

October 2022

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120th Anniversary Announcement!

Happy October, Peace UCC!

I am beyond excited to announce our schedule and some more in-depth information on some of the events for our 120th Anniversary Celebration! On November 2nd, 1902, the first test service was held for the congregation that would go on to form Peace Evangelical in Shawano. From that first service, we have now participated in 120 years of ministry together, with all its ups and downs, joys and hardships, steadfastness and change. In celebration of this milestone and to begin dreaming of what the future looks like, we are holding a variety of events from October 30th to November 6th this year!

October 30th: We begin our celebratory week with a time of remembrance. All Saints Day will be held during our 9:00 AM service remembering all those we have lost throughout this year and those that came before us. The service will feature a special time set aside to recognize members we have lost this year; their families are invited to attend in their honor.

Following this service, from 4:00-6:00 PM we will be holding a cocktail event at one of our new members' houses. This event will focus on a special fundraiser to go towards a New Initiatives Fund that will support aspects of our future ministry together and we are shooting to raise \$5,000 during this initial week through one-time gifts from all of you who believe in the future success of this beautiful church! RSVPs will be requested and invites will be going out to members soon, stay tuned for more information!

November 2nd: We will be having our monthly youth night from 6:30-8:00 PM this night. This will be an outing night! We will be determining where we want to go as a youth group at our gathering on October 12th while we make our tie blankets to donate, so make sure you attend in October if you would like to have a say in where we go this night! We will start at the church this night to help set up for the Non-Profit Showcase the following day and carpool from there! Parents are welcome to attend as well!

November 3rd: The Missions Committee and I are excited to announce that we will be hosting a Shawano Area Non-Profit Showcase from 3:00-7:00 PM this day! We already have 17 non-profits from Shawano area signed up to attend! This event will function similar to a job fair. Non-profits who attend will have tables set up around the Great Room, and other areas if we

need to set up more, where they will be sharing information about their organizations, what they do, and how community members can get involved. Snacks will be provided for community members that attend and supper will be provided for non-profit groups that present. In addition to hosting this event, we are working on putting together a non-profit packet that can go out to businesses and individuals with contact information, short write ups about, and ways people can get involved with as many non-profits as we can get to send us the information! All non-profits are invited to send this information in, even if they are not attending the showcase. We are advertising this event with the Chamber of Commerce meaning that 650 flyers will go out to Chamber members across the county, it will be posted on their website, and posted on their Facebook page. We are hoping for a great turnout to this event!

November 4th: This night we will be celebrating as a church family with a family game night! Starting at 6:00 PM and going until we are ready to call it quits, we'll plan on people bringing snacks to share, the church will provide the drinks! Bring your favorite games to play with people you've known for years or could stand to learn more about! I personally hope at least a few of you are willing to play a round or two of cribbage, I've heard there are some decent players in the congregation!

November 6th: Our Capstone Sunday. On this day our service will focus on the future of our church. We'll celebrate together the achievements of the week and partake in worship as a church family once again. We are planning on holding a church potluck this day as well and depending on the type of fall we have we may attempt to hold this service outdoors. We are hoping to have special music both from the choir this day and a group of young people in town who will play contemporary music for us! The Packer game does kick off at noon and if this is a dealbreaker for people, we can look into setting up the game on a TV in a separate room. In addition to all this, we have hired a videographer to come to our church this day. They are also attending seminary, did the video work for Emma and I's wedding, and have given the church a huge discount from their normal price because they believe in the work we are doing as a congregation. Together, they will be putting together a variety of videos for us that we will be able to use on our church website and Facebook page that will include interviews they will be conducting this day from any member who is willing to participate. Stay tuned for more information on this!

I hope at least one or two of these events grab your interest and line up with your schedule. I truly am proud of this church and hope we can celebrate our accomplishments together while looking forward to the future of our congregation. If you have any questions about anything, please remember that more information will be coming out in October, but also feel free to contact the church office and we will get back to you in a timely manner.

