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Thank You for Serving Us Today:

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| Liturgist | Chris Raisbeck |
| Song Leader | Postponed until Fall |
| Nursery | Postponed until Fall |
| Fellowship | TBA |
| Ushers | Caren Schultz |
| Counter | Blake Beimbom |
| Power Point | Jennifer Beimbom |
| Sound | Jennifer Beimbom |
| Camera | Colleen Wienke and Sophia Koeppen |
| Liturgical Art | |

Serving Next Week (August 1th)

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| Song Leader | Postponed until Fall |
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Announcements & Opportunities Faith UMC -- July 25, 2021 9th Sunday after Pentecost

Live stream of our worship services and sermon archives can be found at this link:

https://www.faithumcshebfalls.org/worship_service_live_stream

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS! WELCOME TO IN-PERSON WORSHIP.

Please be sure to please pick up a bulletin and complete a Connect Card and drop it in the Connect Card basket on the table in the Sanctuary. Masks are recommended for those who haven't been vaccinated. If you have been vaccinated, you are not required to wear a mask.

2021 NEWSLETTER AND BULLETIN SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE:

The cost is \$35 each. Please call the church office (920.467.6244) to sign up.

SPRC MEETING on Tuesday, July 27th at 7 p.m. via Zoom.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, August 17th at 7 p.m.

LITURGISTS NEEDED: The worship team is looking for liturgists in our weekly worship services. Please contact the church office, or Pastor Kathy, Caren Schultz, or Chris Raisbeck if you and/or your family members are interested.

ROAD TRIP TO MIDWEST DISTRIBUTION CENTER has been rescheduled to Thursday, August 26 and Friday, August 27. We will be on the road at 6 a.m. on Thursday, stop for lunch, unload the desks (and any other supplies we take – sewing machines, bicycles, school supplies - being delivered, tour the MDC, have dinner together and stay overnight at a hotel. Friday morning sightseeing after breakfast in the Springfield Area (visit Abraham Lincoln's tomb, home, and law office) and/or any other sites we would like to see, then head home. It's a six hour driving trip. A special "THANK YOU" to Zion UMC in Batavia, for loaning us their 15 passenger van for our travel purposes. If you are interested in joining us, please let Rick Bigler know, as he will be making the room reservations on our behalf.

SERMON SERIES BEING POSTPONED: Pastor Kathy is postponing the sermon series based on the public television show "Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood" until we resume our fall schedule, after Labor Day.

PROJECT ANGEL HUGS 2nd ANNUAL ONLINE “BE AN ANGEL AUCTION” will be live from Saturday, July 25 – Saturday, July 31. This will benefit expansion of the ministry to ease the stress of the devastating disease of cancer on our littlest warriors and instill within our youth the importance of giving back to the community through this ministry that was started by the generous heart of Vanessa Jensema, a little girl who passed away in 2001, but lives on in the spirit of many. Donors of \$250 or more receive recognition as a sponsor in all advertising.

LOVE INC: 5th Annual Putt Fore Love fundraising event is scheduled for Saturday, July 31 from 10 a.m. – 10 p.m. at Harbor Pointe Miniature Golf in Sheboygan. Includes 18 holes of golf, photo booth, hole in one contests, prizes, and slushies. ALL proceeds will benefit Love INC. (In the name of Christ Sheboygan County.)

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: This year's VBS, hosted by Bethel UMC at Bethel, will be held on Saturday, August 7 at Bethel. All children entering Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to attend! The theme is “running the Race.” Fun activities will include an obstacle course, relay races, kayaking on the pond, a scavenger hunt, music, games, Bible stories, arts and crafts, and a bonfire with a cookout and s'mores in the evening. Carpooling will be available. Stay tuned for more fun details!

THE SALVATION ARMY HOMELESS SHELTER needs new pillows, new large bath towels, new twin flat & fitted sheets, bus tokens, high-efficiency laundry detergent, dryer sheets, lunch meat, Kool-Aid, lemonade, sugar, and coffee creamer. Donations may be brought to church during office hours and on Sundays.

COPIES OF THE UPPER ROOM for July/August are available on the guest table in Fellowship Hall. If you would like one mailed to you, please call Julie in the church office. You can also access the Upper Room online at: www.upperroom.org/standingorderchurches and choose the edition you want to view.

THE GATHERING PLACE, the only adult day program in Sheboygan County that serves adults with memory loss, is in urgent need of volunteers. All that's required is a listening ear, someone who enjoys socializing, a desire to help others, and the chance to explore our county on our outings. There are families in need. If you are interested, please call Carol Bimmel, Volunteer Coordinator at 920.627.6847 or email her at carolb@stpaulfalls.com to set up a time to see the program in action. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

GREAT MARRIAGES UPCOMING EVENTS:

Planning for Retirement Together (Faith-based)

Thursday, July 29, 2021

6 – 8 p.m. at the Great Marriages Office

Retirement is a major financial and life transition, and the more planning you can do on the front end, the better. This event will provide couples with discussion points as well as a roadmap to prepare for retirement – both financially and relationally! Cost is \$15 per person and includes dinner. Tom Rice and Michael Vaszily are the speakers. Register at www.great-marriages.org/events

Love on the Beach (5 Love Languages)

Saturday, August 7, 2021

6 – 8 p.m. on the beach at Blue Harbor

Join us for a romantic picnic dinner on the beach at Blue Harbor, then learn about the 5 Love Languages with your sweetheart. You will discover what your Love Language is, and how to speak to your spouse or significant other's language. Enjoy a walk on the beach or tail as you discuss ways to speak each other's language. Speakers are Steve and Donna Schelfhout. Cost is \$15 per person and includes picnic dinner. Register today at www.great-marriages.org/events

Just You and Me: A Marriage Retreat (Faith-based)

Friday, August 27 at 6 p.m. – Saturday August 28, at 5:30 p.m. 2021

At Cedar Valley Retreat Center, 5349 Co. Rd. D, West Bend, WI 53090

Need quality connecting time with your spouse? Join Great Marriages as we have something special planned for you and your loved one at the Cedar Valley Retreat Center in West Bend, WI. You will have time to reflect on your relationship, teach you skills to improve your relationship, and just have some good old fashioned fun together. Cost is \$300/couple which includes one overnight stay for two, dinner on Friday, breakfast and lunch on Saturday, book s, materials, beverages, and snacks. Register today at www.greatmarriages.org/events

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