



SOUTH JOPLIN

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

DISCIPLES CARE NEWSLETTER

September 2017



WELCOMING AND ACCEPTING ALL PEOPLE ALONG A JOURNEY OF FAITH AND SERVICE.

“Welcoming and accepting all people” – is a reminder of our Welcome Statement and genuine hospitality, in the present tense so it is always relevant. “along” – is an invitation to join together side by side. “journey of faith” – implies that arrival is a myth; we are always growing. “service” – is a natural outcome of faith and inseparable from our commitment to discipleship.



A Joint Statement from our Ministers

Both of your pastors share a love for the opening verses of Philippians 2, which read, “If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind.”

We are of the same mind in our response to the recent events in Charlottesville as yet another example of the racism and bigotry which engulf our nation and consume our personal energy. However we cannot allow discouragement or tiredness to drag us into despair or despondency. We jointly express our resolve as your pastors to stay committed to the ministry of justice. We have added our signatures to an op-ed printed in the Springfield Newsleader on August 19, penned by Rev. Dr. Phil Snyder of Brentwood Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), and signed by over thirty other faith leaders in southwest Missouri. The editorial states in part:

*We believe a change of heart and mind that leads to a different course of action is necessary not just for those who espouse the sin of racism, but also for those whose complacency allows the systems and structures of racism that are so deeply entrenched in American society to persist. To be complacent in the perpetuation of these systems and structures is to give one’s tacit approval to them; it is to inadvertently sanction the evil of systemic racism even as one finds the concept of racism reprehensible.*

Our intention is to be proactive in our work to preserve and protect the dignity and worth of all people in the Joplin community and beyond. As expressed here in worship on August 20th, we pledge to do more than “just pray.” We pledge to search out and utilize resources to educate and equip us as a church to combat all forms of injustice, including racism. We pledge to speak out against hate and partner with others in the community when it is possible, as we did at the candlelight vigil at Ewert Park. In the words of Rev. April Johnson, Minister of Reconciliation with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), “To denounce [racism] is an important response but in no way completes the cycle of what is needed to diminish its power.” We look forward to walking and working with you, our partners in God’s Beloved Community. *Pastor Colleen Carroll and Pastor Kathryn Wilson*

From Our Senior Minister

Did you know September is National Read a New Book Month? Although you may have plenty of books to choose from, we have three brand new books in our church library which I am excited to write about.

Food and Faith: A Theology of Eating, by Norman Wirzba is the book we have been studying in the adult Sunday School class. Several people have expressed interest in reading it after hearing many of his ideas in class. I heard the author at a conference at Eden Theological Seminary in 2015, and continue to be challenged and inspired by his reflections on a subject not often discussed in theological ways.

The second is the book referenced in the General Assembly Resolution #1718 “Concerning an Understanding of the Merger Agreement Between the National Christian Missionary Convention with the International Convention of the Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ),” Journey Toward Wholeness: A History of Black Disciples of Christ in the Mission of the Christian Church, Vol. 1 by Brenda Cardwell and Wm K. Fox, Jr.. I have yet to read this book, and confess that I was among a vast majority of white Disciples at the Assembly who have overlooked the historical significance of the merger with the Black Disciples, and pledged to re-examine the merger with deeper respect. This book is one tool that will help me and hopefully many within our own church to recall and remember our shared heritage.

The third book comes by recommendation of Global Ministries “to assist and guide churches in seeking a better understanding of solidarity, mutuality and accompaniment in international mission partnerships. It is entitled Restoring Dignity, Nourishing Hope: Developing Mutuality in Mission, edited by Jonathan Barnes and Peter E. Makari, and contains articles and essays by Global Ministries partners. This too will assist us in gaining a deeper respect for the ministries we support financially and prayerfully, and to understand them with greater depth.

Look for these new books in our church library and share your thoughts with us after you have read them.

BLESSINGS ALONG THE WAY, PASTOR COLLEEN



HOW DO WE RATE?

You can help our online presence by giving SJCC a favorable rating or review on Facebook, and by “checking-in” when you arrive for worship and activities. You can also “like” our website by clicking the link at the bottom of the page. Go to [southjoplindisciples.org](http://southjoplindisciples.org) and share the love!



