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Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Looking Ahead

Sunday, December 31, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

- Greeters:** 10:00 a.m. - Dave & Lee Ann Blackmer
- Coffee Fellowship:** Bring in leftover treats
- PC Operator:** 10:00 a.m. - Jeff McCray
- Sound:** 10:00 a.m. - Mike Harrington
- Welcome Center:** Lee Ann Blackmer
- Acolyte:** Need Volunteer



Sign up to Volunteer — Please consider filling in the few vacancies we have for Coffee Fellowship, Nursery, and Greeter schedules through the end of January. The sign-up sheets are on the kiosk in Fellowship Hall. Thank you!



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Outreach

Coin Drive — September 1 through December 31. Our funds will go to meet Harbor House Crisis Shelter's greatest needs.

CUMC Christmas Offering — Will be given to "Franciscan Peacemakers" for their street ministry in Milwaukee, as they reach out to those victimized by human trafficking. Franciscan Peacemakers volunteers provide lunches and personal care items to children, women and men, many of whom are homeless or living in severe poverty. Once their immediate needs are met, they are invited to come off the streets. The relationships formed with these children of God provide a pathway to a sustainable healthy, safe, and productive life. Please consider a generous donation this Christmas to Franciscan Peacemakers.

Human Relations Day — Together we extend a helping hand to those in crisis so they can overcome formidable obstacles. Let's nurture at-risk youth, strengthen community development efforts, and advocate for the oppressed! Please give generously on January 14th.

Pecans — Our Schermer Pecans are available for purchase after both services for \$10.00 a bag. Profits will benefit UMCOR Material Resources Advance, which provides supplies during the time of crisis and disaster.

Food Drive — Northcott Neighborhood House, 6th & Wright in Milwaukee, will receive our food collection during December. Let's donate generously! We can have a wonderful impact on this area of Milwaukee at Christmas with our food ministry. The gift of food is always welcomed!

Family Promise — Our next two host weeks begin Jan. 21st and Apr.15th. Please consider one day to help out in some way. Thank you!

Hunger Task Force — Cedarburg United Methodist Church is signed up to help sort food at the Hunger Task Force on Saturday, January 27th from 9:00 – 12:00 PM. This is an OUTSTANDING outreach for individuals and families, as it helps out so many families as they are Wisconsin's leading anti-hunger organization. Please sign up on the kiosk in Fellowship Hall.

Church News

No Sunday School — There will be no Sunday School today and on December 31.

Women of Faith — The Women of Faith will meet January 8th and begin a new study. The book is John Ortberg's "Who Is This Man". (The Unpredictable Impact of the Inescapable Jesus.) We meet in the church library the second Monday of the month at 1:15. If you would like to come and have a question call 262-375-4051.

New Year's Eve Morning *The John Wesley Watchnight Service*

December 31 – 10:00 a.m. only

Every New Year people make "New Year's resolutions." Since the late 1700's no service has captured this sentiment as richly as "John Wesley's Covenant Communion Service." You will be struck by the moving nature of the words as we surrender our lives to God anew. The alternation of these inspirational words with sung carols and songs of devotion, culminating in Holy Communion is the core of the message. Begin a new year intentionally with God at the forefront.

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