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Rev. Sergio Tristan, Pastor

# Pardeeville United Methodist



June



Welcome back to church!

That statement might seem a little unusual because, as you know, we have had church every week in person with many limitations and online. Yet, there is just something powerful and amazing about meeting together as the church!

Especially when it has been many weeks since we met without limitations in our Sanctuary!

These past few months have been quite trying, to say the least for all of us. For Pastors and Staff here at Pardeeville UMC, this building has felt quite empty every time we walk through it. We have missed the sounds of praise reverberate in the Sanctuary. We have also missed the voices of our children, youth, and adults as we fellowship and worship together.

When something is taken away that we have enjoyed for years like church, we begin to realize what a tremendous blessing it is in our lives! The Bible is quite clear of the value of meeting together: Hebrews 10:25 25 Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another–and more as you see the Day approaching.

As we all know the Lord is coming back, so we must keep our focus of seeing souls won into the Kingdom of Christ. I believe it is also important that we, as believers meet for worship and fellowship as we learn more about walking in the love of God.

Our world needs the message the church has to offer. Remember "Jesus is the Answer for the world today." We need to share this wonderful news.

I encourage you to be a person full of grace as we gather again. There are many different beliefs (and perhaps convictions) about the "way things should be." And to be filled with grace in this context would mean that we refrain from being critical of others because their thought process is different than ours. Some are not ready to return to in-person worship, and that's just fine! Others are ready to start hugging and shaking hands immediately, yet we ask that you refrain from that for just a while. That is especially difficult for the "huggers" in our midst! We will do our absolute best to make sure we are in a safe, yet welcoming environment both for people and the presence of God!

Thank you for giving your leadership an extra dose of grace during this time as well. We are excited to have you back! So again... Welcome back to church!

Blessings in Christ, Pastor Sergio





June 2, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. at the church parking lot, Pastor Sergio will bring the devotion. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

June 16, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. CampFire will be at the home of Jeff & Cheryl Thomson N5490 Cummings Road, Pardeeville . We will be having a potluck dinner. Please bring your own drinks and a dish to pass. Following dinner Cheryl Thomson will bring the devotion. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

June 30, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. at the church parking lot, , Patricia Tristan will bring the devotion. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

July 21, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. CampFire will be at the church parking lot, . We will be having a potluck dinner. Please bring your own drinks and a dish to pass. Following dinner Joyce Hare will share a devotion. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

August 4, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. CampFire will be at the home of Dan & Beth Gallagher W6225 W Bush Road Pardeeville . Beth Gallagher will share a devotion. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

August 18, 2021 - 6:00 p.m. CampFire will at the church parking lot, . We will be having a potluck dinner. Please bring your own drinks and a dish to pass. Following dinner Ed Steck will share a devotion. We will have a CampFire, sing some songs, have prayer, share in a devotion and a evening of fellowship.

## Administrative Board Meeting Minutes May 12, 2021

**Present:** Laura Bell, Pastor Sergio Tristan, Justin Nickel, Kim Sieber, Doug and Joyce Hare, Patricia Tristan, Jim Vilstrup, Patsy Villwock, Kathy Sommers

### Meeting called to order at 7:04 pm Prayer by Pastor Sergio Secretary's Report

Accepted the secretary's minutes as printed.

## Treasurer's Report

- Wording of a few lines discussed last month still needs to be adjusted
- About \$4000 short for the month

Motion made by Jim Vilstrup and 2nd by Justin N. to accept Treasurer's report as printed. Motion passed.

