

BUMC *Connection*

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June 2nd

- 7th Sunday of Easter
- Holy Communion
- Graduation Sunday
- Ascension of the Lord

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- Pentecost
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June 16th

- Trinity Sunday
- Peace with Justice Sunday

June 23rd

- 2nd Sunday after Pentecost
- VBS Program

June 30th

- 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Pastor Krystal's Corner

On Fire! Pentecost

"This is a Church on Fire" by Hillsong says "This is a church on fire, this is the Holy Spirit flame."

As you know, I love Pentecost, and not just because I get to set things on fire (though that is a bonus!)

Pentecost Sunday represents an ending as well as a beginning: the end of the "Great Fifty Days" of the Easter Season (*Pentecost* means "the 50th day" in Greek) and the beginning of the early church. For the early church, Pentecost was the second most important part of the Christian year after Easter. Pentecost also gives us an opportunity to ask ourselves the question, "What is our community 'on fire' about?"

So why do we light things on fire during Pentecost, other than to satiate Pastor Krystal's need for fire? The Holy Spirit is takes on three forms (the Confirmands should know what these are)... dove, wind, and *fire*. On the day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit came down in the form of fire. So on Pentecost, we light fire in remembrance of that act.

What about in our church.

Where is the fire in our church? Where is the Holy Spirit at work? Where are we bursting at the seams with energy, compassion, justice, and love?

What about us individually?

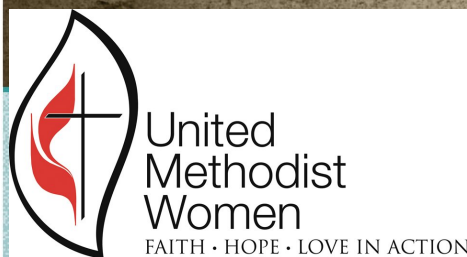
What is stirring within us? What is our passion for ministry? What sets us ablaze (or at least warms our hearts)? Where is the Holy Spirit burning our feet to go do, go work, go preach the good news, or go minister?

The church is on fire!

May the Holy Spirit work in surprising ways in our church this year!

Blessings,

Rev. Krystal Goodger



The Purpose of United Methodist Women

The organized unit of United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose purpose is:

- To know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ.
- To develop a creative supportive fellowship.
- To expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

Upcoming Events

June 4th at 9:30am
Lydia Circle

June 11 at 1:00pm
UMW Meeting

June 11th at 9:00am
Sewing Circle

July 11th at 7:00pm
Read It and Reap

UMW

UMW will meet on Tuesday, June 11th at 1:00pm.

Save the Date: July 30th

We will be travelling to the Fireside for the matinee concert of the Ball Brothers. The cost is \$35.95 plus gratuity. This includes the concert and a buffet with fish and chicken. We will car pool to Fort Atkinson. All are welcome.

Mustard Seed

Just a reminder that Mustard Seed will not be meeting again until September. We will resume in September with Chapter 3 on Max Lucado's study of Ten Men of the Bible. Enjoy your summer!

Lydia Circle celebrates...

On Tuesday, June 4th, Lydia Circle women will meet at Millie Becker's home at 10:30 am to make our way to Rock City for lunch.

We are looking forward to a sunny day as we ride by happy cows and growing fields of corn...and a car overflowing with chatter.

Read It and Reap "Snake Oil" Discussion

On Thursday evening, July 11th, all UMW readers are invited to the home of Janice Davenport on Golf Course Road to discuss Richard Heinberg's book, "Snake Oil." This book casts a critical eye on the oil industry hype that has hijacked America's energy conversation...a look at fracking from both economic and environmental perspectives.

You may borrow a copy of this book from the reading book box on the counter of the Sunday School room by the church office or check it out from our library. You may also read this book and not be able to attend our discussion to get credit toward a program resources certificate at the Annual Gathering.

July 11th...7 pm...Join us!

Sewing Circle

The Sewing Circle will continue to meet on the second Tuesday of June, at 9:30 a.m. We welcome any and all people that can tie a knot. The nursing homes that we give the lap robes to, are most appreciative. So come join us on June 11, 2019.

Competency and Civil Rights

When we see our loved ones become confused or show signs of not caring properly for themselves, we are left feeling helpless. Should our loved one suffer a heart attack it becomes quite clear rather quickly that we need to take immediate action and seek help. It is not so easy to know when to intervene as a person becomes incompetent. Our society strongly supports preserving people's civil rights but when person becomes of danger to themselves or others, something needs to be done.