## REACHING OUT TO OUR NEIGHBORS WITH REV. KATHRYN WILSON MINISTER OF MISSION AND OUTREACH



### REGIONAL GATHERING FESTIVAL OF SHARING

Celebrating 200 years as a Region, a Mid-America Regional Gathering will be held at the Missouri State Fairgrounds and First Christian Church of Sedalia on **October 20 and 21**, coinciding with the Festival of Sharing. Meet our new Regional Minister Team members and connect with fellow Disciples from across the region. Registration forms are available in the church office or on the regional website: [www.mid-america-disciples.org](http://www.mid-america-disciples.org).

### Upcoming Special Offering

On Sept. 24 & Oct. 1 we will receive offerings for Reconciliation Ministry. The Special Offering is used to fund our Church's mission to become a pro-reconciling and anti-racist church utilizing experiential education, inclusive worship, and intentional dialogue. Our efforts to promote healing, relationship, and restoration in the whole family of God are enlivened by your gifts. Through it we are able to provide programs for leadership development, curriculum for dialogue and learning, and partnerships within the Church and our communities. Recent events have reignited the conversation about human brokenness evidenced in the sin of racism and perpetuated in our institutional structures and systems. Your generous giving to Reconciliation Ministry is transforming lives and strengthening Christ's witness in the world showing that we love one another, even as Christ continues to love us!

The Mid-America Region receives 50% of the offerings received in our Region which help to fund the work of the Pro-Reconcilian/Anti-Racism Team of which Pastor Kathryn is a member. She and other Team members travel across Missouri throughout the year to conduct workshops in congregations and at other regional gatherings. As of 2017 our Regional Commission on Ministry has mandated that all clergy with standing in the Mid-America Region must complete this training every three years.



### A NOTE FROM CROSSLINES' EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

*"Just a note to let you know how much I have been blessed by each of you and your churches and organizations over the last 10+ years. I don't know if you've heard yet, but I will be leaving Crosslines around mid-October. My calling here is over and it's time to turn the reigns over to someone new. I don't know what the Lord has in store for me yet, but I'm sure He will reveal it to me once I've taken some time off. There have been many changes here since I started back in April of 2007, and Crosslines has been a big part of my life as well as my family's lives. I will miss seeing each of you and the clients regularly, but I will still be around the area. I will try to stop in occasionally and wish each of you and Crosslines well. Blessings!*

*Kathy Lewis*

### **FESTIVAL OF SHARING SCHOOL KITS**

This year in support of the Festival of Sharing the Outreach Committee is asking individuals and families to **put together and donate completed school kits**. The kit is to include the following items: 1 pair of blunt scissors; 6 new pencils with erasers; 3 - 70 count spiral notebooks or notebooks totaling 200 - 210 pages; 1 - 30 cm ruler (12 inch); 1 larger eraser; 1 hand-held pencil sharpener; 1 box of 24 ct. crayons (only 24). The items in the kit must be exact. Look for the collection bins in the Fellowship Hall and the Narthex to drop off your completed kits.

### **CROP WALK - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8**

Believe it or not it is once again time for the Annual CROP Walk. This event is a campaign in the fight against hunger in our community and around the world. I have come to realize that we have folks in our congregation who are avid walkers. We NEED you to join our team. Outreach will be setting up a display in the Fellowship Hall which will also include a sign up sheet. Walker packets to solicit your donations will be available from Liz Millard or Pastor Kathryn. 25 % of the proceeds will be distributed to agencies in Joplin. Be on the look out for other activities to help us increase our contributions to the CROP Walk.

### **Support South Joplin Christian Church Outreach**

When you shop at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com), Amazon donates. Bookmark this link - <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/44-0574395> so that all your eligible shopping will benefit South Joplin Christian Church Outreach.

**Thank you for your special offering to Blanket Sunday!  
We raised \$ 714.00.  
Way to Go SJCC!**

### **CROSSLINES**

The Board of Directors is seeking applicants for the Executive Director position. Please visit Crosslines Facebook page for the complete job description. Applicants may apply online. Feel free to share this information with anyone you think may be interested or meets the requirements of the position.

Crosslines will be closed on Monday, September 4 in observance of Labor Day.

If you are not a volunteer but wish to join the SJCC Team contact Tom Fortson or Pastor Kathryn. If you want to volunteer other than on our team contact Crosslines directly at 782-8384.

