




THE CIRCUIT WRITER



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Seniors' Gathering

April Senior Fellowship Wednesday, April 3rd

All seniors living in the area are welcome to attend Community Senior Fellowship on Wednesday, April 3rd at 10:00 AM. Our program will “Hansen’s Ice Cream Parlo” by Kelly Hansen, Owner.


We will follow with free bingo and prizes. Don’t forget the delicious baked goods and coffee. See you there in the Fellowship Hall at Wilmot United Methodist Church, 11425 Fox River Road, Wilmot.

Co-sponsored with Living Waters Ministries.



GAME NIGHT


Friday, April 12th
6:30 pm



We would like to invite everyone to a Game Night on Friday, April 12th 1st at 6:30 pm. Bring a game or card game you’d like to play, but be prepared to play something new! We will be providing pizza. Bring drink and snacks you would like to share. We hope you will join us for an evening of fun.


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ABC PROJECT (ANGEL’S BLANKETS FOR CHILDREN)

We are meeting on the third **Wednesday, April 17th** at 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at Wilmot UMC. If you need blankets to work on, please let us know. Any questions contact Glenna Kisner.



HELP IS NEEDED!!

The church is looking for someone or a group to volunteer to prepare the elements for communion each month. Please give this opportunity to serve the church and God some thought. If you are willing to volunteer to take on this responsibility or if you have questions regarding the job, please call Audrey Davenport at 847-702-7399 or the church office. **THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING THIS IMPORTANT JOB AT WUMC.**



Relay for Life-2024

We will have a team for Relay for Life again this year. We raise money for the American Cancer Society, which helps those diagnosed with cancer by doing research for a cure and by providing resources for cancer patients and their families.

The relay event will be held at **Wilmot High School** on **Saturday, May 18th** from **12:00 pm to 6:00 pm**. We are looking for team members and for help with our fundraising.

People can join our team at any time, even up until the event. However, if you are interested in joining the team and would like money from our team fundraisers (bake sales) applied to your fundraising total, we ask that you please let us know about being on the team by **April 15**. We will split the bake sale money amongst the team members who are on the team on April 15.

We have planned three bakes on **April 6th**, **April 20th**, and **May 4th** at Berkot Super Market starting at **9:00 am**. So, we will be looking for bakers and bake sale workers. We are open to other suggestions for fund raising.

Team captains are Laura Carnahan (dglvr848@yahoo.com) and Doris Carnahan (cell: 262-496-2268 or doriscarnahan@hotmail.com). Please let one of us know soon of your interest in being on the team or in helping with the bake sales or other fundraisers.



Book Study

I am excited to announce an amazing opportunity for church members and friends. I will be leading a Bible study every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month following our Sunday service.

We will be using a well-appointed book titled *10 Prescriptions for a Healthy Church* by Kay Kotan and Bob Farr.

We will meet for an hour, to discuss the chapter read during the two weeks prior. There are 10 chapters, so we will meet bi-weekly for 10 weeks beginning April 14th and ending August 25th. You can purchase the book online at any retailer. I suggest Amazon. Here's the link: <https://a.co/d/e2nbfJf>

If you have any questions or need any assistance with the book purchase, please contact the council chair (Rachel Hewitt), church secretary (Barb Sherman) or me directly.

Please sign up for the Bible study by writing your name and contact information in the sign-up sheet by the Church's front entrance by April 7th.

Gratefully,
Pastor Lilliannet Rosario

Operation Christmas Child (OCC)

For the **month of April**, we will be collecting jump ropes, balls, small cars, dolls, & other small toys plus washcloths, bar soap, toothbrushes, toothbrush containers, soap, and plastic soap containers. There will be a box in the church's entry way for your items.

We hope you will join us in this ministry!! If you want to check out Operation Christmas Child, here is the website: www.samaritanaspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child If you have any questions, contact Doris Carnahan.