## **Trustees Report**

- Met tonight
- Quorum Met
- Discussed upgrading sound system currently getting bids
- Back of Education building will be pressure washed and seal coated
- Becker Family will take care of lawn mowing this year

Parsonage basement project is on hold at the moment

## Lay Report -

Nothing new to report

## Memorial Committee Report -

Laura Culver - Chair

Nothing new to report

## Cycles of Discipleship -

Nothing new to report

## Staff Parish Relations Committee -

Next meeting is set for July 13

## **Christian Education Committee -**

- Have met to plan VBS for this summer April 28 via Zoom.
- Sent out a survey to parents for 3 options.
- Decided on July 26 July 30
- 5:30 pm 8:00 pm

## Youth Ministries -

- Held last meeting the last Sunday in April.
- o Had a picnic in the church due to weather.
- o 2 MS girls attending camp scholarships will be provided.
- o Working on summer mission projects

Planning on involving the youth in VBS
Planning Summer Youth Worship nights with other area churches

## Calling and Caring Committee -

Nothing new to report Safe Sanctuaries Committee -Nothing new to report Missions Committee -Noisy Can Collection for Missions Nominating Committee -

• Janet Steck would like to be a part of the Staff Parish Relations Committee

 $_{\rm O}~$  A motion was made by Jim V. and 2nd by Patsy V. for Janet Steck to thru 2022 term to cover Rosemary K. position

 A motion was made by Joyce H. and 2nd by Justin N. to have Kim Sieber take Rosemary K.'s position on the Nominating Committee Needs to meet to fill openings

Old Business:

- Memorial Weekend Garage Sale -
- o 3 helpers to unbox and set-up the garage sale. Tables are full!
- o Need people to help work at the garage sale
- o Patricia will be putting together a flyer to place a garage sale to advertise VBS
- o Rainbow Room
- o Will be painted

2 new donated basketball hoops will be replacing the old ones in the parking lot/parsonage **New Business:** 

- Discipleship Farm Kim asking for permission to post something in the bulletin to request support for funds to attend the camp and cover a hotel stay.
- Pie Social on June 24th will need 40 pies
- o Request for it to be a fundraiser for the general account
- o Graduation Dinner June
- o Tamara Hepler and Jen Pieper in charge of the meal
- o 4 graduates
- o Graduates will also be recognized in church as well in June
- o Campfires will be starting on the first Wednesday in June and continue thru the summer
- o Discussed how to move forward with Covid regulations within the church
- A motion was made by Kim Sieber and 2nd by Joyce H. to announce the reopening of church to normal protocol - "mask welcome" beginning on May 23. - Motion passed
- o Finance Committee met a few weeks ago
- o Apportionments were not paid last year about \$24000 short
- o Committee would like to send 10% of the monthly revenue to be used to pay apportionments.
- + Reassessing after 3-4 months to see how it goes.

Justin made a motion to allocate 10% of monthly revenue beginning in the month of May towards apportionments and 2nd by Jim V. - Motion passed

## **Pastors Report**

• Has had a great first year with our church

• Year in review - increasing attendance at church since the start of Covid, Youth program running smoothly, nursing home visits, etc.

See report shared by Pastor Sergio

Next Meeting - June 9, 2021 at 7pm Ended with Lord's Prayer Meeting adjourned at 8:23 pm.





# Pre-Register By JULY 12<sup>th</sup> by calling 608-429-2514 or by going online to: https://vbspro.events/p/events/52b3b2

Solve a puzzle each night to discover the Key to BREAKING OUT! Escape-Room Games, Outdoor Games and Crafts.

Activities will include a Lite Meal, Bible Lesson,

PARDEEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH PRESCHOOL (AGE 3)-K THROUGH 5TH

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JULY 26-30TH

5:30-8:00 PM

You are invited to **BREAKOUT** from doubt, worries, fears

and sin!

Escape from Ordinary to Extraordinary!

Vacation Bible School

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# June 24, 2021 Pie & Ice Cream Social

We are asking for pies or a cash donation from <u>all</u>in our Church family, as this is a great fund raiser for our church.

You can drop your response in the collection plate, mail it to the church office or sign up in the back of the sanctuary.

Your help is greatly needed and appreciated.

If you can help work that evening setting up, selling pies or cleaning up afterwards, please indicate this on your response form.

Approximately 40 pies are needed.

The Pie Social is held in front of the Pardeeville Library in conjunction with a band concert.

