

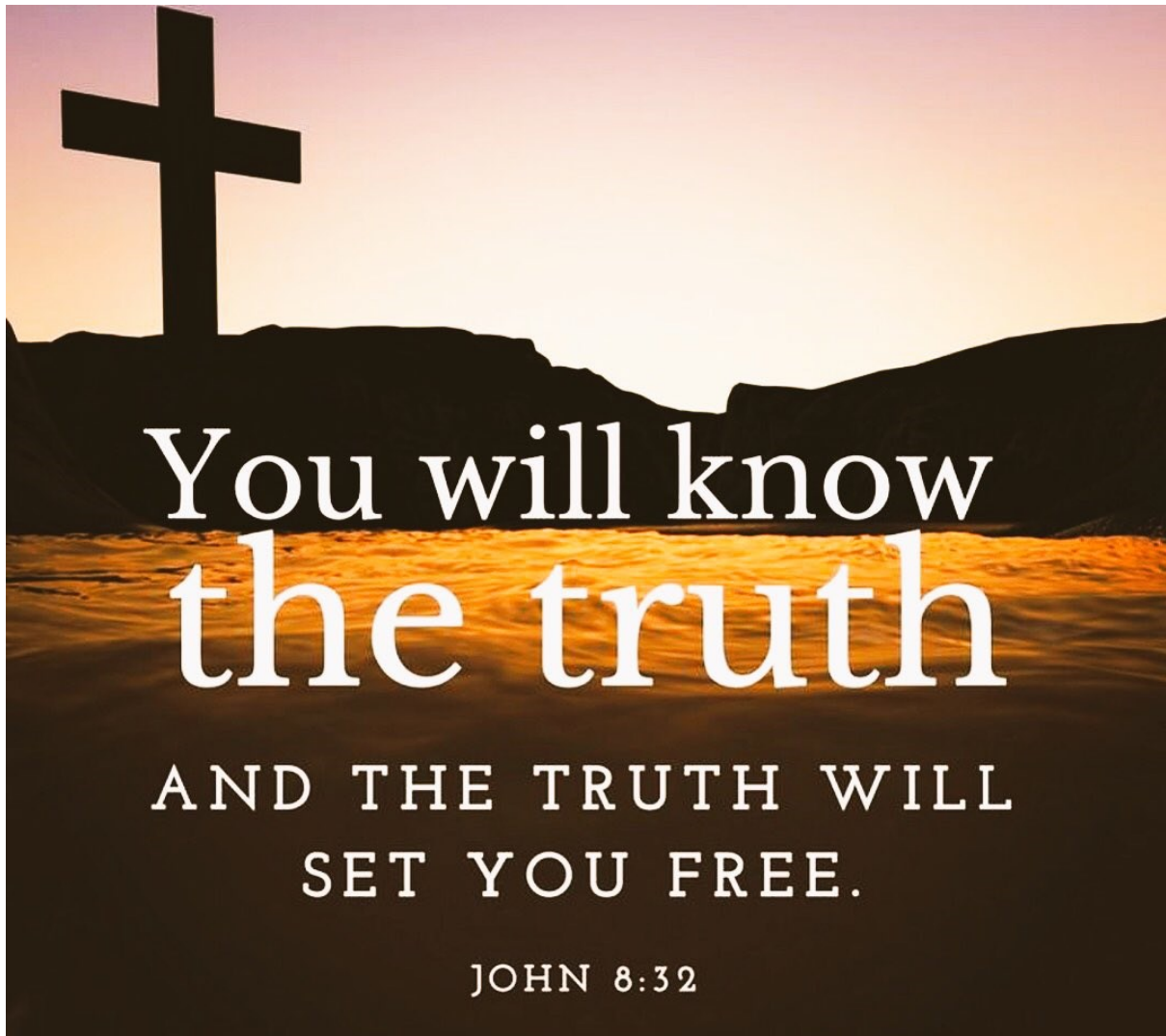
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We are an inviting community of faith where we care for all.



John 8:36 is one of the most inspirational phrases in all of Scripture. So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. While sin enslaves us, true freedom is found only in Christ. Sin deceives by promising freedom, when all it does is control and corrupt us. Those who don't have faith in Christ are bound by sin, and subject not only to slavery, but to spiritual death. Those who find Christ, the one and only source of spiritual truth, will be "truly" free.

“And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall set you free.”

