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Sundays and Beyond

October 2021 East Koshkonong Lutheran Church ELCA

Dear Friends in Christ:

Rally Sunday was an exciting day for our church. Our Sunday School and Confirmation Programs are up and running. We heard from our Sunday School adults about the program this year. We also had an opportunity to hear from our youth who, with support from EKLC, went to Bible Camp this year. We heard an invitation to our High School Youth to the National Youth Gathering in Mpls next summer. And we held up the work of our quilters and blessed the work of their hands as they prepared to send the quilts and kits to Lutheran World Relief.

The work and life of the church continues even though we are still struggling with COVID. Because of vaccine hesitancy, we have not been able to stop the spread of this vicious disease and we are back to wearing masks in indoor spaces. We had so hoped that this fall we could really think about getting small groups of our adults together to study and reflect. I know that there is interest in Adult Bible Study. But with distancing, wearing masks, and not being able to share a meal or even a cup of coffee, that just is not able to happen. Your safety and ours, comes first.

But if 2020 taught us anything, it is that the church will find a way to share the Word of God! It might not be what we would prefer or be familiar with, but we will figure out a way.

So, in this newsletter we are introducing a 4 part Bible Study/Faith Five Experience. We are going to use the wonderful material that the Confirmation Program has used



at EKLC for a number of years now. It is from Faith Inkubators out of Stillwater, MN. Faith Inkubators has, as its goal, to help children, families and adults grow in their faith. They use a tool called the Faith Five: 1. Sharing Highs and Lows 2. Reading a Bible verse or passage 3. Discussing how that Bible passage speaks to our highs and lows 4. Praying for each other and our world 5. Blessing each other.

The Confirmation students will be studying the Old Testament this year. So that is where we will begin. Each of the 4 Bible Study's will focus on a chapter of the material and will include the Faith Five.

We invite you to do this Bible Study/Faith Five with your families, with a friend, over the phone, or in person. If we have interest, we can even talk about a Zoom Bible Study/Faith Five experience.

Join with our confirmands and take part in growing in your faith and your knowledge of the Bible! Check out the Bible Study in the Newsletter!

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Linda

September at EKLC







EKLC hosted the September Cambridge Community Café . Thank you to all who helped plan and serve Thursday, September 2nd at Lake Ripley Park!











Worship Sunday, Sept. 12th was full of exciting things! Rally Sunday for Sunday School, dedication of the Pray Ground and a special blessing of LWR quilts & kits!

October Council Meeting: Tuesday, October 19th at 6:15pm

2021 COUNCIL

PRESIDENT: Kristen Lien

VICE-PRESIDENT: Tom Locchetta **SECRETARY:** Jason Schlieckau **TREASURER:** Kimberly Timler

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Jaime Lewellin Oren Hammes Nathan Stach

Treasurer's Report

August 2021 Income - \$ 20,634.51 August 2021 Expense - \$ 9,581.46 August 2020 Income - \$ 23,165.37 August 2020 Expense - \$ 17,801.89 YTD 2021 Income - \$ 151,887.65 YTD 2021 Expense - \$ 116,417.84 YTD 2020 Income - \$ 174,542.83 YTD 2020 Expense - \$ 169,938.69





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you for your generous offering in this way! Online giving directions:

With all of these options, you may set up recurring donations or make a one-time donation.

Option 1: Go to <u>www.eastkoshkonong.org</u> and click on Donate. Create a profile through this secure website, if you haven't already, and complete the form on the website.

Option 2: Scan this QR code with your smartphone. Create a profile through this secure website, if you haven't already, and complete the form on the website.

Option 3: Download the GivePlus app on your smartphone for either Android or iOS. If needed, create an account with your email address. Sign into your account and search for "East Koshkonong Lutheran Church." Select the plus "+" sign and complete the form.

