The Fifth Avenue Family Connection



Fifth Avenue United Methodist Church 323 S. Fifth Avenue West Bend, WI 53095

January 22, 2023

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Nursery Care

Our nursery is staffed during our worship service. Nursery is located

off hallway downstairs by parking lot entrance. Parents are welcome to drop off their child before the service starts or any time during the service.



Please turn in your Pledge/Commitment card for 2023.

We can then dedicate our financial resources to continuing to do God's work in the coming year. Extra cards are available on the table in the hallway or you may call the church office at 262-334-2059.



Soup Sale

Souper Bowl Sunday, Feb. 12, will feature frozen soups for sale. All proceeds will benefit organizations that help victims of

sex trafficking. Please consider donating soup for this cause. Containers are in the north entrance and near the kitchen. Fill containers to 1 inch from the top, label them and place them in the kitchen freezer. Large containers will sell for \$8 and small containers \$3. Your donation and purchase of soup is greatly appreciated.



Bible Study on the Psalms in February

This study will be held on Saturdays, Feb. 4, 11, 18 and 25, 2023 at 1:00pm in the Fireside Room and led by Ellen Johnson. Bring your bible. Please call the church office, 334-2059, to sign up or use the signup sheet on the bulletin board in the north foyer.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, Jan. 22

8:30am Choir Rehearsal

9:30am Worship Service

10:30am Fellowship Time

Monday, Jan. 23

7:00pm Boys & Girls Scouts

Tuesday, Jan. 24

9:00am TOPS Mtg.

1:00pm Prayer Shawl Ministry

6:30pm AA Mtg.

7:00pm SA Mtg.

Wednesday, Jan. 25

6:00pm Handbell Rehearsal

Thursday, Jan. 26

7:00pm AA Mtg.

Friday, Jan. 27

No Meetings

Saturday, Jan. 28

9:00am Sewing Day (see article)

9:00am SA Mtg.

Contribution Statements for the 4th Quarter can be picked up from the table in the north entrance. If there are any changes, please let Alana Dalton know by Jan. 31. The year will close so no other changes can be made after that date.

Thank you for your support!

Downtown Parking Information Sessions

On Jan. 9, the City of West Bend Common Council approved a new Downtown Parking Ordinance.

Informational sessions will be held on:

Thursday, Jan. 26 at 8:30am and Tuesday, Jan. 31, at 5:30pm both at The Bend Theatre, 125 N. Main St.



A Thank You Note

Recently several people have thanked me for the new outdoor Nativity

Scene. This was a group effort!

Thank you to Ed Fowell for the use of his equipment and transportation of the plywood. Thank you to Jenny Korbar and her Merry Band of volunteer painters. Thank you to the Latham Family for all of their efforts and materials. Thank you to the Barnett Family for their combined efforts and time.

Thank you to all the people who invested a bit of themselves to the nativity Scene.

With Deep Appreciation, Mark Harris, Board of Trustees



Can You Help?

Bag-making Days resume Jan. 28, 9AM-12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Both school bags and Tee Shirt bags will be cut and sewed.

This UWF mission project needs **YOUR** help. Sewing skills are not necessary as cutting and pressing needs to be done, also. If you'd like, bring your sewing machine. Questions? Call Shirley at (262) 334 -9362.

Kits for sewing school bags at home are available on the clothes tree in the north entrance. Return completed school bags to church, along with the empty plastic bags.