Did you realize that this common verse about freedom is being used by both Christians and non-Christian individuals? Even more interesting is the fact that this specific verse is not just used by ordinary people, it has made its way into films, movies, tv shows, and other pop culture. However, most of the time, it's being used without having the proper understanding of its context.

So, what is this freedom being talked about? More importantly, how can we attain true freedom?

To fully understand the context of John 8:32, one needs to continue reading, especially John 8:36

“So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.”

The truth is, true freedom can only be found in Christ. Jesus Christ has always been God's answer to our loss of freedom. When Jesus began His ministry on earth. He announced that He was the one that God's people had been waiting for. He did so by reading a particular message from the book of Isaiah.

“and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him. Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written: “The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.” Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him. He began by saying to them, “Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.” Luke 4:17-21

In the last verse of this passage, Jesus Himself confirms how the Scripture is being fulfilled in their midst through Him. He is the Messiah that the people are waiting for, the one that will free all of humanity from the bondage of sin. He is a manifestation of freedom Himself.

Without Jesus, without accepting Him as our Lord and personal Savior, we can never attain true freedom. Yes, we might experience different kinds of freedom, religious, social, and political to name a few, but these are only worldly. Without Jesus, we will always be doomed to experience chaos, disorder, injustice, and more.

As God's people, we should always seek Christ to experience freedom from all things chaotic - - freedom from the things that will keep us away from Him. Happy 4th of July !





Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During the Sundays of June we've heard readings from Saint Matthew's Gospel, chapter ten. We've been reminded that as followers of Jesus, we are called to be disciples and called to make disciples. We're reminded that a primary way for us to do this is by how we respond to others. Through our words and by what we do, others see Jesus in us. What we do, what we say, how we act – it matters! When I've taught confirmation, I frequently discuss with my confirmands that if they say they follow Jesus, it should show in our daily lives. Each one of us crosses paths daily with friends, family, and strangers. Many of them are hungry for a word of hope. Many of them would be eager to receive a small gesture of kindness. In our broken and hurting world, a world filled with separation, estrangement and despair, you and I are called to be the face of Jesus. God will go with us and guide us as we do this. May God continue to grant you grace and courage to proclaim Jesus to others.

Comments welcome! Several of you have expressed appreciation for our return to distribution both elements of Holy Communion and have welcomed the work of our Assisting Ministers and our Ushers. Worship is feeling more and more as it was before COVID.

We're still tweaking how we distribute the Holy Eucharist and will be trying something new the next few Sundays. The worship/communion assistants are working to learn how much to prepare --- how many hosts and individual cups do we use. This is helpful to eliminate waste, yet to make sure we have enough ready for all. To help us with that, the next few weeks, perhaps all of July, we will be distributing the Holy Eucharist by "tables." What this means is that the ushers will invite you forward to stand in front of the Altar in a semi-circle – actually more of an oval or curved line. Eight-ten folks will come forward at a time. I will begin distributing the host at one end of the line. The Communion Assistants and Assisting Minister will follow with the chalice for those who prefer to receive by intinction, followed by one of them carrying the tray of individual cups, and coming at the end, the Assisting Minister with a basket to receive your used individual cup.

Last week we began using Setting Ten, which is a hymn-based setting of the Holy Eucharist. The hymns are familiar, and you should have no trouble joining along during the liturgy. We will use Setting Ten until the Sunday after Labor Day.

Please let me or any member of the Worship Committee or Council know your thoughts and comments about our worship.

Our new Music Director, Russ Henkhaus, has been a bright spot and a most welcome addition to our worship. We are greatly blessed to have him serve us!

"Dwelling in the Word" continues during July. We meet every Monday at 2:00 P.M. Please join us anytime!

To each and all of you, a relaxing, enjoyable and restful Summer from me and my little grey cat Lilly.

Peace be with you and yours,
Pastor Jan

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News & Updates

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Social Ministry Team

Hot weather has arrived and so has the need the need to help supply our unhoused neighbors and outdoor service workers with water to prevent dehydration. Please consider donating bottled water to be shared with local organizations for distribution throughout the hot summer months. Or consider these ideas:

- 1. Keep water in your car to offer to a road construction flagger**
- 2. Hand a bottle of water from your car window when at a stop light/sign to an individual selling a newspaper or asking for help**
- 3. Place a cooler with ice and a couple of bottles of water near your mailbox with a note for your mail carrier or delivery driver to help themselves.**

However, you choose to help – it is appreciated.