Shalom friends,

Uriah Williams

Pastor Uriah Williams, 715-853-7375, peaceuccpastor@gmail.com

Peace UCC Celebration Shirts:

October 2nd, Sunday will be the last day to order 120 Year Anniversary Peace UCC shirts. If you have not paid for your shirt order, please do so by October 2nd. I will be placing order October 3rd. You may leave your money-check with Shelley in the office or leave in collection plate (clearly marked for UCC shirts).

Thank you,
Bill Harkey

Moving Forward:

People recently have spoken to me about the poor lighting in the sanctuary or the on-line worship appears dark or out of focus. The council had projects in the works to help remedy these issues.

Project one – we looked at Sanctuary lighting with two contractors and discovered half the fluorescent lights were out around the cross, three spotlights above pulpits were burned out and bulbs in rafters above pews are older compact fluorescent bulbs were fading and one ceiling fan is burned out.

In addition, if you ever drove by the church at night, you would note that only half the sodium vapor lights are lighted. Sodium vapor lights are expensive to run. Council from years past removed some lights and a few were burned. Kallies Electrical was awarded the bid to correct these deficiencies to greatly improve lighting with LED technology. Cost \$6,500 plus we will buy the replacement fan. Target date for installation is third week of October. Thank you, Jamie Cynor, for working with Ben Kallies to drill down costs and get timely action from contractor.

Council put together a committee for the on-line media center headed up by Jamie Cynor. One of the first improvements made was to purchase a video data mixer and interface to our present sound board. This equipment allowed us to no longer rely on video camera sound solely, thus we were now able to pick up sound from our microphone system from pulpits and choir loft. People listening on-line now can hear Pastor Uriah and his readers clearly. Thank you to Nathan Falk for his expertise on the team.

Next, they reviewed video cameras and vendors. They decided to bring in - Camera Corner Connecting Point (CCCP) who submitted a quote. Council approved the quote \$6,101.20. We are now waiting on paperwork to move through CCCP system to get two camera and associated hardware to get order and then hear of target date for installation. Money was used from Memorial Fund as designated for media center.

A third improvement was to call in professional commercial cleaner to get quote. Jon Roger Meyers worked with two vendors locally and it was decided to bring in Lakeside Commercial Cleaner of Cecil. It has been three years since the carpets have been professionally cleaned and it has been years since the linoleum floors has been stripped and waxed. Lakeside quote included all the upstairs floors, hallways, entryways, restrooms, mats, carpet, great room, and sanctuary. He will also clean and dust the rafters in sanctuary. Council approved quote of \$2,905. Lakeside will start cleaning September 27-29 on linoleum floors and October 3-4 to clear carpets and ceramic tiles in entry ways and restrooms. Jon Roger is seeking volunteers to move furniture in great room and items as needed to be moved for the cleaning.

Finally, we are looking into bringing electronic digital chimes back to the opening services and special occasions. It may involve wireless speakers and chimes played from media center PC – soundboard. We cannot physically repair or replace the bells and wiring in bell tower, plus if you examine the bell tower it is in serious need of work or replacement. Concrete is crumbling, grouting is falling out, steel is corroded.

People attending Dobie's funeral saw pictures of the sanctuary when the Jesus statue was in its prime. If anybody is friends with Len and Judy Pubanz, would you please check in with them to see if they are still interested in rejuvenating Peace Church's statue of Jesus.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.
I wish God's best for Peace UCC congregation and friends of the church.
Yours in Christ,
Bill
William Harkey
Council President
Peace United Church of Christ of Shawano

FALL CLEANUP DAY!

Please mark your calendars for October 8th, as your help is needed for 2-3 hours around the church building and grounds in order to prepare for winter. We will be cleaning the window wells, pruning the plantings, complete a small landscape drainage repair, and wash windows (not the high ones!). The church already has most of the materials and tools needed for the projects planned. Just bring your willingness to work and join in the fellowship! We will plan to get started at 9AM on the 8th! Thank you and God Bless!
Facilities Committee





Peace UCC worked Charlie's Red Barn on September 8, 9, and 10 this month serving those great brats and hamburgers. This fundraiser was a great way to raise monies for our general fund. It was a fellowship of working together and meeting the public. We had great grill masters, outstanding chef wrappers, and awesome money counters as cashiers. A BIG THANK YOU to all our Peace Team Volunteers! You were awesome! Our net profit was \$1,586!!!!!!!!!!!! Thanks to all who worked and those who stopped to buy our tasty food too.

