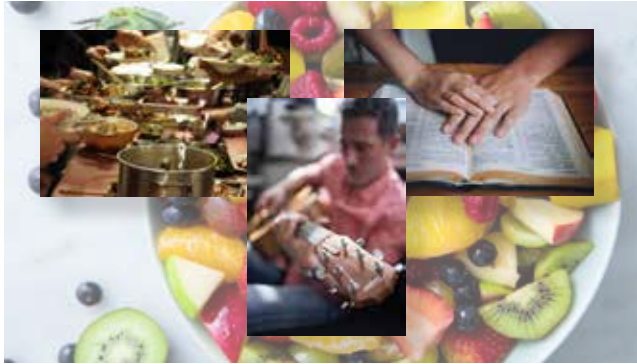


Wednesday Nights in Lent

March 27, April 3, April 10
(Family Night Series on
Faith Formation and Discipleship)

How does the experience of grace feel? What does God do for you, in you, and through you? How does grace affect the way you think? How does God's grace change the way you live?



We think of salvation as a process in Wesleyan spirituality, rather than a set of fixed beliefs in certain doctrines. There is a uniqueness to our way. Each Wednesday night we will focus on one way of thinking about grace. These ideas are from the scriptures, and embedded in certain hymns that are uniquely Wesleyan, as well as some contemporary Christian music.

Pastor Don Greer and Nate Gruber will lead us in scriptural and musical reflection, and assist us to identify the movement of God in

various ways in our lives.

March 27 "I am loved by God in spite of myself".....Justifying Grace

April 3 "Because of God my life will never be the Sanctifying Grace same; . . . I can become something new"

April 10 "My heart is tuned to the love of God" Perfecting Grace

Community Meal at 6:00 – 6:45. Wesleyan Faith Formation Series at 6:45 – 7:30.

Optional Conversation about General Conference through each lens of grace at 7:30 – 8:00

Does grace inform your perspective on human nature, and human sexuality?
Does grace inform the direction of the United Methodist Church at this time?

Community United Methodist Church, Cedarburg

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March

Week of March 24, 2019

Family Promise WORSHIP 8:00 AM & 10:15 AM FPU 9:15 AM Sunday School For All Ages 9:15 AM Wills 4:00 PM Confirmation 4:00 PM Mosaic Youth 5:00 PM MKE Handbell Festival 7:00 PM	Family Promise 25 Praise Lab 5:00 PM	Family Promise Active Seniors Luncheon 11:30 AM 26 Trellis Small Group 7:00 PM Acts 29 7:00 PM	Family Promise Mommy & Me 9:00 Wednesdays in Lent Meal - 6:00 PM Family Night Series 6:45 PM Handbells 7:00 PM General Conference Conversation 7:30 PM	Family Promise Mens Study 7:00 AM 28 Chancel Choir 7:00 PM	Family Promise Office Closed 29	Family Promise 30
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Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Looking Ahead

Sunday, March 31, 2019

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| Greeters: 8:00 a.m. - Need Volunteer | 10:15 a.m. - The Zabransky Family |
| Coffee Fellowship: 8:00 a.m. - Need Volunteer | 10:15 a.m. - The Schiel Family |
| PC Operator: 8:00 a.m. - Randy Roupp | 10:15 a.m. - Randy Roupp |
| Sound: 8:00 a.m. - Mike Harrington | 10:15 a.m. - Mike Harrington |
| Nursery: 10:15 a.m. - Infant - Need Volunteer | Pre-K - Need Volunteer |
| Acolyte: Kyra Westphal | Kid's Church: Mark Westphal |
| Welcome Center: 8:00 a.m. - Need Volunteer | 10:15 a.m. - Need Volunteer |

» Please see the kiosk in Fellowship Hall to sign up to help! «

Newsletter articles are due on the 20th of every month



Active Seniors

Tuesday, March 26
11:30 a.m.

Luncheon and Presentation

Balance and Fall Prevention with Fyzical® Therapy & Balance Centers

Sign up in Fellowship Hall today!

Church News

Financial Peace University — Today, the congregation is invited to revisit the first of the original four Financial Peace Videos in the community room during the adult Sunday School hour at 9:15 a.m. No workbooks are required and this is an opportunity to see if you might like to take the course next year.