Mental incompetence is a result of mental illness, senility or a physical condition that prevents a person from managing their own affairs.

When legal documents, such as power of attorney, are in place the physicians can facilitate the process to activate them. If the documents are not in place legal steps can be taken to declare incompetence. These steps include: 1) a motion for a competency hearing, 2) a psychiatric or psychological evaluation, and 3) a competency hearing. Probate courts usually handle competency hearings and appoint a "guardian ad litem". Taking on this role is a wonderful way to help care for loved ones. Talk to their medical provider if you feel your loved one can no longer make safe decisions. The physician can arrange for you to work with a social worker to get through the process.

Vicki Evenson
Parish Nurse

Family Promise - Volunteers Needed



On **Sunday, June 2nd**, we will welcome another group of Family Promise guests to stay with us for a week. One of the volunteer needs during each host week is to have at least 2 volunteers present during family time.

What happens during family time? Depending on the age of the guests, volunteers may read books, play games, bake treats, do simple crafts with the children, watch movies or have conversations with our guests. There is NO expectation that you prepare or bring something for family time. Some evenings, the guests may need to have more quiet time and retire to their rooms after a busy day at school or work. This is not a babysitting situation for our volunteers. Guests are always responsible for their children.

When is family time? It's from 6:30 - 8:45 pm each evening.

Where: Most of the interaction with the guests takes place in the lower level youth room or Fellowship Hall.

Volunteer Helpers: We welcome volunteers of any age as long as children are accompanied by an adult. Families are welcome to volunteer! Our Family Promise children guests love to interact and play with other kids. If you are new to volunteering, one of our experienced volunteers will be glad to partner with you the first time you stay.

How do I volunteer? Sign-up sheets are always available at the back of the church approximately 3-4 weeks before our next host week. Darcey Bedward is the coordinator of Family Time for our church. You may also contact her at 608-449-8207.

Please consider spending some summer vacation time volunteering. Sign up sheets are located in the Narthex.

We are still looking for someone to coordinate the stay for our guests. If you would like to assist this week to see if this is a volunteer position for you, please contact JoAnn Steuri, Kay Case, or the church office.

Christian Education

VBS CLOSING PROGRAM

Sunday, June 23rd

9:00am

Join us to see what an exciting week we've had and what new fascinating things we've learned at VBS this year!



Summer Splash

July 21st at the
Brodhead Pool

10:15am-12:00pm

Everyone is welcome to come swim and enjoy a day of water fun.



Family Camp Out

August 17th-18th

1:00pm-12:00pm

Bring your tents and campers to the grass and parking lots for some summer fun!



Do you want to help transform our church into an African Adventure? We will be decorating and setting up May 28th and 31st from 3-6pm, June 4th from 9am-12pm June 10th-14th from 9am to 5pm.

HELP NEEDED!!

We are looking for help and donations to make our week of VBS the most that it can be!

Positions that are still available:

Lunch and kitchen helpers
Elementary Crew Leaders
Station Leader

And we are in need of an energetic person to help lead the kids in song and dance! If you have ANY time to help for any of the days of VBS please contact Tiff Moore ASAP!

Youthdirectorbumc1@gmail.com

There is still time to register and join our journey. Visit

vbspro.events/p/brodheadumc

to sign up participants ages 3 to 5th grade or 6th grade and up to volunteer as a crew leader. We will provide a bus from the elementary school, lunch, songs, games, crafts, snacks, and more each day. You will not want to miss out as we discover how the combination of God's goodness and your ferocious faith

Summer Schedule

Sundays:

9:00am Worship
10:15am Adult Classes

Wednesdays:

June 5th
July 3rd
August 7th

6:30pm Praise Service

Graduation Sunday Sunday, June 2nd at 9am.

We will be celebrating our local graduates!

Be sure to enjoy a piece of cake in Fellowship Hall after worship.

Noisy Can Offering Camp Scholarships

June is the last month for Noisy Can to go toward Camp Scholarships this year. We are excited to be sending several returning students to camp this summer, as well as a few newcomers! Please consider giving generously to get a good start on funding next summers' campers!

3rd Quarter Noisy Can Offering goes to Kid Connection.

thank you!

A huge thank you to everyone who has helped donate to this year's VBS by taking a leaf off of the donation tree in the back of the sanctuary.

