NORTHERN DOOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Calvary & Zion

Circuit Rider - March 2022

March Worship Themes

March 2 Ash Wednesday---- At Calvary

March 6

Theme: The Last 24 Hours Bible: Luke 22:14-20

Message: The Last Supper

Main Thought: The Last supper was a recalling of Israel's deliverance from slavery in Egypt. Our Communion meal is a reminder of our deliverance from

sin and death.

March 13

Theme: The Last 24 Hours Bible: Matthew 26.36-46 Message: The Garden

Main thought: Jesus dealt with betrayal by accepting God's will and His part

in God's plan of redemption

March 20

Theme: The Last 24 Hours

Bible: Mark 14:53-72

Message: Condemned by The Chief Priests and the Council

Main Point: Fear was the motivating force in the trial of Jesus does not anger or hate. Fear that the world they knew would change dramatically if Jesus was allowed to continue his ministry. The fear also that Jesus was

right, and he was the Messiah they waited for.

March 27th

Theme: The Last 24 Hours

Bible: Mark 15.1-15

Message: Jesus, Barabbas, and Pilate

Main Thought: The choosing of Barabbas and condemning of Jesus is a visual demonstration of the choice we all must make. Will we choose the messiah that is meek and lowly or the one who is strong and violent?

Emergency Pastoral Care

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E-mail Updates*

Please notify the office of any e-mail changes and birthdays. If you know of e-mail updates of members and friends,

> please feel free to send along this newsletter. Thanks so much!



Choir Canceled Until Further Notice

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CONDOLENCES

Condolences and prayers go out to Jan and Carla Johnson and family for the loss of Jan's brother Terry Carlson.

Our prayers also go out to Judie and Roy Gauger and family on the passing of Judie's Sister Ruth Bellavia.

Our prayers go out to Claire and Frank Murphy and family on the passing of Claire's brother Carl Roehrdanz

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MARCH MISSION OF THE MONTH: RED BIRD MISSION

Our mission for January is to help support the Red Bird Mission in southeastern Kentucky, where 25% of the people in the area are disabled, 38% live in poverty and 10% are unemployed. The elderly are especially in need. Since 1921, the mission has given hope to thousands of people in this rural, mountainous area by providing Christian-based education, health and wellness care, housing improvement services and emergency assistance. We are humbled by Red Bird Mission's commitment to improving the lives of so many in the heart of Appalachia and are grateful that we can offer financial support. This video will give you a brief overview of the services the mission provides. https://youtu.be/e3KjStII3Dk

Contributions, marked Red Bird Mission, can be sent to Calvary UMC, P.O. Box 168, Egg Harbor, WI 54209, or Zion UMC, Box 344, Fish Creek, WI 54212. Or you can drop it in the offering plate.

CALENDAR ITEMS

If you have some news or a date you would like to pass along, email the office the information and I will get it out in either an upcoming newsletter or in an email whichever time allows. Deadline for April's newsletter is March 24th. We will post detail/updates online and through email.

ON GOING NEED FOR KNITTERS AND CROCHETERS

We still need additional vo lunteers to fulfill our mission. Since January 2005 the Prayer Shawl Ministry has made and donated over 700 prayer shawls, lap robes and prayer squares. We are in need of people to help us restock. We are running low at both parishes. We need both the prayer shawls and prayer squares. We can supply the instructions and the yarn; we just need your time and your talent.

Please contact:

Calvary: Karen Sandstrom: 920-839-2390

Zion: Judie Gauger: 920-495-1781

ZION NEWS

A Note from Myrtle

Time change! Spring forward March 13. Believe it or not, winter is over. (?) Leave the gloom of winter behind and look forward to the joys of spring: new life and renewal of dormant hopes and expectations; revitalized spirits and dreams. Wake up to the newness spring advocates. The tentacles of winter may want to hang on but eventually releases its grip. And so, the law of nature wins.

