET ~ please drop off your items the week of the sale. The boy scouts very helpfully arrange the tables for us on the Monday evening prior, so drop off stuff any time Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 9 to 5 and/or 6 to 8. And when you drop off your items, if you are able, it would be most helpful if you could put your things on the appropriate tables. Thank you!



WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

The next book club will be held at Sherry Kleckner's home, 126 S. Lake Doster, on April 20th at 1:00.

The book of discussion is,

"The Secret Keeper"
by Kate Morton.

The ladies welcome anyone who'd might have an interest and would like to join them!



SECRETARY AND TREASURER

Presbyterian Women are looking for volunteers to serve as Secretary and as Treasurer. PW is an outstanding group of women who are the best money-makers and distributors of that money, in the world! They give and give, and almost always with a smile!

If you think you'd like to help with this extraordinary group of women, contact Terry Vantine, 629-5381, or merrylegstlv@gmail.com. Oh, **the treasurer does NOT have to attend meetings! Another perk!**

PW PURPOSE: Forgiven and freed by God in Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to nurture our faith through prayer and Bible Study, to support the mission of the church worldwide, to work for justice and peace and to build an inclusive, caring community of women that strengthens the Presbyterian Church (USA) and witnesses to the promise of God's Kingdom.

IT'S TIME!!
Open up the attic,
break thru the basement ...



RUMMAGE SALE!!!



SPRING CLEANING!! Our weather has been very inspirational for that activity, and maybe you have at least been in the sorting mode. As a place to unload your unwanted (but still good) items, don't forget our Rummage Sale, which will take place April 29, 9 to 3 and 5 to 7, and April 30, 9 to 11:30.



Set up will take place on Monday evening, April 25, and your contributions can be brought any day after that, through Thursday! The sign-up sheet for workers will be posted on the bulletin board in the Gull Prairie Room on the PW section.



We will need people to help sort and price all week long. The sale begins Friday morning, so we need salespeople here at 8:30 a.m. to greet our line-up of customers. On Friday evening and Saturday morning, the cost for whatever can be stuffed into a grocery bag, is \$2 and \$1, respectively.



Then a crew of workers can come in about 11:30 Saturday morning and help dismantle the sale and pack up the unsold goods (we really need help with this part), which go to a charitable cause.



NEW SET-UP AND BRING IN TIMES:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday ~ 10 to 5 & 6 to 8



Youth Group

2015-2016

Youth Group Schedule

April 3/April 10 – NO YOUTH GROUP (Spring Break)

April 17 – Westminster hosts 5-7pm

April 24 – Crop Walk (12:30 lunch @ First Pres Kalamazoo
before walk, end time TBD)

May 1 – WE host 5-7pm

Save the Date! May 21/22 - Kids In Boxes!

Youth Mission Can & Bottle Drive

The youth can and bottle drive mission fundraiser is in full swing! Simply drop your cans in the collection bin outside the church office!

Thank you for your support of the youth!

West Virginia Youth Mission Trip 2016 June 25-July 2, 2016 Colcord, West Virginia

Purpose:

- ❖ To expose our students to people of all walks of life
- ❖ To help and serve
- ❖ To help bring God's love to all people

Who Is Served:

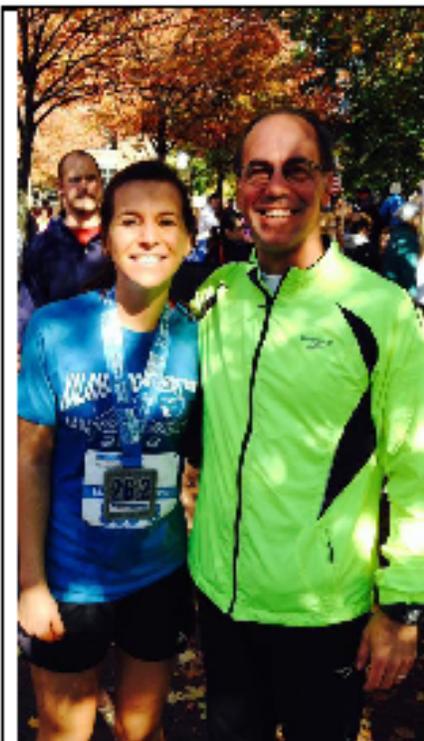
- ❖ Mostly elderly and less fortunate individuals living in the Colcord, WV area as chosen by the PC(USA) Disaster Relief.

