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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



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COME LIVE THE ADVENTURE
JULY 16-20 | 5PM-8PM
DINNER INCLUDED



SCAN TO REGISTER OR
VISIT CARGILLUMC.ORG
ADULTS TOO!



VBS IS FOR EVERYONE!
PRESCHOOL THROUGH ADULT

OPTIONS:

PRESCHOOL-8TH GRADE | ATTEND VBS
HIGH SCHOOL | ADULT VBS OR VOLUNTEER
ADULTS | ADULT VBS OR VOLUNTEER

*ADULT VBS CLASS TAUGHT BY PASTOR AMY POWELL

July 2023

RESPECTFUL CONVERSATIONS

Being a model

The faith community of Cargill UMC can be a place that models positive, respectful conversations on matters that often divide people in the public square.

"Ours is not to tell people *what* to think, but help all of us learn *how* to think about important matters," Pastor Steve Scott said recently.

He was speaking to a gathering called "At the Corner of Church & State: Revisiting the First Amendment." The June presentation was the first of what we hope will be ongoing conversations for the church and community.

The next will be "Somewhere Under the Rainbow," to be held at 7p Thursday, July 31, in the Cargill Sanctuary.

How can we be faith-full in loving people who often have been marginalized by the church?

For more information, see Page 6.

CONNECTING @



Growing in Faith

Breakthrough Prayer



Lord, light our way to see your limitless possibilities for our lives, the Church, and your world. Help us know what you want to accomplish through us. Ignite our desire to do your will.

What's Your Spiritual Style?

Are you a spiritual shepherd?

A systems/task organizer?

A vision crier? Knowing who we are helps us relate to each other better.

Request a quick quiz by e-mailing
steve@cargillumc.org

What's a God moment?

Learning how to become more aware of God in our lives.

Look for "The Power of the Moment" video at
www.cargillumc.org/messages-archive/



These steps to deepening our faith are brought to you by the Missional Church Consultation Initiative (MCCI), of which Cargill UMC is a partner

Weekly Worship Schedule

5p Saturdays

In the Chapel



9a Sundays

In the main worship area (Sanctuary)

10:30a Sundays

In the main worship area (Sanctuary)

Online

Livestream at 9a Sundays or anytime you're able. Visit www.CargillUMC.org and click ONLINE WORSHIP. Also on Charter Ch. 994 JATV Wednesdays at 10a, 4p and 10p

Sunday connections

We offer coffee and tea before services in the Narthex



(outside the Sanctuary), and

beverages and snacks after worship in Fellowship Hall. Weather permitting, also feel free to visit the Garth courtyard. You may bring a covered beverage into the worship area, but please do not bring in food into the Sanctuary.

Free child care

We offer free care for those through age 4 in a supervised nursery during



Sunday worship. You may bring your child before worship begins or during worship. Pagers are available.

Welcome center

For information about activities, to connect with a ministry or to volunteer, visit the Welcome Center (just outside the worship area) on weekends.



Cargill United Methodist Church (public)
Cargill UMC (members & friends)



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AROUND CARGILL UMC

Some of our part-time Cargill staff are bi-vocational, using their gifts to serve in other places, as well. One of them, kitchen coordinator Becky Saliby, recently accepted a position as senior living consultant at Attic Angel Community in Middleton. Blessings to Becky and all of our Cargill staff (and members) who live out their callings beyond the church!

Sullivan Saliby recently completed his first run in professional theater in 42nd Street at The Encore Musical Theatre Company in Dexter, MI.

Cargill member Lynn Karges has been appointed to serve on a State of Wisconsin project to improve services for the disabled. "This is an area I am very passionate about," she said. She will step down as chair of the Cargill Caring Ministries team but will continue as chair of the Cargill Christian Learning Center board, "another area of passion for me!"

The Cargill Christian Learning Center (formerly known as Preschool & Daycare) was recently named the platinum provider (the top award) in parenting and childcare by Janesville Community Votes. We are grateful for the 25 full-time staff and nearly 125 children (and their families) who are part of our Learning Center.

