

# Fall Family Nights

November 7, 14, 21

6:00 pm – 7:30 pm. • Fellowship Hall

All Family Nights started the 24th of October and will take place on every Thursday night through November 21st. The theme for learning and conversation is about identifying a Discipleship Pathway for CUMC. What does it involve for us collectively? How do we walk on that path personally? Our Thursday Family Night dinners include fellowship, learning and practice. In years past we have generally eaten our meal and then transitioned to a time of teaching. This fall we eat while we discuss the discipleship pathway at our tables, which will cause the ideas to come to life in practical and



attainable ways. Nate will provide leadership as a part of his seminary internship. Pastor Don will tie related concepts into Sunday morning worship themes between now and Thanksgiving. Our hope is that through these five weeks our congregation will develop a better understanding of what a Discipleship Pathway is,

and have a clear idea of how to move forward in bringing faith and a relationship with Jesus to life for the people we interact with on a daily basis.



## Thanksgiving Potluck & Auction

Sunday, November 24  
11:30 a.m. • CUMC

On Sunday, November 24th, following the 2nd service, *(please note new time)* our church will again host a traditional Thanksgiving All Church Dinner. Sign up in Fellowship Hall for the food items needed to make it a great feast, and to indicate whether you are able to attend. The Welcoming Committee encourages you to invite friends, neighbors and other family that would enjoy an afternoon of food, fellowship and fun. What a great way to introduce CUMC to someone looking for a new church home! There is also a sign-up sheet for donations to our annual auction which will take place after the dinner. Sign up today!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## November

Week of November 3, 2019

Daylight Savings Ends <b>WORSHIP 8:00 AM</b> Directory Photos Taken Sunday School For All Ages 9:15 AM <b>WORSHIP 10:15 AM</b> Directory Photos Taken Confirmation 4:00 PM Mosaic Youth Group Middle School 5:00 PM High School 6:30 PM	4 Nomination 4:00 PM Outreach 6:00 PM	5 Acts 29 7:00 PM	Handbells 6:10 PM Community Dialogue on Mental Health 6:30 PM Chancel Choir 7:15 PM	Mens Study 7:00 AM Mosaic Teens Coffee & Donuts 7:30 AM Mission Insight 3:00 PM Fall Family Night 6:00 PM Walking the Labyrinth 6:30 PM - Grafton	Office Closed Mosaic Youth Fall Retreat	Mosaic Youth Fall Retreat			
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**Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to Noon**

### Looking Ahead

**Sunday, November 10, 2019**

**Greeters:** 8:00 a.m. - Need Volunteer 10:15 a.m. - Ellyn Wagner  
**Coffee Fellowship:** 8:00 a.m. - Need Volunteer 10:15 a.m. - Women of Faith  
**PC Operator:** 8:00 a.m. - Jeff McCray 10:15 a.m. - Jeff McCray  
**Sound:** Bruce Krenzke 10:15 a.m. - Bruce Krenzke  
**Welcome Center:** 8:00 a.m. - Pat Morrissey 10:15 a.m. - Pat Morrissey  
**Acolyte:** 10:15 - Need Volunteer

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

**Newsletter articles are due on the 20th of every month**

### Picture This - A New Portrait



Ken Michaelchuck, our resident photographer who loves taking pictures which bring out the best aspects of your personality through his portraits, will again be taking pictures today and November 10. Ken will set up shop in the Community Room. By getting an updated photo taken, you keep our digital directory current. By taking a picture this time of year, you just might find you have taken a great picture for your holiday greetings as Ken loves to share the digital file or make a copy of the photo for you. Be sure to come to church ready to get a new picture taken!

## Church News

**Men's Study Group** — This month the Thursday Morning Men's group will begin reading and discussing "The World Jesus Knew," a book that examines the culture, beliefs, and customs during the time of Jesus. The author, Anne Punton, is an authority on the Jewish roots of Christianity. We interpret the Bible through all its translations and try to apply it to our current thinking but sometimes fail to recognize that world 2000 years ago was indeed drastically different. We will look at a variety of the aspects of early Israeli culture, eg. clothes, education, language, living conditions. Through this text we hope to gain a better understanding of the stories, characters, and teachings found in the Bible. We invite all men to spend an hour with us Thursday mornings at P. J. Piper's at 7 AM for breakfast and spirited discussion.

**STOP the Stigma of Mental Health** — On November 6th, from 6:30 – 8:00 PM, the "STOP the Stigma of Mental Health" taskforce will be hosting an evening entitled, "There is No Health Without Mental Health" at CUMC in the Sanctuary. This is the second in a four-part series of Community Dialogues about mental health. The agenda includes the viewing of the second half of the PBS documentary "Kids in Crisis: You're Not Alone." Hosted by Portia Young, parents of the four teens are interviewed and mental health experts discuss coping strategies. Our special guests will be: PBS Host Portia Young; Mental Health Professionals: Brian Flynn and Melissa Hale; Greg Johnson: Counselor at Grafton High School and Patrick Sorensen: Cedarburg School Psychologist. We will need some volunteers to greet our guests, as well as helping to set up resource tables outside of the community room. Please RSVP at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mental-health-we-all-have-it-tickets-69933373603>. For further information and questions, please contact Pat Morrissey at [patmorrissey19@gmail.com](mailto:patmorrissey19@gmail.com).

