



# Christ Church

 UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

## WORSHIP SERVICE

**SUNDAYS**

**9:30AM**

**CHRIST CHURCH**

915 East Oklahoma Ave  
Milwaukee, WI 53207

414-481-3530  
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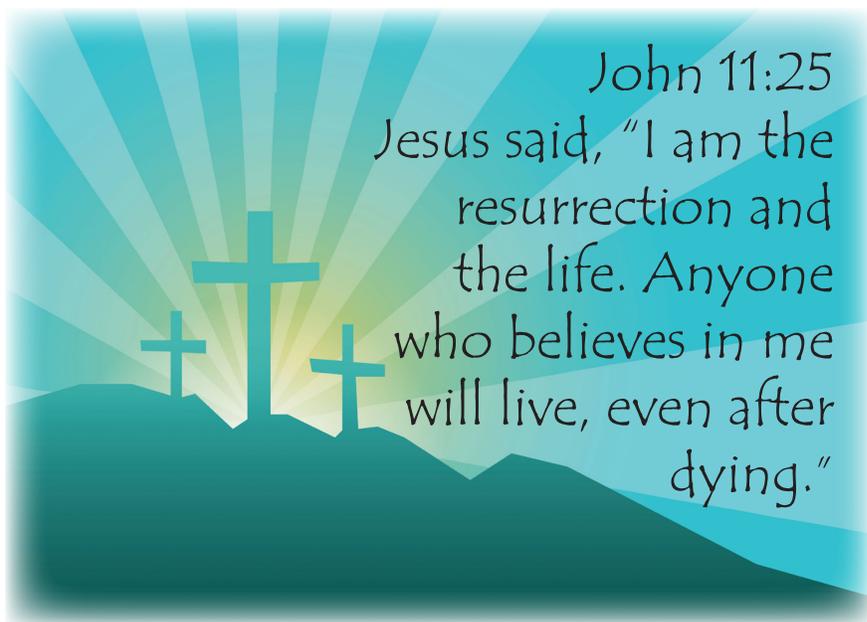
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## ?? ? Bible Quiz ? ?

How many times does Jesus say we should forgive others?

- A. 7
- B. 70
- C. 77
- D. 70 x 7
- E. C or D, depending on the translation

# forgive

Answer: E (See Matthew 18:22)



# April Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <b>Aleluia!</b> <b>He is alive!</b>					<b>1</b> SOS 4:45pm Jim & Randene W	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b> Service @ 9:30am Liturgist-Randene	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Noon Lenten Service Leader: Jim W Choir Rehearsal 7pm	<b>7</b> Handbells 1pm	<b>8</b> SOS 4:45pm Kim O'Brien & crew	<b>9</b> Crocheting 10am
<b>10</b> PALM SUNDAY Service @ 9:30am Liturgist-Julie O Easter Flyer Distribution after church	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Quilting 9:30am	<b>13</b> Choir Rehearsal 7pm	<b>14</b> MAUNDY THURSDAY Service at Christ Church 7pm (Choir) Handbells 1pm	<b>15</b> GOOD FRIDAY Service at Bay View United Methodist 7pm SOS 4:45pm Jim & Randene W	<b>16</b> Take the crosses down at 9am
<b>17</b> EASTER SUNDAY Easter Breakfast 8-9am Service @ 9:30am Liturgist-Doris M (Handbells & Choir)	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Council Meeting 7pm	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> SOS 4:45pm Kim O'Brien & crew	<b>23</b> Crocheting 10am
<b>24</b> Service @ 9:30am Liturgist-Jill U Book Club 11am	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Quilting 9:30am Fermenting the Faith 6:30pm @ Joe's K Ranch	<b>27</b> Endowment Committee Meeting 6:30pm @ Carol & Tom's	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> SOS 4:45pm Dean & Mary Ann M	<b>30</b>

# EXCITING INTERIM PASTOR NEWS!

I have the pleasure of announcing that Andy Oren has agreed to taking on the responsibility of becoming our called Interim Minister. Prior to this month, Andy was considered "pulpit supply" which basically meant he would lead us in worship. In addition to being pulpit supply, Andy had also agreed to counsel and visit individuals. The counseling and visitation aspects were completely voluntary on his part.