The Wesley Chorale and the Alleluia Ringers are inviting new members to consider joining these musical ensembles, which help lead in 9a worship during the school year. Rehearsals begin in late August. Please contact director of music

Richard Severing at severing44@gmail.com or 608-346-0721 or Chorale director Marie Severing at mlsevering@gmail.com or 608-346-0996.

We celebrate Tiegan Adele Ramseier, who was baptized on June 25. She is the daughter of Brady and Lauren Ramseier and sister of Cooper. Her godparents are Erica Haubert and Amanda Ramseier.

We look forward on July 16 to the baptism of Dylan John Rodgers, son of Amy and Daniel Rodgers, and brother of Owen, Emily, Jacob, Leah and Allison. Godparents will be Krista and Tim Noe.

We pray for the families of those who have recently died, and we remember in God's peace: Karen Schultz, March 9; Mary Lind, March 20; Don Cherry, March 30; Ethel Ann Anderson, Sept. 9, 2022 (service in May); Roger Wiskia, June 22.

At the recently concluded Wisconsin Annual Conference, 43 congregations across the state officially disaffiliated from The United Methodist Church over matters of conscience related to human sexuality. That represents about 10 percent of Wisconsin UMC congregations. All churches in the Janesville area and our Rock County circuit are remaining in the UMC. About 22 clergy also discontinued their relationship with the Wisconsin Conference.

You're invited to e-mail items of interest for Around Cargill UMC to Pastor Steve Scott at steve@cargillumc.org

LOOKING UP!



HOW TO MyChart



WED. JULY 12

2-4pm | Room 106

Register at Welcome Center or Scan QR Code

TAIZE PRAYER SERVICE—JULY 26

All are invited to an evening Taizé Prayer Service on Wednesday at 6:30p in the Sanctuary. The theme is Prayers of Hope: Turning Swords into Plowshares.

A Taizé service invites the participant to worship God through the singing of simple songs, reading of holy scripture and the offering of silent prayers. Questions? Contact Pastor Amy Powell at 608 752.0548 or amy@cargillumc.org.

JULY SENIOR LUNCH OUT & AUGUST SENIOR MEAL

July Senior Lunch Out

JULY 18, 2023 | The Real MacCoys
11:30AM-1:30PM | N1431 County Road N.
Whitewater, WI

RIDES ARE AVAILABLE • INDICATE WHEN YOU SIGNUP

Sign up by **JULY 13** on the Senior's Bulletin Board
OR call Val Geller at 608-752-3665.

Anyone over the age of 50 is welcome!



Come Together for **SENIOR MEALS** **THURS. AUGUST 3**

in the Fellowship Hall at 12 o'clock (noon)
2000 Wesley Ave., Janesville, WI

Reserve your spot by the Tuesday before
by calling the church office 608-752-0548

Anyone over the age of 50 is welcome!

AUGUST 5 MENU

Hamburgers, brats,
baked beans, potato
salad & dessert

\$8 PER MEAL



FIRESIDE CONCERT

Join us at



The FireSide

Sept. 20, 2023

Signup in Fellowship Hall or
call the office 608-752-0548
AUGUST 19TH DEADLINE

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YOU ARE INVITED



EVERY MONDAY | 1 - 2:30PM

We will meet in the Lounge for knitting or crocheting, conversation and snacks with the specific purpose of making Prayer Shawls.

You don't need to be an expert knitter/crocheter.
There will be help for anyone wishing to learn to knit/crochet.

WANT SOME COMPUTER SAVVY?

Technology Summer School with Krystal

CHOOSE ALL, A FEW OR JUST ONE!

- navigate the Cargillumc.org website
- know if a website is secure
- check/recognize spam or phishing emails
- navigate facebook
- sign up for an event on SignUp Genius
- scan a QR Code

STOP AT THE WELCOME CENTER OR ROOM 103 TO LEARN HOW TO SIGN UP
Sessions will be 30 minutes long on Wednesdays
all summer from 12 - 3 in Room 103



SCAN TO
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FINANCIAL UPDATE

Contributions Budget through June 2023	\$226,302
Actual Contributions thru June 2023	\$248,809*
Actual Contributions thru June 2022	\$226,464
2023 Contribution Budget Surplus	\$ 22,507*
*1 additional week to report	

Thank you for 
faithfully supporting
Cargill's ministry!

