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**REFLECTIONS**

Hello to you all,

Welcome, and take a moment to sit, reflect, and think about the past year. We are already in the middle of 2021 and “YES” things are slowly getting back to a familiar normalcy that I pray will continue toward no restrictions. I reflect on the past year as a learning experience and how we all had to live differently, do church in a different way, and be with family another way. There were many firsts and changes in our way of life, obstacles we had to maneuver, and yet we came together in many challenging ways. The one constant that never changed is GOD throughout the year. I have asked at all the churches for people to come and tell where GOD, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit has touched their lives. We learn and see GOD in many ways. I feel sharing is another way of understanding the way GOD is engaged in our lives. It has been an unusual time in all our lives and yet we keep moving forward. How have you kept putting one foot in front of the other to keep pushing ahead? What are our coping mechanisms, how well we tolerate things, persevere, and look ahead each and every day? Do we feel we have done this on our own or by the grace and hand of GOD? As I sit here and reflect on my life and how if it were on my own, I would not be where I am today. I would not be married to a wonderful, GOD centered lady. I would not have listened to where GOD is calling and leading me. I WOULD NOT BE HERE!! How about you? If it were not for GOD, where may you be today? Do we have to think hard or do the thoughts and memories overflow with GOD? Do we wrestle with GOD like Jacob that night? We are the ones who, when the time comes, will be standing there looking into the eyes of Jesus. When I think about that moment, I hear Mercy Me sing “I Can Only Imagine”. I put myself there at the feet of Jesus, paralyzed, amazed and in awe! Then my mind turns to thoughts about other people here on earth and how will they react? I think of those that only want to put people down, point fingers, complain, and belittle. Why? Is the feeling of jealousy and hatred that strong or is it some other evil? Can we put our finger on it? When we are only about ourselves, where is GOD? Where is the hope, the joy, the peace? Where, now, is the Love that Jesus talked about every minute of his ministry on earth and then resurrected up to the Holy Spirit? Have I got you thinking yet, or have you stopped reading and moved on? Is life about us or about GOD? Only you can answer that for yourself. I know as I live and breathe that my life is slowly becoming more about GOD and less about myself. I do not kid myself either because I am human. I sin and make mistakes every day, but GOD through the SON forgives and forgets those short comings. Why is it so hard for us to do the same? Can you imagine what standing at the gate and gazing at Jesus is going to feel like? Will it feel the same way as when we look at a close friend or a stranger? We have witnessed and dealt with a lot this past year and yet here we are, day after day, living. Who are we living for? May God shine on us all and lead us to the promised land of milk and honey. Can you imagine what it will be like to live in eternity covered in the fullness of GOD? Thank you for sharing this moment with me to reflect and think about all we have sacrificed this past year and yet GOD has been there through it all. GOD never leaves us. It is us who does the leaving. Let us not leave GOD. Live each day more and more for GOD and less and less for ourselves. Now, “think about it.” Amen.

Love and Laughter

Pastor Paul+

# → Charge News ←

## ONLINE GIVING

Did you know you can give online? Visit our website at [www.chippewacountychurches.org](http://www.chippewacountychurches.org) and click on the Charge tab. Click on the GIVING button and it will bring you to the link for the Wisconsin Annual Conference where you can securely give to your church.

Anyone from the charge can be included on our prayer chain. Call Gail at 715-559-6434 or email at [storm1935@gmail.com](mailto:storm1935@gmail.com) to be added to the prayer chain.

## SERVICES BACK IN SESSION

It is nice to be back together! We are practice social distancing and mask wearing. If you aren't yet comfortable with gathering in person, we will continue with our virtual service on Facebook and through our website. Please pass the word on to others that may not see this notice. Any changes to our current situation will be updated on the website at [www.chippewacountychurches.org](http://www.chippewacountychurches.org)

## REMINDERS

- Please sign up to be a liturgist for services for your church.
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# God Bless the U.S.A

## By Lee Greenwood

If tomorrow all the things were gone  
I worked for all my life  
And I had to start again  
With just my children and my wife  
I'd thank my lucky stars  
To be livin' here today  
'Cause the flag still stands for freedom  
And they can't take that away

And I'm proud to be an American  
Where at least I know I'm free  
And I won't forget the men who died  
Who gave that right to me  
And I'd gladly stand up  
Next to you and defend her still today  
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land  
God bless the USA

From the lakes of Minnesota  
To the hills of Tennessee  
Across the plains of Texas  
From sea to shining sea  
From Detroit down to Houston  
And New York to L.A.  
Well, there's pride in every American heart  
And it's time we stand and say  
That I'm proud to be an American  
Where at least I know I'm free

And I won't forget the men who died  
Who gave that right to me  
And I'd gladly stand up  
Next to you and defend her still today  
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land (love this land)  
God bless the USA

And I'm proud to be an American  
Where at least I know I'm free  
And I won't forget the men who died  
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## Scripture readings for the month of July

July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
*Fourth of July*

### Old Testament

Psalm 89:11

*“America the Beautiful”*

July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

### New Testament

2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 1:20

*“Standing on the Promises”*

We are doing a sermon series this month on hymns and why they were written.