The pies can be brought to the Pardeeville Library by 6:00 PM

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## PIE RESPONSE FORM

I will donate pies for the June 24 Pie Social

I will make a cash donation instead of pies

# **CHRISTIAN DISCIPLE FARM**



The Christian Disciple Farm provides an enhanced vacation Bible school day camp for children and young adults (ages 3-21) with special needs and their families in an outdoor farm environment. A wide variety of activities, education, crafts, worship, entertainment and music will work together to bring the camp theme to life. Special programming is provided for teens, young adults, moms and dads.

I have been volunteering at Christian Disciple farm for several years (6) along with others from our church. Due to Covid we have not been able to do our normal fund raising for this Mission. I am asking for support in continuing to attend this mission at the Disciple Farm. Working with special needs children and youth from 3-21 years of age. If you would like to support me in this mission. Please mark your checks or envelopes Disciple Farm. Thank you for your help.

May God Richly Bless You. Kim Sieber





The Mother's Group—giving these mother's of Special needs children a much needed break.





Picture to the left : the young man in the yellow shirt has his service dog tied to his waist and his buddy has a leash on the dog also. Gavin keeps his buddy moving.



# VBS Work Day

VBS is coming to Pardeeville UMC again!! We are super excited about our VBS this year and are looking forward to reach out to many children in our community through a week of fun, games, music, food but above else presenting the goods news of salvation to children!!

So, we are looking for YOUR help!! We will be hosting a VBS Work Day! What is that?? VBS Work Day is a day were all the crafty and non-crafty people come together to make props, to organize materials, to organize crafts and more for VBS.

VBS Work Day will be Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup> from 10 am -2 pm, bring a sack lunch and help us get ready.

For more information please contact Patricia Tristan at tristanpat53209@gmail.com



# Youth Ministry News!

We have our last meeting on April 25<sup>th</sup>, we celebrated the ministry with a Picnic style dinner and all our families were able to enjoy the evening together. We have 31 people attending including parents and siblings. Games and a family activity were part of the evening full of laughter and fun. Big thanks to the Stecks for providing food and for serving!

## **Youth Missions**

We are looking to hold two mission events for our Youth Group. We would like to do a local mission, were Youth are doing some physical work. If you know of someone that needs their yard cleaned please contact Patricia Tristan at 414-916-7341. We love to be the hands of Jesus Christ in our community. We will be looking to travel near to do mission as well!

## Summer Camp

We have two girls going to camp this year and we want to say THANK YOU for your supporting camp ministry, due to your generosity we will be able to provide them with a scholarship to support their camping this year.

## Youth Ministry Worship Nights

The Youth Ministry team is working together with three other churches in our area to put together a Youth Worship Band to host one Worship Night during the Summer months. This will a time of Worship, Word, Prayer and Fellowship. If you know a teen who might be interested in playing music please let Patricia Tristan know, we are looking to start practices in June. First Worship Night is schedule for Sunday, June 27<sup>th</sup>. More details to come through our social media!

## Thank you Note:

We would like to say thanks for the two donations to provide our church and community children and youth with a brand-new basketball hoop. Pastor Sergio, Yitzak, Sergio and Patricia were able to build it and now is ready to use. We are getting a second basketball hoop gently used from Patricia's sister in Milwaukee, thanks to Jim and Polly Vilstrup for making the trip to get it.

















## From the sinful soul of Ken Taylor, by the Grace of God, forgiven.

We are all sinners against God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

Grace, Grace, God's Grace. Grace that is greater than all our sin! I am so glad that I am a child of the one true King. Adopted into the Family of God with true heirship to the Kingdom of God. If I were to count the blessings that God has bestowed on me, it would take longer than time eternal.

The first and greatest blessing The Lord Gave to me was the chance to love Him with all my being. The second and almost as important was the chance to love **everyone else** as I love myself. I say a chance because He also gave me free will, I can choose what ever I like, even if it is wrong for me and all others.

