



**PARKSIDE COMMUNITY  
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**FEBRUARY 2022**

# **NEWSLETTER**

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

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

**COLLECTING  
SOCKS FOR  
BOB'S UNDER  
THE BRIDGE - 4**

## ***HELP US GROW OUR CHURCH***

YOU CAN HELP US GROW OUR CHURCH, RIGHT FROM YOUR OWN HOME AND BY JUST LIFTING ONE LITTLE FINGER! JUST TAKE A MINUTE TO LIKE OUR FACEBOOK PAGE, LOGIN TO FACEBOOK AND TYPE PARKSIDE SAUKVILLE IN THE SEARCH BAR, THEN CLICK ON OUR PAGE AND HIT THE THUMBS UP ICON TO FOLLOW OUR PAGE.

WHEN YOU SEE OUR POSTS, PLEASE LIKE THEM AND SHARE THEM ON YOUR OWN PAGE. THIS INCREASES OUR VISIBILITY AND STRETCH INTO OUR COMMUNITY. AND YOU NEVER KNOW WHO MIGHT JUST SHOW UP FOR CHURCH ON SUNDAY BECAUSE THEY SAW SOMETHING ON FACEBOOK THAT CAUGHT THEIR ATTENTION -- IT'S HAPPENED BEFORE!

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# ***SERVICES AVAILABLE ONLINE***

If you want to tune in to any of our services, please use these Facebook and YouTube links. Services are posted about 2 hours after completion and remain posted on our YouTube channel, so you can always go back and view something you may have missed.



**YOU CAN READ PASTOR SUSAN'S  
SERMONS ONLINE ON OUR WEBSITE:**

**<https://www.parksideucc.com/sermons.html>**

## ***STEWARDSHIP***

Dates for the 2022 Rummage Sale!!

Drop off:

Sunday, May 29 after church.

Monday, May 30 (by appointment)

Drop Off and Set Up:

Wednesday, June 1 from 8am - 5pm

Rummage Sale Dates:

Thursday, June 2 8am-7pm

Friday, June 3 8am-5pm

Saturday, June 4 8am-noon

\$5/bag sale

No Stewardship Committee meeting  
January or February. Next meeting  
is Sunday, March 13 after church.

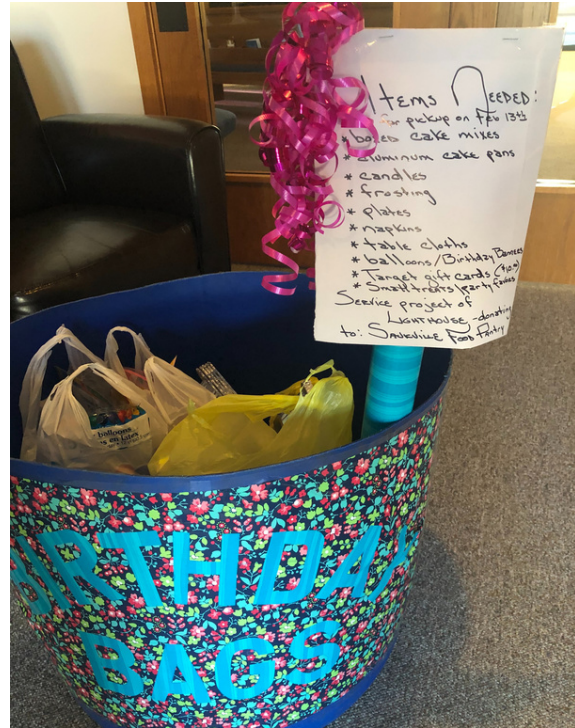
Please start saving your treasures to  
bring to the sale. Also, if possible,  
block out a few hours of your time to  
help as much as you can. Thank you.

# ***HAPPY BIRTHDAY!***

- February 4 - Jean Hamilton
- February 5 - Arianna Fuentes
- February 5 - Kathy Tauben
- February 5 - Pat Davis
- February 8 - Michael Chapel
- February 8 - Kristine Schmit
- February 8 - Roger Geib (86!)
- February 14 - Brittnee Heimerl
- February 15 - Karen Welton (82!)
- February 16 - Matthew DeGross



May the LORD bless you on your birthday, and may your day be filled with joy and your year full of many blessings!



## ***LIGHTHOUSE YOUTH GROUP***

On Sunday, February 20th the youth will meet at Parkside and make birthday bags for the Saukville Food Pantry. Each birthday bag will contain: boxed cake mix, aluminum cake pan, candles, frosting, plates, napkins, tablecloth, balloons, and a Target gift card. Youth will also have an opportunity to tour the Food Pantry. Talk about Lent and appropriate ideas for observing.

NOTE: There is a collection container in back of church for Birthday Bag items. Your donations will be greatly appreciated.

# ***MISSIONS COMMITTEE***

The latest Missions Committee project is collecting new socks for Bob's Under the Bridge.

