

## United Fall Fest September 8, 2018

Here we go! If you would like to grab a volunteer slot early this year, you'll find sign up sheets on the bulletin board outside the office. If you prefer you can sign up online at Signup Genius by following this link: <u>http://bit.ly/CuccFF</u> As ever, THANK YOU!

## Strategic Planning Committee

The Strategic Plan Committee have rolled up their sleeves and are hard at work. We have already met three times and plan to continue meeting through the summer months. We were asked to read through the survey results prior to attending the first meeting. The beginning of May we completed a SWOT (Strengths, Weakness, Opportunity and Threats) analysis as a committee. The same analysis was done with staff by the committee co-chairs. From there we reviewed the results of both SWOT's at our next meeting. We are now in the process of developing some mission statement options from the key buzz terms of what committee members feel the *Church Is...* In the next few months we will be developing broad goals to take back to committees to see what each committee can develop as tangible objectives for the next five years and how they plan to reach those objectives. The committee plans to get something back to the congregation for review by late fall. Watch for more updates next month.

Kim Wascher Strategic Plan Committee Co-Chair

## CE July Update

Summer Sunday School began May 27th. Nursery Care and Pre-K Sunday School will be available all summer long. Children in kindergarten and up are asked to remain in the service. However, if you have a child in kindergarten or 1st grade that you think would enjoy being in the Pre-K room during summer you're welcome to send them down after the Word Made Plain.

For our friends that remain in the worship service, please feel free to use any of the coloring pages, quiet toys or books that are available on the kids table outside of the sanctuary. We do ask that you please return books, toys and crayons at the end of the service.

I hope to see you all over the summer during our worship services! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out at Chrisitaned@cuccstc.org.



## New Members Received October 28, 2018

A new member social will be held at 4pm on Sunday, September 30th at Pastor Dave' home. A Bible study will be held on Tuesday, October, 9th at 7pm at church.

Contact the church office if you 'd like to be added to the list.

Pray for each other so that you may be healed .... James 5:16 (NIV)



# **Please Pray for**

Joy Barker's dad, Melvin "Bud" Barker, died June 1 **Bob Beavan** Nola Boyd **Charles & Rosemary Caldwell Gayle Degnan** Sandie Devermann **Denise Dojka Barb Fairbairn Marcia Ford Bob Graham Sally Harvey Judy Mastalski Rozella Nagy** Hannah Nieman **Kay Olson Rebecca Reber** 



## Are You Interested in Walking?

A hearty group of men and women walk a 2+ mile paved trail within Fox Mill subdivision most Thursday mornings. We begin at the front of the church at 8am.

If you are interested or want more information please contact Carol Ludemann, ludemann@sbcglobal.net, 630-377-2564.

#### **Pop Tabs for Ronald McDonald House**



Many, many thanks for all those tabs that keep appearing in my mailbox or in that little green bag on the hutch outside the church office. I even found a huge bag of them on the little table outside my front door. Such a simple way to help out families who have an ill child at Central DuPage Hospital. Families can stay at the RMH for a small fee or gratis while their child is hospitalized. What a blessing! Again, this project continues on until infinity, and beyond. Truthfully, gathering these little tabs is addicting. I find myself picking them up off the sidewalk or anywhere else I find them. I just can't let them be thrown in the garbage when they can be of so much help. Thank you, thank you, thank you! -Pat Kitner, St. Charles Golden K Kiwanis Club

## **Altar Flower Donations**



Get your special Sunday while the date is still available! Sign up on the Worship Board next to the elevator. You will be contacted to make arrangements for your flower donation and what you would like printed in the bulletin. And after church you get to take them home!

#### **Online Prayer Chain**

If you would like to be a part of this valued ministry within our church, send me an email (chatwpat@att.net) and I'll be so happy to add you to the list. If you or a loved one are in need of prayer, send an email to me and your request will be on its way to over 200 within our congregation who will drop everything to pray for you. It's what we do, right? If you have questions, just let me know.

-Pat Kitner chatwpat@att.net



Sign up to be a scripture reader. The *ign* up sheet is posted on the Worship Scripture Bulletin Board next to the elevator. Please sign up today.