If you don't have online access for this giving option, you are welcome to fill out a form from the church office: 608-423-3017 or eastkoshkononglutheranchurch@gmail.com OFFERINGS ARE AL-SO ALWAYS APPRECIATED BY MAILING TO: EAST KOSHKONONG LUTHERAN CHURCH **454 EAST CHURCH ROAD** CAMBRIDGE, WI 53523

President's Message

This month's entry is a vacation edition, light on content. See you in October!

Looking back:

- Our Community Café was a great success. Special thanks to Brenda Schroeder for organizing, the Veeley Family for cooking the pork, all those who supplied food/money, and those that worked. This is a great way for East to help out the larger community
- What a great turnout for Rally Sunday! Parents and kids enjoyed all of the work that our Sunday School leaders put into the day.
- The build a bouquet fund raiser sold out! Thanks to all of those who participated.
- Our second outdoor service of the year was on 9/26. Thanks for all of those who helped with organizing, setup, take down, and participating in special music.
- Thanks to Nathan and Bobbie Stach for working on the flower beds in front of the Upper Church. They make our grounds look great!
- In the last year we've received several generous donations to our investment fund. Thanks to those families whose funds will help grow our congregation in the future.

Looking ahead:

Our synod continues to look for pastoral candidates for us. While we wait for candidates, please participate in listening sessions, surveys, and conversations about who we are as a congregation and the kind of pastor who should help guide us.

October Congregational Challenge

Matthew 7:7 "Ask and it will be given to you. Seek, and you will find. Knock, and it will be open to you"

I'm no biblical scholar, but this verse speaks to me right now. I think it is about how we need to be active participant in our faith and our lives with God. The more we do, the more we have returned to us. We cannot sit back and just hope something good happens.

In our time between called pastors, it is easy for us to sit back. To wait to make decisions, wait to take steps forward, wait to start new initiatives. Instead God calls us to continue to act. To move forward together as a congregation.

We need ideas for how we can grow in this interim period. What doors should we knock on? What help should we provide for our neighbors? What initiatives should we start?

Looking forward to hearing your ideas. Send them to me or Julie.

Stay well. Kristen

August 17th, 2021 EKLC Council Meeting Minutes

Meeting was called to order at 6:15 pm. Those in attendance were Kristen Lien, Jaime Lewellin, Oren Hammes, Kim Timler, Nathan Stach, Linda and Loren Schumacher and Jason Schlieckau.

Devotions- Oren: Paul's letter to Corinthians, Chapter 13 Financial updates, Profit/Loss statement, Money Market account, Memorials.

No additional memorials in July but there will be some coming in this month.

Camp scholarships were paid from Christianson fund. Edward Jones fund back to \$900, which is the normal

July profit loss- general offering on target and the same as last year but down from 2019. Expenses down too. Net income in negative for this month. There was a large amount in snow removal but this was due to all hours turned in at once.

Aug to this point is a little behind on giving. We are at 13,006 and this time last year was 15,617.

PPE loan- no forgiveness info yet. Still waiting.

Envelope box ordering will be reduced slowly. Continue to push Vanco as this will slowly reduce envelopes as a result. The replies Julie gets from the survey will be taken off the list of envelopes, and Julie will order the balance.

Motion to approve financial reports made by Oren, seconded by Jamie, passed.

Review of Minutes from July meeting.

Motion to approve Minutes made by Jason, seconded by Oren, passed.

Christine Anderson web site developer topic --Kristen signed her contract. Month to month fee is \$150/month.

Education Committee Minutes discussion:

Kristen's help wanted post this month will be focused on an adult education position.

Sunday school teachers indicated that they'd like to have a parent help out on and off with Sunday school.

Worship Committee discussion:

Per Vicki, no choir going forward, but leave line item in budget since we hope to have a choir again. Outdoor service scheduled for Sept 26th.

Comments about no coffee hour. Why do some people get to use the fellowship hall and others not? This will be discussed later in the meeting.