Youth Group

Youth Mission Sponsorship Fundraiser

The Youth have had a wonderful response to their Envelope Fundraiser and have received some amazing stories of what inspired each donation number! Here are a few:

- #35 – The number of years I have belonged to this Presbyterian Church.
- #46 – I started going to the church confirmation class September 1946. My wonderful teacher who truly loved Jesus taught me so much. I will always remember her, she gave me a new testament bible the day I was confirmed on April 3, 1947.
- #82 - Our ages
- #65 – No reason – just thought you could use it.
- #103 – We selected \$103 as a contribution because Psalm 103 is one of our favorites. It says “Bless The Lord” and we know you will be doing that by serving others on your mission trip.
- #59 – I chose this number because I was married in 1959! My husband, now deceased, and I had a Very Happy Time for 54 years.
- #55 – Honoring 55 years of marriage and the many varieties of love.
- #47 – Forty-seven years ago I met a stranger on a blind date. Six and one half months later we were married. With God’s blessing we have now shared forty-seven years.
- #57 – 57 represents how many years I have walked with the Lord. I have him my heart when I was 7 years old at Vacation Bible School. He has been my anchor and always beside me. There are times I have not been as close as I could be, but God has always been faithful. Through tough times and good times He has been there, my Savior.
- #240 – 2 wonderful children, 40 years of marriage = 240. Good luck with your goal.
- #12 – Matthew’s age! What a fun age to be! What a blessing to our family!
- #20 – Sarah’s birthday! What a fun time we have together!
- #101 – Every time I tried putting combinations of things together, the numbered envelope was already gone. So, \$101 is for 100% wonderfully great things in my life, plus a little extra!
- #99 – 1999 was the year we became parents.
- #151 – A sum of ages.
- #8 – Given in honor of our 8th wedding anniversary this July!
- #21 – We’ve been married 21 years!



Please consider sponsoring Alison Butler for this important endurance run.

About ALISON:

Alison graduated from Gull Lake High School in Kalamazoo, Michigan. She is currently a fourth-year student at The Ohio State University studying Neuroscience and Economics. After her graduation this spring, Alison will begin an M.D./Ph.D. program at the University of Pittsburgh & Carnegie Mellon University. She plans to do clinical research with the VA Pittsburgh Healthcare System and specialize in psychiatry or emergency medicine. Alison was a sponsored runner in last year's 1 Day for the KIA Endurance Run, where she ran 88 total miles to place first for women and fifth overall. She aims to break the 100-mile barrier at this year's run.

Why did you want to support 1DK as a Sponsored Runner? "For a long time after the 2015 ultramarathon, my zeal for running wasn't there anymore.. so in truth, it took a lot of convincing. The turning point for me was over the winter when I realized how much I missed my 1DK teammates and the experience of being part of such a genuine group. They're so optimistic and persistent - now running is the best part of my week. I'm fortunate because I have an opportunity to learn from my racing mistakes, train harder, and achieve a type of strength I didn't have before. In doing so, I get a chance to empower our future Living Legacy scholarship recipients - I think they show this type of courage and motivation on a whole different level."

What is your performance goal for the 1DK run? What prior running experience do you have? "Part of my goal for this year is to run over 100 miles. More importantly, though, I want to run smart and improve my pace strategy for the first half of the race. If I can do that, I know the second half will follow suit. After 4 years of high school cross country and track, and three years with the OSU Club team, I'm still learning a bit of patience for the tempo of the ultramarathon. Last year's race taught me that while you can run a pretty risky 5k, 10k, or even a gutsy half-marathon, the ultra will really put you in your place."

Does military sacrifice and the concept of commemorating the fallen have any special significance to you? "Earlier this school year I had a chance to hear the stories of two OSU alumni who were K.I.A. many years ago - Capt. Jon T. Busch & SSgt Joseph Timothy Kelly. I think about their sacrifice constantly, because I see their strength and courage reflected in their family members - many support our 1DK team both at the annual 24-hour run and year-round. These families have a ton of enthusiasm for our cause, and that is so incredibly energizing! Several of my friends and teammates in this organization will go on to serve in the military. I find it impossible to take their bravery for granted, but it's equally difficult for me to express my gratitude in words... that's another reason I run."

