



Fifth Avenue United Methodist Church
Family Connections

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Our Mission: We are a welcoming Christian Community where all can experience the saving grace of Jesus Christ. We are growing as disciples of Christ as we teach, support, and nurture one another in ministry to our community and world.



WORSHIP WITH US!

Worship: Sundays at 9:30am
(Masks are NOT required for worship services.)

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday: 9am-2pm

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| July 3 | No in-person Worship. Watch service on our website at faumc.org. (Please note service is listed incorrectly on enclosed calendar.) |
| July 10 | 5th Sunday After Pentecost
Sacrament of Holy Communion |
| July 17 | 6th Sunday After Pentecost
Sacrament of Holy Communion |
| July 24 | 7th Sunday After Pentecost |
| July 31 | 8th Sunday After Pentecost |

Parish News

New Members

Congratulations to the following youth who became full members on May 22 through the Confirmation Program: **Brookelyn Bodden, Kherington Bodden, April Carrier, Fritz Gerhartz, and Leo Gerhartz.**



Deaths

-**Betsy Winquist** on May 21. She was a member since 1976.
-**Marvin Zettler**, Brother of Nancy (Larry) Kritz on May 19.
-**Rev. Wesley Falk** on June 11. Pastor Falk was our Visitation Pastor from 2005-2018.



Westward Road Musical Group

A musical family trio will be at our church on **Saturday, July 23 at 6pm.** This trio will provide a unique blend of Gospel and modern worship music. Invite family and friends for this inspirational evening in our sanctuary.

There is no cost but a free will offering will be taken.



Thank you!

A HUGE shout out of **thanks** to the two PEW CREWS for cleaning of the pews, windows, wood-work and installation of the new cushions and backs that recently took place in May. **PEW CREW ONE** cleaners, Sandy, Diane, Brett and Mary, Heather and Prince and Carol. **PEW CREW TWO** installers, Gil, Jean, Alana and Leslie, Pastor Clarissa, Carol and Mark. Another note of appreciation goes to Brett for organizing the cleaning of the carpets and upholstery. Be sure to stand up front in the sanctuary and look back towards the congregation to really appreciate the view.

(Carol Adkins, Trustees)

United Women of Faith will not be meeting in July.

**The following “People at Home” will have
July Birthdays**

Betty Nelson (July 11)

The Cottages

6090 Scenic Dr. #110, West Bend, WI 53095

*Happy
Birthday*

**First-Sunday Food Donation
on July 3**



On the **first Sunday** of every month, our church will concentrate on collecting **nonperishable items for Full Shelf Food Pantry in West Bend**. Preferred items include canned soup, SpaghettiOs, Hamburger Helper, flavored rice/noodle packets, pancake mix and syrup, jam and jelly.

Personal hygiene items are also needed. Items may still be brought to church at other times.

If you wish to make a monetary donation, make a check payable to Fifth Ave. UMC and write Food Pantry on the memo line,

The need continues year-round. Let's share our blessings.

A Thank You Note



Thank you to Pastor Clarissa and members of 5th Avenue United Methodist Church for the lovely bouquet for Polly and generous restaurant gift card in honor of my forty years as choir director of the Chancel Choir. It has been a great pleasure to serve God and FAUMC.

I especially want to thank all of the choir members and accompanists from the past four decades for their time, musicianship, commitment, and good nature to our music ministry.

Blessings! Dave Bertelsen

**DID YOU
KNOW?**

The **Rainbow Covenant**, a program sponsored by the Wisconsin Conference of Global Miniseries, recognized 17 churches at the Wisconsin General Conference.

Fifth Avenue United Methodist Church was one of the churches to receive the Rainbow Covenant award. The Rainbow

Covenant encourages local churches to support and participate in missions on a local, national and international Level. This is the 4th year that Fifth Avenue has received this award for our support of missions. **Marolyn Kell, Chair of Missions and Outreach.**



A Thank You Note

Dear Church Family:

Thank you so much for the beautiful bouquet of flowers, gift card, and card! So unexpected but so nice of you. Fred and I have enjoyed being a part of you and sharing our talents to serve our wonderful Lord! We look forward to being back and seeing you on difference occasions. Thank you for your friendships!

Sincerely, Fred & Vicki Roth

AED TRAINING



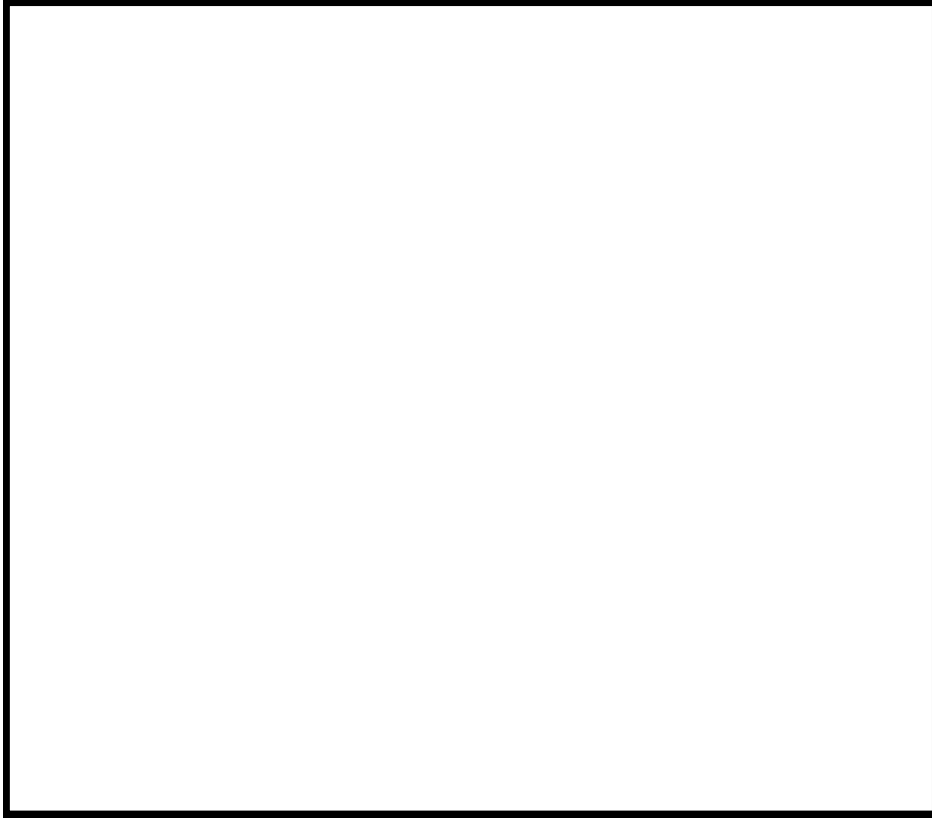
You can
save a life!

We have the opportunity to be trained on the use of our new **automated external defibrillator (AED)**. Training twill be held on **Saturday, July 9, at 1:30pm at our church**. The training will take about one hour.

Please step up and volunteer for this life saving training at our cost to you. The AED can not be made available until we have people trained. Please use the **signup sheet on the bulletin board in the north entrance or call the church office to get on the training list, 262-334-2059.**



Wow! **270 school bags** and **20 dignity kits** were sent to Annual Conference from FAUMC. In addition, Wills and Memorials contributed **\$1,000** to help cover costs of filling and shipping the school bags. **Thank you to everyone who worked to make this mission outreach project a success.**



We Salute the 2022 Graduates!