You can also sign up to help donate any food items for the lunch that is provided for all participants and volunteers during VBS week. There are still some items left if you are wishing to help donate we would greatly appreciate it! We couldn't make this amazing week happen without the help from everyone.

Summer Fun!

Here are some dates you will want to schedule around:

Sunday, June 2nd: *Graduation Sunday* at 9am.

We will be celebrating our local graduates!

Be sure to enjoy a piece of cake in Fellowship Hall after worship.

Sunday, June 23rd: *VBS Closing Program* at 9am.

Stop in and see what a very excited tired group of kids and adults learned at VBS.

Sunday, July 21st: *Summer Splash* at 10am.

Join us after worship at the pool for a morning of water fun!

Sunday, August 4th: *College Student Blessing* at 9am.

All students are encouraged to stop in and get refueled before starting the Fall Semester.

Saturday, August 17th-18th: *All Church Campout.*

Join us in the grass lot for an evening of camping. After a restful night under the stars, we will head over to worship on Sunday morning before going home.

Sunday, August 18th: *Backpack Blessing* at 9am.

All students Pre-K through 12th grade are welcome to bring in their backpacks and prepare for the upcoming school year.

Teachers, bring your planners!

Sunday, August 25th: *Tractor Blessing/Hay Ride* at 10am.

All tractors regardless of size, color, age, or ability are welcome! It's a great opportunity to see a variety of tractors and get a hay ride!

Visitors welcome!

Sunday, September 8th: *Rally Sunday* at 9am.

Ready for another year to kick off? We are! Teacher tunnel, treats, games, and a short lesson are on the list of things to do.

Sunday, September 15th: *3rd Grade Bible Presentation* at 9am.

Join us in worship as we present our 3rd grade class with their first Deep Blue Bible! Family and friends are encouraged to attend.

Summer Office Hours

Please note the following changes that will affect the hours the church office will be open throughout the summer.

Starting Memorial Day, and going through Labor Day, the office will be open from 9-12 Monday through Friday.

Welcome!

We are pleased to welcome Jane Copus to our staff. She will be working in the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout the summer.



Go Team!

Stop by the ball diamond to cheer on our softball team on Sunday nights!

June 2nd at 5:30pm
 June 9th at 5:30pm
 June 16th - BYE
 June 23rd at 5:30pm
 June 30th at 6:30pm
 July 7th at 5:30pm
 July 14th at 6:30pm
 July 21st at 6:30pm
 July 28th at 5:30pm
 August 4th - BYE
 August 11th at 5:30pm

Plan your Saturdays in July

We get to staff the Clothes Closet during July! The jobs are easy, and it's a great opportunity for whole families to spend some time helping a local mission. We sort, inspect, and hang clothing donations.

The hours are 10:00am - 2:00pm, with 2 hour shifts available each Saturday. This is a place where we can put our faith into action!

The sign up sheet is located on the board next to the coffee in the Welcome Center.



Are you giving to the church in all the ways you could or should be giving?

You may be supporting this year's budget, but what about the future of the church, missional support, and special projects? Are you providing for these as well?

I think of the church's assets and giving as an ice-cream cone. The church's assets such as the building, parsonage, and endowments as the cone. Essential, but not very appetizing all by themselves. Annual budget giving is the first scoop. It is needed and provides basic support and flavor to the church. However, too often, this is where we stop thinking about supporting the church.

What about other scoops? What about missions? Mission-related giving can include apportionments (sometimes paid with the annual budget, sometimes not), conference projects, Special Sundays, UMCOR, national and international advance projects and support of individual missionaries. Are you thinking about your offering for missions this year? These are usually donations over and above what is collected for the annual budget. What about planned giving?

Planned giving provides for the future of the church when you are no longer around. Have you included the church in your will or as a beneficiary to your investment accounts or life insurance?

Ten percent is a good number, leaving plenty for your family.

Finally, what about special projects. Capital fundraising can support new ministry, ministry growth, new building or renovation and maintenance of existing structures. Remember the Imagine No Malaria campaign a couple of years back that raised over one million dollars?

Jim Wells, Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation

Finance Update

Basic Cash Flow Projection: Church:

Utilities	\$1,645
Insurance/Licenses	\$319
Parsonage:	
Utilities	\$422
Employees:	
Wages/Taxes/Benefits	\$11,848
Monthly Estimated Total:	\$14,234

These are the average expenses we incur each month to cover necessary expenses of salaries, payroll taxes, benefits, utilities, insurances, and licenses.