Thank you,
Sharon and the Social Ministry Team



Blood Drive Update

The Red Cross Blood Drive was held Wednesday afternoon, May 31st, from 1-5:30. We had a total of 20 units or products that were donated, including 2 Power Red donors. These people have blood products removed from their blood on site, and saline returned to them. We had two first time donors and only one donor was deferred for a low hemoglobin count. Four donors were members of Resurrection, and the rest were donors from the community at large. Fay Stoutenborough and Sherry Wyatt were there all day to register the people and help out in the canteen after their donations were finished. Everything went very well, and I wanted to recognize and thank the Red Cross personnel for their professional staff and courtesy. A special thanks to Fay and Sherry for helping out. I think we should plan for another drive later in the year.

Kay Tucker



**American
Red Cross**

The YWCA Alton Summer Collection

The **YWCA Alton** was the grateful recipient of three bags of craft items to be used for summer Child Enrichment programs. Unused Resurrection Sunday School supplies and member donations provided the resources we were able to share.

How about you? Do you have any crayons, paints, colored paper, etc. leftover from your grandchildren? Are you looking for a summer project? Perhaps you have a cluttered closet or drawer with items that could be put to creative use by a child at the YWCA. ***Place donations in the designated Social Ministry Program crate in the Coat Room off the Narthex .***

YWCA Volunteer Options:

- *General Volunteer* such as helping out at the front desk, assisting with events, consulting opportunities and more.
- *Child Enrichment Program Volunteers* spend their time playing with or tutoring children, but volunteers are also responsible for aiding the staff with day to day tasks. Volunteers may be asked to clean tables, floors, handle garbage, pick up toys, attend field trips, prepare art projects, make copies, etc.



Thanks,
Sharon Groh and the Social Committee

Madison County Child Advocacy Center

The Madison County Child Advocacy Center, Wood River provides professional intervention and supportive services to fight child abuse. Most importantly, the CAC provides a safe haven for children to talk about the physical or sexual abuse they may have experienced and to help in limiting the number of times a child has to be interviewed.

In order to provide hope and comfort to the children and families who utilize the Center throughout the year, donations for the following are appreciated. The children “shop” for needed items giving them a sense of independence and choice.

- * toothpaste
- * toothbrush
- * deodorant
- * hairbrush
- * baby wipes
- * feminine hygiene products



All donations must be brand new, sealed, and in their original packaging. Place donations in the designated Social Ministry Program crate in the Coat Room off the Narthex.

Thanks,
Sharon Groh and the Social Committee



Social Ministry

Below, you will find additional updates and news from our Social Ministry Team not already highlighted as upcoming events and/or projects seen throughout the newsletter.

Our Social Ministry Team continues to open each meeting with reading and reflecting on Dwelling in the Word as encouraged by the Faithful Innovation Team. Members agree the practice of reading the passages of Acts 16:6-15 (NIV) and discussing the questions brings new insights based on current events and daily experiences. There always seems to be a new perspective shared.

This month we are focusing on community ministry (volunteer) opportunities. As you read, listen to what the Holy Spirit may be calling you to do, and pray for guidance in how you will follow.

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Why is service work and justice work integral to the church?

Each person is created in God's image, and following the example of Jesus, we're called to show love and compassion for all people and creation. By working for healing, peace and justice in the world, we seek to uphold human rights and dignity.

We use our voices and actions to demonstrate God's love. This takes place through everyday actions of members, such as being an active citizen or helping in a food pantry. It also takes place through our church's advocacy work and ministries such as [ELCA World Hunger](#) and [Lutheran Disaster Response](#). We join with Lutherans around the world in service work and justice through the [Lutheran World Federation](#), our global communion of churches.

In these and many other ways, our church strives to put its faith into action to work for the common good. Or as we say in the ELCA's official tagline, "God's work. Our hands."

(source: <https://www.elca.org/About/What-We-Believe/Getting-Connected>)

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Responding to the Climate Disaster – Connections Call

Rev. Matthew Zemanick, Program Director, Lutheran Disaster Response Initiatives will be joining us to consider all the ways we can "lend a hand" before, during, and after a natural disaster. The work of educating our communities and getting to know the people and resources in them are critical aspects.