Sunday, February 13, Zion worshiped at Calvary. It certainly was much more rewarding to meet with others for worship in Word and song than at home alone. This will continue, possibly, until Palm Sunday, April 10.

March 2 is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the season of Lent; a time to prepare for Easter. A time when we are encouraged to renew and rededicate ourselves to God through denial, meditation and service. May this season guide us into a deeper relationship with our heavenly Father.

This winter has been extremely difficult for some. Remember whatever the circumstances were or are, God is still on His throne and is present with us. His Word says, "He will never leave you or forsake you." Promises made are promises kept.

Jesus said, "As I have loved you [just] as the Father has loved Me; abide in My love—continue in His love with Me." John 15:9 The Amplified NT

Myrtle Clark

COST FREE MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

There are several ways in which you can help support missions that don't cost you anything. Econo Foods grocery receipts can be turned in at the church. We get cash back for all of your purchases.

Year to date we have collected proceeds of \$ 141.74. Thank you to Marty Bagley and Susan Cattle for adding the receipts and turning them in.



CURRENT EVENTS @ CALVARY

Current Events is on Tuesdays at 9 am, at Calvary hosted by Joan Vahey. The meeting is held in the library.

COORDINATOR FOUND FOR MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Sue Lewis is the new coordinator for out prayer chain. If you are not currently a link in the prayer chain and you would like to join, please contact Sue with your email address. Existing members information had been forwarded to her. Sue can be reached at FSLSAL2@charter.net. Please email Sue with your prayer request with the exact wording that you want to be forwarded. Include the information that you want shared and it will be sent out to the members of the Prayer Chain. Thanks again to Sue. Again, her email address is FSLSAL2@charter.net

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SPECIAL THANKS

A special thank you to all who contributed to the Mission of the Month for February for Easter Food Cards for the Northern Door Children's' Center. We got a thank you card from HELP of Door County.

CONTRIBUTION REPORT

Dear Members and Friends,

We will continue to publish a brief financial report. You will notice what our year-to-date offerings have been compared to our expenses. After looking at the report, if you have any questions, please ask me.

In Christ, Michael B. Morris, Pastor

Year to date through January 31, 2021

Calvary

Income: \$ 8,255 Expenses: \$ 11,842* Net Income: \$ - 3,587

Zion

Income: \$ 6,254 Expense: \$ 3,224 Net Income: \$ 3,030

*Includes Shared Expenses

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MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 1. Jon Masson
- 3. Jerri Rix Jim Russell
- 5. Evelyn Mingle
- 7. Rich Dirks
- 10. Benjamin Desotelle
- 14. Bonnie Reinhard
- 19. Sandra Dirks Elly Kiehnau
- 21. Judie Gauger
- 25. Jackie Behnke
- 27. Aaron Lopez
- 29. Karen PoquettePastor Michael Morris



In Our Thoughts & Prayers

All suffering with illness
All recuperating from surgery
All awaiting test results
All lingering in the grief of loss
All struggling to make ends meet
All striving to bring healing in their families
All serving in the military and overseas

Members & Friends in Assisted Living

Evelyn Mueller Sturgeon Bay Health Services, Sturgeon Bay

> Mary Ann Masson Alexian Village, Milwaukee

Juanita Alley
Tallgrass of Sun Prairie

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Mission of the Month: Red Bird Mission

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 9am Current Events @ Calvary	Ash Wednesday Service 4 pm Calvary	3	4	5
6 10:30 Calvary ONLY	7	8 9am Current Events @ Calvary	9	10	11	12
13 10:30 Calvary ONLY Daylight Savings	14	9am Current Events @ Calvary	16	17 Ad and Finance Council Meeting @ Calvary 9:30am	18	19
20 10:30 Calvary ONLY	21	9am Current Events @ Calvary	23	24 Newsletter Articles Due	25	26
27 10:30 Calvary ONLY	28	29 9am Current Events @ Calvary	30			