Please sign up to be a liturgist and share your gifts and talents.

July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021

### New Testament

Luke 18:16

*“Jesus Loves the Little Children”*

July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021

### Old Testament

Psalm 34:19

*“It is Well With My Soul”*

Please come and enjoy the songs and the scriptures that brought these hymns to life for all to enjoy.

## Lake Holcombe Food Pantry

Now located at the Lion's Club Building at 27867 County Highway M. It is open every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month from 2pm to 5 pm. For donation drop off or food emergencies call Dawn at 715-827-0884.

We are always looking for any donations to help stock the shelves. Here are some of the things that they can use this month:

Paper products—toilet paper, paper towels, Kleenex

Bush baked beans

Pickles

Ketchup (small bottles)

Chicken gravy

Sweetened condensed milk

Pudding, especially sugar free, (not vanilla or chocolate)

## Jim Falls Food Pantry

Located the Jim Falls Church at 13883 County Hwy S. It is open every Monday from 4pm to 6 pm. Donations can be dropped off at this time or Friday's from 11a to 2 p. For food emergencies call Bob at 715-577-2705.

We are always appreciative of any donations we receive but right now the shelves are low of the following items:

Paper products; toilet paper, paper towels, etc.

Cream of Mushroom soup

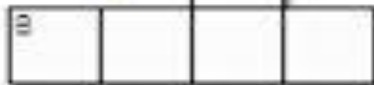
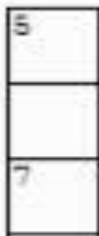
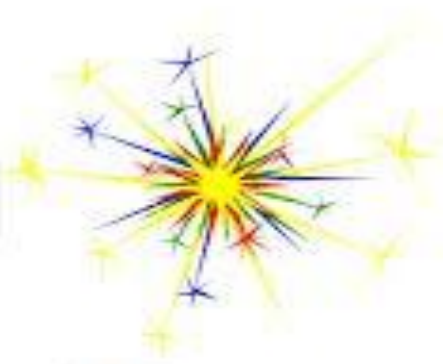
Diced tomatoes

