



**PARKSIDE COMMUNITY  
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**AUGUST 2022**

# **NEWSLETTER**

**News & updates from our church for our community**

## ***PARKSIDE MEMBERS, LET'S MEET AT THE TRIANGLE!***

Live at the Triangle Concerts start at 7:00 p.m. and run until 9:00 p.m. at Veterans Park in downtown Saukville and are held on scheduled Wednesday evenings. Join Parkside in an informal gathering on Aug. 10 to enjoy the sounds of Midlife Oasis - Rock Classics from the 70's to Today. Bring your family, friends, and lawn chairs and enjoy a summer evening of great music and fun! Food and beverages are available for purchase. Veterans Park is located at 100 S. Mill Street (STH 33, 1 mile west of I-43). Each of the Live At the Triangle nights will also include a "Cruise Night" with custom and stock autos and motorcycles on display.

### ***OTHER STORIES IN THIS ISSUE:***

**PASTOR SUSAN'S  
FAREWELL**

**BELLA MUSIK  
JOINS US  
AUGUST 7**

***Wear you Parkside shirt if you have one!***

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## ***HAPPY BIRTHDAY!***

August	2	Daniel Dollert
August	4	Mike Metz
August	5	Baker Metz
August	5	Nancy Gierach
August	5	Nathan Golownia
August	8	Elizabeth Feith
August	10	Adelaine Carlson
August	10	Ellie Carlson
August	19	Ann Murawsky
August	24	Evan Race
August	27	Daniel Golownia
August	31	Mark Gierach

## ***HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!***

Bing & Chelene  
Golownia  
8/10/63

Mark & Nancy Gierach  
8/12/95

Jane & Chip Elbe  
8/24/973

Mike & Sandy Smith  
8/29/80

Patty & Dan Gilbert  
8/31/80





# ***FAREWELL TO PASTOR SUSAN***



On Sunday, July 24th we held a special service and farewell luncheon for Pastor Susan Drake.

We wish her the best! Below is the closing prayer from the service:

"God, whose everlasting love for all is trustworthy, help each of us to trust the future which rests in your care. The time we were together in your name saw our laughter and tears, our hopes and disappointments. Guide us as we hold these cherished memories but move in new directions, until that time to come when we are completely one with you and with each other, in the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen."







## ***SERVICE WITH BELLA MUSIK SUNDAY, AUGUST 7***

Join us for a special worship service featuring music by local vocal duo Bella Musik on August 7 at 10am. All out-of-town guests and locals who are new to our church are welcome! Come as you are and worship with us!

*You can't have a better tomorrow  
if you are always  
thinking about yesterday.*

- Unknown





## ***COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES FROM JULY 12***

*SUBMITTED BY SUE SARVER*

Present: Heather Rogge, Sue Sarver, Kaitlyn Watry, Joan B, Wally Quade

Open with prayer: Heather

Council Minutes: Motion made by Joan B. to accept the June minutes; second Wally Q. motion passed.

Treasurer report- Motion made by Kathy T. to accept the Treasure report for June, second by Wally Q. Motion passed.

No reports of committees discussed -please see newsletter for details.

Old Business:

Carrie will be out of the office Aug 8-16 this is paid time off 20 hrs @ \$18/hr. Mail will be picked up by Joan, church voicemail will be checked by Kaitlyn.

New Business:

- Hot water heater was replaced approx. cost \$1,000.
- Aug. 10th Music at the Triangle Park come enjoy the music and social gathering for our church.
- Once an Interim pastor is in place, they would be provided a key to the church.
- Very excited to announce that Heather Rogge has applied to the Damascus Project (formally Lay Academy). Within the three Damascus Project learning pathways: Faith Foundation, Leadership Skills and Ministry skills. Parkside Community is in support of her through this journey.
- Council has reviewed previous church profile, discussions of changes as to where we are today as a church. Will continue to inform the members of the church as the process continues.

Motion to adjourn by Joan B. second by Kaitlyn W, motion passed.