Check out July 25th Zoom call by Lutherans Restoring Creation by clicking below to learn more and/or register:

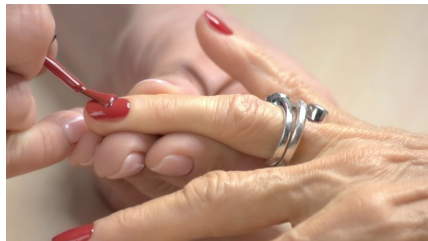
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Graceful Nails Senior Ministry at Evergreen Place Supported Living, Alton.

Resurrection volunteers have provided nail care, gentle hand massage and conversation to residents one Saturday afternoon per month beginning April 2023. The appreciative comments are plentiful and rewarding for providing such simple gifts of kindness. If you care to join us, you are welcome to meet at 1:45 pm on the 4th Saturday at Evergreen.



Join us Saturday, July 22

*Note: Additional nail polish and scented hand lotion would be helpful. Place donations in designated Social Ministry Program crate in the Coat Room off the Narthex. Any extras will be shared with other Resurrection-supported community ministries.

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Bread for the World

What causes Hunger? Many factors contribute, consider a local response in the letter from Nick Kessinger, Director, Crisis Food Center (next page). Climate change is the greatest environmental challenge the world has ever faced, and it is damaging food and water security in significant ways, like drought and flooding. *Lutherans Restoring Creation* offers a great deal of information to support this on their website, as well as resources for suggested action for churches and individuals. Changing weather patterns and natural disasters destroy crops, limit what crops can be grown in certain areas, and reduce access to grazing land for animals. Climate change is also shrinking water supplies. All one needs to do is listen to any news channel, social media feed, or other source of local, national or global news to confirm these statements. **Please register for the Lutheran Disaster Relief Zoom Call on July 25th at 7 pm to learn what we can do to help.**

<https://lutheransrestoringcreation.org/event/responding-to-the-climate-disaster-connections-call/>

What is Hidden Hunger? In the U.S. those facing poverty often experience “hidden hunger,” meaning even if they are getting enough *quantity* of food, the *quality* of food – vitamins and minerals – is lacking. Hidden hunger can stunt physical growth and cause poor cognitive function, weakened immune systems, and chronic diseases at later age.

If you know an elderly friend or relative who may need financial assistance with purchasing food, considering referring them to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Go to the local Illinois Department of Human Services office (Family Community Resource Center), or mail or fax the application, or apply online at abe.illinois.gov the State of Illinois’ official website to apply for and manage Medical, SNAP and Cash benefits. There will be an interview (can be on the phone). Document your identification, residency, immigration status, household income, resources, expenses, etc. The maximum net income for a family of one for 2023 is \$19,800. See the website for more eligibility information. Sharon Groh can help with questions or assist in the process, if needed.





Thank you for allowing me to take a moment of your time. My name is Nick Kessinger, and I serve as the director of Crisis Food Center located in Alton, Illinois. I wanted to take a moment to share a little bit about our agency. More and more individuals within the Metro-East are struggling with food insecurity as the cost of living continues to rise. As a current pastor and former youth pastor, I know the challenges of wanting to help those in need. This is where we come in.

Since we are not a USDA food bank, we provide to everyone who comes to us for food, regardless of zip-code, or any other factor. Working families who often "fall in the cracks," and make just enough to disqualify them for assistance elsewhere, can come to us for food. As our founder Francis Jackson said, "If clients are willing to come to us for food, we are going to serve them." Individuals can come twice a month, and receive approximately five to seven days of free food. We are open for food distribution Monday through Friday. Individuals are asked to call and schedule an appointment the day they would like to pick up food. We operate a hybrid model, meaning our client boxes are a combination of choice and pre-boxed items based on family size. Upon arrival, they are given a list of choice items that are then added to their box. Last month we served just shy of 650 families and anticipate serving over 700 families (approximately 2,000 individuals) next month.

As far as food acquisition, we pick up bakery, produce, and meat items at two local Schnucks stores Monday through Friday. We are an Operation Food Search and St. Louis Foodbank partner, so we can receive donated food or purchase food at discounted prices from St. Louis Foodbank when available. Since we are not a USDA partnered agency, we do have to purchase the majority of our food, and have been able to do so, thanks to generous individual donors, businesses, and churches within the Metro-East area. If you have any questions or would like more information about our organization, please feel free to contact me at the number below. I hope this has given you a better idea as to our mission as we seek to partner with your church and other Metro-East nonprofits in making a difference in the lives of others.