Carol Fuqua



GIVING ONLINE INSTRUCTIONS

Interested in giving online? Just follow these easy steps!

1. Go to our church website at <https://peaceshawano.org>
2. Click "Sign In" in the upper right-hand corner of the home page.
3. Sign into your Faithlife account or create one by providing a valid email address and creating a password.
4. Once you're signed in, click on the "Giving" link in the upper right-hand section of the home page.
5. Enter the amount you would like to donate and then select where you would like the funds to go from the drop-down list available.
 - a. If you would like to donate to two different funds, you don't need to make two separate donations. You can click the button "Add another fund," select the other fund you would like to give to and input a dollar amount for both.
6. Click "Next" once you have decided where to send the funds and the dollar amount.
7. Now you can designate which family you are giving as, input either a debit card or bank account to draw from and decide if you would like to have this be a recurring gift or a one-time donation.
8. You also have the option to cover the processing fee that Faithlife charges by checking the box titled "Cover the processing fees." If this box is not checked, the fees are deducted from your gift to the church.
9. That's it! Thank you for your generosity and trust that we will use your donations faithfully and fruitfully!

Shawano Presbyterian



The United Way of Shawano has opened a diaper bank in Shawano (Snuggled With a Hug Diaper Bank) and First Presbyterian Church is the distribution center for distributing diapers to those families in need twice a month.

Days of distribution: 1st Tuesday of each month from 4:00 – 6:00 PM and 3rd Saturday of each month, 10:00 AM till noon.

(Please do not go to the church for diapers outside of the referenced times. Registration is required.)

The National Diaper Bank Drive is held every year in **October** to collect diapers for those families in need. A box has been placed in the Great Room for donations. The United Way of Shawano County is reaching out to the community asking for donations of diapers and baby wipes. All brands and sizes are acceptable. As we all know, the cost of everything has increased and this includes diapers. Families in our community are struggling and this program will assist those in need.



Sunday School will be meeting on October 2nd and October 16th following worship.

Opportunities offered through Shawano County



Book Club: The ADRC offers a free book club to anyone interested in attending. If you need a copy of the book just let us know! The book club will be held on the following dates: October 12: at the Shawano Library from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm. The book being discussed is “The Wounder Healer” by Dr. Omar Reda. This meeting will be discussing the first half of the book. The Second half will be discussed on November 9.

Memory Café (Shawano County): The Shawano County Memory Café meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm.

Caregiver Support Group (Shawano): This caregiver support group takes place at the Shawano Library the 4th Wednesday of each month from 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm. Contact Mary Jo at 715-526-4712 or Kristin Waukau at 715-799-5270 for more information.

Early Stages Support Group (Shawano): This support group is geared towards those in the early stages of dementia. The meetings take place at the Shawano Library the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm.

Brain Check-Ups: A brain check-up is a wellness tool that helps identify possible changes in memory and cognition. Brain check-ups take about 15 minutes and will be held at local libraries from 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm on the following dates:

October 4 – Menominee Library in Keshena

Shawano County UW-Extension is also offering the following events:

Youth Mental Health First Aid: October 3rd from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm, virtual. Contact 715-526-6136 to register.

Chili Dinner News



Fall is here and our Chili Dinner Fundraiser is right around the corner. We had a great meeting and I was thrilled to see so many show up for the meeting. Anyway a BIG THANK YOU to all the volunteers!

We have our dinner on the 2nd Thursday of November. This year it is the day before Veteran's Day on November 10th. With that in mind the committee voted to have a free chili dinner for Veterans for "in dining only." We will once again be having our great pies for purchase as dessert. We will be contacting those great pie makers soon.