Easter Flowers — Be sure and sign-up to provide bright, beautifully colored flowers for our sanctuary to be displayed on Easter Sunday. Most of these flowers are provided in loving memory or in honor of loved ones. Once again this year, you may provide a lily for \$8.50 or a daffodil, tulip or hyacinth plant for \$8.00. Deadline to sign up providing an Easter Plant is Sunday, April 7. Sign up in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday Night Help — We are looking for a few people to help set up tables and chairs in Fellowship Hall for the Wednesday night community meal. If you are willing to help, please contact the church office. Thank you!

Men's Study Group — The men are studying William Barclay's second book on Revelation: The Revelation of John. Please join us Thursday mornings at PJ Pipers at 7 a.m. for coffee, discussion, and camaraderie.

Wills: Their Importance and How to Make One — The current FPU class would like to invite all CUMC members and outside community to an information session on how to make a will. Led by attorney, Megan Heinzelman, the class will be held at 4 p.m. today, Mar. 24th in the Community Room at CUMC. Please sign up on the kiosk.

Sunday Sermons — By going to our website (cedarburgcumc.org) under the Connect tab, you are now able to access past sermons from Sunday services.

Adult Sunday School — We have three adult classes being offered at 9:15 a.m. "Pew Sisters" continues in the Conference Room, "Nine Essential Things I've Learned About Life" with Pat Morrissey in the Wesley Room, and "Life & Ministry of the Messiah" with Mike Blodgett in the Library.

Women of Faith — We will meet April 8 at 1:15 p.m. in the church library. We will continue on with chapter 11 from the book "Who Is This Man" by John Ortberg. Thank you to Nancy Severson for her presentation at the March meeting regarding her recent trip to Israel.

Mary Martha — Mary Martha will meet on Wednesday, April 10 at 12:30 p.m. at Bamboo Bistro (formerly Rosati's - in front of Pick 'n Save) 1955 Washington Ave., Grafton. Contact Karen Maihofer (262-375-0962) if you have any questions. All women welcome!

Cribbage Club — Cribbage Club will be Sunday, April 14 after second service in the Wesley Room. Bring a sandwich and a cold drink. Open to all. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Marilyn Plaistow at (262)391-7397.

2019 CUMC Rummage Sale — Getting ready for your Spring Cleanup? Please remember to save your items for our Indoor Church Rummage Sale. The sale supplements the General Operating Budget which funds our gas and electric bills, Sunday School, Youth Group, Mission Outreach, compensation for our staff — and more! Save the date: August 24. Drop-off dates to be announced. We appreciate your support!

Youth & Children's Ministries

Mommy & Me — 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. For those stay-at-home moms with children! Come join Tricia Gruber and Jen Lange with their children at CUMC from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for some great social interaction. Free coffee!

Vacation Bible School — Save the date for Vacation Bible School! "Power Up" with us this summer and join us for VBS June 10-13th from 9:00 a.m. - noon. We will also be needing several volunteers to help make this event possible. See Jen or Tricia to register your kids or to volunteer.

Outreach

Coin Offering — The first quarter coin offering is going to the Asylum Seeker Advocacy Project. Please save your coins and give generously to this organization that has helped so many families win their legal battles.

UMCOR Sunday — Special Sunday Offering - Sunday, March 31. We reach children, families and communities who have experienced devastation in the wake of disaster. As responders around the globe scramble to help survivors, the United Methodist Committee on Relief, UMCOR, is prepared to act. Since 1940, when UMCOR's forerunner was established to meet the needs of those suffering overseas at the onset of World War II, we've continued to respond to those in desperate need—today throughout more than eighty countries around the world. Please give generously.



*Milwaukee Area
Handbell Festival*

**Tonight, March 24
Concert 7:00 p.m.**

**St. John's Lutheran Church Gymnasium
Glendale, WI**



**Palm Sunday April 14
Services at 8:00 & 10:15 a.m.**



**Maundy Thursday April 18
Service at 7:00 p.m.**



**Good Friday April 19
Service at Noon, Light luncheon follows**



**Easter Celebration April 21
Services at 8:00 & 10:15 a.m.**



**Easter Brunch
April 21
9:00 a.m.
Sign up in
Fellowship Hall today!**