Personnel Committee Discussion:

Chris and Jaime did an exit interview with Debbie. The recommendation is that we repost the position soon. Pastor's report:

Confirmation teachings discussion, and how the kids will be split amongst the pastors.

There are currently no kids showing interest in the youth gathering trip.

Call committee and survey discussion. Discussed the continuing role of the Call committee throughout the call process. Looking to have this committee meet more frequently and continuously review the church profile.

A motion made by Jaime to approve reports and seconded by

Kim, accepted and passed.

Old Business

Thank you topic discussion. Considering doing a monthly "unsung hero" instead of sending multiple thank you cards. The unsung hero would focus on one member per month and the contributions they make to the congregation and church. They would be recognized with an article in the monthly newsletter.

In-person worship topic discussion:

Mask mandate in effect for 8/19/21. Kristen to send updates to Julie for new mandates. Discussion on opening the basement for coffee hour. If we are going to continue to follow the science and try and protect our congregation, then we need to continue to hold off on coffee hour. Nothing is scheduled after this Saturday for use of space. Now that masks are required again, Jaime has signs made and will forward to Julie. Only open spaces to be bathrooms, starting Sunday, unless previously approved.

Office phone discussion:

We will proceed with the Ooma phone solution. We will be able to test this solution side by side with existing Frontier service for a month to assure call quality. When we are happy with the new service we will cancel most of the frontier service, leaving only the dedicated elevator line, which is required by law.

New Business

It was requested that the June Ramberg memorial be applied to Undesignated Memorials or WELCA funds, and not the general fund.

Wedding and funeral liaison topic discussed. This is a position that serves as a liaison between couple/family and church. The position is paid by the family, but is not a paid position. Duties might include getting meals ready, setting up picture boards, making sure candles are lit, doing walkthroughs with the family, answering any questions and opening up/locking up the church after events. Payment is usually \$100 to \$150 per event.

GODS WORK OUR HANDS:

Not enough time to start anything this year, but examples like the upcoming outdoor service is representative that the church is alive and functioning, even in these times of COVID. Erica also has a couple of nice service projects planned such as fundraiser of selling flower bouquets. Brenda is planning and coordinating Community Café. Money should come from Undesignated Memorials if needed. Consider doing a separate Zoom Council meeting for the Constitution updates.

Recommendation from Personnel Committee came in during this Council meeting, that we post the position for Youth Director as soon as possible. Per the committee, they are working to update the job description and we will post as soon as the description is revised and completed.

Confirm next meeting: September 22, 6:15 PM (Devotions – Nathan)

Adjourn at 7:56PM - Motion made by Jaime, seconded by Oren.

Close with Lord's Prayer Submitted by Jason Schlieckau



Koats for Kids is a program to collect and provide warm coats for families in our area. This year, CART is a drop off center for coat donations. Between September 14 and October 10, people in our community can drop off donations to Koats for Kids. The CART office will definitely be open on Mondays 11am-3pm and Wednesdays 1-5pm. The address is: 223 Jefferson Street Suite #1 Cambridge, Wi 53523.

·WANTED·

VOLUNTEER



ADULT EDUCATION COORDINATOR

'Grow and learn how to be a disciple of Jesus and share Christ's love' is part of our mission statement. Our adult education coordinator would work with the pastors to create opportunities for adult members to learn more about their faith and the church. From bible studies and book clubs to video watching during coffee hour anything is really possible. We are looking for a person to be a caretaker of our growth as a congregation in this area.

If you are interested, contact Julie in the office.



News from the church basement....

Thank you to Joy Circle for providing help in September, and to Light Circle for October. Our next Pin and Sew will be on Thursday, October 7, at 8 AM. Again, we will have our business meeting over coffee at mid morning. This usually happens at 9:30. Please plan on having a representative from your circle attend as we will be planning the 2022 Women of the ELCA Handbook for EKLC. Perhaps sometime soon we will be able to resume our lunches together.