Saltine crackers

Tea bags

# JESUS JOY

## 4th Of July Crossword Puzzle



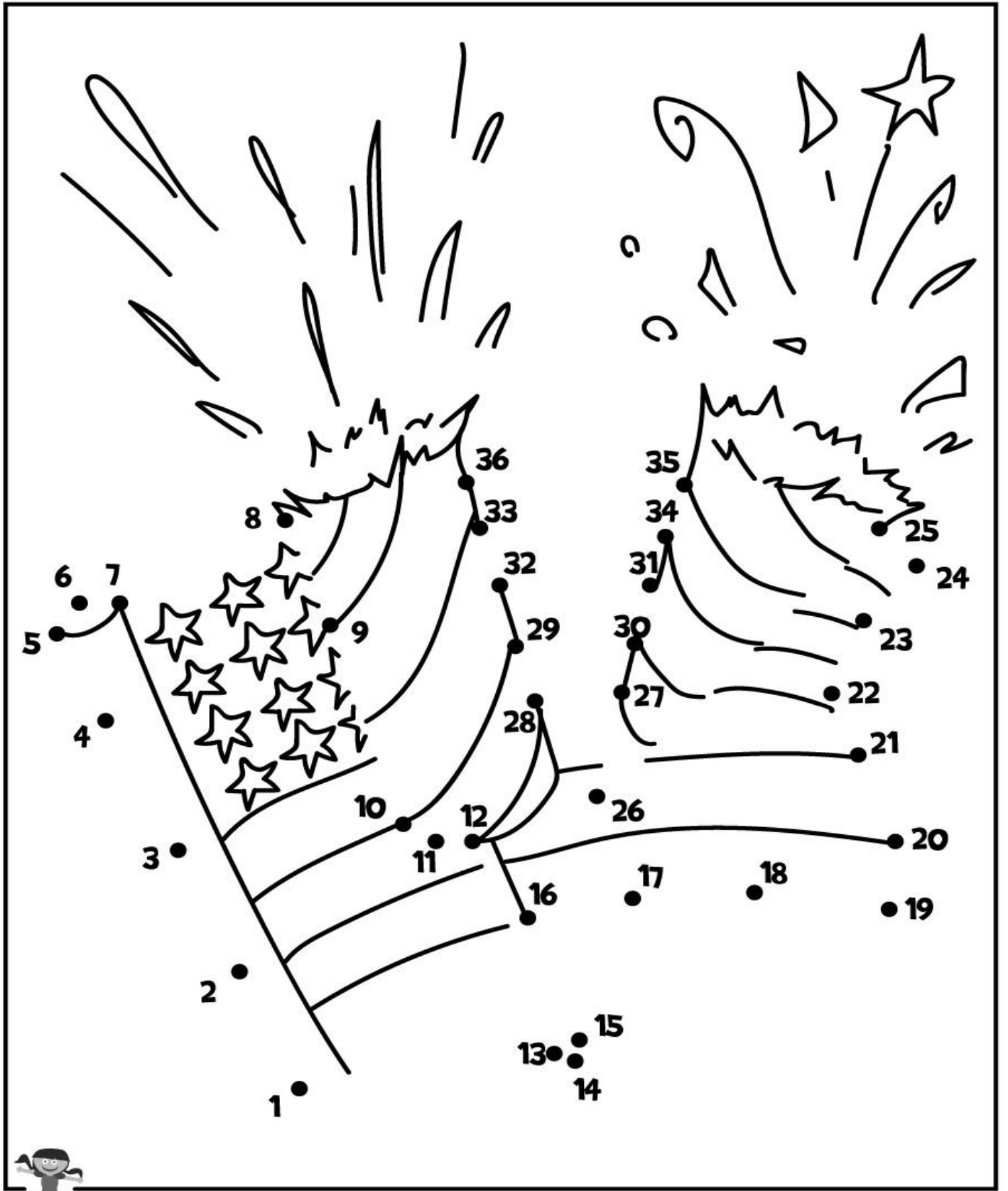
### Across

3. It's a hot \_\_\_\_\_ day.
6. We live in the United States Of \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The 4th of July is \_\_\_\_\_ Day.
8. We celebrate the 4th of \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Someone who loves and supports America is \_\_\_\_\_.

### Down

1. Our flag is red, white and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Soldiers fight for our \_\_\_\_\_.
4. There is a \_\_\_\_\_ show on the beach.
5. Chicken and burgers are cooking on the \_\_\_\_\_.

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# 4th Of July Word Search

Search for the hidden words going up, down, left and right.



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LIBERTY  
AMERICA  
SUMMER  
PHILADELPHIA



FREEDOM  
PARADE  
ANTHEM  
PATRIOTIC  
ENGLAND



INDEPENDENCE  
FLAG  
JULY  
BARBEQUE  
BEACH



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# How Many Can You Find?

## Scavenger Hunt

\_\_\_ **Flags**

\_\_\_ **Watermelons**

\_\_\_ **Blue cars**

\_\_\_ **Animals (bugs DON'T count)**

\_\_\_ **Red, white, or blue food**

\_\_\_ **Tablecloths**

\_\_\_ **Coolers**

\_\_\_ **Red flowers**

\_\_\_ **Chairs**

\_\_\_ **Other children**

\_\_\_ **Serving spoons**

\_\_\_ **Tables**

\_\_\_ **Bottles of ketchup**

\_\_\_ **Red cars**

\_\_\_ **Grills**

\_\_\_ **Bags of Chips**

\_\_\_ **Hats**

\_\_\_ **White Cars**

# →Holcombe News←

## Holcombe UMC Mission Committee

Meeting minutes for June 8, 2021

Present: Mary Beede, Liz Dempsey, Carol Cote, Cheri Bingham

Meeting started at 1:00pm with a prayer.

Business discussed:

**Odanah Church**- Cheri was able to contact Micheal Reszler & was able to confirm that he will be here to speak to the congregation on June 27<sup>th</sup>. Liz was given updated contact information & will contact him regarding details. We have funds available from the past two Native American Sunday special offerings to provide help to their congregation. We will discuss how we may best be in mission with them when he is here this month. (Per Carla, currently have \$270 in mission fund for this.)

**Peace with Justice Sunday** – This was delayed from May due to a scheduling conflict. We will hold on this until July and allow Pastor Paul to choose the Sunday. (Cheri apologizes for any confusion regarding the date for this special offering caused by her mission announcements made in church on June 6<sup>th</sup>!)

