

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Family Promise starts today,
Still slots to be filled, please see
Linda Nack or the office to fill a
spot.

Halloween Party – Oct 25th,
Church provides hot dogs and
drinks.

If your last name begins A-G,
please bring a side dish.

If your last name begins H-N,
please bring chips.

If your last name begins O-Z,
please bring salad.

With so much candy, let's skip
dessert ;)

We need donations of about 20
16 medium pumpkins, and candy
to help Trunk or Treat.

Can your family host Trunk or
Treat in our parking lot? Hosting
is easy: decorate your vehicle and
hand out candy to the kids as they
come by. Please wear church
appropriate costumes that do not
glorify death or gore. Signup
sheet in welcome center.

Road Construction will start on
October 25th. 22nd Ave will be
closed from 6th to 4th streets,
including intersections.

October 21, 2018

Welcome to Monroe UM Church

608-325-6700

monroeumc@tds.net

www.monroeumc.com

The office is open
Monday – Friday
8:30 am-4:00 pm

Pastor Randy at home
325-4503

Childcare for infants and
preschoolers is available in
the nursery during all
services. Coloring books are
also available at the back
of the sanctuary.

Hearing devices are
available for your
convenience. An usher
will be happy to assist you.

If you are interested in
knowing more about our
church, please speak to Pastor
Randy or visit the Welcome
Center before you leave.

Education

Children's Sunday School

Sundays at 9:15 a.m. Meet in
your classroom.

Confirmation Class held

Wednesdays at 4:45 p.m. in the
library.

Adult Sunday Classes

**Living Faithfully: Human
Sexuality and The United
Methodist Church** - 9:30 a.m.
in Hand & Hand room.

Repeated Tuesdays at 7:00
p.m. Class will spend 2 weeks
per chapter; this will take the
class to the end of November.

Adult Tuesday Classes

Encountering the Father -
10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. This
week chapter 5.

Disciple 2 - 1:00 p.m. in
Randy's office. Next meeting
is Oct 30th with chapters 7 & 8.

Fellowship Opportunities

**Middle and High School
Youth** Wednesdays and
Sundays 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**Randy is preaching at
Monroe Health and Aster**
Wed October 24th. Monroe
Health Services starts at 10:00
a.m. Aster starts at 11:00 a.m.

Noah's Ark Fall Fundraiser

Little Caesars pizza kits.
Orders are taken between
services today. Order forms
and money are due Monday
Oct 29th. Pick up will be
Wednesday, November 14th
after 11 a.m.

Flag Football with Park and

Rec-Fridays at 7:00 p.m.
Reserved for high-school ages
and up. "Fast paced, will spend
time on your face in the grass."
Contact Bryan Versnik for
more information. 608-325-
4507 or bversnik@hotmail.com

Health, Holiness & H₂O –

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 7:30
a.m. Water aerobics are
followed by fellowship in the
hot tub. For more information
call Lillian Falk 608-325-1370.
New members are always
welcome.

Faith Stickers will meet Oct 25,
at 2:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning Refreshments

Can you set up coffee for a month?
Or share treats? The signup sheet is
located on the treats table in the
narthex. Coffee set up can be done
on Friday, Saturday or even
Sunday morning. Coffee takes
about 10 mins to set up. We can
train you.

Fall Cleanup Day

Saturday Nov 3rd 9:00 a.m.
Trustees will focus on the outside cleanup because it's better for trimming. Work List: Trim plants and bushes, cut down tree at parsonage, paint bathrooms, clean coat racks in narthex, wash and caulk windows, air conditioner covers need work. If you can tackle one of these chores before November 3rd, let the office know.

Charge Conference will be held Sunday Nov 4th at the 9:30 service. Then repeated on Sunday Nov 11th at 4:00 p.m. in Juda.

Lay Servant Classes coming to Monroe November 9th and 10th. Classes will be basic lay servant, advanced prayer, advance preaching, and advanced heritage. Lay servant is the new name for lay speaker. This is district level advanced training for leadership, open to all. More info and registration form at the welcome center.

Trustees are looking to form a temporary committee to improve our computer system. Over the last two months we had two computers crash. The sub-committee will research and recommend how to proceed in modernizing. Any questions or to sign up for the committee see Debb in the office or email monroeumc@tds.net.

Music Notes

Divine Intervention rehearses on Mondays at 5:45.

Chancel Choir rehearses Wednesdays at 6:45

Bell Choir rehearses Wednesdays at 7:45 now with chimes.

If you are interested in either choir, contact Julie Shipe McClain at 608-219-9158 or juliesm@uwalumni.com.

Focus on Mission

Please PRAY for and Support our special missions
UM Children's Services of WI
Northcott Neighborhood House
UMCOR (UM committee on Relief)
Redbird Mission in Kentucky
Family Promise

Committee meetings

Ad Council Mon Oct 29 6:30

Happy Birthday

Oct 22: McKaylie Balboa
David Blum
Owen Chenous

Oct 23: Vera Navarro
Dylan Schwitz

Oct 25: Vincent Barnes
Oct 26: Dominic Deprez
Harold Ruchti

Happy Anniversary

Oct 21: Keith & Laurie Prien
Oct 22: Cody & Abby
Langmeier

Ushers –

8:00 - Pat & Annette Holmstrom
Maralyn Martin
Pete Buholzer
10:45 –Kevin Kuehl,
Dennis Nelson,
Bart Briggs

Readers –

8:00 – Ken Pedersen
10:45 – Deb Briggs

PRAYER CORNER

Prayer is trusting God with our deepest thoughts. Listen and God will tell you his too.

We pray for the following members and friends this week. Our families of the week:

Gordy & Joan Gallas
Tara and Jacob
Kevin & Cathy Kuehl
Wayne & Laurie Segner

Our homebound member of the week is **Miriam Babula**, send her a card at, 616 8th Ave #106 Monroe.

College student of the week:
Derek Blum
533 Cain St Apt 205
Whitewater, WI 53190

Our staff member of the week
Leah Houston

Pray for those cleaning up and grieving from hurricanes
Florence and Michael.

Last week's attendance:
84 + 40 + 63 + 42 = 229