This does not include curriculum, VBS, repairs, cleaning supplies, kitchen supplies, office expenses, etc.

Monthly Apportionment Payment:	\$2,913
TOTAL MONTHLY MINIMUM	\$17,147

Summer is a time for e-Giving

Summer vacations are scheduled and eagerly anticipated! Over the summer, our financial needs to maintain the church don't change. If you are planning to miss a few Sundays throughout the summer, have you considered looking into scheduling your offering electronically?

Electronic giving is a convenient, easy solution when you don't have cash or a checkbook, or are not going to be in church.

Give in the moment with a fast, one-time donation. Schedule and manage recurring donations. Pay or give using your debit/credit card or banking information:

Simply follow these steps:

1. Visit the church website at: www.brodheadumc.org
2. Click on the {Give Now}
3. Click on the Create Profile button,
4. Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile to schedule your online giving.



Or, just scan the code above for a direct link to give a one-time offering. Thank you for your faithful generosity!

Building Maintenance Update

We are so excited to announce through many very generous donations, we have the phones fixed, air conditioning ready to go when summer hits, and the roof is paid for in full and work is scheduled to begin soon!

It is through your continued financial support and generosity that we are able provide a well maintained building, worship, classes, mission opportunities, and fellowship to not only our congregation but the community as well.

Thank you to those who prayerfully gave above and beyond to help meet these needs!

WooHoo!!

Time and Talents...

Sunday Worship Servants

June 2nd

Ushers: Jim Durkin, Dan Brown,
Bob Olin, Ron Nenneman
Greeters: (N) Mary & Charlie Friederich
(S) Jane Copus
Worship Leader: Karen Benton
Scripture Reader: Linda Gissing
Acolytes: Brynn Riesterer & Bryson Oliver
Music: Ken Peterson & Carol Prudhon
Nursery: Beth Riesterer & Nicole Miller
Power Point: Kyle Braund

June 9th

Ushers: Jay Jackson, Jim Kamps
Bruce Peterson, Shawn Melvin
Greeters: (N) DeLyle & Janice Davenport
(S) Diane Rabe
Worship Leader: Denny Schwartz
Scripture Reader: Ann Schwartz
Acolytes: Madison Melvin & Abbey Vickers
Music: Suzanne Calhoon
Nursery: Rita Vickers & Elly Harding
Power Point: Madi Brown

June 16th

Ushers: Denise Benton, Grant McCallips,
Dawson Blum, Brady Bruns
Greeters: (N) Clarence & Carol Kaderly
(S) Millie Becker
Worship Leader: Vicki Evenson
Scripture Reader: Vonda Fowler
Acolytes: Landen Malcook
& Kelsey Bedward
Music: Karen Benton
Nursery: Tiffany Moore & Abbie Dix
Power Point: Elly Harding

June 23rd

Ushers: Marty & Karen Wright,
Vicki Evenson, Vonda Fowler
Greeters: (N) Mark & Nancy Oliver
(S) Shirley Christman
Worship Leader: Desi Wrightsel
Scripture Reader: Mary Friederich
Acolytes: Madi Brown & Bryson Oliver
Music: Kay Case
Nursery: Sarah Anderson &
Joey Brown
Power Point: Nolan Oliver

June 30th

Ushers: Linda & Dave Gissing,
Abbie Dix, Peyton McCallips
Greeters: (N) Lisa & Nicole Miller
(S) Ron & Janet Nenneman
Worship Leader: JoAnn Steuri
Scripture Reader: Karen Wright
Acolytes: Seger Harding &
Abby Withrow
Music: Karen Benton
Nursery: Tiffany Moore &
Reagan McCallips
Power Point: Kylee Wahler



Wednesday Worship Servants

June 5th

Worship Leader: Onni Williams
Sound Boards: Elly Harding
Scripture Reader: Paityn Kail

July 3rd

Worship Leader: Joey Brown
Sound Boards: Madi Brown
Scripture Reader: Kylee Wahler

August 7th

Worship Leader: Nolan Oliver
Sound Boards: Addie Yates
Scripture Reader: Gabe Bockhop

Summer Worship Schedule

Wednesday Praise Service
6:30pm

June 5th
July 3rd
August 7th

There will be no service on
Wednesday, September 4th, with
regular weekly services beginning
Wednesday, September 11th.

