

To Members and Friends of Oakland-Cambridge Presbyterian Church,

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ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 29 people from OCPC and London Moravian Churches gathered together to celebrate World Communion Sunday and a Blessing of the Animals service. We met at the Severson Learning Center, a working farm that teaches school children and the public about caring for the land, the environment and animals. The gardens planted and tended to by students, also offer fresh produce for the schools and the food pantry.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11
20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION
10 AM**



ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, our guest preacher will be Rev. Sam Massey. Pastor Sam moved to McFarland from Pennsylvania 1.5 years ago with his wife and basset hound Rosie. He enjoys being retired and living near his two sons and two grandchildren. He serves the North Lima Presbyterian Church two Sundays per month. Our musician will be Marian Korth. Please join us!

CAP SENIOR MEAL ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14 AT THE CAMBRIDGE

LIBRARY: The meal in October will be an Oktoberfest Celebration served at the Cambridge Library. The menu, prepared by Chef Mike Stitz, will feature Rahn Schnitzel (pork cutlets with mushroom gravy), Kartoffelknoder (potato dumplings), Siiss-saucer Rotkohl (sweet sour red cabbage), rye bread, and Schwarzwaldler Kirschtorte (black forest cake). For entertainment, Mike Schneider will play polka music. Reservations can be made by calling 608-423-8142 (Food Pantry line), or emailing kmarren@cambridge.k12.wi.us. The

cost is \$5.00 per person. Doors open at 11:45 a.m. and the meal is served at noon. Join us the second Wednesday of each month.

SENIOR ENRICHMENT SERIES: The Cambridge Community Activities Program (CAP) hosts workshops for those 55 and up designed to inform, empower and connect local seniors with topics like wellness & life transitions, history, culture & current events, technology & innovation, and reminiscence & legacy. **Workshops are held the 4th Wednesday of each month in our Fellowship Hall from 10:15-11:30 AM. There is no charge. The topic for October 28 is nutrition.** Topics are subject to change. For information and to reserve a spot, please call (608) 423-8142. (No workshops in November or December due to the holidays.)

WE NEED YOU AS A LITURGIST!!!!!!

Thank you to those who have volunteered to serve as liturgists. This is a great help as we welcome guest pastors to the pulpit.

LITURGIST SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER:

October 11 – Mare Stewart (Guest Pastor Rev. Sam Massey)

October 18 – **OPEN**

October 25 – Kris Runge (Guest Pastor Ezra Schmeelk)

A liturgist will lead the Call to Worship, introduce our opening hymn, and read one of the passages of Scripture. They may sit in the chair by the pulpit or sit in a pew, coming up to share in their parts of worship. We will have a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall.



THIS OCTOBER, OCPC IS AGAIN ASSISTING THE CAMBRIDGE FOOD PANTRY AND CAP to help address food scarcity issues in our schools. We signed up for the month of October. We have committed to fill each of 30 backpacks with nutrient-rich meals and snacks as supplements for weekends when the students are off from school. Each of the 30 backpacks should include 6 breakfast items, 6 meal items and 6 snack items. A list of items needed is in Fellowship Hall along with a signup sheet. **Please bring items to church by Wednesday, October 21.** As a part of our worship experience, we will be assembling the backpacks on Sunday, October 25.

Suggested Food Items: Grits or Oatmeal Packets, Individual Cereal Boxes, Breakfast Bars, Pop Tarts, Fruit Cups (unrefrigerated), Mac-n-Cheese (microwavable single serve), Microwavable Pasta Meals (unrefrigerated – e.g. Ravioli/SpaghettiOs), Microwavable Soup Cups (single serve), Cans or Pouches of Tuna or Meats (single serve), Ramen Noodles, Individually Wrapped Snacks, like: Pudding Cups (unrefrigerated), Peanut Butter Crackers, Cheez-Its, Granola/Fruit Bars, Gummy Fruit Snacks.



FOOD PANTRY WISH LIST: Hearty Soups, Corned Beef Hash, Spam, Cereal, Coffee, Crackers, Hamburger Helper, Salad Dressing, Ketchup/Mustard, Cleaning Supplies (dish soap, laundry soap), Personal Care Items (Feminine products, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant). Donation bin is located outside of the lower level middle school/food pantry entrance and monetary donations are gladly accepted via the Food Pantry website <https://cambridgecap.net/programs/nutrition/food-pantry/> or by mail to P.O. Box 54, Cambridge WI 53523. Thank you!

DONATE ONLINE TO OUR CHURCH, Presbyterian Church of Oakland-Cambridge, using the app, **Vanco Mobile**. Search for “Vanco Mobile” in your app store (Vanco Payment Solutions). Once it’s installed, find us using our zip code (53523), and set up one-time or recurring payments, OR go directly to our donor page by using the QR Code below. Thank you! (You may also mail in your offering and pledge: **OCPC 313 E. Main Street, Cambridge, WI 53523.**)



MILESTONES

Birthdays

Trent Bettenhausen October 12
Kelly Homann October 13
Lindsey Vanderbilt October 13
Scott Marrese-Wheeler October 21
Linda Johnson October 21
Abby Porter October 23

Kay Lund October 26
Sue Bettenhausen October 27
Maggie Porter October 29

Anniversaries

None

PLEASE HOLD THESE MEMBERS AND FRIENDS IN PRAYER THIS WEEK —

Jan & Nancy Kristiansen

Sally Rumpf, Ann Febock's sister

Meghan Strohbusch Family (daughter of Judy Schroeder & Mark Touhey)

Neal & Cori Traeder for relatives with serious health issues

Those suffering from fires, storms and floods, as well as from the conflict and humanitarian crises in the Middle East and violence around the world and here in America.

The families of: Larry Jensen, Dennis Verburg; Lisa Murphy (Brian Ewer's partner); Ginger Campbell (Karen Tordera's mother); Jim Rumpf (Dale & Ann Febock, Sally Rumpf, and Jay and Laurie Rumpf and their families), and other families who are grieving the loss of loved ones.

Those who hunger and thirst, and who yearn for shelter and safety, and those who hunger, thirst, and yearn for justice and mercy, that all will be satisfied.

If you would like to be added to our weekly prayer list, please leave word in the church office or contact the pastor. Permission to be included in this publicly posted list has been obtained from those listed or their families.

STANDING DATES – These are regularly scheduled events

- Business Office Hours – 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday
- Sundays – 10:00 a.m. Worship; Communion first Sunday of each month
- Monday mornings at 9:00 a.m. – Yoga
- StrongBodies Workout; Session 1: Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. – StrongBodies Workout; Session 2: Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10:30 a.m. –Contact UW Extension <https://events.humanitix.com/draft-strongbodies-registration> for more information and to register.
- Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. – AA

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