Nick Kessinger, Director, Crisis Food Center

618 462 8201 (7:30-3:30 Mon-Fri)

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Riverbend Family Ministries

Riverbend Family Ministries provides resources for smaller non-profit organizations to work together under one roof, providing families and individuals the tools they need to be self-sufficient. They concentrate their collaborative, holistic efforts on children, youth and families who've experienced trauma, most often due to violence, addiction, poverty and homelessness. *A July tour of the newly renovated facilities at 131 East Ferguson Avenue, Wood River is being planned.* Details to be announced when finalized with Tammy Iskarous, Executive Director. We will learn about the several organizations and explore practical ways Resurrection Church can partner. Top of the list of the website is "Pray. First and foremost, pray for our volunteers, facilitators, therapists and the clients they serve". Everyone, without exception, can volunteer with this request!

Thank you!

Sharon Groh 404-432-3942 (text or call)

Current members: Sharon Groh, Mark Groh, Ann & David Isringhausen, Judy Kelley, and Carol Garner.

Youth Programs

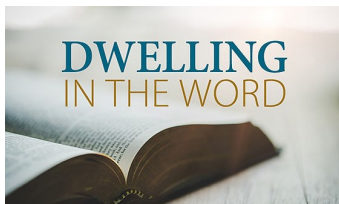
- The last game of the season for the Resurrection sponsored girls' softball takes place on July 6, 6pm at Glazebrook Park.
- The last game of the season for the boy's baseball was June 30.



Let's give a **big thanks** to the Men's Group for sponsoring these programs in our community again.

Thanks for Listening

A couple weeks back, someone amongst us noted that the services streaming on Facebook and YouTube were lacking something. Those watching only knew Resurrection as an alter with a Pastor and a couple volunteer readers. While our video quality had drastically improved via the new cameras, they felt that they weren't being facilitated to their fullest. After bringing up the concern through the proper chain, we are now showing the public a much more interactive service. Thanks to our "tech" guys, viewers are now getting to see the cross bearer proceeding forward, people sharing the Lord's peace, members walking up to receive communion and even our organist. Now, the public gets the opportunity to see who we are, what our service actually consists of and what it might be like for them to attend. Thanks again !



Dwelling in the Word

Mondays, 2-3 pm, with Pastor Jan leading
Join us July 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31

Call Committee

Earlier in June our first possible nominee withdrew from nomination. Don't be discouraged by that news. As of Tuesday, June 27,th another pastor is considering being a nominee for Resurrection. He has been interviewed by Bishop Roth and Pastor Sandlin. Pastor Sandlin has just sent our paperwork to be reviewed. Please continue to be patient and diligent in your prayers and understand that we are on God's timeline and not our own.

I will let you know when we have an update.

Blessings, Your Call Committee

Cheryl Margherio, Janet Broche, Mark Groh, Gary Neese &
Rich Kelley (Chair)



Highlight's from Church Council – May and June

REPORTS:

- **Treasurer's Report May:** Total offering for the month of May was down. Our total was \$9,306.47. Total income was \$9,621.77. Total expenses for the month were \$10,600.80. This included \$625.00 for mowing services. \$10,000 was moved from the checking account into reserve funds to gain more interest.
- **Pastor's Report:** Pastor commented on how change continues. We have added/restored Assisting Ministers, created new roles for Communion, returned to passing the offering plate, returned to sharing the Peace, returned to receiving Holy Communion. All changes have been received well. Past Jan will also be showing us how change can be accomplished by trying something new. The music during distribution will be meditative the 2nd Sunday of the month and a hymn the rest of the Sundays. Portions of the liturgy that are currently chanted will be spoken as we begin using Setting 10 for our Eucharist Liturgy. We will return to our usual setting after Labor Day. Distribution of Holy Communion will be done in "tables (where 8-10 people come up to the alter)" beginning the first Sunday of July. We will try this for several weeks and evaluate on a preferred method.
- **President's Report:** Jim mentioned selecting a Sunday in July to help Brayden Broche collect for a worthy cause. A date and cause to be announced.
- **Committee Reports:** There were no committee reports shared with council other than the Social Committee events and insight seen throughout the newsletter. A few members from the Audit Committee will be pulled together, pick a date in July, and meet at Kay Tucker's house to complete the task. The date/time for this to be determined.

