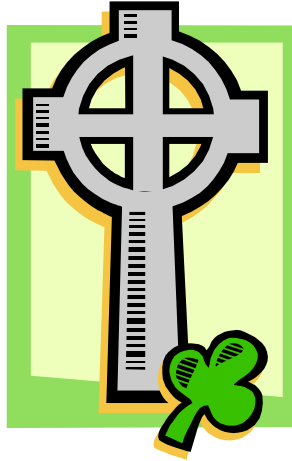




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Monday—8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Tuesday—8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Wednesday—8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Thursday—8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Friday—Closed

Saturday—Closed

Sunday Worship—10:00 am



From the desk of Pastor Dale

A New Beginning

Lenten Greetings my brothers and sisters in Christ of Faith UMC!

"Low in the grave He lay, Jesus my Savior, waiting the coming day, Jesus my Lord! Up from the grave He arose, with a mighty triumph o'er His foes; He arose a victor from the dark domain, and He lives forever with His saints to reign. He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!"

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Once again we find that we are nearing a change of season. Winter may hold on yet for a few more weeks, but Spring is coming! A new beginning. The days warm, the grass greens, the flowers and trees bud and burst forth their beauty. The birds return and fill the air with song.

The last week of March is Holy Week. We enter Jerusalem with Jesus on that triumphant Palm Sunday morning, we eat with Jesus at the table, we follow Him through trial and punishment. We watch Him being hung on the cross and die for our sins. We are deep in the Winter of our faith.

But then Easter! A new beginning! Our sins are forgiven, new love breaks forth to humanity, and those who accept Jesus as Lord and Savior have eternal life! Our faith Spring arrives! He lives!

I invite you to continue the journey that takes us to the cross during these remaining few weeks of Lent. We can do so by worshipping on Wednesday nights at our Soup and Substance ecumenical services, Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday (6:30 pm) and Good Friday (6:30 pm). And of course you can grow closer to God by spending time in prayer, repentance and reading His Word. Just don't miss the journey! May you grow ever closer to Him during Lent.

God bless you all.
Pastor Dale



Those Who Serve Us

Communion Sunday, March 3

Communion Steward - Alissa Popp
 Greeters - Bailey & Kyle Woolgar
 Acolytes - Sharon Kresl & Lynn Gauger
 Song Leaders - Kathy Brockmann & Alissa Popp
 Children's Message - Darron Lattomus
 Counters - Team 1

Song Leaders - Kathy Brockmann & Alissa Popp
 Children's Message - Kathy Brockmann
 Counters - Team 3

Casual Sunday, March 10

Greeters - Boettcher & VanHandel Families
 Acolytes - Stacy Wendt
 Children's Message - Pastor Dale
 Counters - Team 2

Children's Choir, Palm Sunday, March 24

Greeters - Lynn Gauger
 Acolytes - Caleb Yingling & Rachel Geiger
 Liturgist - Darron Lattomus
 Song Leader - Amy Riemer-Hermans
 Children's Message - Darron Lattomus
 Counters - Team 4



Easter Sunday, March 31

Greeters - Judy Ott
 Acolytes - Frank & Jack Hermans
 Children's Message - Pastor Dale
 Counters - Team 5

Food Pantry Sunday, March 17

Greeters - Steve & Dawn Michael
 Acolytes - Cindy VanHandel
 Liturgist - Mitchell VanHandel



March Birthdays

3/1 John Hassemer	3/15 Joseph Larsen	3/25 Shelby Edinger
3/2 Jean Kiekhaefer	3/16 Bryan Geiger	3/26 Rylee Woodard
3/3 Roger Matzke	3/17 Bethany Schambureck	3/27 Jessica Hassemer
3/6 Carson Miller	3/17 Kenna Stodola	3/27 Steven Michael
3/6 Nicholas Vertz	3/20 Katrina Hermans	3/27 Olivia Rukamp
3/7 Daniel Horn	3/21 Kristen Reichardt	3/28 Nancy Geiger
3/8 Chad Stodola	3/22 Cyle Gilbertson	3/28 Wyatt Kalies
3/10 Nora Gallagher	3/22 Nicole Vertz	3/28 Bailey Woolgar
3/13 Daniel Kuchenbecker	3/24 Daniel Kocourek	3/30 Joan Herring
3/14 Dale Edinger	3/24 Dylan Schwartz	3/30 Melanie Meulemans
3/15 Bryce Edinger	3/25 Robert Belanger	