Please consider sponsoring Alison at www.1dayforthekia.org

Do you have any mental strategies to "tap into" when the going gets tough? For starters, you have to find a reason to smile every lap. You have to find some bliss in realizing that you've memorized the unique features of a sidewalk panel, or that somewhere in the last 30 miles you adopted a particular tree for stretching. You have to keep your eyes up tight though - especially when you're tired. But when things get really tough, you have to focus on what little action you can take to improve in that moment. One of my favorite professional runners says it best - "Good thing I didn't accomplish all my goals yet, because then what would I do tomorrow?" Sometimes it might even be difficult to focus on my own improvements, but then I can also focus on my teammates'. I can focus on the families who will benefit from the Living Legacy Scholarship. The good definitely outweighs the bad."



www.1dayforthekia.org



Alison will be competing in a 24 Hour Endurance Run, beginning Saturday, April 9th, 2016 at 9:00am and ending April 10th at 9:00am. As a sponsored runner, Alison will be attempting to run 100 miles to benefit "1 Day for the K.I.A." and raise funds for The Living Legacy Scholarship. This scholarship programs helps parent-less children of fallen military service members.

THE CAUSE

The Living Legacy Scholarship, awarded to OSU students who are children/siblings of a US military service member who has been K.I.A. listed as M.I.A., P.O.W. or permanently disabled.

THE RUN

24-hour endurance run
Run as an individual...
...as a 2, 3, or 4 person relay team...
...or from anywhere as a VIRTUAL runner!

THE MISSION

To commemorate fallen military service members, especially those connected to the Ohio State University and the local Columbus area.

1 DAY FOR THE K.I.A.
24-HOUR Endurance Run on the OSU Oval
0900-0900 on April 9-10, 2016
Visit our website to donate or sign up today!

1 day
for the **K.I.A.**

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April 2016 Missionary Report

March 11, 2016

Dear Church Family,

Greetings to Pastor Mark, Julie, and to you all! How is everyone in the church? Mary is doing well. She went to visit her parents and she has been there for two weeks already. I talk to her daily and she is doing well. I plan to bring her back to Werkok sometime in the next weeks.

We finally now have access to Internet at Werkok. The technician has been working on our communication system and the guy finally figured out how to set up the Internet. Our phone will be working in two weeks. I will now be communicating with you from Werkok.

My Mom had cataract surgery today on one eye. She went to a town near Bungoma, Kenya where our family lives and she is now admitted into the hospital. The other eye will be done when we get the money. Her surgery for one eye costs 150 USD.

I ask all of you to pray for our Mom. I talked to her today and she said she is okay. Thank you once again.

Deng

March 23 2016

Dear Church Family,

Mary is doing well. She is still at her parents place. She will come back to Werkok either on Thursday or Friday this week.

Everything is going well in Werkok. We received three groups of visitors already and more teams are coming. David Bowman, the Chairman of Partners in Compassionate Care (PCC) and its founder, is coming next month. He is coming for the last time. This is going to be David's last trip to South Sudan. David is going to be 80 years old next March and he said he is visiting us for the last time. He is not retiring from the organization but he will not be coming to South Sudan like he used to do.

The clinic in Malek is progressing well. I visited the clinic last week with two Memorial Christian Hospital (MCH) staff.

The politics in South Sudan remains the same. The economy here in South Sudan is bad. Prices in the market have doubled 5 times. The exchange rate for the dollar is up but when you go to the market, you get fewer items with more money. The government has failed to improve the economy and all the citizens are suffering now. I feel bad most of the times when I hear people complaining of bad economy.

Thank you so much for your support,

Deng

March 27 2016

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for your prayers on our behalf. Mary came back to Werkok on Friday. We celebrated Easter Sunday together with in Werkok. This was our first Easter together. Our anniversary is coming up in April and I am not yet sure where we will celebrate. I am thinking of Malek.