**Annual Conference Ingathering** – Sunday, June 13, will be the final date for items to be dropped off. Cheri will take our collection to Lake Street UMC in Eau Claire on June 14<sup>th</sup>. Currently we have collected 5 Homecare/ Bucket Kits and 7 Personal Dignity Kits. Thank you to all who have donated!!

**Camp News** – Scholarship forms for Holcombe UMC scholarships are available on the Camping board. Conference scholarships are also available. Please consider going to one of the camps and/or encouraging others to go. There are camps for people of all ages, children through adults, as well as family camp opportunities. Cheri and 2 of her grandsons are attending the grandparent/grandchild camp at Pine Lake in late July. Not aware of others who might be interested – please encourage others to consider this wonderful opportunity!

**Food pantry** – Nothing new. Appreciate having the list of needed items in the Parish Post.

**Discussed plans for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter** (July-August-September). As noted above, Peace with Justice Sunday will be in July. Student Sunday will be in either August or September. We will also be collecting items needed for the students at Lake Holcombe School.

No meeting planned for July.

Next meeting will be August 10, 2021 at 1:00 at the church.

Minutes by C. Bingham

**Celebration of Life for Helen Wager will be July 31<sup>st</sup> at the Holcombe Church. Gathering will begin at 10a with a service at 11am. A light sandwich lunch will follow at 12pm.**

## HOLCOMBE AD COUNCIL 6-15-2021

PRESENT, JEFF ANDERS, PASTOR PAUL MESSMER, PAULA PAKE, LIZ DEMPSEY, CHERI BINGHAM, BONNIE GUNDLACH, CARLA INGALLS, SUE DAHLSTROM

JEFF CONVENED THE MEETING AT 5:30 P.M. PASTOR LEAD US IN WITH A PRAYER.

MINUETS PRESENTED BY SUE. MOTIONED TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT BY BONNIE, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY PAULA, CARRIED.

APRIL AND MAY TREASURER'S REPORT AS PRESENTED BY CARLA, MOTIONED TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT BY BONNIE, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY SUE, CARRIED.

**PASTOR'S REPORT:** MOVIE NIGHT OUTSIDE AT CHURCH AFTER DISCUSSION WILL BE HELD THURSDAY JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup> MOVIE WILL BE "WONDER". FOR ALL AGES. BRINGING LAWN CHAIR, BLANKET AND BUG SPRAY RECOMMENDED. WILL HAVE POPCORN. MOVIE STARTS AT 7:45 P.M.

VBS IN CORNELL STARTS THE 21<sup>ST</sup> OF JUNE THEY REQUESTED MONITARY AND HANDS ON HELP. CHERI MOTIONED, SUE 2<sup>ND</sup> TO DONATE \$200.00, CARRIED. PASTOR WILL BE HELPING AND LIZ TOO.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE IS THIS WEEKEND, VIA ZOOM. ATTENDING WILL BE PASTOR AND MARY MESSMER.

**CARLA PRESENTED US WITH A PROGRAM CALLED "HOPE VILLAGE"** IT IS THE TINY HOUSE PROJECT THAT STARTED IN 2016-17 AND CHIPPEWA CHURCHES ARE HOSTING THE HOUSES IN THEIR PARKING LOTS RIGHT NOW. THEY HAVE ACQUIRED LAND FOR THESE HOUSES (NEAR THE SUBWAY IN CHIPPEWA) TO BE MOVED TO. THERE ARE GRANTS APPLIED FOR, BUT THEY NEED TO SHOW THEY CAN SUPPORT THIS PROGRAM AS THEY NEED AN OVERSEER (PAID) AND ONGOING EXPENSES. THEY ARE REQUESTING CHIPPEWA COUNTY CHURCHES COMMIT TO A THREE-YEAR OBLIGATION. BE IT MONITARY, HELPING HANDS, SUPPLIES, OR WHATEVER WE CAN GIVE. THIS IS SUCH A NEEDED PROGRAM AS THERE ARE SO MANY HOMELESS PERSONS IN OUR AREA THAT NEED A PLACE TO STAY. IT IS NOT JUST A GIVEN, THE PEOPLE NEED TO GO BY THE RULES, SEEK EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING AND BE DRUG AND ALCOHOL FREE FOR EXAMPLES. AND IT'S FOR 1 WEEK AT A TIME. THE NEWLY ACQUIRED LAND WILL ALSO BE HOME TO LOW INCOME HOUSING THAT IS IN THE PLANNING. THEIR GAME PLAN GOES THROUGH THE YEAR 2032! YOU CAN FIND OUT MORE BY GOING TO [hopevillageofchippewacounty.org](http://hopevillageofchippewacounty.org).