We will be having our raffle. We will be doing our tickets differently this time. Those buying a ticket will only have to write their name and phone number down once. Then they will be given a number that can be written on their tickets. This will save time on filling out those winning tickets.

Baskets, items for baskets, gift cards, and of course money is greatly appreciated to make those baskets. If you are making a basket for the raffle, please have them all to the church by Friday October 28. We will be starting the ticket sales on Sunday October 30. The baskets will be available to purchase tickets on that

Sunday and the next Sunday as well as during the week. We don't want you to miss out on an opportunity to win a great prize!!! Contact me if you need help with a basket or would like to donate something.

We will also be having that great bake sale from our famous bakers here at Peace UCC. We are looking for donations of cookies, bars, trail mix, brownies, and breads for this bake sale. Please include label of what the item is and ingredients it contains if for example it has nuts.

So now you know the Chili Dinner news. Check the Great Room for volunteer sign-up sheets and sign-up to be part of the Peace Team. Also there are Chili Dinner flyers to share with your family and friends. Let's make this once again a GREAT fundraiser for Peace UCC. All profits will be going to our General Fund.

Thank you all for your support!
Carol Fuqua, Chairperson

Caregiver Appreciation Day at Shawano County Human Services

Are you caring for someone in your life? Are you tired and need help to rejuvenate? Are you looking for resources and ideas? **Then we have a day for YOU!! Saturday, November 5th from 10 AM to 2PM at W7327 Anderson Ave in Shawano.** FREE lunch of chili. Sponsored by Shawano County Human Services, The Forget Me Not Fund, Menominee Tribal Aging, The Alzheimer's Assoc., The Pines Post-Acute and Memory Care, Unity Hospice, and Arc Angels. Register by phoning Heidi Russell at 715.526.4686. **THE EVENT IS FREE!!**

Shawano County Library and The Shawano County I Team present: Jeffrey Kersten Identity Theft: Protect and Prevent. The fastest growing crime in the US. The more you learn, the less vulnerable you are. Join us Thursday, October 20th at 10AM at the Shawano Library in the Veslak Room. Learn how to keep yourself safe from Identity Theft. Presentation is FREE and NO reservations required. Light refreshments will be served. Questions, please inquire at 715.524.6816 and ask for Sharon.



*October 2022 Birthday and Anniversary List
May God Bless You on your Birthday & Anniversary.*



October 2: Tim Dreier
Dennis Sager
Carla Seifert
October 3: Roxanne Dickinson
October 4: George Stepien
October 5: Edna Gipp
Shane Huntington
Benjamin Ruehle
October 6: Penny Ladwig
Sailor Swedberg
October 7: Linda Baril
October 9: Jana Dreier
Okho Bohm-Hagedorn
Elaine Schroeder
October 10: Scott Mueller
October 11: Ryan Marshall
Camden Zakula
October 12: Lea Ann Wojta
October 13: Todd Laehn
October 14: Tammy Sumnicht
Molly Russell
Dallas Dayton
October 15: Joey Sperberg
Braylin Schoenick
October 18: James Zakula
October 20: Steven Muck
Grayson Swedberg
October 23: Lincoln Marshall
October 26: Kristi Blom
October 27: Wendy Stuewer
Sandy Rindt
October 29: Bob Gehm
Bill Harkey
Jesse Jones
Joel Young
October 30: Riley Acra
Marian Pauly
October 31: Destiny Dayton

Anniversaries

October 2: Paul & Kasey Cross
Gerald & Shirley Thorpe
October 4: Amber & Ryan Marshall
October 6: Greg & Wendy Stuewer
October 14: Scott & Brenda Lynn
Chuck & Audrey Marohl
Chad & Beth Montour
October 19: Tim & April Tainter
Bob & Kristin Gehm
October 25: Ron & Lori Mueller
Jan & Wayne Schreiber
October 27: Staber & Jamie Cook
October 29: Tim & Wendy Krause



SAFPARC GROCERY CART

Shawano Area Food Pantry and Resource Center is in need of the following items:

Peanut Butter, Boxed meals (hamburger/tuna helper), Chef Boyardee canned meals, soup, Canned Pork & Beans
Raman noodles, boxed potato flakes



**ASSISTED LIVING AND
NURSING HOME LISTING**

[If you are aware of any church member who needs to be added to this list, please contact Pastor Uriah or the church office.]

