



CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH of Pine River - NEWSLETTER

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Ephesians: 2:8-10

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared for us to do."



## **CHURCH CALENDAR**

Lew Pratsch Funeral 10:00 May 20 Joan Quadland Graveside Service 2:00 May 20 Carolyn Blair Funeral 10:30 May 27 June 3 Bayfield Town Garage Sale VBS June 12-16 June Session Meeting June 21 5:30 GAME NIGHT June 24<sup>th</sup> 4:30 ---Pie & Craft Sale July 4<sup>th</sup> Norman Senti Funeral 10:30 July 21

**SESSION met May 10<sup>th</sup>.** Elders are planning to incorporate a link on the website enabling us to donate to the VBS program or to the Church Collection. We hope to have this done soon. Elders also approved the return of Bread element to our Communion Service, beginning in June.

<u>Pastor's Report</u> for April: Total hours were 62. Approximately 18.75 hours per week. This included: Sunday Worship Service x 5, Easter week Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, includes PowerPoints and Bulletins, Sunday School x 4, Session Meeting, Southern Cluster Meeting, and Social time with parishioners. Emails/texts/phone calls.

<u>BUILDING & GROUNDS</u>: Jerry Brown & Judy All painting and staining is done. We appreciate Garry Hillyer's equipment and assistance to painter for the 'high' work!

<u>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:</u> VBS materials are on hand. The theme is "Jesus is the Light of the World." Volunteers are needed!

<u>WORSHIP & TECHNOLOGY</u>: Carol Blatnick 12 communed Palm Sunday. There were 11 present for Maundy Thursday communion. The OWL is working well. The hearing aids are not. We will check them again. Flower bouquets for Sunday service are welcome – please sign up!

<u>KITCHEN</u>: Amy-Judy Games, puzzles, cards and movies are included with SUPPER to follow in the monthly gathering! This is for us and our community –- bring your family, invite your neighbors and enjoy a fun evening in Berry Hall! June 24th.

Balance in Kitchen Account is \$439.32

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Romans 8:26 NIV "In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans."

## PRAYER REQUESTS

<u>April 24<sup>th</sup></u> – Norm Senti passed.

<u>April 30<sup>th</sup></u> – We thank you for prayers for the Senti family and Norm. We are comforted, knowing Norm has been released from all pain and is in the presence of Jesus and many loved ones. Prayers for Valarie (Knight) and husband Bryan, who has been placed in a care home in Farmington. Carol's mom fell and broke arm. Carolyn's brother Calvin. Pray for our graduates: Lance Mazur, Adie Hooks, Emily Deming!

<u>May 7<sup>th</sup></u>-- for Brenda's sister-in-law Janet whose mother passed unexpectedly. For shooters and victims all over this country. For Carol's mom. For Jordan and Cassidy Bulwan's month old baby hospitalized. For Melanie's friend Josh with cancer. For Pastor Jane's husband Julian, who will have surgery May 15<sup>th</sup>.

<u>COMMUNITY CARE & FELLOWSHIP: Nancy</u> Our Women's Bible Study has resumed meeting Thursday, noon-1pm in Berry Hall.

MISSION: Pine River Shares open Monday - Thursday for our food and clothing donations.

<u>PNC:</u> Committee still looking and zooming candidates. They are discussing possible edit of the MIF – Minister Information Form.

**NEXT SESSION MEETING IS Wednesday, June 21, 2023 AT 5:30 P.M.** Session Elders are Jerry Brown, Carol Blatnick, Judy Norton (Treasurer), Melanie Mazur, Nancy Senti