

**Calendar of Events
July 24th-31st, 2016**

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am—3:00pm

Sun. July 24th

**'Fruit of the Spirit-Patience'
Summer Splash and Picnic**

9:00am Worship Service
10:15am Adult Sunday School
6:00pm Team #2 softball
7:00pm Team #1 softball

Wed. July 27th

9:00am Staff Meeting

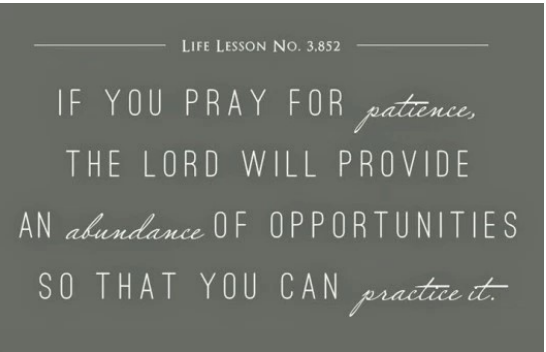
Thurs. July 28th

1:00pm UMW

Sun. July 31st

'Fruit of the Spirit- Kindness' - Pastor Irv Case

9:00am Worship Service
10:15am Adult Sunday School
6:00pm Team #1 softball
7:00pm Team #2 softball



**Announcements for
July 24th-July 31st, 2016**

Looking for tables, chairs, Halloween costumes, pictures, dishes, pots, or couches? We have lots of items that we would love to rehome available in Fellowship Hall for a donation! All proceeds will go toward tables, chairs, and furniture.

Giving Opportunity~ We will be replacing several old brown tables and chairs. If you would like to contribute, please mark your gift "Furniture". We are still accepting donations for the parking lot as well.

Transparency is important to the leadership of this congregation. The Church Leadership Council has learned that a financial error was made due to the complexity of our accounting software within our dedicated accounts. Due to the error, we spent money on necessary building maintenance that was to be dedicated elsewhere. CLC and Finance are researching the existing problem and will be recommending necessary procedural changes to address this issue. Questions or concerns can be directed to Jon Condon at condonj@yahoo.com or 608-362-5771

Sunday School teachers are needed for 1st or 3rd grade. We are also looking for adults to sit in children's Sunday School classes and Confirmation this year. We are also looking for someone to work with the Middle School Youth Group on Wednesday nights. An extra pair of hands and eyes are appreciated by all the teachers! Please contact Danielle if you are interested in either teaching or sitting in on a class.

It's that time of year! Back to school sales are starting and we are looking to fill shoeboxes and replenish Sunday School supplies.

- *Shoobox Donations: ANYTHING that will fit in a shoebox!*
- *Sunday School/Youth Groups: We especially need markers (washable and a few colored permanent), crayons, 20 notebooks, Elmer's glue sticks, pencils, stickers (lots of stickers!), washable paints (lg bottles, primary/pastel colors), Kleenex, hand sanitizer, Lysol spray, animal crackers, fruit snacks, granola bars, etc.*

Upcoming Events...

- **Summer Splash and Picnic**— Sunday, July 24th, 10:15am
- **UMW July Activities:** Visitors welcome! Thursday, July 28th at 1:00pm
- **OCC Donations!**
Start watching for Back-to-School sales for shoe box donations and Sunday School needs!
- **AARP Drivers Safety Class**— August 3rd 9-1 pm
Call the church office to register.
- **College Student Blessing**—August 7th
- **Pet Blessing**— August 10th, 6:30pm
Bring your furry, slimy, creepy, crawly, fuzzy friends in for a special service.
- **Family Promise Week**— August 14th-21st
- **Covered Bridge Worship Service**— August 14th, 10:30am (Please note the time change)
After our service, continue worshipping with Pastor Krystal as she leads this service at Veteran's Park.
- **Prayer Walk**— August 21st, 10:00am
Bring comfortable walking shoes as we pray for the families and the city of Brodhead!
- **Blessing of Backpacks**— August 28th
We will bless backpacks and planners during service. So, students and teachers, join us for this Back-To-School celebration!



This week we are praying for Cobb Zion UMC, their pastor and their members.

Prayers of peace and comfort for the family of baby Dee Benton, Denise Benton's granddaughter, as they mourn her passing.

Prayers for health & healing for: *Dorothy Shimko, Tammy Anderson, Kim Johnson, Betty Condon, Janie Frederickson, Laura Hodgson, Jim Copus, Kari Cataldo, Jerry Kamps, Tom TenEyck, David Elmer, Dave Gissing, the Craig family, Grant McCallips, Jean Prestbroten, CarolSue Wolter*

Joys: love, joy, peace, patience, gifted volunteers, water

Prayer Walk

August 21st
10:15am

After service we will go for a Prayer Walk where we will take our faith to the streets. We will go out into the neighborhood to pray for our community.



Each week before the Prayer Walk we will pray for different parts of Brodhead. This week, we will begin praying for our community and focus on our *schools* as they prepare for the new year.