God's Grace is working in your life even when you do not know it. His love and attention were with you and I long before we were a twinkle in our parents' eyes. He is the one who knitted us together. He had and still has a plan for us here on earth as well as in His Heavenly Kingdom. God knew our names long before our parents did. He made each one of us individually unique so that we could fulfill the plan he made just for each one of us. No other person on earth can complete your plan, only you.

All throughout history, God has been leading His people to Him, through leaders, prophets, and just plain earthly people. They would listen for a while and then the enemy would slide in and turn them away from God. To teach them a lesson, He would let them go their own way. The enemy would let them feel OK for awhile and then begin to turn on them. The people would feel oppressed and remember how good it was when God was their focus. They would cry out to the Lord for forgiveness, and He would hear their cry. The more they focused on the Lord and returned to His ways, the better they were to hear and heed to the leadership of The Lord. Times became good again.

Let us fast forward to recent history. Our country's history started with Freedom of Religion. Every one's freedom to worship God the way we wanted to. Not the way we were dictated to by that times Pharisees and Sanhedrin. The United States of America slowly prospered with most of our ancestors being Christians. As we prospered the enemy was doing his thing, sliding in unnoticed and drawing us slowly away for our Lord. Small things a first, so we did not notice or care. We got use to more and more instant gratification as turned more and more away from God.

Now let us come to the present. We have finally woken up to what is happening. We are starting to cry to the Lord about our unhappy blight. We want Him to do something about it. But we have not been focusing on Him and His leadership. We want both worlds. Crying and saying poor "little oh'me" does not get the job done. You and I need to turn ourselves to focus only on The Lord and His leadership. We must join together and change the course of this ship towards Him and only Him. I cannot do it alone and you cannot do it without me. Can we join together and keep each other accountable for our actions? We start by focusing on God's greatest commandment, Love God with all our being, and Love each other as we Love our selves! As we follow God's leadership, we will come closer and closer to good times with The Lord. It will be a journey well worth doing. To God be all glory forever and ever, Amen.



June Birthday's

- 1. Celia Kopfhamer
- 6. Sonny Villwock
- 6. Jan Williams
- 6. Dave Schneider
- 7. Curt Gage
- 9, Ruth Jokerst
- 12. Linda Glasgow
- 12. Cindy Davis
- 15 Amanda Seichter
- 16 David Gallagher
- 16. Grant Pulver
- 18. Alysha Pulver
- 18. Kathy Sommers
- 21. Dennis Wopat
- 22. Sandra Ott
- 25. Judy Braaksma
- 25. Rosemary Klare
- 25. Jenny Reilly
- 26. Phil Davis
- 26. Gemma Desjarlais
- 27. Joyce Hare
- 27. Molly Freye
- 28. Dan Gallagher
- 28. Peter Freye



- 2. Jeff & Cheryl Thomson
- 7. Pastor Sergio & Patricia Tristan
- 14. Russell & Laurie Breneman
- 16. Cal & Joanne Dalton
- 16. Donald & Geri Kuhlman
- 20. Austin & Shawna Sieber
- 25. Ben & Megan Smith
- 27. David & Kristen Gallagher
- 28. Curt & Karen Gage

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# Pardeeville United Methodist Church Calendar

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 CampFire at Chandler Park 6:00 p.m.	£	4	ъ
<b>6</b> Face Book Live 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 9:00 a.m.	7	8	9 Trustee Meeting 6:00 p.m. Ad Board Meeting 7:00 p.m.	10	11	12
<b>13</b> Face Book Live 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 9:00 a.m.	14	15	16 CampFire at Jeff & Cheryl Thomson Potluck 6:00 p.m.	17	18 Newsletter Articles due to the church office by 9:00 a.m.	19
<b>20</b> Face Book Live 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 9:00 a.m.	21 Women's Aux Meeting 1-3 p.m.	22	23	24	25	26
27 Face Book Live 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 9:00 a.m.	28	29	30 CampFire at Chandler Park 6:00 p.m.			

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