WE HAVE TABLED THIS FOR PLACEMENT ON THE NEXT AGENDA. WE WELCOME THE CONGREGATION'S COMMENTS.

**TRUSTEES:** JEFF REPORTED NEW COFFEE POTS ARE HERE AND WORKING. BUT, BESIDES WHAT THEY COST, THERE WAS A \$179.00 SHIPPING THAT JANE SKARRE TRIED TO OBJECT TO, BUT GOT NOWHERE WITH HER COMPANY SHE ORDERED THEM FROM. SHELVING IS UP IN (OLD FOOD PANTRY) STORAGE ROOM. THANK YOU! JEFF! WORKING ON BELL TOWER AND LOT ENTRY LIGHTING. THEIR NEXT AGENDA WILL INCLUDE BLACKTOPPING AND CARPETING ISSUES, AS WELL AS A NEW INVENTORY NEEDING TO BE DONE AND CHECKING ON INSURANCE COVERAGES. ALSO CHECKING ON A LOCKED, FIREPROOF SAFE INSTEAD OF BANK SAFE DEPOSIT BOX. ANYONE OUT THERE HAVE ONE THEY WOULD LIKE TO GIVE UP?

**SPRC** WILL MEET SEPT. 13<sup>TH</sup> FOR BUDGET UPDATING.

**MISSION:** CHERI REPORTED MET ON 8<sup>TH</sup>. ODANAH CHURCH SPEAKER FOR NATIVE AMERICAN SUNDAY WILL BE HERE JUNE 27<sup>TH</sup>. THIS COMMITTEE WILL WORK WITH THEM AS TO WHAT WE CAN DO TO SUPPORT THEIR CHURCH MINISTRY. PEACE WITH JUSTICE SUNDAY WILL BE JULY 11<sup>TH</sup>. INGATHERING COLLECTED 7 PERSONAL HYGIENE KITS AND FIVE BUCKETS TO SEND.

CAMP INFO AND APPLICATIONS ON BOARD GOING INTO SANCTUARY.

STUDENT SUNDAY WILL BE AUG/SEPT., WITH A LIST OF NEEDED SUPPLIES FROM THE SCHOOL.

FINANCE: BONNIE GRATEFUL FOR HAVING CARLA, AS THE AUDIT WENT SMOOTHLY AND BOOKS ARE BALANCED ALL DUE TO HER DILIGENCE.

**SAMARITAIN FUND:** ARON WILL BE CONTACTED BY JEFF.

**UMW:** SUE REPORTED UMW SUNDAY TO BE OCT. 24<sup>TH</sup>. ALSO, WOULD LIKE THE CONGREGATION TO KNOW THAT UMW WOULD LIKE THE WHOLE CONGREGATION IN ON FUNERALS AND EVENTS, AS MEN ARE NEEDED AND CAN WORK AT THEM. PAULA OFFERED TO BE AN OVERSEER FOR FUNERALS, DIRECTING WHO SERVES, WHERE, WHAT AND TIMES. THANK YOU! SHE WILL WORK WITH SHELBY JUSTUS (SUPPLY PROCUROR) AS NEEDED.

**EDUCATION:** SUE REPORTED ADULT IS ONGOING, STILL LOOKING FOR YOUTH/CHILDREN CHAIR.

**WORSHIP:** LIZ MENTIONED THE MOVIE NIGHT AND WOULD LIKE MORE BANNERS -- LOOKING TO QUILTERS FOR SOME. MONTH OF JULY SERMONS WILL BE ON ONE SONG PER WEEK -- ORIGIN, SCRIPTURE AND CHILDREN'S TIME TO COORDINATE WITH THAT SONG.

NEXT MEETING AUGUST 17, 2021. ANYONE AND EVERYONE FROM THE CONGREGATION WELCOME TO ATTEND. WILL HAVE VOICE, BUT NO VOTE.

PASTOR ENDED WITH PRAYER.

MOTION TO ADJOURN BY BONNIE, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY PAULA, CARRIED 6:40 P.M.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY SUE DAHLSTROM.

### **HOLCOMBE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN 5/13/21**

PRESENT: KAREN STIMELING, LIZ DEMPSEY, MARY BEEDE, CLAUDETTE SMITH, CHERI BINGHAM, SUE DAHLSTROM.

PRESIDENT KAREN CONVENED THE MEETING AT 1:35 P.M.

MINUTES OF THE APRIL 8, 21 MEETING WAS READ BY SUE. CLAUDETTE MOTIONED TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY LIZ, CARRIED.