**You are always welcome to join our Crosslines Volunteer Team on the fourth Thursday of each month, 9:45 am to 2:00 pm. If you can't work the entire shift, no worries, that's not a problem. Our next work day is September 28.**

*Our Crosslines Challenge for September is 75 cans of ravioli or canned pasta with meat also in need of pots and pans; kitchen and bath towels; beef stew; assorted cereal; mustard and spices.*

Visit their website and view the new video highlighting the ministry - <https://www.crosslinesjoplin.org/>

# Classes

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Sunday mornings at 9:30

**Sept. 3:** DVD presentation of GMP Rev. Teresa Hord Owen's sermon to the General Assembly

**Sept. 10 - Nov. 12:** Study and discussion of *If the Church Were Christian: Rediscovering the Values of Jesus*, by Philip Gulley.

**Sept 10:** Jesus would be a Model for Living Rather Than an Object of Worship

**Sept. 17:** Affirming Our Potential Would Be More Important Than Condemning Our Brokenness

**Sept. 24:** Reconciliation Would Be Valued over Judgment

*Please join us for thought-provoking discussion and faith formation.*

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

Each Sunday morning from 9:30 a.m. - 10:20 a.m., we work to encourage our young people in their walk of faith. "*Where It's At*" is for kids 3 yrs. old to 4<sup>th</sup> grade with exploration, story-time, and music. The kids and leaders meet on the 3rd floor.

There is a more in-depth class for grades 5 - 12. The youth in grades 5 - 12 meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor in the Youth Room.

## GREEN TEAM UPDATE

The first of two bike racks has been installed on 19<sup>th</sup> St. (north side of the church), just in time for Zero Emissions Day (Sept 21) and World Car-Free Day (Sept 22)! Enjoy the Fall weather with a ride to the church and back, thanking God for clean air and healthy bodies.

## CELEBRATIONS

August 13 was a day of great celebration and encouragement for our church as we rejoiced in the Christian baptism of Laney Reaves, the welcome of second graders Taylor Reaves and Addilyn Jorgensen from Worship and Wonder to adult worship, and trained Taylor and Addilyn, along with Reese Prater and Evie Carrol as acolytes. We are blessed to have the privilege of walking with these young people along their faith journey, and thank their families for trusting us with their faith formation.

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**We also celebrate the joy of welcoming Dennis and Chad Peterson-Sloan into membership on August 20, and rejoice that their faith journey has brought them to SJCC. Welcome, Dennis and Chad!**

# Groups



## DINNERS FOR EIGHT SMALL GROUPS FORMING

Since we have some new faces at SJCC, it's a good time to revisit the idea of intentional small group ministries. We would like to offer short-term small groups or Dinners for Eight (four couples or a mixture of eight individuals) who gather at least four times over a meal or refreshments to become better acquainted. Meals may be in homes or at restaurants with a designated host, and groups are formed with an intentional mix of long-timers and new-comers. Please respond to Pastor Colleen or to the church office by September 17 if you are interested in participating.

## SJCC Book Club

We will again be meeting Sept. 7 at 7 p.m. (and each Thursday) in the Coyne home at 3831 S. Norman Drive in Joplin. The group is open to anyone with an open mind!

## YOUTH NEWS

At a meeting with youth and parents on August 20, a consensus was reached to extend an invitation to youth in 4<sup>th</sup> grade to join the group, and to limit our meetings to once per month on either a Friday evening or Saturday. We will spend time at each event discussing relevant topics as well as building fellowship and considering avenues of service or outreach. Although we neglected to discuss the implications for 4<sup>th</sup> graders who are currently included in the 3yrs-4<sup>th</sup> grade Sunday School class, we are choosing not to disrupt the Sunday morning schedule while we explore this plan. So the invitation is only for youth group activities at this time. The event for September will be on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. at the church. Pastor Kathryn will be leading activities and discussion on anti-racism similar to one she conducted at the regional youth gathering this summer. Youth are welcome to invite friends, and to bring a light snack or beverage to share. Annual permission forms will be available and should be returned as soon as possible. Please speak to either one of our pastors for questions, or to offer your assistance.

**Green Tip:** Burning one gallon of gas creates 20 lbs. of carbon dioxide. The average car emits 6 tons of carbon dioxide every year. Biking or walking to work will make the planet healthier. It will make you healthier, as well.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## APPLE PIE MAKING DAYS

CWF is getting ready for our annual apple pie making fund raiser. We will make pie crust Saturday, Sept. at 1 pm. The real fun starts Tuesday Sept. 12 at 9 a.m. We need 2 apple peelers, 2 or 3 trimmers, someone to measure the apples, someone to mix spices, 2 or 3 to assemble pies, and someone to tally the number of pies and place them in freezers. That's the bare minimum that we need - a few more helpers always makes it easier. We bring our lunches and finish by about 2 pm. Our goal is 75 pies per day. If you enjoy Christian fellowship, come help us. Anyone who wants to help is welcome, whether you are a CWF member or not. Pie making days are Sept. 12/13 and Sept. 19/20.