Evergreen Care Center

1250 S Evergreen St., Shawano
Harvey Mueller, Marian Pauly

Oak Haven Assisted Living

132 Oak Ct., Shawano
Bonnie Moede

The Cottages on Golden Pond

Madison Way, Shawano
Sharon Popp, Judy Menning, Mary Peterson

Shawano Place

1088 Engel Drive, Shawano
Betsy Larson, Shirley Montour

Wausau Manor Health Service

3107 Westhill Dr.
Wausau WI 54401

Bonnie Dickelman-Cannon



Electronic Giving - a simple and convenient way to make your offerings. Peace United Church of Christ relies on the financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an easy way to give on a recurring basis. For more information, contact the church office.

**Upper Room Devotional
Conversation and Prayer**

Christ said that where two or three gather in his name, he is present. (Matthew 18:20). Meetings are the 3rd Wednesday, [Next session, Oct. 19th] ~ 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. (Great Room)

Upper Room Devotional material is available in the Great Room.

All Welcome – bring your friends - No preparation necessary

More information: talk to Bonnie Suprise

October 2022



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| 2 9:00 AM Worship Communion 10:00 AM SS 2:00 PM Girl Scouts 7:00 PM AA NIN Mission Offering | 3 5:30 PM Choir | 4 4:00 – 6:00 PM Diaper Bank AT First Presbyterian | 5 6:00 PM Confirmation | 6 1:30 PM Worship Communion | 7 1:00 PM Quilters | 8 9:00 AM Church Fall Clean-Up |
| 9 9:00 AM Worship 2:00 PM Girl Scouts 7:00 PM AA | 10 | 11 | 12 6:30 PM Youth Group | 13 | 14 1:00 PM Quilters | 15 10:00 AM – Noon Diaper Bank AT First Presbyterian |
| 16 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM SS 7:00 PM AA | 17 | 18 | 19 10:00 AM Upper Room Pastor Uriah Boundaries Training 6:00 PM Confirmation | 20 1:30 PM Worship | 21 1:00 PM Quilters Shelley vacation day | 22 |
| 23 9:00 AM Worship 7:00 PM AA | 24 | 25 10:00 AM Missions 6:00 PM Finance | 26 5:30 PM Council | 27 | 28 1:00 PM Quilters | 29 |
| 30 9:00 AM Worship MEMORIAL SUNDAY 4:00 PM Kickoff Party 120 th Celebration 7:00 PM AA | 31 | <div> <p>Sunday Worship 9:00 AM</p> <p>Thursday Worship (First (Communion) & Third) 1:30 PM</p> <p>OFFICE HOURS: Mon. – Friday 9:00 AM till 2:00 PM (715.526.2916)</p> <p>Pastor Uriah will be in the office Tuesday & Wednesday from 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM and Thursday afternoon.</p> </div> | | | | |

Peace United Church of Christ

Council Meeting Minutes

July 27, 2022 APPROVED

Members Present- Bill Harkey, Bob Gehm, Bob Smits, and Pastor Uriah

ABSENT Paul Cross, Brenda Maglio, John Meyer, Joel Whitehouse

Bill Harkey called meeting to order at 5:30 pm

Pastor Uriah led Opening Devotions

Special Note, due to absences a quorum was not established, therefore we were not able to vote to approve any items on the agenda.

Any items needing a vote will be done via email and will be included in the August council minutes.

Additions to meeting agenda-None

Pastor's report

Pastor Uriah and Bob Gehm are continuing the stewardship course

Pastor had 4 mentoring sessions throughout the past month, they are going well.

Hygiene box for Safparc has been set up and any extra items will be used for our compassion fund.