Now that Andy Oren has accepted our "call" (which means Christ Church has asked him, and that we have agreed on the terms of his remuneration, and that he is approved by the Wisconsin Conference of the United Church of Christ to lead our congregation up to and including our call to a permanent pastor), he will be more involved, but still be a part-time pastor. He, and his wife Julie, have earned and want to enjoy their retirement time.

Andy has brought a renewed spirit and vibrance to our worship services that led our church council to reach out and ask him to be our interim. We are truly grateful for his gifts of insight and guidance that he brings to our worship and church. *Dean Kothrade*



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## Pastor's Letter

??? TITLE ???

by Pastor Andy Oren

Hello Christ Church! Last month I titled my article "The View From the Bridge" as I had accepted the position of Bridge Minister. Now I'm the "official" Interim Minister and so far, I haven't come up with a witty title for this page, but maybe one will come to me before next month. Of course, you can always send me your suggestions!

I am truly humbled to find myself in a position to guide our congregation through the next 12-18 months while our Search Committee goes about identifying our next "settled" pastor. As I said this past Sunday, we're all in this together, so my hope is that everyone will step up to either continue doing what they've been doing or maybe even explore new opportunities for service both here at church or within our greater community.

Most of you know me as well as my wife, Julie, but for those who we have not yet had the opportunity to get to know us, here is some basic information. We live due east of church at 3156 S. Kinnickinnic Avenue. I've been in that home for 45 years, and Julie has shared over 34 of them with me. We'll be celebrating our 33rd anniversary this October. We have three children, all in their early forties. Becky and her fiancé live in Hudson, Wisconsin. Jon is in the Rogers Park neighborhood of Chicago, while our son Paul lives in Valparaiso, Indiana where he teaches at the university.

I retired from Bay View United Methodist Church in September of 2017, and since then, have enjoyed playing volleyball, tennis and senior softball while occasionally guest-preaching around the area. Julie is a gifted quilter. If you ever have a chance to dine at Sorellas restaurant here in Bay View, you can view her blue-ribbon winning quilt showing many historic Bay View landmarks.

Thank you again for all your support. May we enjoy a blessed time together! *Pastor Andy*



## Liturgists

- April 3 Randene Wick
- April 10 Julie Oren
- April 17 Doris Mayeshiba
- April 24 Jill Unglaub

## ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, April 27 at 6:30 PM  
at Carol & Tom's



## Add your voice

### Choir Rehearsals:

- Wednesday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM
- Wednesday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM
- Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM

### Handbell Rehearsals:

- Thursday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM
- Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM

### Choir & Handbell Schedule:

Choir sings Maundy Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> service at 7 PM  
Choir & Handbells perform Easter Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup> service at 9:30 AM  
(warm-up times TBA)

## Share Our Suppers Schedule

- April 1 Jim and Randene Wick
- April 8 Kim O'Brien and crew
- April 15 Jim and Randene Wick
- April 22 Kim O'Brien and crew
- April 29 Dean and Mary Ann Mowery



Christ Church recently received a \$250 grant to support the Share Our Suppers program from the UCC-Southeast Association! We will be able to purchase items such as string cheese and fruit breakfast bars for our guests.