## LIGHT A CANDLE FOR CHILDREN

September 10 is the start of the annual Light a Candle for Children prayer vigil which precedes the Observance of Children's Sabbath with forty days of prayer culminating on October 15. Our Worship Committee will have materials in the narthex for families and individuals who are willing to participate.

MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON will be Sunday, September 17 at noon in Fellowship Hall. All attending are asked to bring a dish to share according the first letter of your last name:

Main Dish A-F Dessert G-R  
Side S-Z

## Movie in the Park

### Thank You – a "Gazillion Times"

The Outreach Committee would like to thank everyone for supporting our 2017 Summer Movie in the Park Series. Through this neighborhood outreach activity we were able to meet new friends, get acquainted with our neighbors and enjoyed fellowship one with another. See you next summer same time, same place, new movies.

## VBS Thanks

To all the members who provided food, funds, and materials for the VBS blessing bags: Thank you so much! Your generosity made VBS successful. The children enjoyed their Bible stories, music, mission lessons, games, crafts, field trips, snacks and food, and had fun assembling the blessing bags. They had an opportunity to learn about others' needs, and then were able to know they were serving those needs.

Thank you, *Faith Formation*



# Other Important Stuff



## CHURCH STATISTICAL INFORMATION

(General Operating Budget July 1-31)

Anticipated Income: \$16,662.06

**Actual Income:** \$13,762.00

**Actual Expense:** \$14,489.48

You can give online at [www.southjoplindisciples.org](http://www.southjoplindisciples.org)

Your commitments can also be mailed. Thank you!

### Attendance

July 30: 82 Aug 6: 74 Aug 13: 121 Aug 20:114

## REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE

9:30 a.m. Sunday School (age 3 – adult)

10:25 a.m. Fellowship time for everyone

10:45 a.m. Children Worship & Wonder  
(ages 3 ½ yrs - 1<sup>st</sup> grade)

10:45 a.m. Worship (*clipboards are available for kids 2<sup>nd</sup> grade/up in the sanctuary with the adults*)

*Nursery available from 9:30 a.m. - Noon for those too young to participate in other ministries.*

## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE AUGUST BOARD MEETING

**Treasurer:** noted income did not cover expenses; informed Board of borrowing money from Salary Reserve to cover payroll; plans to run corrected financial records for January - July 2017 with hard copy filed in Church office; motion carried to close Capital Campaign fund and transfer \$180.00 balance in to General Fund.

**Senior Minister:** noted appreciation of Pastor Kathryn and church secretary for role in working with public; pleased with great job done on VBS on a shoestring budget. She also thanked ladies at CWF for contributing food; ordered 3 books for the Library ("Food and Faith: A Theology of Eating", "Journey Toward Wholeness: A History of Black Disciples of Christ in the Mission of the Christian Church, Vol. 1", and "Restoring Dignity, Nourishing Hope: Developing Mutuality in Mission").

**Minister of Mission and Outreach:** identified three main areas of Sabbatical focus as spiritual health, personal health, and exploration of mission and service in the church; felt VBS mission component very successful; said General Assembly experience was fantastic; attended/completed courses in Justice Track and attended National Convocation Banquet; acknowledged appreciation for commitment SJCC team made to Crosslines; co-led a Pro-Reconciliation/Anti-Racism workshop at CRY Festival (Drury College); offered thanks to all who participated in Emancipation Park Days Celebration.

**CWF:** praised Karen Kemp for challenging group with study from "Half Truths" which distinguishes common sayings from biblical text.

**Elders:** noted they meet each Sunday morning to discuss prayer concerns, church business, and to continue their book study.

**Outreach Financial:** presented 2017 Mission Trip financial report showing income at \$4,318.48 and expenses of \$4,081.90 - balance of \$236.58 will remain in Mission Fund account to be used on future mission trips.

**Hospitality:** Reminded all Wednesday Fellowship Meal to begin on Sept. 6; presented financial report of income/expenses of meals from Aug. 24, 2016 - May 31, 2017, noting balance of \$???? to begin dinners in September; raised discussion regarding Sunday morning Fellowship time snacks and asked how snacks should be promoted/donated as it is part of "welcoming".