Closed with the Lord's Prayer

# ***CARING MINISTRIES***

## **Prayer Families for the month:**

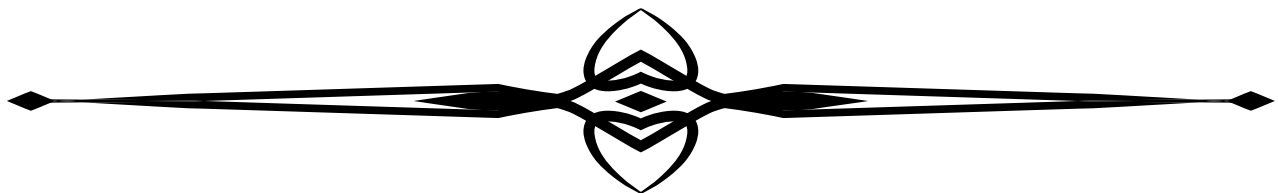
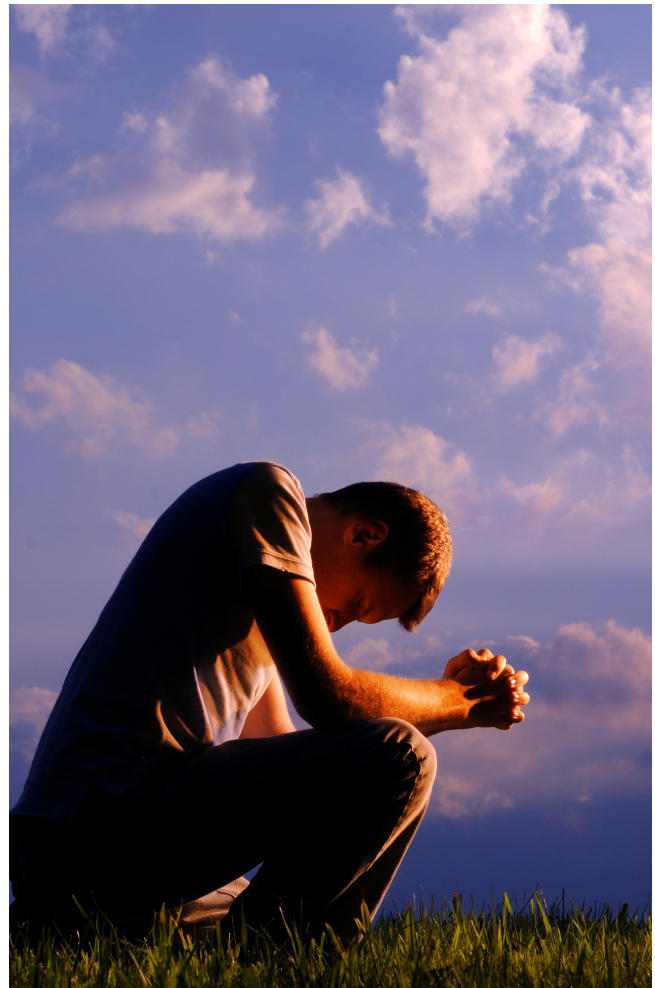
August 7 - LaVerne Dollert

August 14 - Kaitlyn & Brady Watry

August 21 - Mark & Nancy Gierach

August 28 - John & Penny Fransee

To protect our members' privacy we cannot publish mailing addresses. If you are in need of a family's address, please contact the church office at [saukvilleucc@att.net](mailto:saukvilleucc@att.net) or 262-284- 0588 and we can email or mail you an updated membership list with addresses.



**Thank You Notes:** A thank you note was sent to Heather Rogge for her wonderful service while Pastor Susan was at Wisconsin Conference.

Look for the Prayer Family card on the round table in the Fireside Room, as well. Please sign the cards. You can add a brief message, if you wish.

Thank you for supporting Caring Ministries through Fair Trade and card sales. Fair Trade items and handmade occasion cards are located on the shelf next to the office and are available for sale.

**Communion Wafers:** Gluten-free wafers are available for communion in a separate basket. Be sure to look for the gluten-free label on your Ziplock bag.

**Prayer Chain Information:** To call in a prayer request, please notify Jean Hamilton at 262-284-3734 or [jeanhamilton1943@yahoo.com](mailto:jeanhamilton1943@yahoo.com) or Gail Weigel at [dweigel@wi.rr.com](mailto:dweigel@wi.rr.com).



# ***News from the broader Parkside Community...***

## **A Place to Be Spirituality Center**

Friday, August 19 - Art Night -- TGIF! At the end of the week, don't we all deserve to relax, enjoy amazing company, and let our creativity shine? Join us for our Friday Art Fun Nights, where we welcome guests to participate in an evening of art and refreshments. Each month we will feature an instructor-led art project with supplies on hand for anybody who would like to join us in creativity and friendship. Whether you are a seasoned artist or have no art experience, we would love to welcome you for socialization and self expression at our Friday Art Fun Nights! Registration requested so we can make sure we have enough supplies. Please register here: <https://www.aplacetobesc.org/store/p51/FridayArtFunNights.html>

## **That Taco Guy**

Authentic tasting Street Style Tacos!! Follow the truck to find out where they are serving these delicious nachos, tacos, burritos and more at [thattacoguy.com](http://thattacoguy.com) .

## **Saukville Community Food Pantry**

The pantry is in the middle of collecting donations for its annual school supply drive. Supplies need to be dropped off by August 1. Items needed: binders, 12 count colored pencils, highlighters, loose leaf paper, markers, pencil boxes, pink pearl erasers, rulers, scissors, composition notebooks. For more information contact Joana at 262-268-2723

**"ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE,  
TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH."**

- Helen Keller



# AUGUST MISSION: OCWM OUR CHURCH'S WIDER MISSION

OCWM is our mission for the month of August. Any donations can be dropped off at Sunday service and placed in the rainbow striped bucket. If you use text giving, you can designate a dollar amount to go towards any mission.