We have been busy this year, when the rules allowed! building, tying and sewing quilts, and putting kits together to send to Lutheran World Relief. At this point the exact number of quilts finished is not known to me, but hopefully will come in around the 80 mark. We packed 136 school kits and 16 personal care kits. Thanks to the confirmation class for helping get the boxes packed, weighed, and labeled for shipping, and to Heidi for delivering them to the rail yard. We have already begun working on the next generation of quilts! Thanks, also to those who gave money to help pay for the shipping.

Thank you to our loyal Meals on Wheels deliverers. Some of you were relieved of duties this time because of a Covid problem at the restaurant. Thank you for your willingness to serve our community in this way. Our next delivery time is weekdays, from December 6 through 17.

Enjoy the autumn weather.

God Bless you.

Communicator Carolyn

Sunday School

Sunday School will be in person all year and will abide by the mask mandates that are in place.

We will try to do as much outside as possible.





Some sneak peeks into the 2021-22 Sunday School Classes!

Education Committee Dates

Tuesday, October 12, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 9, at 7:00 p.m.

WE ARE HIRING!

Director, Youth & Family

This is a paid, staff position



EKLC is seeking a Director, Youth & Family to engage and expand our ministry of the youth and of our church and community. We are seeking someone with a passion to see youth introduced to and flourish in a loving relationship with Jesus Christ. EKLC is committed to meeting the needs of youth in every capacity and endeavoring to promote biblical prosperity. Our desire is to continue to see it become a place where youth and adults alike come to "Gather, Grow, Be Glad, and Go with Grace."

Do you know the perfect person? If so, please contact Jaime Lewellin at 608.206.4323 or jaimelewellin@yahoo.com for more information.



Totals from packing Sept. 15th for the Women of the ELCA of EKLC (with the help of the confirmation class) was: Quilts 126, school kits 126, personal care kits 16, sewing kits 3.

The ELCA Youth Gathering is just a year away! Want to go and have an inspiring experience?

What is it? The Gathering is a 4-day inspiring faith formation event where 35,000 Lutheran high schoolers from all over the country come together to learn, interact, worship, have fun, and serve together.

Where is it? This time, the Gathering will be held in Minneapolis. Our Synod will transport us to Minneapolis and within Minneapolis/St. Paul by charter bus.

Who can go? Youth who are currently going into 8th – 12th grades.

Cost: About \$1200 per person. That sounds like A LOT, I know. But we hope to fundraise most, if not all that cost. We're asking each youth to contribute \$100 as a deposit.

Some Specifics: We'll be gone from Saturday, July 23- Thursday, July 28.

We'll be housed in Twin Cities area hotels with churches from our synod.

Each day will be a different focus. There will be a Service Learning Day, an Interactive Learning Day, and a Synod Day. Each evening will be a Mass Gathering at the US Bank Stadium, where we'll learn, worship, and hear incredible speakers and musicians from all over the world. It's an incredible experience, and a whole lot of fun.



"I want you to know all about Christ's love, although it is too wonderful to be measured. Then your lives will be filled with all that God is." Ephesians 3:19

Introductory Information

Dates:

Saturday, July 23 (bus to Minneapolis) – Thursday, July 28, 2022. Gathering begins the evening of July 24.

What will we be doing?

Meeting and getting to know youth from our church, our synod, and all over the country.

Service Learning Day – a day of doing a service project or learning about important issues in the Minneapolis area.

Synod Day – Gathering with all the youth in our synod for conversations, activities, music, and worship together.

Interactive Learning Day – A day spent in a conference center with dozens of exhibits, games, activities, and meaningful opportunities like donating blood and donating hair, putting together personal care kits, helping to build a Habitat house, etc.

Mass Gatherings – Each day will end with speakers and worship with 35,000 people in a sports arena. One of the most meaningful experiences of the Gathering.