TREASURER AS PRESENTED BY CHERI, WAS MOTIONED BY SUE TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY MARY, CARRIED.

BALANCE OF \$514.79 AND \$1234.01 IN THE ASSEMBLY FUND. CHERI WILL BE PAYING THE 1<sup>ST</sup> HALF OF THE PLEDGE IN JUNE. THE BOOKS ARE READY TO BE AUDITED.

MARY RELAYED THE PICTURE PRESENTATION IN THE "RESPONSE" MAGAZINE OF THE PLACES UMW SUPPORTS

ELAINE SHARP WHILE NOT PRESENT FOR SOCIAL ACTION,+ DID EMAIL A LIST OF CARDS SENT THIS LAST MONTH. TOTAL OF 47 SENT SO FAR THIS YEAR.

LIZ REPORTED THE ONE BIRTHDAY FROM THE "PRAYER CALENDAR" AS WELL AS THE FOCUS ON CAMBODIA, ITS WOMEN AND LIVESTOCK AND THE MISSION WITNESS OF A MOTHER/DAUGHTER ON THE TRANSITIONAL HOUSING IN MOBILE AL.

DISTRICT TEAM MEMBERS:

CHERI (PROGRAM RESOURCES) REPORTED ON MORE BOOK LISTINGS AS WELL AS MOVIES AND PODCASTS AVAILABLE. SHE IS READING "NOT YOUR PRINCESS" BOOK AND MARY READ "FOCUS" BOOK, BOTH GOOD READS.

MARY (NOMINATIONS) N/A

LIZ (PRESIDENT, V. PRES ....) REPORTED SHE HAD POSITIVE FEEDBACK ON THE SPRING DAY OF ENRICHMENT PROGRAM.

JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup> IS THE DATE SET FOR CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR JIM BEEDE. VISITATION ON THE 4<sup>TH</sup> FROM 5-7 P.M. SERVICE ON THE 5<sup>TH</sup> AT 11 A.M. WITH CATERED LUNCH AFTER. WE ARE ASKED TO MAKE BARS AND TO SERVE THE FOOD AND BEVERAGES. VOLUNTEERS WERE OFFERED UP TO MAKE BARS AND TO LEND A HAND. OTHERS FROM THE CONGREGATION WILL ALSO BE ASKED TO HELP. BARS NEED TO BE AT THE CHURCH FRIDAY MORNING.

CLAUDETTE MOVED TO ADJOURN, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY CHERI, CARRIED.

SUE HAD THE PROGRAM IN PLACE OF MARY. THE PROGRAM WAS ON JUSTICE FOR VICTIMS – VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE, TRAFFICING, MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS WOMEN AND GIRLS, BLACKS, AND MANY OTHER PERSONS OF INJUSTICES, MANY WHO CANNOT SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES, SO WE MUST.

MARY WILL HAVE THE PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT MEETING ON JUNE 13, 2021 AT 1:30 P.M.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY SUE DAHLSTROM.

## HOLCOMBE UMW 6-10-2021

PRESENT: LIZ DEMPSEY, JEAN WOLFE, CHERI BINGHAM, ERMA DAVID, ELAINE SHARP, MARY BEEDE, CLAUDETTE SMITH, SUE DAHLSTROM AND VISITOR, SUE FITZPATRICK.

CLAUDETTE CONVENED THE MEETING IN PRES. KAREN STIMELING'S ABSENCE (RECOVERING FROM SURGERY) AT 1:35 P.M. AND LEAD US IN OUR PURPOSE.

MARY EXTENDED KAREN'S "HELLO" TO ALL, SHE WAS UP, DRESSED AND FEELING A LITTLE BETTER TODAY. BARB BENDER HAD BEEN IN HOSPITAL WITH LOW OXYGEN LEVEL AND WOULD LIKE OUR PRAYERS.

SUE READ LAST MEETING MINUTES. MOTIONED BY LIZ TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY CHERI, CARRIED.

CHERI PRESENTED THE TREASURER'S REPORT. AND MENTIONED THE AUDIT HAD YET TO BE DONE AND SHE WILL BE PAYING THE FIRST HALF OF OUR PLEDGE THIS MONTH. SUE MOTIONED TO RECEIVE AND ACCEPT, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY LIZ, CARRIED.

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH**, MARY SUGGESTED ENVELOPES BE HANDED OUT TODAY FOR THE PRAYER AND SELF DENIAL PROGRAM TO BE IN AUGUST. WE ALL AGREED.