## Maundy Thursday Service

### Christ Church at 7 PM

Joint service with Milwaukee Metropolitan Community Church and Bay View United Methodist

## Good Friday Service

### Bay View United Methodist at 7 PM

Joint service with Milwaukee Metropolitan Community Church, Bay View United Methodist, and Tippecanoe Presbyterian Church

## Easter Service

### Easter Breakfast 8-9 AM Christ Church at 9:30 AM

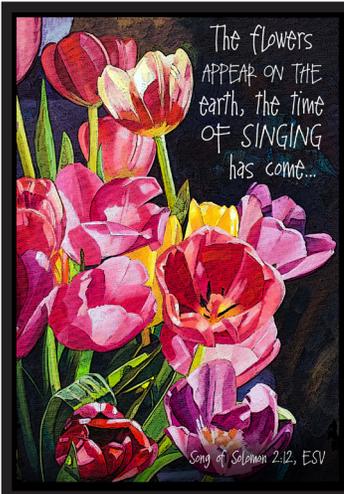
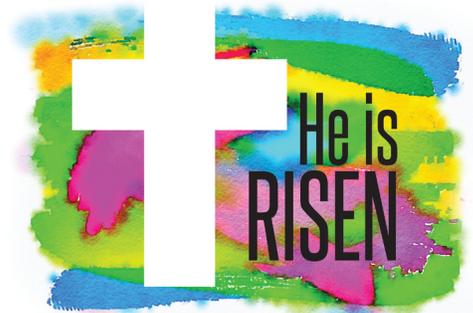
## Share Our Suppers Volunteers Needed

Please help fill up the Friday dates as building reps for DI-SOS. It's a mere 1½ hour time commitment. | Set up approx. 4:45 pm | Tear down 6:00 | Finish 6:15 pm | I am always willing to train anyone wishing to participate in this ministry. You will be amazed at seeing 45 hot meals distributed in about 15 minutes each Friday evening! The effects of the pandemic are still being felt in the Bay View community and this helps our neighbors. Contact Jim Wick at 414-614-2612 or jameswick73@gmail.com



## Noon Lenten Service

Wed., April 6  
Leader: Jim Wick



*Song of Songs 2:11-12*  
*See! The winter is past;  
the rains are over and gone.  
Flowers appear on the earth;  
the season of singing has come,  
the cooing of doves  
is heard in our land.*

## SAVE THE DATE

## Confirmation

Sunday  
June 5<sup>th</sup>  
at 9:30 AM

## Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022 after church

Do you enjoy a Spring walk?? If you do, please join the Membership committee along with the Confirmation Class after church on Palm Sunday, April 10. We will be distributing flyers in the neighborhood inviting Christ Church neighbors to our Easter Morning Church Service, April 17. The walk should take about one hour.

Following the walk, tacos will be served for lunch. If you are interested, please sign up on the bulletin board at the Lenox Street door.

Joan Gaeth, Randene Wick, Membership Co-chairs, Susan Pfeifer, Church Council Rep



## Easter Breakfast

Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>



Please join us for our annual Easter Breakfast from 8:00–9:00 AM. Invite your family and friends! What a wonderful way to celebrate our Risen Lord by breaking bread together. We will stop serving breakfast at 9:00 sharp, to allow for our breakfast crew to clean up and attend worship with you all by 9:30. We welcome you to continue visiting in the Fellowship Hall until the time of the service.

No advance tickets will be sold.

SUGGESTED DONATION OF \$5. CHILDREN UNDER 6 FREE.

We need lots of helpers! Please sign up on the poster at the Lenox Street bulletin board. Stay tuned, more details coming. For more information, see Nancy Charles or Pam Kothrade

## Clean Up South Shore Park

### Save the Date

Saturday, May 14, from 10 AM until noon, we will be picking up garbage at South Shore Park. Save the date. Watch the bulletins and weekly newsletter for details. Membership Committee



## Lenten Crosses Take Down

On Saturday, April 16, we will take down our Lenten Crosses in preparation for Easter.

We'll begin at 9:00 AM sharp.

Coffee and snacks will follow.

Submitted by Dick Gaeth



## LEARNING MORE ABOUT CHRIST CHURCH

If you have found a church home here and are interested in learning more about Christ Church, please see Pastor Andy or any one of us from the Membership Committee.