Transportation and Housing:

We will travel to Minneapolis by charter bus, which will also be our bus within Minneapolis during the week. We'll be going with other congregations in our area. We'll also do a lot of walking. $\ \square$

Our group will be housed in a hotel in the Twin Cities with the other churches in our synod. (We'll find out where in January) Youth will be assigned rooms and will likely have 3-4 kids in each room.

Food:

For breakfast, we'll likely buy food so we can eat in our hotel rooms each morning. Some of our meals will be provided by the Gathering. For other meals, we'll find restaurants and/or eat from food trucks in the area.

Adult Leaders:

Pastor Jennifer Jelinek and Pastor Brenda Lovick will be leading our group. Depending on our numbers, we may need an additional leader.

Expectations:

All youth will attend monthly meetings to help prepare for the gathering. Youth who want help paying for the trip will participate in fundraising.

All youth will sign a behavioral covenant for the Gathering, which includes respecting leaders, youth, staff, and the facilities at the Gathering, caring for one another, refraining from sexual activity and use of tobacco, alcohol, or drugs. Violation of this covenant will result in the youth being sent home at their own expense.

Cost

About \$1200 per person, which includes the Gathering, hotel, transportation, food, and Gathering T-shirt. We're asking each student to pay \$100 to secure their spot. Families may pay the whole amount, but we'll do major fundraising to try and earn the rest.

Fundraising Ideas:

Touch-a-Truck Concessions – Sept. 11 10:00 a.m.- Noon Envelope wall Bake Sales Bingo Night, raffles, raffle baskets Dinners

Registration:

Registration and non-refundable \$100 deposit are due by October 1, 2021

More Information:

ELCA Website: elca.org/Gathering Facebook: fb.com/YouthGathering Instagram: @elcagathering Twitter: @elcagathering Snapchat: @elcagathering

CONTACT CHURCH OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY INTEREST! 608-423-3017

<u>John&AmyLindström</u>



REGROUP

fter many months, we are "regrouping" in order to get back to full-blown workshops. The awesome Lae Center staff designed and built this sturdy structure (shown on the front) which can accommodate all seven Huon Gulf teams outdoors in rain or shine! We are excited to use it during the translation workshop this month followed by a vernacular music workshop where worship leaders from the Huon Gulf groups will compose and record worship songs in their own languages.

REFINE

s the Malei team prepares for the consultant check of Psalms 73-150, they continue refining the Malei text. These "tweaks" show that the team is increasingly comfortable with departing from trade language grammar in order to make the text sound like true Malei! This is an advanced translation skill and we are thrilled to see evidence of it in their work!

Psalm 122:4 (before)

Ôdôn sapên atu ba Wapômbên anên avômalô All the groups who are Great Generous One's people êlêm lon êntêk come to this place

ek nênêm athên bên êndên Wapômbên in order to give big name to Great Generous One êtôm abô majan atu ba according to the strong talk that

bôk hêv hadêŋ avômalô Islael. *he gave to Islael people.*

Psalm 122:4 (refined)

Ma ôdôŋ sapêŋ atu ba êlêm loŋ êntêk
All the groups who come to this place
ma Wapômbêŋ anêŋ avômalô
are Great Generous One's people
ek nênêm athêŋ bêŋ êndêŋ yani
in order to give big name to him
êtôm abô majaŋ atu ba

according to the strong talk that bôk hêv hadên avômalô Islael.

he gave to Islael people.

Praise:

- All Huon Gulf teams are healthy and are not reporting any unusual sickness in their villages.
- We continue to see God's hand in our comings and goings, keeping us from getting into situations that would be difficult to navigate given current events.
- A doctor at Ukarumpa can oversee John's cancer follow-ups and gave him another allclear in August.
- Our children all attend solid churches and are committed to following their Saviour and Lord Jesus Christ.
- Lae Center staff who joyfully work so hard to provide a peaceful and clean place where Huon Gulf teams can gather to do translation work.

REJOICE

od blessed Josiah and Leah with Eli Benjamin on August 16th! "Eli" is short for "Elisa" (Elisha), who has been leading the Malei translation team for so many years, and whom Josiah considers to be his second father. We are thankful for technology which allows us to get our "Eli" fix every few days!