Pastor would like to hold a meeting with the Sunday school committee to discuss the format that will be used in the fall.

Memorial committee met and are looking for more information before committing to use their funds, however they are willing to distribute once the information is obtained.

We had 5 compassion fund cases.

Member engagement, 1 office visit and 2 phone calls, 1 nursing home visit.

We have a baptism scheduled for August 14th.

In conversation with 2 new potential members.

We discussed the Smits-Theis scholarship and Pastor Uriah will be updating the requirements.

There will be a youth tubing event held on Sunday August 14th with a possible cookout afterwards.

Pastor will be out of office July 31st through August 6th and will be on vacation September 5th through the 11th.

Pastor Uriah also noted that the Sensory room have its own committee with 1 member from council to help keep this project moving forward and help shorten future council meetings.

Treasurers Report- None as Joel was absent although it was mentioned that bi-annual giving statement reports be mailed out.

President's Report- Bill reported that the new video switcher has been installed and training has commenced and the 2 PTZ cameras, associated software and hardware are the next step to be installed. Tim T. to complete 3 new microphones to the soundboard.

Bill showed examples of the emblem that would be put on shirts in celebration of our churches 120 years of existence.

Council is going to rent a grinder to help with the shifting sidewalks around the church entrances to help eliminate trip hazards.

Timber Rattlers game will be attended August 11th

Charlie's Red Barn event for our church will be held Sept. 8th, 9th, and 10th.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:50 pm

Closing devotion- The Lord's Prayer.

Next Meeting August 31st at 5:30pm.

Respectfully submitted by Bob Gehm.

Peace United Church Of Christ

Council Meeting Minutes
August 31st 2022 DRAFT

Members Present- Bill Harkey, Bob Gehm, Bob Smits, John Meyer, Joel Whitehouse, and Pastor Uriah
ABSENT Paul Cross, Brenda Maglio

Bill Harkey called meeting to order at 5:42 pm
Bill Harkey led Opening Devotions

Marcus Whitehouse provided a special music presentation while demonstrating the upgrades we have made to our sound system to this point.

Bill Meyer addressed the council about returning to the normal glasses used for communion. Council agreed and vote was unanimous.

The bell tower was discussed and council will look for options on what to do about it in the future.

Additions to meeting agenda-None

Joel made a motion, seconded by John Meyer to approve June 29th and July 27th council minutes as printed. Vote was unanimous.

Pastor's report

Pastor Uriah and Bob Gehm have completed the stewardship course

Pastor had 4 mentoring sessions throughout the past month, they are going well.

Sunday school is beginning September 18th.

Pastor provided us the agenda for the upcoming confirmation studies.

Memorial committee funds will be used to help pay for the multi-media upgrades.

A motion was made by Bob Smits, seconded by Joel Whitehouse to use the amount of \$7,857.62 to contribute to this project from the memorial fund.

Vote was unanimous.

John Meyer made a motion, seconded by Bob G. to cover the remaining expense of up \$250 come out of the capital improvement fund.

Vote was unanimous.

We had 2 compassion fund cases.

Member engagement, 2 office visits and 3 phone calls

We are ready for 2 new members to be recognized.

We discussed the Smits-Theis scholarship and Pastor Uriah will be updating the requirements with a few minor changes.

There will be a youth event scheduled for September 15th.

Pastor reached out to 32 organizations for our non-profit showcase for the 120th celebration.

Pastor reached out to the director (Suzanne) of the Chamber of Commerce

Sensory committee has been formed and they are Brenda Maglio, Heidi Cynor, Jon Roger, Cassie, and Pastor Uriah.

Pastor discussed options for contemporary music and their services that we could use for our live=streaming worship services.

Pastor discussed the celebration of our 120 year anniversary.

Treasurers Report- Joel reported that financially July was a good month and that he is starting to receive donations for the scholarship fund.

President's Report- Bill showed us the quote to upgrade the lighting in the sanctuary, the quote was tabled due to having to move some of the church pews out of the way while the work is being performed.