We will have one or two informational sessions on two different Sundays following the church service if anyone is interested. There will also be a tour of the building. Thank you,

Membership Committee members: Julene Flanagan, Jan Naefken, Susan Pfeifer (Council Rep), Lynn Schmeling, Randene Wick, and Joan Gaeth

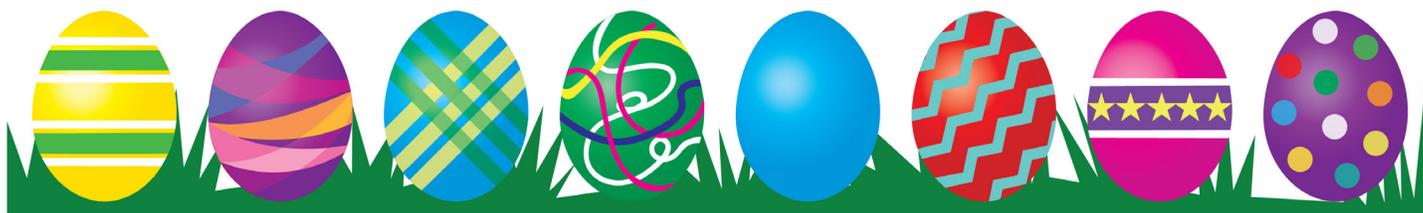
## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP DELIVER EASTER BASKETS TO OUR SHARE AND CARE LIST



The Social Concerns Committee is putting together Easter Baskets for our Share and Care List (also known as "Shut Ins") filled with lots of goodies and a card. However, we could use some volunteers to help us deliver them. We'll be assembling them on April 7, so they will be labeled with name and address for pick up from the Church beginning April 8. They could be picked up during the week during church office hours, or from Church on Sunday, April 10 (Palm Sunday). We just want to be sure they're delivered before Easter!

If you're available to help deliver these baskets of Easter joy, please let someone on the Social Concerns Committee know. Or, send an email to: sarajanerogers@gmail.com. Thank you!

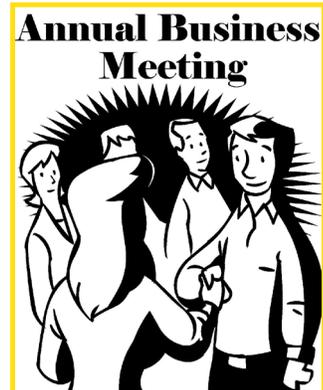
Social Concerns Committee: Debbie Hansen, Mary Ann Mowery, Sara Rogers, Randene Wick



# Annual Meeting

## Sunday, May 15th, 2022

Christ Church is holding its annual meeting on **Sunday, May 15th, 2022**, immediately following worship in the sanctuary. We will be discussing the 2022 church operating budget, electing church council and Endowment Committee members, and an auditor. We will also discuss and vote on important church constitution and by-law changes including defining what a quorum (the minimum number of members needed to be present for our annual meeting) is and the possibility of using a percentage of our total Endowment Fund value annually to meet the financial needs of the church's operating budget.



We have not had an annual meeting since 2020. So much has changed in our church, and our world, since then. The annual meeting is the time to help shape the future of what Christ Church will be and do in years to come. Please plan on attending this meeting either in person or virtually. Both your smile and voice are needed at this important meeting. *Dean Kothrade*

An illustration of a yellow mug with a green swirl pattern, a stack of three books (red, blue, green), and the text 'BOOK CLUB' in bold black letters. There are decorative orange and blue swirls around the books.

## Christ Church Book Club

Our next Christ Church Book Club will be meeting April 24th, 2022. We will meet at 11am in the Fellowship Hall to discuss *A Fall of Marigolds* by Susan Meisner. All Christ Church members, as well as family or friends, are welcome to join us. You can get this book at the library, bookstore, or online. We look forward to an interesting discussion and fellowship. If you have any questions please contact us.

Thanks, Debbie Hansen, Mary Ann Mowery

An illustration of a tombstone with a cross on top, set against a background of a rising sun and clouds.