Blessings and thanks again,

Deng



VILLAGE GREEN ARTS PRESENTS

CANTUS FEMINA

April 10, 2016
3:00 p.m.



All are very welcome to join us on Sunday, April 10th at 3:00 for this spectacular performance! The program is free, with a reception following. A freewill offering will be gratefully appreciated. Village Green Arts is self-sustained by generous donations and the freewill offering. Thank you!

Cantus Femina is Western Michigan University's premiere women's chorus.

Each year the ensemble performs at WMU as well as in surrounding communities.

Cantus Femina has been featured in performances at National Collegiate Choral Organization conventions.

The choir was also invited to sing at the ACDA Regional convention in 2012.

In October 2004, 2010, and 2014, the choir was selected to sing

at the American Choral Directors Association State Convention in Michigan.

The choir has performed with the Kalamazoo Symphony Orchestra on three occasions.

The most recent performance involved the Kalamazoo Civic Players, the KSO, and Cantus Femina in a collaborative production of Mendelssohn's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*.

The chorus also joins the University Chorale and Collegiate Singers in the annual WMU Choral Holiday Concert and the annual Homecoming Choral Showcase.

Cantus Femina sings a wide variety of literature and takes pride in singing newly written contemporary works.

The choir's premiere performances include *Celebremus* by Ramona Luegen,

Cantarcillo de la Virgen by Paul Carey, *Ave Maris Stella* by Chan Ka Nin,

How Can I Keep from Singing and *Imagine*, arranged for the choir by WMU alumnus Nate Adams.

Cantus Femina also celebrated the 100th anniversary of women's choir at WMU

by touring to the Orlando, Florida area in May 2010,

which included performances at universities, high schools, and churches.

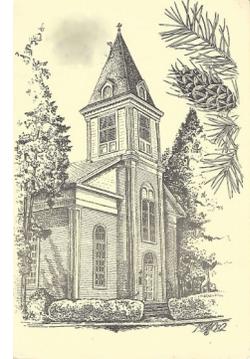
FOOD PANTRY CORNER



FOOD PANTRY
 CEREAL, SOUP, CRACKERS
 SNACK TREATS
 BOXED POTATOES

Carillon Hymns and Honoree's for April

<i>Date</i>	<i>Selection</i>	<i>Honoree</i>
4/13	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i>	<i>Jay R. Wells, Jr.</i>
4/17	<i>What a Friend We Have In Jesus</i>	<i>James E. Garn</i>
4/30	<i>Faith of Our Father's</i>	<i>Robert Murphy</i>



THE POWER OF PRAYER

In everything by prayer and supplication let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.”
 —Philippians 4:6-7

Could you or someone you know, benefit from the power of prayer? Did you know that it is as easy as picking up the phone to have your prayers multiplied by many caring members of your church family? We invite you to give prayer requests to any member of the Prayer Chain, who will pray for you or the person who needs God's help in a time of need. The person you contact will pass your request on to the next person on the list until the circle is complete. Be assured that we keep these matters in confidence.

We also invite others to join this circle of prayer.
 Please note: participation is in no way restricted to women!
 If you are interested, or have questions, please contact Mark or Julie at the office, 629-4944.

PRAYER CHAIN PARTICIPANTS

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Cindi Lebiecki 344-0332	Joyce Hubbard 372-9205
	Phyllis Youse 731-4851





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gracespring church will be hosting the movie, "War Room", on April 30th at 6:30. They are welcoming all from the community to attend this free program.

This movie is rated PG. The description says, it's about a couple who "have it all", but their world is crumbling under the strain of a failing marriage. Their lives take an unexpected turn from a client, Miss Clara, who challenges the wife to establish a prayer "war room" and a battle plan of prayer for her family.

Let Justice Roll Down...

...like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.

—Amos 5:24

2016 BIRTHDAY OFFERING Of Presbyterian Women

In 1922, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Woman's Auxiliary (PCUS), it was decided that an offering should be made for a definite cause. That year, Hallie Paxson Winsborough, superintendent of women's work, visited Miss Dowd's School for Girls in Kochi, Japan. She challenged members of the Woman's Auxiliary to give one penny for each year of their lives (or a dollar if a woman preferred not to reveal her age) as a birthday gift to the school. The tradition continued when the Woman's Auxiliary became Presbyterian Women (PCUSA) in 1988. The offerings have enabled a long succession of new and often innovative mission projects throughout the world.