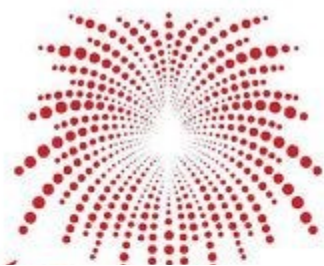
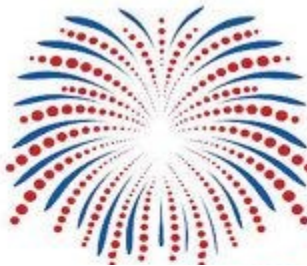
DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- **Insurance:** Last year, our building insurance was changed to Church Mutual at the request of Pastor Len. Insurance has increased about 20% over the past year. Customer Service with Church Mutual has been lifeless and really only handled through back and forth emails. Kay met with our previous provider, Brotherhood Mutual and was shown some policy changes that made more sense than our current policy. For nearly the same yearly cost, council voted to return to Brotherhood Mutual where customer service and a real person have been just a phone call away.
- **Memorials:** – A general discussion took place about how/when to use memorial money. Things like rebuilding the bridge and the Intention Cross were mentioned. We usually keep the funds on hand for about 1 year. Also, a new bench in honor of Bonnie Tiemann should be delivered soon, giving us 2. Council is proposing that the Tiemann benches be moved out to the landscape along the drive where the new prayer cross will be placed once constructed and completed. These benches will provide a place for one to meditate and pray if so desired.
- **Memorial Flowers:** A discussion was held on whether we should provide flowers from the church when a member passes. It was decided to table this discussion until fall.
- **Young Hall Windows:** Jim mentioned that the curved windows in Young Hall look cracked. We are uncertain if this is the tint film or another issue. Jim will contact the Men's Club for input on replacing the 4 curved windows.
- **Pictorial Directory:** Its coming, but very slowly. We will continue to be patient with this large undertaking.

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DISCUSSION ITMES CONTINUED:

- **Website/Media:** A request for easier access to the monthly calendar was made of Neal Booth. It has always been found online in the newsletter, but can quickly be found on the website under "Get Involved Events." Neal brought up concerns with our rather lifeless Facebook page that is seeing absolutely no activity or involvement. Council agreed that ending services with Christine Simone, hired under Pastor Len's duration, to handle our Facebook page would be looked into. Pastor Jan has agreed to take over the FB page and tap into some new resources she feels are worthy of sharing. A vote will be made after we review the terms of her contract.
- **Office equipment:** New cabinets were purchased for the Sacristy and assembled by the Callahans. The Callahans did a little spring cleaning and reorganizing. Thank you, Dan and Carol. New phones for the church office will be purchased at a nominal fee. The old ones just don't program properly. And those using them the most are tried to trying to make them work.
- **Extending pastor's contract:** Council unanimously voted to extend the contract for Pastor Worms which expired in July for another 6 months. She accepted and we are thrilled to keep her on board.
- **Meetings:** Jim mentioned holding a Stewardship drive this year rather than just sticking a pledge card in the mail. Our next quarterly meeting will also take place in August. Stay tuned for dates on both of these. Both will follow church services.



Assisting Ministers

The Assisting Ministers for June/July are below. There are some blanks--Folks aren't sure about their Summer Schedule. If there is no one for an open Sunday, that's OK.

Thanks, Pastor Jan

- ☐ July 2 - Rich Kelly
- ☐ July 9 -- Dan Garner
- ☐ July 16 -- Jim Lieber
- ☐ July 23 --
- ☐ July 30 --
- ☐ August 6 -- Rich Kelly
- ☐ August 13 -- Jim Lieber
- ☐ August 20 --



Community Garden

Our Community Garden is flourishing. Everything except the spinach that we planted last month is growing well. If you haven't visited the garden, please do. All are welcome. We have eggplant, cucumbers, lettuce, broccoli, cauliflower, green beans, tomatoes, radishes, 3 varieties of squash, red and yellow peppers.

The first delivery of fresh vegetables (lettuce) was delivered to the Alton Crisis Food Center on Monday, 6-19. As a reminder, one of our goals for the Garden was for the produce to go to area food pantries and neighbors to help with hunger.

Can you spare maybe 3-4 hours for just one week? We need volunteers to help with watering. We water every other day, with the volunteer having a Sunday thru Saturday shift. Maybe you will get lucky and it rains during your week!! Please email Mark Groh at markgroh709@gmail.com to be added to the list. Thank you.