This organization serves people who are homeless. Please put your contributions in the basket in the Narthex.

We will be collecting through the month of February.

Thank you!



## ***SALE ON LOTIONS & CANDLES***

All the good smelling items for sale on the table in the Fireside Room to benefit Human Trafficking victims through the Franciscan Peacemakers organization have been marked down.

Please consider making a purchase to help support the fight against human trafficking. They make great Valentine's gifts!





# ***COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES FROM JANUARY 18, 2022***

*SUBMITTED BY SUE SARVER*

Present: Heather Rogge, Sue Sarver, Joan Brecke, Wally Quade, Kathy Tauben, Kaitlyn Watry and Pastor Susan

Open with prayer: Pastor Susan

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

Treasurer report- Motion made by Sue S. to accept the Treasure report for December, second by Kaitlyn W. Motion passed.

Pastor Report – Confirmation classes have begun, Joan B assists staying with our safe sanctuary policy. We will be looking to order Bibles to present upon completion.

## Committees:

Faith Formation & Youth- No report provided, however there is a tubing outing scheduled for Jan. 23.

Stewardship: Yearly church members statements will be mailed or emailed.

Worship- no meeting held

Building & Grounds- grease traps to be cleaned

Caring- No meeting held; Prayer list being provided.

Missions- February collect men and women's socks for Bob Under The Bridge. Planning ahead

Parkside will have a team for the Walk to End Alzheimer's. Sale of lotions continue in the fireside room.

Pastors Relation- Next meeting 2/20/22.

Reimaging Task Force- no meeting held

## Old Business:

Position for Music Director – Wally Q. made motion to proceed with placing an ad for the position for a Music Director up to \$500, second by Kathy T, motion passed. Mike will continue to support our church during this time.

## New Business:

2021 Annual report will be laid out as was in 2020

Joan B will be assisting Carrie with the 2021 Annual report and the WI UCC Conference yearbook forms.

Discussion regarding paid Covid sick time for Carrie- Covid paid sick time was not a part of the 2022 budget, however we would offer her extra time to make up her hours missed.

Parkside received information regarding non-profit installing of gardens to help pollinators as part of Neighborhood Habitat Improvements Projects. Buildings and Grounds Comm will find out more detailed information.

Motion to adjourn by Wally Q, second by Kaitlyn W, motion passed.

January 23, 2022

Council held a brief meeting to schedule Annual review of financial Congregational meeting to be held on February 27, 2022 following church service.

# ***CARING MINISTRIES***

Our prayer team has 28 members ready to pray for you or your loved ones. Please see or email Gail if you would like to be a part of the Prayer Team. Our members receive an updated list each month and are asked to pray in their own way for a specific portion of the list. To call in a prayer request, please notify Jean Hamilton at 262-284-3734 / jeanmhamilton1943@yahoo.com or Gail Weigel at dweigel@wi.rr.com.

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 handmade greeting card sales. These items are located on the shelf next to the office and are available for sale.

Communion Wafers—Gluten free wafers are available for communion. Be sure to look for the gluten free label on the baggie.

Soup Ministry—There are times in each of our lives when a light meal is very much appreciated. Caring Ministries has frozen quarts of homemade soup available. See any member of the Caring Ministries Team if you know of a member who would appreciate a quart.



## Prayer Families for February:

February 6 - Kathy Tauben

February 13 - Roger Geib

February 20 - Dan & Patty Gilbert

February 27 - Frank & Kathy Parsons

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.

# WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS



We are so thankful to all of those who have opened their heart to serving 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!

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 [parksideuucc.com](http://parksideuucc.com) and click on the "About" menu and look for "Worship Volunteers". A direct link to the calendar is [here](#).

6 FEB, SUN Accompanist: Mike Chapel  
Altar Flowers: Heather Rogge  
AV: Heather Rogge (no Bill)  
Reader: Ingrid Newlin

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13 FEB, SUN Accompanist: Mike Chapel  
Altar Flowers: Kathy Quade  
AV: Heather Rogge (no Bill)  
Reader: Gail Weigel

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20 FEB, SUN Accompanist: Mike Chapel  
Altar Flowers: Joan Brecke  
AV: Bill Karrels  
Reader: Marla Race

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27 FEB, SUN Accompanist: Mike Chapel  
Altar Flowers: Jessica Lemberg  
AV: Bill Karrels  
Reader: Ron Newlin

We are always looking for more volunteers in our rotation, if you would like to help please let us know. Currently readers are scheduled every 7 weeks and those who bring flowers for the altar are every 4 weeks. With just a couple of more volunteers we can stretch that out even further. Whether you want to volunteer just one time- no commitment - or you want to be placed on the regular rotation we would love to have you participate! Email [saukvilleuucc@att](mailto:saukvilleuucc@att) if you are interested or have questions.

The best way  
to find yourself  
is to lose yourself  
in the service of others.

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