While the projects and donation amounts have changed, Presbyterian Women's commitment to improving the lives of others has not. We continue to need broad, consistent support from Presbyterian women, men and others in the area in order to continue funding mission projects like the one selected for 2016. Our goal for this year is \$500,000.

The Creative Ministries Offering Committee of Presbyterian Women thanks you for opening your hearts to the Women's Crisis Center of Taney County in 2000 and asks that you continue to help justice roll on by supporting the four projects chosen for 2016 Birthday Offering.

* Heartland 180, a core values and life-skills training program for at-risk youth in Overland Park, Kansas.

* Habitat for Humanity East Bay/Silicon Valley, for repair of manufactured homes in the area in and near Oakland, California.

* Direct Action and Research Training Center (DART)'s Closing Off the School-to-prison Pipeline Program in Mid-Kentucky, Scioto Valley, the James, Charleston and Greater Atlanta presbyteries.

* A school for girls, Building Minds in South Sudan, Pittsford, New York.

These projects provide programs to support the critical needs for education and healthy environments in the areas they serve.

APRIL 24 ~ BIRTHDAY OFFERING

Please give as you have been blessed and support these life-changing projects. Visit www.presbyterianwomen.org to give, or learn more about the offering.

April Birthdays



Jay Hoorn	1	Ronda Schaadt	20
Claire Stupica	2	Terry Carpenter	21
Julie Howard	3	Beth Carrington	21
Aaron LaLonde	3	Scott MacRitchie	21
Stephanie Wank	3	Karalea Rothenberg Jasiak	21
Kay Hutchinson	4	Phyllis Leiter	22
Robert Monk	4	David McConnell	22
Ken Barts	5	Sarah Nott	22
Rob Carpenter	5	Gail Venner	22
Kalli Inman	5	Nancy Wright	22
Heather Moseley	5	Rick Wynsma	22
Charlotte Slezak	5	Liam MacRitchie	23
Jennifer Spengler	5	Jacqueline Brignall	24
Sara Wieber	5	Caelan Deater	25
Jason Courtney	6	Zoe Gobble	26
Gary Schott	7	Will McWhorter	26
Irissa Wyckoff	7	Brendan Hope	27
Sharon Rothenberg	8	John Meyer	27
Evelyn Cramer	9	Linda Pollock	27
Tyler Moseley	9	Paul Reinhart	27
Katie Welser	9	Sophia Carahaly	29
CJ Hoorn	10	Tom Kendall	30
Rob Kubiak	10	Kelene Monk Rogers	30
Emily Myland Walters	11	Matt Pausch	30
Jim Vantine	11		
Jacob Woll	11		
Corey Connell Thompson	12		
Emma Gay	12		
Michelle Greve	12		
Jacob White	12		
Barb Fox	13		
Nancy Lynch	13		
Nathan Schrauben	13		
Tim Brundage	14		
Mary Ellen Bryer	14		
Zip Fiordalis	15		
George Lindenberg	15		
Judy Bakker	16		
Christy Connell	16		
Molly Danielssen	16		
Karen Kendall	17		
John Urban	17		
Steve Allen	18		



& Anniversaries

3	Phyllis & Fred Davis ~ 40
3	Bill & Joyce Hubbard ~ 29
4	Kalli & Steve Inman ~ 29
5	Larry & Sue Myland ~ 41
10	Marilyn & Bob Steely ~ 34
12	Allen & Jennifer Stupica ~ 31
16	Deng & Mary Alier ~ 1
21	Jane and Bob Morrow ~ 33
22	Marlene & Dave McConnell ~ 56
25	Deb & Mark Fisher ~ 29



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Dr. Mark W. Jennings, *Pastor*
Murray Cooper, *Seminary Intern*
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Sadarra Fields, *Director of Choirs*
Meredith Alspach, *Program Coordinator*
Samantha Gay, *Children's Worship Leader*
Alanna Wyckoff and Allie Steele, *Children's Worship Helpers*
Heather Putt, *Nursery Supervisor*
Connie Slater, *Sexton*
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