## FERMENTING THE FAITH

**Tuesday, April 26 at 6:30 PM**  
Joe's K Ranch  
4840 S. Whitnall Ave., Cudahy

The topic this month is a reflection on our sermon series. We will consider the five characteristics of Christ (humility, healing, loving, prayerful, and forgiving) and share our thoughts. Additional discussion beyond the sermon and scriptures are welcome.

## Confirmation Class Upcoming Events

- Sun, April 10: Suggested date to worship with your mentor
- Sun, April 10: Distribute church flyers in the neighborhood after worship service
- Sun, April 17: Assist with the Easter Breakfast. More details to come.
- Sun, May 1: Suggested date to worship with your mentor
- Sun, May 22: Suggested date to worship with your mentor
- Sun, June 5: Rite of Confirmation

## LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for volunteers willing to assist people who rent out the Kitchen/Fellowship



Hall for upcoming events. If you would like to be added to a Volunteer List to help with future events, please contact Darlene in the Church Office at 414-481-3530 or email [office@uccmke.org](mailto:office@uccmke.org). Thanks!

**\*\*We especially need you if you have knowledge of how the stove operates!\*\***

## Facts about Fermenting the Faith

- It is a time for conversation with others from our faith community
- It is a time to listen and to share with others as you feel comfortable
- It is a time to enjoy snacks and a variety of beverages from water to coffee to beer or wine.
- We are all on a journey to learn more and to expand our understanding of our faith.

## Morning Song of A Mourning Soul a Psalm by Sarah Hillmert-Gallitz

Dear God, I feel pressed in on every side  
I seem to have a lament for every day  
This seems to be a very hard life  
There sometimes seems no way to get ahead

I know You provide for me  
But sometimes I don't see it with my eyes  
I need to believe it  
Before I see it

You tell me to count my blessings.  
I count them every morning.  
I see Your hand move in some ways  
and in other ways I feel so alone

Lord, hear me when I call You  
If it pleases You  
I hear the soft coo of a mourning dove  
Is it crying my song or its own song?  
If I have no doubt that You hear the dove's cry  
Do I also have no doubt You also hear mine?

Why is there so much to cry about down here?  
Some people know no side of this trouble  
And just celebrate every day as if there  
Were no purpose to life

You tell me not to worry about those  
Who prosper in their way  
You console me with Words of Songs from  
Long ago  
Here is my song  
Anew

I know You are the author of New Beginnings  
Every time the winter of death seems to  
Not want to let go  
A bud blooms and Rebirth opens its eyes  
All because of You  
The Author of Creation

You spoke Life into Being and  
You give us the authority to speak life  
Into being again and again  
You speak life into my own life over and over  
And over

What a Joy to watch You work  
Spring forth new life to my life  
If that is what You wish  
How could the Author of Life  
Not want to take the pen  
And write again?



I would like to offer an invitation for you to serve on the Church Council or Endowment Committee. In recent months we have seen a welcomed reawakening of our spiritual life at Christ Church. Having Pastor Andy Oren accept the interim minister position has energized and solidified that reawakening. It is now our turn to support Pastor Andy by offering our gifts, just as he has offered his gifts to us.

We currently need 2 people to serve on the Church Council and 2 to serve on the Endowment Committee to just keep both groups at the same minimal membership they have now. Church Council membership is a way to help shape the future of Christ Church. Many decisions made will impact the church for years to come. Meetings are held monthly, except for summer months, and the meetings last 90 minutes. There is usually very little homework 😊. Please ask any current council member; we gather as individuals that have differing ideas/opinions but leave that meeting as a unified body with a common purpose, mission, and satisfaction that we helped our church and all living beings.

The Endowment Committee oversees the Endowment Fund investments that Christ Church holds. The fund is critically important for the long term growth and financial health of Christ Church. We must be good stewards of the gifts given to our church in the hope that our church will be able to continue its mission and ministry in Bay View and around the world.