Apple Bazaar Craft Night Wednesday, June 26th 6:00pm

We are starting a new ministry open to everyone! We encourage you all to come for an evening of crafting and fellowship. During the night, you are encouraged to make 2, and take 1. Our intent is to have the donated projects sold at the Apple Festival Bazaar in September.

For our first project we will be making **beaded wire stakes** for garden decorations. They are fun and easy to make. And they look great in the garden or potted plants for indoor or outdoor use. To cover the cost of this craft will be \$5 per project for supplies that are provided. Please come and help out the Apple Festival Bazaar and enjoy crafting and fellowship.



Birthdays

Anniversaries

Gabe Bockhop	6/1		
Steve Flannery	6/1	John & Teresa Nafzger	6/3/1979
Ray Pawlisch	6/2	Shawn & Carla Melvin	6/7/2008
Steve Gilbertson	6/3	Kerry & DeAnn Schlittler	6/9/1979
Betty Earleywine	6/4	Dale & Nancy Lentz	6/10/1978
JoAnn Steuri	6/6	Gene & Carol Prudhon	6/11/1972
Jory Benton	6/7	Ken & Marcia Petersen	6/13/1970
Travis Jacobson	6/8	Clarence & Carol Kaderly	6/14/1959
Scott Matley	6/9	Ron & Janet Nenneman	6/14/1958
Alexis Flesher	6/10	Adam & Jenny Sattler	6/14/2014
Joleen Oren	6/10	Tim & Deb Conway	6/17/1989
Vanessa Allen	6/11	Mike & Jenny Flory	6/17/1989
Tim Conway	6/12	Duane & Kay Malcook	6/17/1961
Trent Gerber	6/14	Brian & Wendy Shaver	6/19/1993
Desi McCallips	6/15	Steve & Kandie Flannery	6/22/1991
Tom Kamps	6/17	Jon & Susan Condon	6/23/1979
Gladys Williams	6/19	Jay & Jeanine Jackson Sr.	6/23/2001
Riley Diffenderfer	6/20	Bob & Alyce Gunderson	6/24/1950
Jenny Sattler	6/20	Don & Bernice Swartz	6/25/1995
LaVerne Scofield	6/20	Dave & Helen Rabe	6/29/1980
Joe Jackson	6/21		
Jason Riesterer	6/23		
Bryce Bockhop	6/24		
Dee Clark	6/24		
Barry Sauer	6/24		
DeWayne Schwartzlow	6/24		
Tami Jacobson	6/25		
Simon Moore	6/25		
Bill Sarow	6/25	<i>*If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please contact the office so we can correct our records. Thank you!</i>	
Reese King	6/26		
Bryson Oliver	6/26		
Carrie Shimko	6/27		
Maci Brewster	6/28		
Rachell Condon	6/28		
Dawn Dix	6/28		
Sue Coplien	6/29		
Skylar Flannery	6/29		
Alyce Gunderson	6/29		
Jeff Mansfield	6/29		
Ken Jacobson	6/30		
Michelle Marquette	6/30		

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Have an article for the newsletter? Please submit it to
 brodheadumc@gmail.com
 by the **16th of each month.**
 Thank you and happy writing!



Relay For Life Luminaria Bags

\$5

In MEMORY of someone who has lost their fight with cancer...or in HONOR of someone that is fighting the battle now.



Luminaria Dedication

Sunday, June 16th
9:00am

If you would like to sponsor a bag in memory or honor of a loved one, please pick up a form in the Welcome Center. Bags are available in the office to personalize. We are pleased to be a part of Tami Jacobson's team, 'Fight Like a Girl'.

All forms and fees are due by Wednesday, June 12th.





For a complete calendar list of activities, please go to:
www.brodheadumc.org

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Change service requested

Non-Profit Bulk Rate
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'Roar' VBS
June 17-21
see page 4 for details

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June 2019

Open hearts ~ Open minds ~ Open doors



Come to the ball diamond
to cheer on our softball team!
See page 5 for days and times.

Brodhead United Methodist Church

Worship Services

Sunday 9:00am- Traditional
Nursery available 8:45am-11:15am
Service airs Sundays at 11:00am
on channel 988

Summer schedule Praise Service
1st Wednesday of the month
6:30pm

Church Office **Summer Hours**

Monday-Friday 9:00am-12:00pm

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