Prayer:

- Translation workshop Sept 13-24
- Vernacular music workshop Sept 28-Oct 6
- Safe travel for participants and staff
- God's words to be planted deeply in participants' hearts through translation and music

Because in His name the nations will put their hope,

John and Amy







Celebration of life
for Lena Hinton
(Wilma Furseth's sister)
will be on Saturday,
October 23rd
11:00am - 3:00pm
at the
Stoughton VFW
200 Veterans Road
Stoughton, WI

YOU'RE AN EKLC HERO, HOLLY LOOMIS!

Sending a hero shout-out to Holly Loomis!

Holly's overall amazing attitude and willingness to help where ever needed keeps EKLC running smooth. She is a go-to for many people. If she can't help, she surely will find someone who can. Recently her hard work resulted in the forgiveness of our PPP loan!

When you see Holly in church or hard at work in the office, please give her a wave and a thank you!

EKLC Homebound Members

Melissa Anderson ~ Home 279 Hwy A, Cambridge, WI 53523 Irene Hensel ~ Home Again 308 England St., Cambridge, WI 53523 Bea Householder ~ Home Again 308 England St., Cambridge, WI 53523 Betty Scheel ~ Home Again 308 England St., Cambridge, WI 53523 Phyllis Vergenz ~ Our House 201 W. Madison, Cambridge, WI 53523 Gary Johnson ~ Home 1513 Raveen St., Fort Atkinson, WI 53538 Janette Klemp ~ Sage Meadow 5330 Century Ave. Room 200, Middleton, WI 53562 Lila Spike ~ Swift Haven 124 N. Henry St. Apt. #103, Edgerton, WI 53534 Joanne Gyland ~ Skaalen – Magnolia Gardens 400 North Morris St. Stoughton, WI 53589

Thank You...

- A special thank you to Franklin Lien & Dan Hensel for tree cleanup in the church cemetery. God bless you.
- Friends of East Koshkonong Lutheran, we are humbled by your support of Madison Area Jail ministry (MAJM) year after year. Through your generosity, you are part of life-changing stories. Healing, redemption & freedom. Thank you so very much. In partnership, and in Christ. ~Your MAJM Friends



Worship Helpers for October 2021

Sunday Readings ~

10/3 ~ Gen 2:18-24, Ps 8, Heb 1:1-4; 2:5-12, Mark 10:2-16 10/10 ~ Amos 5:6-7, 10-15; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31 10/17 ~ Isa 53:4-12; Ps 91:9-16; Heb 5:1-10; Mark 10:35-45 10:24 ~ Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126; Heb 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52 10/31 ~ Reformation Day: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 46; Rom 3:19-28; John 8:31-26 ~Lectionary 31: Duet 6:1-9; Ps 119:1-8; Heb 9:11-14; Mark 12:28-34

Musician ∼ (Contact Person: Judy Rusch)

10/3 ~ Trudy Spike 10/10 ~ Judy Rusch 10/17 ~ Trudy Spike 10/24~ Judy Rusch 10/31 ~ Judy Rusch

Assisting Ministers ∼ (Contact Person: Joy Graffin)

10/3 ~ Vicki Schuh 10/10 ~ Carolyn Lien 10/17 ~ Holly Loomis 10/24 ~ Gloria Fruit 10/31 ~ Vicki Schuh

Lay Readers~

(Contact Person: Julie Kriedeman) 10/3 ~ Kristen Lien 10/10 ∼ Holly Loomis 10/17 ~ Peggy Luther 10/24 ∼ Ken Rockney 10/31 ~ Trudy Spike

Acolytes ~

(Contact Persons: Students & Parents via google doc) 10/3 ~ Christian Terland, Kyle Durkee & Zach Durkee 10/10 ~ Kellan Jacobson & Riley Jacobson 10/17 ~ Cally Travis & Kaylee Lund 10/24 ~ Anna Amundson, Payton & Rylie Mancheski 10/31 ~ Shanna Schlieckau & Christian Terland