Men's Club Meeting will be Thursday, July 13, at 6:00 pm in Young Hall. Dinner provided.
Dan Garner 618-792-1777

Book Club



The Book Club will not meet in July! This is our vacation month to take a break and enjoy reading while relaxing by a pool or in the comfort of your home enjoying soft music and the AC. Don't forget to jot down some notes of titles you think may be worthy of discussing in the future.

Enjoy the summer, and remember to thank the Good Lord for our all the blessings he has bestowed on us.

Thanks,
Ruth Wolter 618-433-1469



Lap Robes & Prayer Shawls

Prayer Shawls and Lap Robes are available for anyone you may know in need of comfort at a difficult time in their life, just to let them know someone does care. Whether it is an illness, loss of a loved one, bad circumstances or knowing they could use some TLC. The recipient does not have to be a member of our church, **we care for all!** . On Sundays see Sherry Wyatt or Ruth Wolter, who will be happy to assist you. Or, you can call Ruth at home, 618-433-1469 who will be happy to meet you at the church for assistance.



Church services will continue to be live streamed each week. We are streaming to our Facebook page, the church website, YouTube, Riverbender.com, Riverbender's FB page and Riverbender.com TV (available through ROKU and Firestick). These efforts are made possible via Riverbender.com (The fee is \$50/week).

Additional volunteers would be greatly appreciated. Contact Dan Callahan at 618-660-8155 to become a member of the "tech" team.



- 1 Wendy Reinbold-Mollet
- 3 Gary Neese
- 9 Janet Broche
- 21 Dan Tilman
- 23 Robin Lusardi
Brayden Broche
- 29 Curt Bagwill
Taylor Neese
- 31 Dan Callahan

HAPPY
Wedding
ANNIVERSARY

- 30 Ashley and Jared Kinzel

If you didn't see your name listed for a Birthday or Anniversary, please email Neal Booth to be added. Thanks.

FINANCIAL STATUS – May 2023

DEDICATED FUNDS BALANCE	\$71,282.65
GENERAL FUNDS CASH FLOW	(\$979.03)
GENERAL FUND BALANCE	\$13,466.11

	<u>5/1/2023 - 5/31/2023</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS DETAIL		
Income		
Offering	\$9,306.47	\$61,367.20
Lenten Offering		\$1,800.30
Other Income	\$315.30	\$2,473.02
Total General Fund Income	\$9,621.77	\$65,640.52
Expenses		
Benevolence	\$275.00	\$1,435.00
Building and Grounds	\$2,145.00	\$8,641.52
Christian Education	\$0.00	\$0.00
Church Mortgage	\$2,608.00	\$13,040.00
Evangelism	\$0.00	\$394.77
Insurance	\$405.00	\$2,025.00
Office	\$466.06	\$2,500.17
Personnel Costs	\$808.08	\$2,562.15
Personnel Salaries	\$3,479.91	\$17,419.89
Social Ministry	\$0.00	\$214.72
Stewardship Supplies	\$138.81	\$138.81
Worship	\$274.94	\$1,334.44
Total General Fund Expenses	\$10,600.80	\$49,706.47
General Funds Cash Flow	(\$979.03)	\$15,934.05

Our general fund (checking account) balance is \$13,466.11. This is a significant drop from last month because we transferred \$10,000 to the reserve fund in the Money Market Account. It will earn more interest there, and we can always transfer it back if necessary.

Every giving unit keeps Resurrection going and God's doors open for all. . . Thank You !

July 2023

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2 Worship 10am Worship Cmte. Meeting 11am	3 Dwelling in the Word 2p	4 	5	6	7	8
9 Worship 10am Memorial Cmte. Meeting 11am	10 Young Hall in use 10am Dwelling in the Word 2p	11 Scouts 7pm	12	13 Men's Club at Church 6P with dinner !	14	15
16 Worship 10am	17 Young Hall in use 1pm Dwelling in the Word 2p	18 Scouts 7pm Church Council 7pm	19	20	21	22 Graceful Nails at Evergreen Place 1:45p
23 Worship 10am	24 Dwelling in the Word 2p	25 Scouts 7pm	26	27	28	29 <div> Newsletter Deadline 10a </div>
30 Worship 10am	31 Dwelling in the Word 2p	 <div> Rev. Jan S. Worms gracious@midwest.net Office Hours by appointment 618-250-1608 </div>				

Rev. Jan S. Worms, Interim

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Alan Robertson & Sherry Wyatt, *At Large Members*

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