I feel we are currently a vibrant, but timid, faith community. A common issue is we individually feel we are not worthy, or able, or have the precise gifts needed to contribute something positive to our church. We must realize that the inspiration we receive on Sunday morning is to give us the strength to go and do God's work. It isn't just to minister to our personal needs. We are called to act out our faith. I've read that faith without works is dead. Let's not be guilty of having faith only. Our church needs the talents you have on loan from God.

Please let any Church Council member, Endowment Committee member, or Pastor Andy Oren know if you are interested in one of these positions.

Thank you, *Dean Kothrade*

that far outweighs them all. So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen.

For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory

For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. 2 Cor 4:17-18

In my faith journey I try to use things that I can see, or have seen, to compare to things that are as yet unseen to me. My childhood was full of lessons that were traumatic, like for any kid, but through them all my grandmother (Louise) would give me encouragement and sympathy. My mom also gave encouragement, but not like grandma. Mom was more compassionate. Grandma was compassionate, but was also able to point out life lessons better than mom. I'm eternally glad I had them both to love me. If I was really upset or hurt, grandma would identify with my feelings and then reassure me that things would be made right. She never taught me to hate or to get even, only to have patience and wait and watch. As a young kid that was tough, but there wasn't much more I could do.

After many such counseling sessions from my grandma, I started to see she was right. If kids were physically picking on me, they were usually pulled out of school or picked on by someone else who was stronger than they were, or they had other real discipline issues. If a supposed "friend" hurt my feelings, many times I would see how they were hurt by others because of the way they treated others. In short, with all my childhood trauma experiences, that were literally the world to me at that time, grandma could see past that, comfort me, and provide reassurance that I would see righteousness prevail. She could give love and comfort because she knew that what I was going through was short lived and although I was hurt in that moment, I was much better off not hating others, instead believing that their evil would be paid back to them. She made me realize how much I was loved by her and taught me the patience to see for myself that anger, hate, and resentment did more to punish me than anyone else.

Now I'm an adult, still childish in many ways. I still feel hurts and sorrow and grandma is gone, but the lessons she taught live on. I saw how things worked out listening to grandma. The truth is that I only saw glimpses of grandma's wisdom at first, and as I watched for more evidence of what she said, the more I could see it for myself. The longer I live the more I see that she was right.

OK, back to my comparisons of the seen and unseen. Since I was able to see what grandma, a wonderful and loving flawed human being, showed me to be true how much more can I rely on what our (grandma and my) Creator tells me to be true? Grandma was a Christian who had great faith and was able to pass that onto me. She got the attention of my young mind and started it out in the right direction. I was then viewing things differently and being wary of simply following my base human emotions to satisfy my desire for revenge or gain.

Jesus reassures us that nothing, not even death, can separate us from true joy with and in Him. He is so calm and loving in his statements maybe because He, like grandma did, can see past the finite vision of our seemingly insurmountable hurts to the place where we'll be soon. That place will afford us peace and joy as we look back and see He was right all along. We simply need to have faith and wait.

Thank you so much Grandma.

Dean Kothrade





### Thank you

On Saturday, March 12, the storage area next to the Fellowship Hall was cleaned. A helpful crew of eight church members met at 1:00 PM to review boxed contents and consolidated items. Great teamwork accomplished the organizing of spring and Easter items, German Fest dinner, Ice Cream Social, and Bingo supplies.

Thank you to Dick and Joan Gaeth, Paul and Doris Mayeshiba, Sue Steinhauer, Danette and Renolle Volz, and Randene Wick.

The Confirmation Class is overwhelmed with the generosity of the congregation.

75 snack bags were prepared for the homeless families currently living at the Super 8 motel near the airport. The extra snacks will be distributed to the guests who come on Friday nights for meals with Share Our Suppers. The remaining money collected totaled \$165 and will be sent to support the Arts and Science Literacy Camp at Tippecanoe Presbyterian Church.