March Anniversaries

3/3 Kenneth & Kay Behnke
3/11 Frank & Amy Riemer-Hermans
3/21 Nick & Anne Miller
3/31 Shawn & Nicole Calaway



Easter Flowers

Easter Flowers will be available for you to purchase In Memory of or In Honor of our loved ones again this year. **Please do not put this in the offering plate.** Please fill out the form below, attach payment and place it in **Joie and Jennifer’s church mailbox or give to Pastor Dale.** Thank you in advance for the beautiful flowers that will decorate Faith UMC!



Order forms must be turned by Sunday, March 3, 2024.



<u>Choice of Easter Flowers</u>	<u>Cost:</u>	<u>Colors Available (Please Circle Color Choice)</u>
Single Lilies	\$ 13.50	White
Mums	\$ 13.00	Yellow, White, Pink or Purple
Azaleas	\$ 25.00	Pink or Variegated
Hydrangeas	\$ 37.00	Blue or Pink

Purchased By: _____

In Memory of: _____

In Honor of: _____

Please circle payment type: **Cash** **Check** **Check Number:** _____

Mission

- Food Pantry Sunday - 3rd Sunday of each month.
- “Help for the Homeless Drive” February 11th-March 3rd - this is a community drive to collect hygiene items. Items will be distributed to over 100 homeless and crisis agencies in 19 Wisconsin communities. Donations stay in the community where they are received. The most needed items include: laundry and dish soap, diapers (sizes 3-6) and Pull-Ups, all-purpose cleaner, 2-in-1 shampoo/conditioner, shower gel, toilet paper, feminine care products, deodorant (unscented), paper towels, disposable razors, and trash bags. Drop off locations are at Faith UMC, Econo Foods in Brillion or any Walgreens.
- Brillion Food Pantry is looking for canned fruit, pancake mix, and syrup.
- Next Free Community Meal March 12th 4:30-6:00.



Soup and Substance
 2024 Ecumenical Schedule
 6:00 pm - Soup; 6:45 pm - Substance

THEME: Lent - Journey To Redemption

Wednesday, March 6, 2024	Peace United Church of Christ	Transformation Through Sacrifice
Wednesday, March 13, 2024	Brillion Community Church	The Call to Repentance
Wednesday, March 20, 2024	Holy Family Catholic Church	The Promise of Resurrection
Friday, March 29, 2024 12:00 - Soup 12:45 - Substance	Zion Global Methodist Church, Forest Junction	

Winter Warm-Up Fest



Whether you donated a raffle basket or two, donated food or money for the meal, donated your time, donated baked goods, bought popcorn, purchased a ticket for lunch, bid on a basket, or attended the worship service, the Winter Warm Up Fest committee thanks you for making the 2024 fest a HUGE success. We could not have done it without you!



Thank you!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Communion Sunday 10:00 am with baptism			Soup and Substance at Peace United Church of Christ 6:00 pm			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Casual Sunday 10:00 am Coffee Hour to follow worship		Free Community Meal 4:30-6:00 pm	Soup and Substance at Brillion Community Church 6:00 pm	Finance Meeting 6:00 pm Church Council 6:30 pm		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Adult Choir, Food Pantry Sunday 10:00 am	Trustees Meeting 6:30 pm		Soup and Substance at Holy Family Church 6:00 pm	Mission & Outreach Meeting 6:30 pm		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Palm Sunday 10:00 am with Children's Choir				Maundy Thursday Service 6:30 pm	Soup and Substance at Zion Global Church 12:00 pm Good Friday Service 6:30 pm	
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Sunrise Service 7:30 am						
Easter Breakfast 8:15 am						
Easter Worship Service 10:00 am						

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