

Thank You!

Dear Trinity,
 Thank you so much for providing the funeral dinner. We appreciate the time and effort it took to put it all together.

The family of David E. Heimrick

Dear Friends,
 Thank you for your \$87.14 gift of health and hope. Your gift is already helping our hungry brothers and sisters. Trinity is putting healthy, nourishing food on the tables of individuals and families who are struggling and food insecure, and by you joining with Society of St. Andrew, are following Jesus' mission of feeding physical and spiritual hunger. Much of the food we salvage by the tractor-trailer load or glean from fields would end up in landfills without our intervention. Instead of letting it go to waste, you are making sure it goes to feed hungry Americans.

With you in Christ's service,
 Chesley R. Vohden,
 Director of Church Relations
 Society of St. Andrew

Dear Trinity,
 Thank you for the amazing baby shower and thoughtful gifts. We especially appreciate the wonderful crochet baby blanket!

We are so thankful for all of you.

Blessings,
 Pastor Elyse & Matt

A few Baby Shower Snap Shots



The gift from the church

Special Thanks!

To ...Mylie Clifton, Kara and Tori Stansbery, Char Carrick, Patti Palmer, and Dan Cleland for their help during VBS week, and to Bob Plott for all his extra cleaning efforts during and after VBS. The kids thoroughly enjoyed this year's in person VBS. Thank you to everyone for your help, your support, and your prayers.

To ... everyone's Noisy Bucket contributions to the VBS mission project, Heifer International. A combined total of \$480 was collected between the VBS kids and our Noisy Bucket collection, allowing Heifer International to purchase 4 goats for a needy family. Goats provide milk, cheese, and butter for nourishment, boosts income through sales of extra milk, and encourages better crop yields by creating fertilizer and clearing land.



To ... Judy Gucker for sharing her beautiful garden flowers with us for the August 7th worship.

For ... everyone's help and support of our BBQ Pork Drive Thru Dinner. Thank you to Andrew Plott and Bob Plott for BBQing the pork chops. We still have left over pork chops to sell which are now frozen. Please let the church know if you are interested in purchasing any. With additional sales still pending, we do not have a grand profit total yet, but the preliminary report is showing \$649.20.



Lonnie Dutcher (surgery pending 9-9), Mike Inbody (extended care), Tracy Frankhart Brown

(cancer), and to our Homebound: Phyll Barth, Alice Earl, Donna Warnecke, and Cora Bour. And those known and those unknown only to God who are homebound... hospitalized... those who are undergoing treatments... surgeries... and those with illnesses... and hurting spirits... and to all others who struggle and suffer in our world.



We extend our Christian love and sympathy to:

Alice Earl on the loss of her son-in-law, Tim (Karen) Koehler, and to the Dave Rice family and friends.

Please uplift these families in your thoughts and prayers for strength, comfort and peace.

JOYS!



The side entrance awning project has been completed. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this project.

Fall Bible Study September 8, 15, 22, & 29



Pastor Elyse is offering a 4-week Bible Study each Thursday evening beginning September 8 and concluding September 29 on the Book of Mark. The Bible Study will be from 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. No previous Bible Study is necessary to attend. All are welcome.

Wyandot County Fair Gate Training September 6 & 7

Trinity will be working the Wyandot County Fair gates on Tuesday, September 13 and again on Saturday, September 17. Like other county fairs, Wyandot will be using a new electronic system to take tickets. Training sessions for the electronic equipment will be provided at the church for those **working the MAIN GATE on Tuesday, September 6 at 7:00 p.m. For those working the GRANDSTAND AND HORSE BARN GATES, training will be held on Wednesday, September 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the church.**

If you signed up to work the Wyandot County Fair Gate, please see the September 4 & 11 bulletin announcement for your name, gate, and the date and time of your training session. Thank you for working the fair gates and helping with this fun fundraiser!



Choir practice will begin Wednesday, September 7, 2022 with a new starting time of 6:30 p.m. Under the direction of Linda Gottfried, we are excited the choir will resume soon and be a special part of Sunday morning worship again. As always, new choir members, there is no age requirement, are welcome. If you enjoy singing, consider joining the choir and make a joyful noise!



Caring Ministry

Northwest Ohio Association *Lay School of Religion is offering a fall class, *Caring Ministry*, for lay members of the church interested in

caring ministry. During this class time, communication tools such as active listening, the importance of body language, and personal presence will be discussed. Dr. Traci Sittason Stark (Rev. Paul Stark's wife) will lead the 6 classes which begin Tuesday, September 13 and again on September 27, October 4 and 18, and November 1 and 15, from 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. via Zoom.

If you are interested in learning tools and behaviors that are essential in creating an environment that promotes a nurturing space and invites caring conversation with others, then this class is for you. See the back bulletin board for an informational brochure and registration forms. Register by September 6 for the cost of \$90. After September 6, the cost of the class is \$100.

*Northwest Ohio Association Lay School of Religion is open to all lay members of the Association who wish to grow and be enriched, whether in their personal life, or for further opportunities to serve God. Individuals may take a single class or more, or complete the course of study to become a graduate of Lay School.

News & Notes

Pastor Elyse Cramer's Contact Information:

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Office Hours:

Wednesdays from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
and by appointment.

Secretary's Office Hours

Monday, Wednesdays, and Fridays
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Join us for Sunday Worship at 10:00 a.m.
All are welcome!

~ **To help protect and respect the privacy** of those sick/hospitalized/care facilities, be sure to obtain the family's permission first before announcing or requesting prayers. Be sure to let Jan know if their name may be added to the prayer list.

~ **Please help the office** stay up to date with your have current contact information. If your email address, phone numbers or address has changed, please let Jan know so she may update the records. Thank you!