**Thank you** for supporting our project! Jim Wick and Rich Tremarello, Confirmation Leaders, and the Confirmation Class: Isabelle B, Bella T, Eva T, Ben P, and Adian V

### Thank You

It's time to put the  
to  
and  
bring out the



Thanks to Chuck, Dean, Brian, Paul, and Dick for keeping our church grounds free of snow this winter.

Submitted by Dick Gaeth

### Thank you

to Pam Kothrade, Randene Wick, Ken Klockow and Dick Gaeth for your help in cleaning and organizing the Church School closet. It is amazing how much room we have now that things are organized.

**A special thanks** to Chuck Terlinden for purchasing a new fan for our chancel! Your generosity is much appreciated.

Praises that Mark P's recovery is going very well. He would especially like to **thank everyone** for their prayers, cards, and messages.

**Thank you** from Joe R and Madeline N for all the prayers and cards. Joe is improving gradually after his hip surgery.

Jackie Struck would like to **thank everyone** for the sympathy cards and their prayers. She really appreciates all the love and support.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY BLESSING TO YOU!



4/1 Michael Miksic  
4/1 David Porn  
4/2 Selena Mayeshiba  
4/7 Chris Whiting  
4/8 Taylor Gilgenbach  
4/10 Eloise Enright  
4/10 Ken Pisarek  
4/14 Grace Mitchell  
4/15 Devon Jorgenson  
4/16 Sara Hillmert-Gallitz

4/16 Corrigan Wick April  
4/22 Lauren Misleh  
4/22 Loretta Senderhauf  
4/24 Kyle Stouff  
4/24 Barb Wells  
4/25 Melissa Franco  
4/25 Sue Steinhauer  
4/27 Dean Kothrade  
4/27 Isabella Wick Moreira  
4/29 Eric Bingheim



Looking for an opportunity to enjoy a beautiful choir performance? Check this out:  
Submitted by John Helt



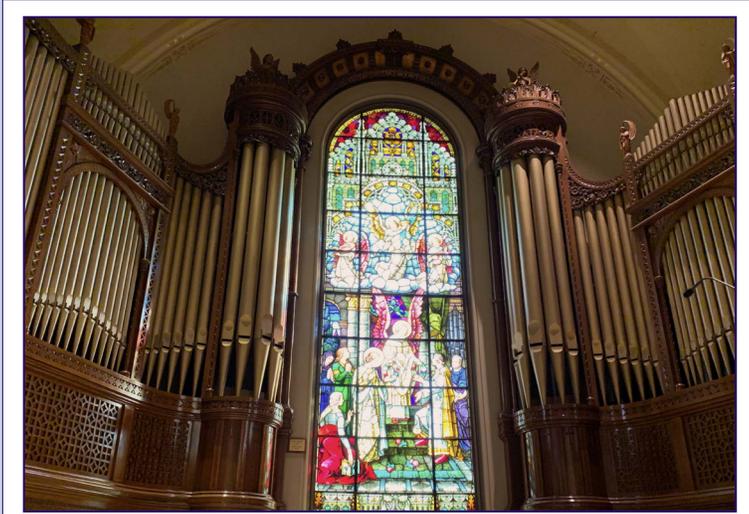
The Lutheran A Cappella Choir of Milwaukee Presents

# “It Is Well With My Soul”

Thomas Ajack, Artistic Director      Richard Ewert, Accompanist

Featuring: *Fauré Requiem*

*Gabriel Fauré’s classic masterpiece performed with orchestra as well as a program of choral music to soothe and inspire the soul.*



**Friday,  
April 29, 2022**

7:30 p.m.  
St. Luke’s Lutheran Church  
6705 Northway  
Greendale WI 53129

**Sunday,  
May 1, 2022**

3:00 p.m.  
Mount Carmel Lutheran Church  
8424 W. Center St.  
Milwaukee WI 53222

*Tickets Available* \$15 general admission | \$12 seniors/students  
[www.LutheranACappella.org](http://www.LutheranACappella.org) or at the door