**Women of Faith** — The Women of Faith discussion group is underway for the fall season. On Sunday, November 10, we will be bringing home-baked goodies and additional refreshments for the all-church coffee fellowship which follows the 10:15 service. Please join us Monday, November 11th, at 1:15 P.M. in the church library. We will discuss Chapter Three of the new book, "Everybody's Normal Til You Get to Know Them," by John Ortberg. The author, John Ortberg, is a Pastor, teacher, and best-selling author. He writes with humor, insight and has a gift for storytelling. You'll get a thought-provoking look at God's heart, at others, and at yourself.

**Cribbage** — Cribbage will be held November 17, 11:30 a.m. in the Wesley Room. Bring a sandwich/snack and a cold drink. Contact Marilyn Plaistow (262-391-7397) if you have questions. Everyone welcome!

## Outreach

**4th Quarter Coin Offering** — Fourth Quarter Coin Offering will be going to Harbor House Crisis Shelters. Harbor House Crisis Shelters mission is to provide hospitable shelter, transitional living and services for homeless women and families.

**Little Hats, Big Hearts™** — All knitters and crocheters : The American Heart Association will again be accepting infant red hats to give to newborns during the month of February. We were able to join with the Woman's Club of Wisconsin last year and donate over 100 tiny hats. Hats need to be red acrylic or red cotton, machine washable and dry-able, medium to heavy weight yarn. A basket will be outside the office for collection in early December.

**Pecans for Jail Literacy** — Pecans will soon be here for fall baking and gift giving. We hope to have them in November in time for Thanksgiving baking. As always we will have

plain, chocolate covered (milk and dark) and carmel clusters. If you have a special order please let me know at [streichfamily@aol.com](mailto:streichfamily@aol.com). This is a fund raiser and all profits will go to the Ozaukee Jail Literacy Program. Plain - \$11.00, Chocolate - \$10.00

**Save the Date** — Look beyond the headlines at a panel discussion about "Asylum Seekers at our Southern Border," on Tuesday, November 19, from 7-8:30 p.m., presented by a committee of United Methodist Church of Whitefish Bay, 819 E. Silver Spring Dr. The three-person panel includes Christine Neumann-Ortiz, Voces de la Frontera; Dan Dick, Assistant to the Bishop; and Joe Rivas, an attorney and Professor of Immigration at Marquette University. Mike Martin is the moderator, and audience questions are part of the evening's schedule. Plan now to attend this timely event!

## Community

**Packers vs LA Chargers Football Party** — Peter Wollner Post, W57 N481 Hilbert Ave., in Cedarburg. Sunday, November 3. Doors open at 2 p.m. The Cedarburg American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 288 is presenting a fun Game Day event on the post's two large screen TVs (72 inches). Wear your Green and Gold or..... Support your team of your choice with good cheer for all. Snacks, appetizers, jello shots, raffles and more will be shared. For more information call Gail 262-488-0668. Tickets are \$10 and available for purchase at Olsen's Piggly Wiggly in Cedarburg. Make checks out to ALA Unit 288. The American Legion Auxiliary, Cedarburg goal with this game day party is to raise money to help furnish the Tiny Homes for Veterans being built on the northwest side of Milwaukee through Veterans Outreach of Wisconsin Inc., so they can become re-acclimated to society, jobs, and homes of their own.



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## Please Help!

Fall brings opportunities to help others. Please consider making a financial gift to our Pastor's Discretionary Fund to help with emerging needs. Write "Pastor's Discretionary Fund" on the memo line of your check or indicate on your giving envelope. Thank you for your generosity.

## Coping with grief through the holidays

**Thursday, Nov. 7, 6:00 p.m.**  
**St. Francis Borgia North Church Hall**  
**1375 Covered Bridge Rd., Cedarburg**

Jacquelyn Olivera, certified grief therapist, will be the honored guest of the St. Francis Borgia Bereavement Ministry. Jacquelyn will present her experiences, love and hope to those who grieve the loss of their loved one, as often their grief intensifies during the holiday season. Adults who have suffered the loss of a spouse, child, family member or friend are invited to attend this very special event. There will be time for sharing, as well as coffee/tea and desserts. Pre-registration is preferred so enough resources will be available. There is no cost. To pre-register or for more info, please contact Connie at [connie37reilly@gmail.com](mailto:connie37reilly@gmail.com)