**Youth:** informed Board Spenser Cullumber no longer able to act as Youth sponsor due to upcoming birth of his twins; group seeking adult volunteers (both male and female) to act as sponsors.

**As an aside:** thanks to Ellen Traver for hard work, time, and effort put in to finding donated items of value and selling items on Ebay for Crosslines.

**Property:** motion carried to purchase new refrigerator (cost \$3,195) to be paid with \$2,170 out of Equipment fund + \$1,025 from donations received.

Full copy of financials/minutes available in church office.

## WE LIFT THESE UP IN PRAYER

**Global Ministry Focus (Partner):** Japan (Martha Mensendiek), Ecuador (Olga Yan Parado), Guatemala (Ricardo Mayol)

**Celebration:** Laney Reaves, Chris & Kali Bridges

**Sympathy:** Marianne Hess, Jean Poindexter, Kimberly Fatorrini, Heather Heyer, Shannon Smith, Tommy Robinson

**All Others:** Gerry Bagby, Rev. Don Baird, David & Linda Barnett, Shahida Birkhead, Chico & Nancy Bond, Chuck Brittain, Ellen Broglio, Charlottesville, Betty Coan, Carly Coats, Kristen Cole, Henry Coursey, Michael Crofford, Norma Cunningham, Dorothy Cutliff, Dan Day, Alma Dent, Amber Dial, Amy Stiles Duell, Carolyn Fortson, Marea Gagle, Mary Gilmore, Harry Guinn, Elizabeth Hayes, Warren Hayes, Marianne Hess, Jewell Holland, Jim Holland, Alice Hughlett, Daryl Hughlett, McKenna Humphries, Sharonette Jamason, Bethany James, Fern Jensen, Karen Kemp, Bill Kilgore, Jean King, Virginia Knight, Shirley Lamb, Christian Lindsey, Tom Meadows, Wilton & Betty McKelvey, Ken Miles, Missionary families (Huff, Reaves, Wilson), Easton Murdock, Reuben Murphy, Marge Murray, Nicodemus Family, Molly Nicodemus, People of Mosul and Syria, Jeff Peterson, Jessica Plott, Josh Robb, James Roof, Martin Rooney, Michael Rooney, Dana Sanders, SJCC Ministries, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Austin Stauffer, Lanny Stiles II, Ferne Traver, Roger Traver, Martha Tucker, Gary Wald, Joyce Wall, Karen Watson, Will Wilkerson, Nick Williams, Charles Wilson, Birdie Woods, Lorenzo Woods, Glenn & Mary Lou York, those who suffer in silence, and all unspoken requests.



## SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 12 Roger & Ellen Traver
- 14 Donna Fuller & Shirley Martin
- 24 Sean & Kathy Nicodemus
- 25 Mike & Judy Schneider

## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

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|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 3 Tom Wheeler   | 9 Marea Gagle     | 16 Benjamin Cullumber | 20 Tom Meadows         |
| 4 Virginia Long | 12 Raymond Reaves | 18 Tammy Cupp         | 22 Rocky Eckhardt      |
| 8 Kristen Cole  | 14 Mary Lou York  | 18 Susie Moser        | 22 Kaybree Strausbaugh |
|                 |                   |                       | 22 Ellen Traver        |

**Regular Sunday Schedule**

\* Denotes Nursery Available

- 8:00 am Elders
- 9:00 am Praise Team Practice
- 9:30 am \*Sunday School
- 10:25 am \*Fellowship
- 10:45 am \*Worship
- 10:45 am Children Worship & Wonder

# SEPTEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<b>1</b> Office Closed World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation  Rev. Colleen + Secretary Vacation Day	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b> Pastor Colleen on vacation Regular Sunday Schedule	<b>4</b> Labor Day Office Closed	<b>5</b>  6:30 pm Committees	<b>6</b> 9:30 am CWF Gen and Spiritual Life  5:30 pm Dinner 6:30 pm Choir Practice 7:30 pm Praise Practice	<b>7</b> 11:30 am Clergy Cluster in Clever  6:30 pm Boy Scouts 7:00 pm Book Club	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 10:00 am Interfaith Panel at United Hebrew Congregation, 702 S Sergeant 1:00 p.m. Pie Crust Making
<b>10</b> Regular Sunday Schedule	<b>11</b> 1:00 pm Staff meeting	<b>12</b> Office Opens 2 pm 9:00 am Pie Making  6:30 pm Board	<b>13</b> 9:00 am Pie Making 10:00 am Prayer Partners  5:30 pm Dinner 6:30 pm Choir Practice 7:30 pm Praise Practice	<b>14</b>  6:30 pm Boy Scouts 7:00 pm Book Club	<b>15</b>  6:30 pm Youth Group Grades 4-12	<b>16</b> Fellowship Hall in use (Thiel/Umpfenour)
<b>17</b> Regular Sunday Schedule 12 noon Fellowship Meal	<b>18</b> 1:00 pm Staff meeting	<b>19</b> 9:00 am Pie Making  6:30 pm Green Teem	<b>20</b> 9:00 am Pie Making 10:00 am Prayer Partners  5:30 pm Dinner 6:30 pm Choir Practice 7:30 pm Praise Practice	<b>21</b> 9:45 am Crosslines  6:30 pm Boy Scouts 7:00 pm Book Club	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b> Pastor Kathryn out of office Regular Sunday Schedule Reconciliation Offering	<b>25</b> Pastor Kathryn out of office	<b>26</b>  6:30 pm PRC Colleen 6:30 pm PRC Kathryn	<b>27</b> 10:00 am Prayer Partners  5:30 pm Dinner 6:30 pm Choir Practice 7:30 pm Praise Practice	<b>28</b>  6:30 pm Boy Scouts 7:00 pm Book Club	<b>29</b> Yom Kippur begins at sundown	<b>30</b> Yom Kippur ends at sundown

**“WHERE IT’S AT!” SUNDAY SCHOOL (3 YRS - GRADE 4)**

Sept 3: Rocky Eckhardt/Karen Kemp  
 Sept 10: Leanna Carrol/Jessica Faucett  
 Sept 17: Karen Kemp/Sandy Meadows  
 Sept 24: Jessica Faucett/KC Brockman

**SOUND BOARD/PROJECTION**

Sept 3: Darryl Coit/Sandy Meadows  
 Sept 10: Raymond Reaves/Judy Schneider  
 Sept 17: Ken Moser/Jennifer Reaves  
 Sept 24: Darryl Coit/Sandy Meadows

**PRAISE TEAM**

Sept 3: Kenton Foster, Lisa Wilcox, Betsy Wheeler  
 Sept 10: Rocky Eckhardt, Judy Akeman, Betsy Wheeler  
 Sept 17: Kenton Foster, Lisa Wilcox, Rocky Eckhardt  
 Sept 24: Kenton Foster, Judy Akeman, Betsy Wheeler

**INPUT OPERATOR**

Sept 3: Kenton Foster  
 Sept 10: Laurinda Whitehead  
 Sept 17: Kenton Foster  
 Sept 24: Laurinda Whitehead

**COMMUNION AT THE TABLE**

Sept 3: Donna Fuller, George Gagle, Patt Hinds, Susan Wolfenbarger  
 Sept 10: Sarah Coyne, Don Smith, Carolyn Thiel, Emma Eckhardt  
 Sept 17: Julia Foster, Tom Hamm, Shirley Martin, Jeanie Morrison  
 Sept 24: Kenton Foster, Sue Sterrett, Lisa Wilcox, Rachel Eckhardt

**COMMUNION PREPARATION**

Sept 3: Shirley Martin  
 Sept 10: Sue Sterrett  
 Sept 17: Donna Fuller  
 Sept 24: KC Brockman

**HOMEBOUND**

Sept 3: Margie Fitterling/Susan Wolfenbarger  
 Sept 10: Betsy Wheeler/Sherry Crumbliss  
 Sept 17: Mike Fitterling/Patt Hinds  
 Sept 24: Darlene Coit/Tom Hamm

**ELDER IN WORSHIP**

Sept 3: Betsy Wheeler  
 Sept 10: Tom Wheeler  
 Sept 17: Darlene Coit  
 Sept 24: Mike Fitterling

**CHILDREN WORSHIP & WONDER**

Sept 3: Jessica Faucett/Cathy Gray  
 Sept 10: Sarah Coyne/Judy Schneider  
 Sept 17: KC Brockman/Leanna Carrol  
 Sept 24: Jessica Faucett/Rachel Eckhardt

**ACOLYTE/ALTERNATE**

Sept 3: Addilyn Jorgensen/Taylor Reaves  
 Sept 10: Taylor Reaves/Lauren Coyne  
 Sept 17: Lauren Coyne/Reese Prater  
 Sept 24: Reese Prater/Mia Coyne