**NURTURE AND OUTREACH**, MARY RELATED THAT MARY PIETENPOL IS HAVING MORE HEALTH CONCERNS AND SEEING THE DOCTOR. SHE TALKED WITH ALICE TROUPE AND RUBY GETTING. ALSO SUGGESTED ASKING LINDA DALLMAN TO JOIN US AND PAULA PAKE.

**CORRESPONDENCE**; THANK YOU FROM KADEN CRANK.

**SUNSHINE**, ELAINE SENT CARDS TO 8 MORE PERSONS SINCE LAST MEETING. AND THEN LAUNCHED INTO SOCIAL JUSTICE. SHE LISTED THINGS SHE HAD BEEN THINKING ABOUT AND WANTED US TO ALSO THINK ABOUT. THEY ARE AS FOLLOWS: COMPUTER HACKING PROBLEMS (BIG COMPANIES), VACCINATION PROS AND CONS, PROTESTS VS RIOTING, STIMULUS CHECKS, RUSK COUNTY A HOT SPOT FOR DRUGS AND COVID 19, POLITICAL VISITSPACE EXPLORATIONS (TRIPS), TOP 10 BILLIONAIRES THEIR ACTIONS / INACTIONS, BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER MUCH NEEDED (1<sup>ST</sup> COR. 16 AND PHIL 4). SHE SAID "DO IN LOVE, BE FULL OF JOY AND THANK GOD!" WOW!!! WE HAVE OR TASK SET BEFORE US TO THINK ON ALL THESE!

LIZ SHARED THE BIRTHDAYS IN THE PRAYER CALENDAR (3) AND THE FOCUS ON INDIA.

### **NW DISTRICT MEMBERS;**

CHERI (RESOURCES) HAD NOTHING NEW TO REPORT, BUT TRY TO CATCH A PODCAST.

MARY (NOMINATIONS) WILL BE MEETING AND WILL EXPECT A FEW VACANCIES AND THE LACK OF PERSONS WILLING TO STEP INTO A ROLE.

LIZ (PRES./V.PRES.) STATED THEY NEED TO SET DATE FOR FALL GATHERING SO ALL WILL KNOW WHAT TO SHOOT FOR.

**BUSINESS**: CHERI SUGGESTED WE LET THE CONGREGATION KNOW THAT UMW WILL NOT BE SOLE PROVIDERS FOR **FUNERAL GOODS AND SERVICE**, THAT IT BELONGS TO THE WHOLE CONGEGATION INCLUDING NEED FOR MEN AND THEIR STRENGTH. SUE WILL BRING UP AT AD COUNCIL MEETING.

**UMW SUNDAY** DATE SET FOR OCTOBER 24<sup>TH</sup>. WILL LET PASTOR KNOW AT AD COUNCIL MEETING. WE NEED IDEAS FOR THIS DATE.

**MISSION U**: ALL CLASSES ON LINE AT DIFFERENT DATES. LIST IS IN THE LAST "CATCH THE VISION" ISSUE, WHICH NOT EVERYONE RECIEVES. WE NEED MORE NOTIFICATION SOURCES AND IN ADVANCE NOTICES OF DATES TO GET BOOKS/SUPPLIES TO JOIN THE CLASSES BY ZOOM.

SUE MOTIONED TO ADJOURN, 2<sup>ND</sup> BY ELAINE, CARRIED.

MARY HAD THE PROGRAM AND CHERI BROUGHT RHUBARB CRISP. MARY FOUND A "BADGER TIDINGS" NEWSLETTER THAT HAD A PICTURE OF HER BROTHER IN AN ACTIVE YOUTH GROUP PICTURE AND HER MOTHER IN A LEADERSHIP ROLE PUICTURE AND AN ARTICLE ON RACIAL JUSTICE WHERE THIOSE WOMEN HAD SENT A LETTER TO J.F.K. TO PROMOTE BETTER UNDERSTANDING. THAT FIT IN WITH THE 150 YEARS BOOK.

HER PROGRAM WAS ON LEARNING IN COMMUNITY FROM THE PROPHET AMOS. HIS VISION IOF WOMEN AND HOW TO LIVE OUT OUR BAPTISM VOWS, TO BE IN GOD'S SHALOM. GO, SEEK GOD AND LIVE! ...

LIZ HAS THE NEXT PROGRAM IN AUGUST. WE WERE UNSURE IF JUST OFFICERS MEETING IN JULY OR ALL OF US.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY SUE DAHLSTROM.

➤Jim Falls News←

# DONUT FRY

Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>



Jim Falls United Methodist Church  
13883 Hwy S South Jim Falls, WI

Phone: 715- 382-4397, or 715-382-4549  
for advanced orders

Cost: \$4.00 a dozen

Hours: 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.