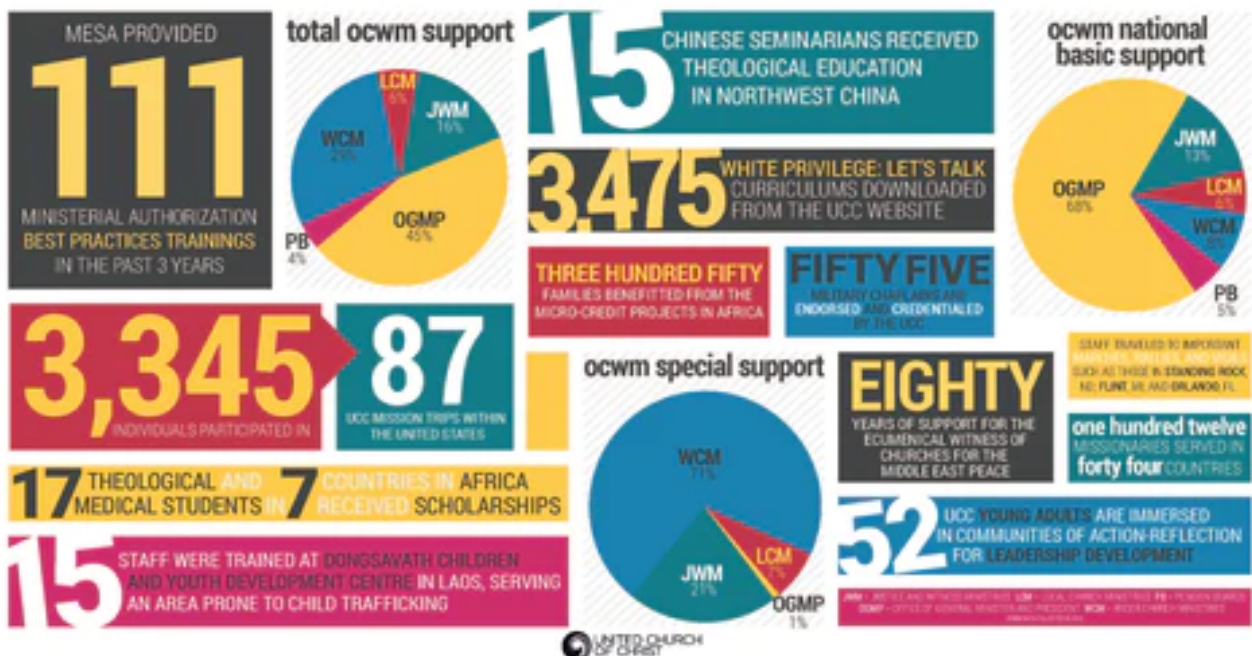


OUR CHURCH'S WIDER MISSION



## WHY DONATE TO OUR CHURCH'S WIDER MISSION?

Our Church's Wider Mission makes it possible to live out the vision of the United Church of Christ: *United in Christ's love, a just world for all.*





# ***WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS***

## ***NOW SEEKING HELP WITH AV AND COMMUNION***

We are so thankful to all of those who have opened their heart to serve as volunteers for our weekly worship services! Whether you serve as a reader, run the AV equipment, or bring flowers to decorate the altar, please know that you are appreciated! Presently we are looking for a few folks to help run the AV equipment for the Powerpoints displayed at service. No prior experience necessary but any computer experience is helpful. Instructions are provided.

We are also looking for help with setup and cleanup for communion, which is held on the first Sunday of every month. Instructions will be provided.

### ***AUGUST SCHEDULE***

7	AUG, SUN	Accompanist: Bella Musik Altar Flowers: Kathy Quade AV: Bill Karrels Communion Setup & Cleanup: Jessica Lemberg & Kay Tyler Fellowship Time: Joan Brecke Pulpit Supply: Rev. Steve Hecky Reader: Howard Brecke
14	AUG, SUN	Accompanist: Mike Chapel Altar Flowers: Joan Brecke AV: Bill Karrels Fellowship Time: Kathy Tauben Pulpit Supply: Rev. Steve Hecky Reader: Gail Weigel
21	AUG, SUN	Accompanist: Mike Chapel Altar Flowers: Jessica Lemberg AV: Bill Karrels Fellowship Time: Nancy Strehlow Pulpit Supply: Rev. Steve Hecky Reader: Marla Race
28	AUG, SUN	Accompanist: Mike Chapel Altar Flowers: Pastor Susan AV: Bill Karrels Fellowship Time: Kathy Tauben Pulpit Supply: Rev. Steve Hecky Reader: Sue Sarver

If you can help with AV or communion, please add your name to the signup sheets in the Fireside Room by the office. Or, email the office at [saukvilleucc@att.net](mailto:saukvilleucc@att.net).

To help keep track of who is scheduled on any given Sunday, we have created a public calendar on the Parkside website so anyone can access it at anytime to see when an individual is scheduled. To view the calendar go to [parksideucc.com](http://parksideucc.com) and click on the "About" menu and look for "Worship Volunteers". A direct link to the calendar is [here](#).

Whether you want to volunteer just the one time or you want to be placed on the regular rotation we would love to have you participate! Email [saukvilleucc@att](mailto:saukvilleucc@att) if you are interested or have questions.



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