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL continues every Sunday from 9:45–10:30a downstairs in room 10. Parents, please bring your kids directly to the Sunday School rooms.

Kids will then be brought to the sanctuary to be in the worship service with their families or brought up to Fellowship Hall to meet their parent(s).

No Sunday School on July 2
Any kids in attendance are invited to practice VBS songs with Keri.

MORE TEACHERS NEEDED THIS FALL

This fall we are hoping to double our teaching staff so that each teacher can work a rotation of one Sunday per month. Also needed will be teachers' aides and volunteers for the Sunday school prep team. See Keri for details.

Keri Johnson
Coordinator of Children & Youth Ministries

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SIMPLE SUNDAY MORNINGS

Youth 6-12th grade—Fun, games (video games too), lounging in our newly arranged youth classroom downstairs from 9:45–10:30a. It's a great opportunity to hang out and get to know each other!

YOUTH 2023 & MISSION TRIP

There will be a blessing and send off on Sunday, July 16 at both services.
(Team members, please arrive by 9:30a.)
On the way to Daytona Beach, FL, the team will stop in Roswell, GA to help out with some mission work.

MERCY & JUSTICE

SOMEWHERE UNDER THE RAINBOW

A Faith-full Invitation to LGBTQ+ Justice

MONDAY, JULY 31
7:00PM | SANCTUARY

The next in a series of community conversations hosted by Cargill United Methodist Church about matters of faith & daily life.

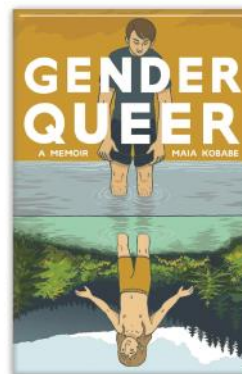
The Christian faith has often sparked debate between traditional religious observance and new ways of responding to the love of God. Such differences aren't just theoretical; they affect real people.

How can we be faith-full to people who often have been marginalized by the church?

The presenter, the Rev. Steve Scott, has pastored for 13 years in The United Methodist Church, which has fractured globally over its ministry to and with LGBTQ+ persons. He previously served as convener of the Wisconsin Clergy Covenant Team, whose purpose was to address discrimination over matters of sexual identity and orientation.

The Cargill UMC Banned Book Club
Gender Queer: A Memoir
by Maia Kobabe

Wednesday, August 2
6:30 - 8PM | Room 106



More than a personal story: it is a useful and touching guide on gender identity—what it means and how to think about it—for advocates, friends, and humans everywhere. But is that a reason to ban it?

Arrowhead Library System has 13 copies available for check out or hold or also available online for approximately \$18.

Do your best to read the book before the discussion

Questions?

Contact Dianne Edson
dianne@cargillumc.org

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JULY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Adult Bible Study 9:00 am – 10:00 am Sunday Worship 9:00 am Summer Sunday School 9:45 am – 10:30 am Simple Sunday 9:45 am – 10:30 am Sunday Worship 10:30 am	3 Goshen Quilters 8:30 am – 11:00 am Aerobics 9:00 am – 10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	4 Aerobics 9:00 am – 10:00 am	5 Aerobics 9:00 am – 10:00 am Technology Summer School 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm	6 Aerobics 9:00 am – 10:00 am Bible Study 10:30 am – 12:00 pm Senior Meals 12:00 pm	7 Men's Bible Study 6:00 am – 7:00 am Aerobics 9:00 am – 10:00 am	8 GIFTS Thrift Store 10:30 am – 12:30 pm Saturday Worship 5:00 pm
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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL MISSION PROJECT

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FOR MIDWEST DISTRIBUTION CENTER**



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DISTRIBUTION CENTER**
midwestmission.org

ITEM DONATIONS NEEDED:

- ☐ 3 Notebooks - 1 subject spiral 8"x 10 1/2"
- ☐ 1 Ruler - 12" long with metric
- ☐ 1 Box 12 colored pencils
- ☐ 1 Pair student scissors
- ☐ 6 Pencils - unsharpened
- ☐ 1 Eraser - 2" or larger
- ☐ 1 Pencil sharpener



PLEASE BRING DONATED ITEMS TO THE DONATION CENTER BY JULY 16