September Ushers

Gina Dutcher and Jeff Watson

September Stewardship Project

Wyandot Cares

Trinity Card Challenge

We challenge everyone to complete 10 cards a month for either the Ohio veterans and/or prisoners. Cards and instruction sheets with examples may be found on the table in the back overflow room of the sanctuary. If you have any questions, please talk with Char Carrick.

The Upper Room Daily Devotional - at this time, we are having difficulty receiving our regular print copies. Please help yourself to the large, printed copies of *The Upper Room*. Hopefully, the issue will soon be resolved.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO



September

- 1 Robert Morehart, Dawn Clouse
- 2 Dennis Stover, Susan Tobias,
Leslie Plouck
- 3 Ryan McClain

- 4 Jason Heilman, Ryan Beck
- 5 Jason DeVaughn, Sandy Nye, Ande Rothlisberger
- 7 Clarabelle Clark, Jill Stevens,
Mark Stevens
- 8 Brianna Haller
- 9 Michael "Parker" Rhoad
- 12 Tiffany Clark, Linda Clark
- 13 Polly Stevens
- 14 Bridgett Morter
- 15 Huntlee Cleland
- 16 Corrine Parker
- 17 Steve Tanner
- 18 Daniel Heilman
- 21 Linda Gottfried, Valli Chaney
- 22 Don Dunlap
- 26 Gregory Wollett
- 27 David Stevens
- 30 Roger McGuire

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...



September

- 1 Dave and Anna Meisner 6 years
- 2 Kristen and Brandon Copley 5 years
- 3 Hans and Enessa Gucker 17 years
- 7 Glen and Betty Fogle 31 years
- 12 Ted and Alicia Sharp 42 years
- 12 Allen and Dawn Clouse 35 years
- 14 Jamie and Erica Harper 20 years
- 16 Scott and Terri Weininger 39 years
- 17 Tim and Angie Harr 17 years
- 23 Mike and Kay Karg 61 years
- 23 Stacy and Drew Meadows 5 years
- 27 Dan and Barb McClain 47 years
- 28 Kim & Bryan MacFarlane 3 years
- 30 David and Virginia Clark 27 years

TREASURY REPORT

July 2022

INCOME:

Tithes/Offerings	\$	11,380.25
Other Income	\$	<u>14.35</u>
Total Income/Gross Profit	\$	11,394.60

PASTORAL EXPENSES:

Salary	\$	960.50
Housing	\$	1,988.38
Life Insurance/Disability	\$	44.26
Health & Dental	\$	250.00
Pension	\$	425.58
Car mileage	\$	<u>15.34</u>
Total Pastoral Expenses	\$	3,684.06

ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES:

Secretary	\$	903.50
Custodian	\$	298.15
Organist	\$	153.59
Columbia Gas	\$	211.17
Electric AEP	\$	323.05
Telephone	\$	80.37
Worker's Comp	\$	59.00
Employee W/holding/SS	\$	1,299.57
Copier/Duplicator	\$	98.73
Maintenance Inspect/Serv.	\$	64.34
Miscellaneous	\$	<u>291.17</u>
Total Administration	\$	3,782.64
Total Expenses	\$	7,466.70
NET ORDINARY INCOME	\$	3,927.90
CHECK BOOK BALANCE:	\$	25,046.37

AVERAGE JULY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE = 27

CONSISTORY NOTES

July 6, 2022

Pastor's Report:

- Pastor Elyse's mileage was 26.
- VBS positions are filled along with "floaters" to help where needed. VBS decorating begins July 18.

- Elyse will borrow one week vacation from 2023 for maternity leave since she had to use a week for covid recovery this year.

- A 4-week Bible study will be offered in September.

Committee Reports:

Caring Committee: Erin, Pastor Elyse, and Jan will fill the blessing box as needed.

Faith Formation Committee: Discussed a possible Movie Night for August. A Noisy Bucket offering will be collected at the August 14 joint worship service with Sycamore UCC, to help the VBS children with their mission project, Heifer International, to purchase goat(s).

Old Business

Discussed Wyandot County Fair and electronic ticketing. Training dates for working the gates with the new electronic ticketing system will be announced at a later date.

New Business

-For any carry out meals by the church, discussed placing small flyers in the carry-out bags with current church events, beginning with the BBQ Pork Chop Drive-Thru.

-October Steak Dinner still pending because of steak prices.

-Discussed getting a portable air conditioner for Pastor Elyse's office. Erin to research.

-Discussed finding a new website designer for the church website.

-Dan Cleland's neighbor has a drainage issue and A&D Excavating suggested the possibility of tying into the church's drainage system. Following discussion, more information will be obtained.

-Discussion held concerning Erin's request to do a small Farmer's Market in the church parking lot in September to help raise money for the Christmas Tree lot.

- Ushers for remainder of year reviewed.

Next Consistory meeting is set for August 10, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Gina L. Dutcher, Secretary

SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4 Worship – 10:00	5	6 Wyandot Fair Gate Training 7:00 pm.	7 - Pastor's Office Hours 4:00 – 6:00 - Choir practice 6:30 pm Fair Gate Training 7:30	8 Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	9	10
11 Worship – 10:00	12	13 Work Wyandot Fair Gates	14 -Pastor's Office Hours 4:00 – 6:00 -Choir practice 6:30 pm	15 Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	16	17 Work Wyandot Fair Gates
18 Worship – 10:00	19	20	21 -Pastor's Office Hours 4:00 – 6:00 -Choir practice 6:30 pm	22 Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	23	24
25 Worship – 10:00	26 Newsletter deadline - Noon	27	28 -Pastor's Office Hours 4:00 – 6:00 -Choir practice 6:30 pm	29 Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	30	