# MEAL MINISTRY

If you could provide an occasional meal for a church member, please contact Kathy at kathymizgalski@gmail.com, 630.253.7677.





## Automated External Defibrillator

Highlight Newsletter Copy Deadline

Monday, July 30th

**BEFORE NOON** 

is located near office door. Look for overhead AED sign. Phone is on the adjacent wall. To call for help, press an outside line and dial 911. A second AED is located on the lower level across from the drinking fountain. June 28, 2018 • The Congregational United Church of Christ, St. Charles IL • Page 2

# Join us for our Wednesday morning service...

*Wednesday Morning Worship @* 7:00AM We will meet for Communion, prayer, reflection, and coffee.

### No service Wednesday, July 4th.

## **Pastor's Vacations**

Pastor Dave, July 2-23 Pastor Josh, July 27 - August 2







There are ample copies of this wonderful cookbook ready for you to purchase for that wedding shower, hostess gift, birthday gift, or simply a gift "just because." Terrific recipes for new dishes for you to take to that picnic or family reunion – appetizers, main dishes, sides, desserts...this book has it all. \$15 cash or check made payable to Women's Fellowship. Stop in the church office or see any member of the committee – Sandie Bils, Debby Graham, Julie Griffith, Wyonne Hegland, Jeanne Humke, Pat Kitner or Mary Anne Rebernak.



**SMILE** - Support our church each time you shop at Amazon. Go to smile.amazon.com and choose Congregational United Church of Christ, St Charles as your charity. From then on, just shop at Smile and .5% of your purchase will be donated to our church. And if you purchase Amazon gifts cards through the Manna program, 2.5% of your purchase goes to church. Great!! Stop by the Manna table Sunday mornings for information.

Thanks for your support. The Manna team

# Peaceful Heart Yoga with Donna Burg



Yoga is held in the sanctuary Mondays 9:15-10:30am and Thursdays 2-3:15pm. All are welcome to attend 1 or both of the sessions!!! Namaste...

#### New session began on Jun. 4

11 weeks, Mondays from 9:15-10:30am. Jun. 4th - Aug. 20th No class Jun.18th \$110 for 11 weeks, \$12 per week (drop in rate).

**New session began on Jun. 7** 11 weeks, Thursdays from 2-3:15pm.

Jun. 7th - Aug. 23rd No class Jun. 21st \$110 for 11 weeks, \$12 per week (drop in rate).

Pay at class. Sign up on Congregational Life Board. Donna Burg 630-309-0614 donnaburg.db@gmail.com



Debbie Dieckman **Brighton McGrath** Dee Westphal Judy Beck 2 2 2 **Kyle Collins** Bonnie Wallace Sommer Ann McCullough 3 Charlotte Surta Liza Burke 5 556777789999 Alex Prigge Emma Štewart Michelle Jaynes Joyce Berner Jon Devermann Erik Hansen Jim Mizgalski Hope Williams Peter Ball Ken Burg Stephen Shuman Cathy Wadington 10 Ann Rempfer Kevin Turner 10 11 Nolan Behrendt John Biddle 11 **Delaney Cherikos** 11 11 Ethan Grimes 11 Rita Mroz  $\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \\ 12 \\ 12 \\ 12 \\ 13 \\ 14 \\ 15 \\ 15 \\ 15 \\ 16 \end{array}$ Soren Larson Chris Marschinke Bob Matson Kyler Melton Janelle Reints Scott Graham Avery Keefe Katherine Albano Christina Bihun Lisa Brown Marcia McKittrick Mike Klopmeyer Joseph Schopen 16 16 MacKenzie Schroeder Michael Vial 16 Nancy Doerr 17 17 Judy Janis Ella Kobleur 17 Sandi Whelan 17 Emma Klotz 18 Kevin McInnis 18 Nicholas Odman 19 Jennifer Pfotenhauer 19

# Please pray for them on theír bírthdays.

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Save the Date Women's Friendship Weekend October 26-28, 2018, Pilgrim Park

Novel Approaches 2018-2019 Sign up on the CE bulletin board.