(Update) since the meeting Kallies Electric will move the pews while performing the work and place them back when project is complete.

The cost of this project is \$6,495 and will be voted on at the September council meeting.

Shirts are now available for purchase to showcase our 120th year celebration.

Bill suggested that we purchase a vacuum cleaner for the church, the industrial model that he did research on and suggested has a cost of \$450

Joel made a motion, seconded by John Meyer to upgrade the Vacuum cleaner for cost of \$450. Vote was unanimous.

Volunteers are still needed to help clean the church.

A fall cleanup day for the church is scheduled for Saturday October 8th.

Jon Roger provided a quote for cleaning the carpets and polishing the floors on the main floor. This was tabled due to the fact that the main beams in the sanctuary need to be cleaned first.

(Update) Since the meeting Jon Roger provided a new quote to clean the beams, clean the carpets, and polish the floors.

The work will be done by Lakeside Commercial Cleaning for a cost of \$2905.

A motion was made by Bill Harkey and seconded by Brenda Maglio to have this work done.

Vote was unanimous.

Chili dinner will be Thursday November 10th and Carol Fuqua will hold a planning meeting on Sunday September 25th after worship

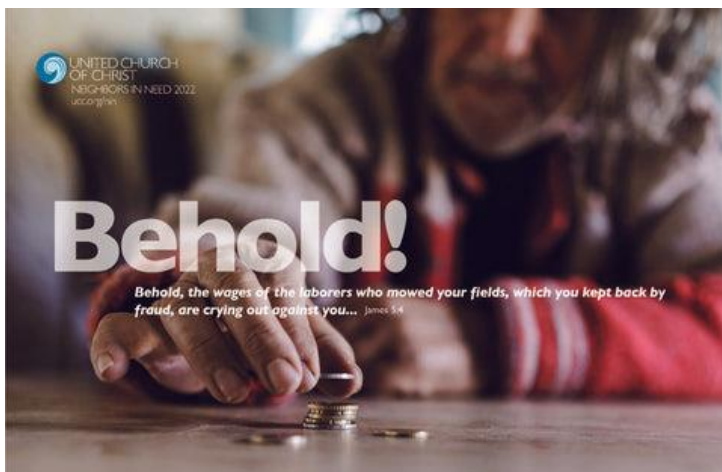
Charlie's Red Barn event for our church will be held Sept. 8th, 9th, and 10th.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:37 pm

Closing devotion- The Lord's Prayer.

Next Meeting September 28th at 5:30pm.

Respectfully submitted by Bob Gehm.



Neighbors In Need is the UCC's annual offering to support ministries of justice and compassion throughout the United States, including the Council for American Indian Ministries (CAIM), justice and advocacy efforts, and direct service projects funded by the UCC's Justice and Witness Ministries. **The Neighbors in Need offering, which we will receive on October 2,** supports the UCC's ministries of justice and compassion throughout the United States. Two-thirds of the offering is

used by the UCC's Justice and Witness Ministries to fund a wide array of local and national justice initiatives, advocacy efforts, and direct service projects.

With your assistance, we together can help our Neighbors in Need Please give generously. And remember, contributions to Neighbors in Need can be made online at anytime: ucc.org/nin

120 YEARS OF MINISTRY!



Peace Church 120 years later in 2022

A Week of Celebration!

On November 2, 1902, the first service was held of the group who would go on to form the foundations of what today is Peace UCC Shawano. Join us for a week of celebration of our 120 years together and imagining what the future may hold! Events for the week include:

- October 30th, 4:00-6:00 PM
Cocktail Party with kickoff fundraiser!
- November 2nd, 6:30-8:00 PM
Youth Group Night
- November 3rd, 3:00-7:00 PM
Peace UCC hosts the Shawano Non-Profit Showcase
- November 4th, 6:00-8:00 PM
Family Cards and Game Night
- November 6th, 9:00 AM Special
Worship Service followed by potluck celebration!

No church membership required for any of these events! Please feel free to bring your friends and family to share with them in our joy as a congregation together!



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