Please let a UMW member know if you will be willing to work that day. You can let Robbie Baker, Becky Scheidler, Marge Lazarz, Tess Stipek , Deatra Lazarz or Eunice Maier know if you can help.



**You are cordially invited to help  
Bea Roycraft celebrate her 91st birthday!  
Her family is hosting a gathering on  
Wednesday, June 30th, from 2 to 4pm  
at the Irvine Park Activity Building  
(next to the Main Pavilion lower park).  
She is celebrating with cupcakes and ice cream.  
Come share some memories!!**

# 2021 July Birthdays and Anniversaries!



## Anson

7 Dan & Ann Crogg  
9 Brandon & Charlene  
Colvin  
11 Gavin Griesbach  
14 Chris King  
15 Marjorie Hakes  
19 Mason Sande  
22 Mike & Jeri Dumholt  
23 Don & Kathy  
Cernohous-Hauser  
Lisa McIlquham  
25 Travis & Leah Griesbach  
26 Molly McIlquham

## Jim Falls

2 Bob & Carla  
Ingalls  
4 Andy Strupp  
9 Paul Sweeney  
14 Brian Lazarz  
18 Lang & Holli  
Jacobson  
19 Robbie Baker  
Devin Smith  
John & Sheila  
Sundlin  
25 Sara Smith  
Tess Stipek  
26 Jeanne Driessen

## Holcombe

1 Graci Willmarth  
3 Jean Wolfe  
6 Lucas Hering  
15 Yvonne Carlson  
17 Joe Cigan  
Ruby Getting  
Ken & Carol  
Severson  
18 Rochelle Catlin  
Mary Pietenpol  
19 Jeff & Erika Alix  
Tom Burns  
21 Alice Troupe  
23 Carley Maier  
Robert & Nancy  
Wendell  
27 Jolene Anders  
Mark Willmarth

**Happy Anniversary**





# July

## Anson, Holcombe, and Jim Falls UMC

# 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 UMW 1p (JF)  Choir Practice 5:30p (H)	2	3
4 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost 8:30a (H), 10a (JF), 11:15a (A)  "America the Beautiful" INDEPENDENCE DAY	5 Food Pantry 4-6p (JF)  Coffee & Convo 1p (JF)	6 Men's Brkfst 7:30a (H) Worship Comm 9a (H) Lay Servant 10a (C) Board of Trustees 5p H)	7 Coffee & Convo 1p (H)	8 UMW 1:30p (H)  Choir Practice 5:30p (H)	9	10
11 7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost 8:30a (H), 10a (JF), 11:15a (A)  "Standing on the Promises"	12 Food Pantry 4-6p (JF)  Coffee & Convo 1p (JF)	13 Ad Board 630p (JF)  Food Pantry 2-5p (H)	14 Coffee & Convo 1p (H)	15 Choir Practice 5:30p (H)	16	17 Men's Breakfast 7:30a (JF)
18 8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost 8:30a (H), 10a (JF), 11:15a (A)  "Jesus Loves the Little Children"	19 Food Pantry 4-6p (JF)  Coffee & Convo 1p (JF)	20	21 Coffee & Convo 1p (H)	22 Worship Committee 10:30a (JF)  Choir Practice 5:30p (H)	23	24
25 9 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost 8:30a (H), 10a (JF), 11:15a (A)  "It is Well With my Soul"	26 Food Pantry 4-6p (JF)  Coffee & Convo 1p (JF)	27 Red Cross Blood Drive 12:30-5:30pm (H)	28 Coffee & Convo 1p (H)	29 Choir Practice 5:30p (H)	30	31

ANSON, HOLCOMBE, JIM FALLS UMC  
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HOLCOMBE, WI 54745

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Office Hours	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri
<b>Pastor Paul</b>	Jim Falls (9a-6p)	HC (9a-3p)	HC (9a-3p)	HC (9a-3p)	Sabbath day Of rest

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Bill and Karen Stimeling (HC), Ken Flouro (HC)

### Lay member of Annual Conference

Mary Messmer (JF) Paula Pake (H)

### The United Methodist Church

Wisconsin Area Bishop | Hee-Soo Jung  
North West District Superintendent | Barb Certa-Werner

## CHURCH INFORMATION

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Just west of Highway 27 on County M  
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## JOIN US FOR WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS

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**HOLCOMBE 8:30 A.M.**

**JIM FALLS 10 A.M.**

**ANSON 11:15 A.M.**