**September 14th: FURY FROM THE TOMB** by SA Sidor; discussion at the home of Josephine and Peter Ball

Saqqara, Egypt, 1888, and in the booby-trapped tomb of an ancient sorcerer, Rom, a young Egyptologist, makes the discovery of a lifetime: five coffins and an eerie, oversized sarcophagus. But the expedition seems cursed, for after unearthing the mummies, all but Rom die horribly. He faithfully returns to America with his disturbing cargo, continuing by train to Los Angeles, home of his reclusive sponsor. When the train is hijacked by murderous banditos in the Arizona desert, who steal the mummies and flee over the border, Rom - with his benefactor's rebellious daughter, an orphaned Chinese busboy, and a cold-blooded gunslinger – must ride into Mexico to bring the malevolent mummies back. If only mummies were their biggest problem... "Fury From the Tomb is a fun, dark fantasy that feels a bit like Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom. With creepy mummies, claustrophobic tombs, ghouls, and vampires – this story doesn't lack for danger and suspense. It's action-packed excitement from beginning to end... I thoroughly enjoyed this start to a new series. And I look forward to more of Rom's adventures." - SciFi Chick.

November 16th: WE ARE ALL COMPLETELY BESIDE OURSELVES by Karen Joy Fowler; discussion at the home of Mila and Mark Englert

The New York Times bestselling author of The Jane Austen Book Club introduces a middle-class American family, ordinary in every way but one... Meet the Cooke family: Mother and Dad, brother Lowell, sister Fern, and Rosemary, who begins her story in the middle. She has her reasons. "I was raised with a chimpanzee," she explains. "I tell you Fern was a chimp and already you aren't thinking of her as my sister. But until Fern's expulsion...she was my twin, my fun house mirror, my whirlwind other half and I loved her as a sister." As a child, Rosemary never stopped talking. Then, something happened, and Rosemary wrapped herself in silence. In We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves, Karen Joy Fowler weaves her most accomplished work to date—a tale of loving but fallible people whose well intentioned actions lead to heartbreaking consequences.

# January 25th: DOUBLE INDEMNITY by James M. Cain; discussion at the home of Janet Zohorsky

James M. Cain, virtuoso of the roman noir, gives us a tautly narrated and excruciatingly suspenseful story in **Double Indemnity**, an X-ray view of guilt, of duplicity, and of the kind of obsessive, loveless love that devastates everything it touches. Walter Huff was an insurance salesman with an unfailing instinct for clients who might be in trouble, and his instinct led him to Phyllis Nirdlinger. Phyllis wanted to buy an accident policy on her husband. Then she wanted her husband to have an accident. Walter wanted Phyllis. To get her, he would arrange the perfect murder and betray everything he had ever lived for. Adapted into the 1944 classic film noir directed by Billy Wilder, starring Fred MacMurray and Barbara Stanwick. March 8: LITTLE FIRES EVERYWHERE by Celeste Ng; discussion at the home of Trish and JT Thompson

The runaway New York Times bestseller from the bestselling author of Everything I Never Told You, a riveting novel that traces the intertwined fates of the pictureperfect Richardson family and the enigmatic mother and daughter who upend their lives. In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is planned – from the layout of the winding roads, to the colors of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules. Enter Mia Warren – an enigmatic artist and single mother – who arrives in this idyllic bubble with her teenaged daughter Pearl, and rents a house from the Richardsons. But Mia carries with her a mysterious past and a disregard for the status quo that threatens to upend this carefully ordered community. When old family friends of the Richardsons attempt to adopt a Chinese-American baby, a custody battle erupts that dramatically divides the town--and puts Mia and Elena on opposing sides. Suspicious of Mia and her motives, Elena is determined to uncover the secrets in Mia's past. But her obsession will come at unexpected and devastating costs. Little Fires Everywhere explores the weight of secrets, the nature of art and identity, and the ferocious pull of motherhood – and the danger of believing that following the rules can avert disaster.loving but fallible people whose well intentioned actions lead to heartbreaking consequences.