**“He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay.”**

**Matthew 28:6**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

*Hear Our Prayers, O God...*

- Please pray for **Sue K and her cousin’s family** as her cousin and best friend of 75 years, Sandy, passed away on March 8. Also for Sue & Ken K’s friend, **Mary**, whose husband died on March 6.
- Keep **Jackie S and her family** in your prayers as her daughter Diane died on Feb. 25 and her daughter Lois died on March 6. (Both Diane and Lois grew up in Christ Church.)
- **Pastor Andy** asks for healing prayers for his dear friend, **Sister Ann Catherine**, who is dealing with a recurrence of cancer.
- **Darlene’s son-in-law, Dan**, who is having multiple surgeries. Please pray that the surgeries will fix his kidney/bladder problems. Also prayers for her friend, **Dave**, who needs a liver and is currently in ICU fighting for his life.
- Please pray for **Lisa H**, a 38 year old young woman, who is struggling with Stage 4 cancer.
- Pray for **Nancy C’s brother-in-law, Jerry**, who needs chemo and a bone marrow transplant.
- Asking for prayers of healing and courage for **Dan V** in his battle against cancer and strength for his family as they navigate through this condition with him.
- Continued prayers for **Ken & Sue’s son-in-law, Karl**, who is restarting chemo and for Ken K’s sister, **Kathy**, who is in hospice with an infection in her hip and knee.
- Prayers for **Laura S’s daughter** that she gets some answers about closing on her house so they can proceed with her move.
- Prayers for **Don A’s** healing from triple bypass surgery.
- For **John Helt’s sister, Maryann**, who had open heart surgery on March 11.
- Continued prayers for **Joe R** who is recovering from hip replacement surgery.

## BAY VIEW COMMUNITY CENTER

Just a reminder that the BVCC is in need of food to help those in our community. While we are not currently doing our monthly food gathering at church, there are other ways you can donate. The BVCC is open from 9:30am to 12:30pm so you can drop off any donations directly. You can also make a monetary donation to the BVCC. Please consider supporting those families who continue to struggle providing food for their families. *The Social Concerns Committee*

**Their current Wish List includes:** pasta sauce • canned tuna or canned chicken/meat • pasta • mac & cheese • cereal • canned soup • jams and jellies • laundry detergent • toilet paper • dish soap • shampoo & conditioner • cleaning supplies

### Donate Now

ONLINE GIVING IS AVAILABLE  
It's as easy as clicking the donate button here!

**DONATE NOW**

Or, go to the church website and click on the donate button at [www.uccmke.org/donate](http://www.uccmke.org/donate).  
Feel free to contact the church office at [office@uccmke.org](mailto:office@uccmke.org) for assistance.  
Thank You!



"I dyed your scrambled eggs for Easter."

John 14:6: Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

### Special Offering Opportunity in Support of Ukraine



Over the next few weeks we'll be gathering up your special gifts to support the beleaguered people of Ukraine. Please bring a check with you to church in whatever amount you decide made out to "Wisconsin Conference UCC" with "Ukraine" on the memo line. We'll forward all these to the Conference office. You can also give online by following the links at [www.wcucc.org](http://www.wcucc.org).



## Membership Information Request

Some of us at Christ Church have no other family members who belong to Christ Church. Because of this we sometimes lose track of our beloved members. Therefore, we would like to obtain an emergency contact for each member of church. Would you be willing to share this information with us, so we can update the secure accounting system that is used in the church office?

If you are willing, please complete the information below, place it in an envelope, mark it "Membership Committee", and drop it in the offering plate or mail it to the church office: **Membership Committee**

**Christ Church UCC**  
915 E. Oklahoma Ave  
Milwaukee, WI 53207



*Thank you so much for your help.*

*Joan Gaeth, Randene Wick, Co-chairs of the Membership Committee*

*Susan Pfeifer, Membership Committee Council Rep*

Print – First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Print – Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

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