Greeters~ (Contact Person: Judy Rusch)

10/3 ~ Peggy Luther

10/10 ~ Scott & Chris Frodel

10/17 ~ Tom & Trudy Spike

10/24 ~ Bonnie Ehrke

10/31 ~ Diane Luginbuhl

Ushers~ (Contact Person: Vicki Schuh)

10/3 ~ Carroll & Bonnie Ehrke, Franklin & Beverly Lien

10/10 ~ Carolyn Lien, Jane Furseth, Peggy Luther, Carol Kenseth

10/17 ~ Hal & Vicki Schuh, Kurt & Barb Klemp

10/24 ~ Scott & Chris Frodel, Curt & Linda Hanson

10/31 ~ Don Amundson Family

Communion Set-up/Take-down~

(Contact Person: Marge Stach)

10/3 ∼ Altar Guild

10/10 ~ Altar Guild

10/17 ~ Altar Guild

10/24 ~ Altar Guild

10/31 ~ Altar Guild

Offering Counters~

(Contact Person: Joy Graffin) 10/3 ~ Jean Lehr, Eric & Cheryl Nuenthel

10/10 ~ Joy Graffin & Gloria Fruit

10/17 ~ Brenda Schroeder & Leila Carl

10/24 ~ Jean Lehr, Eric & Cheryl Nuenthel

10/31 ~ Joy Graffin & Gloria Fruit

Church Lock up~

(Contact Person: Holly Loomis)

10/3 ~ Gloria Fruit

10/10 ~ Carolyn Lien

10/17 ~ Holly Loomis

10/24 ~ Vicki Schuh

10/31 ~ Gloria Fruit

October 2021

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

In-Person and Virtual Worship Every Sunday at 9:00am with communion					1 Office Closed	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9:00am Worship 9:40am Sunday School		9:00am Staff Meeting	6pm Confirmation Class 6:30 pm Worship Committee Meeting	8am Pin & Sew 2022 Handbook planning (no lunch)	Office Closed	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
9:00am Worship 9:40am Sunday School		9:00am Staff Meeting 7:00pm Education Committee Meeting	6pm Confirmation Class		Office Closed	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
9:00am Worship 9:40am Sunday School		9:00am Staff Meeting 5:30pm Property Committee Meeting 6:15pm Church Council Meeting	6pm Confirmation Class		Office Closed	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
9:00am Worship 9:40am Sunday School		9:00am Staff Meeting	6pm Confirmation Class	9:00am Newsletter Assembly	Office Closed	
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Reformation Sunday 9:00am Worship Confirmation Sunday 9:40am Sunday School						

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EKLC In-Person Worship Guidelines Updated 8/17/2021

Effective on Aug 19, 2021, Public Health Madison & Dane County will again require all individuals aged two and older to wear a mask while in any indoor space open to the public. East Koshkonong will continue to follow and base our guidelines from Dane County directives as well as best practices from the CDC.

As of 8/19, EKLC will again require individuals to be masked while inside our buildings. We recommend that any member or guest follow CDC guidelines related to mask wearing while on church property, but outside our buildings.

Worship:

- •Some pews will continue to be blocked off to encourage social distancing
- •We will continue to live stream services on Facebook and YouTube
- •Offering will be collected in baskets in the Narthex.
- •Communion will continue be held weekly and will be distributed upon entrance to the sanctuary.
- •The sending hymn will continue to be sung at the end of worship. If you are uncomfortable with singing, you are free to leave prior to this.

Common Areas:

- •The following common areas are open to members
 - •Restrooms directly below the Narthex
- •The following common areas are currently closed:
 - Nursery
 - •As of 8/22 Kitchen and Fellowship Hall will be closed for all functions

These policies will be reviewed monthly and will be updated as needed.