May 17th: LESS by Andrew Sean Greer; discussion at the home of Donna and Tony Giamberdino

What would possibly go wrong? Arthur Less will almost fall in love in Paris, almost fall to his death in Berlin, barely escape to a Moroccan ski chalet from a Saharan sandstorm, accidentally book himself as the (only) writer-in-residence at a Christian Retreat Center in Southern India, and encounter, on a desert island in the Arabian Sea, the last person on Earth he wants to face. Somewhere in there: he will turn fifty. Through it all, there is his first love. And there is his last. Because, despite all these mishaps, missteps, misunderstandings and mistakes, *Less* is, above all, a love story. A scintillating satire of the American abroad, a rumination on time and the human heart, a bittersweet romance of chances lost, by an author *The New York Times* has hailed as "inspired, lyrical," "elegiac," "ingenious," as well as "too sappy by half," *Less* shows a writer at the peak of his talents raising the curtain on our shared human comedy. WINNER OF THE PULITZER PRIZE

Runner-up novels in the book club voting: **THE ALICE NETWORK** by Kate Quinn and **THE WOMEN IN THE CASTLE** by Jessica Shattuck



With an open heart and an open mind, The Night Ministry provides housing, health care and human connection to members of the Chicago community who are struggling with poverty or homelessness.

### Night Ministry

Sunday, September 23 - Uptown

#### There are still many opportunities to support this important mission. Look for the bright green Night Ministry Board.

#### Other Dates for 2018

Sunday, November 18 - Humboldt Park

#### Questions? Wyonne Hegland: wyhegland@sbcglobal.net 630 397-9391

Our Night Ministry trip in May began with a bit of a flurry - a last minute change of venue, the keys locked inside of the van followed by a desperate call to the Campton Hills police to help open the door. Crisis averted thanks to the two officers! Our van eventually departed CUCC and arrived safely in Chicago at 63rd and Halsted - the Back of the Yards neighborhood.

The Night Ministry's health van arrived several minutes earlier and prepared the serving tables for our coolers. CUCC church members had generously prepared sandwiches and cookies while others donated fruit, chips and water. We served a hungry group of children and adults who were patiently awaiting our arrival.

These details are more or less a part of every visit that we make to serve our neighbors in Chicago. While our food nourishes their bodies, our greater mission is to do justice and humbly serve with kindness. The most meaningful part of the evening for me was looking into the eyes of these humble people and seeing their need and their humanity. They have experienced hard times in one way or another. One man who was visually impaired needed some assistance gathering his food; another spunky woman who was pushing for her spot in the line needed a word of guidance. A man who had worked cleaning a nearby empty lot needed a good meal; others were mothers who needed to feed their children.

Some of these folks have suffered with physical or mental challenges for their entire lives; others have had a temporary setback. Some people are working but do not make enough money to feed their families. Some are unable to find a job - perhaps they lack training or are unable to be trained. Some suffer from mental illness. Regardless of the circumstances, these people are hungry. And we are in a position to help.

Some of our neighbors live lives far different from mine. Like many of us, I was born into a comfortable and able family that seems unremarkable and ordinary to me. However, to many people in the world, I have lived a life of privilege. With this perspective in mind, I feel called to give back to our community whether in the Tri-Cities, Chicago, Biloxi, or around the world. Micah reminds us to 'do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with our God.' Serving the clients of the Night Ministry allows me to see a broader face of humanity with their kind souls and very real needs. Although we give, we ultimately receive so much more. It is a personal blessing to serve the clients of the Night Ministry.

~Kathy Mizgalski

## **Camp Scholarships**

Linder-Colson Scholarships are available to all church members. Any church member who is attending or did attend camp this summer is eligible. Applications are on the hutch outside the church office.

## One Great Hour of Sharing

Many thanks to you, our congregation, who collectively donated \$3160 to OGHS. We will make a difference to people we don't know throughout the world - beyond what we can ever imagine!



**Lazarus House** Wed., July 18, 6:30 pm 214 Walnut Street, St. Charles

Here is an easy way you and your family can help the hungry. The third Wednesday of every month our congregation provides a meal for Lazarus House. Sign up in Rodgers Hall to bring a part of the meal to Lazarus House. On the date deliver all hot items to Lazarus House between 6:15-6:45. Cold dishes, breakfast, and lunches can be dropped off at any time.

Contact Brian Reber: brbrianreber@gmail.com for more information.

Check out all of the ways Lazarus House helps the community by visiting their website https://lazarushouse.net

Congregational United Church of Christ, St. Charles, IL

# 19th Annual Women's Friendship Weekend October 26-28, 2018





#### All Ages Welcome • Feel free to bring a friend

\$150 per person • Includes 2 nights lodging, 5 meals • 4pm Friday – 10am Sunday \$110 One night option - Saturday morning arrival \$30 Saturday only option – lunch, dinner, no overnight

- PROVIDED BY PILGRIM PARK Comfortable hotel-room-like accomodations, linens, Friday night supper, Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner, Sunday breakfast
- PROVIDED BY COMMITTEE Saturday program, Sunday worship, mission project, craft supplies, s'mores for bonfire
- BRING ALONG snack to share, clothing and items for weather, beverages, refillable water bottle (Pilgrim Park provides water & ice)
- **OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES** hiking, walking, chair yoga, games, bonfire Saturday night, personal crafts, needlework, reading, shopping on Friday
- INFORMATION PROVIDED BY EMAIL THE WEEK BEFORE participants, directions, transportation, emergency contacts at Pilgrim Park

Questions? Do you need a ride? Contact Lori Tschetter at lorijo500@gmail.com

Committee – Lori Tschetter, Rosemary Kagel, Edy Findlay, Norma DeMaar, Teresa Pelletier

## **Registration Form – Women's Weekend October 26-28, 2018**

Name	
Phone	Cell
Email	
Address	
Roommate preferences (3 be	ds per room)
Dietary Restrictions	
Emergency Contact & Phone	
\$150 per person	(\$110, one night option, Saturday morning arrival) (\$30 Saturday only, no overnight)
Make check payable to CUCC,	write Women's Weekend on memo line

Return form & check to church office by Oct. 7 (office: paid date check # )

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# **The Congregational United Church of Christ Calendar**

**June 2018** 

# Visit cuccstc.org for current calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Communion 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Worship (S) 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM Coffee Fellowship (RH) 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Basketball (RH)	2 8:15 AM - 4:00 PM NIU Reading Program (114, 116) 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM Garden Angels 9:15 AM - 10:30 AM Yoga (S) 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM SEMS work hours	<b>3</b> 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM NIU Reading Program (114, 116)	Day	5 1:00 PM SEM Meeting (O) 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM Yoga (S)	6	7
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The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the second Monday of each month in the church parlor from 10am until Nami noon. Our next meeting is July 9th. Knitters and crocheters can be part of this group even if they are unable to attend meetings.



The theme is Your Choice. On JULY 22 please bring items of your choice for the St. Charles Salvation Army Food Pantry and the Elburn Food Pantry.

Questions? Mary Anne Rebernak at 630 377 9336 or email her at mrebernak@outlook.com.

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# The Congregational United Church of Christ

No matter who you are, or wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

# **SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

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# 9:30am Worship Service with Sunday School

Sunday School for children through Pre K and nursery care. Communion offered the first Sunday of each month.

# 7:00am Wednesday Morning Worship

We meet for Communion, prayer, reflection, and coffee.







#### Handicapped Accessible



**CUCCStCharles** 



Congregational UCC St. Charles

# YOU ARE WELCOME

Striving to increase our love for God and neighbor, we welcome persons of every age, health condition, race, marital status, economic status, sexual orientation and religious background.

We encourage you to become an active member of our church, sharing your God-given gifts in all areas of church life: worship, education, mission and ministry.

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

We, as a community in Christ, shall provide and administer a continuum of opportunities for worship, education, fellowship and outreach. It is our mission to serve individual, local, national and world needs.

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Summer Office Hours Mon-Thurs 8:30am-2pm, Sat 10am-1pm

# STAFF

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