AD COUNCIL MEETING

Ad Council met on March 3rd. Pastor has been working on pre-marital classes. She hopes to visit members when she is feeling better. Relay for Life's bake sales will be April 6, 20, and May 4 at Berkot Super Foods. The Blanket Bee will meet on the third Wednesday of the month one time during the daytime and one month in the evening and will take the summer off. They will start fundraising for Royal Family Kids (RFK). Shalom Center picked up the Shalom to Home Kits (3 bath and 2 cleaning). We need to replace a carbon monoxide detector. We also need to replace the outdoor floodlight. We need to find someone with a lift to replace the lightbulb on the post in the parking lot. We discussed Communion, we still need someone or a group to get the communion ready each month. We decided to go back to doing communion by intinction. (We will review this in April.) Wilmot UMC will be hosting the Good Friday service. The March Community Senior Fellowship will be on the Sharing Center. The March Game night had 11 people attend. We will be filing a Property Exemption report with the Village of Salem Lakes.

We discussed our church's website. We gave approval to switch the hosting and design but still need approval from Ad Council before it goes into affect on April 2nd. We reviewed the January and February treasurer's reports. Living Waters will be collecting items for the Textile drive during the year and stored at Bristol's parsonage. We discussed how to revitalized Wilmot UMC and decided on a book study on the second and fourth Sunday starting April 14 after worship for a hour. The book is "10 Prescriptions for a Healthy Church" by Bob Farr and Kay Kotan and everyone is responsible for their own book. Our next meeting will be Sunday, April 7th at 10:00 AM.



Living Waters Textile Recycling Drive will be Saturday, September 7th. We can accept textiles anytime during the year. Please bring them to church and we will get them to the storage place.



Shalom to Home Kits

Living Waters Ministry is helping Shalom Center with their Shalom to Home kits which help the homeless transition to independent living. If you don't want to shop, we will accept monetary donations; just mark the envelope "Shalom to Home" and we will do the shopping. The kits are Bathroom, Cleaning Supplies, and Kitchen. Any questions contact Rachel Hewitt or Doris Carnahan.



**Sunday,
March 10th**
**Native
American
Sunday.**



Rachel Hewitt & Michelle Walter part of Volunteer team with Royal Family Kids

Royal Family KIDS (RFK) is a non-profit organization in place to serve the abused, neglected, and abandoned children of our community. They are part of the nation's leading network of camps and mentor club's for children in foster care. If you are interested in supporting Rachel and Michelle in this project, you can make a donation to the church mark your envelope "RFK" and we will make sure they get the money for this camp which is in June.

Joys & Concerns

Concerns:

Pastor Lilliannet Rosario
Fred Rausch's sister-in-law, Barbara
Barb Hiort's brother
Rachel Hewitt's co-worker, Tess
Barb Hiort's friend, Dick
Pastor Lilliannet's brother, Demos's wife
Jim Michalek's friend's husband, Fred Taylor
Barb Hiort's friend, 17 year old Will
Terry Colby's brother's granddaughter, Indigo
Julia Lightbody's friend, Pam Larson's Uncle Charles
Healing over everyone who has been sick during the past month
Prays for those who are looking for a job or have lost a job

Joys or Gratitude:

Gordie Lightbody
Charlie Lightbody
Pastor Cheri Tuccy
Game Night
Barb Fiebelkorn
Pastor's son, Davion
Hazel & Henry O'Halleran
Bob Weber's son, Robert Jr
Birthdays: Cameron Hewitt & Pastor Lilliannet Rosario

Jim & Retta Michalek's 21st Anniversary

Keep the following families who lost loved ones during the last month in your prayers.

Calvary UCC member, Marlene Engstrom; Marj O'Halleran's brother, Harold Beaman; Marge McGrath's niece & nephew's stepfather, Greg; Terry Colby's daughter-in-law's stepmother, Glenna Udell

Continue to keep the following in your daily prayers!!

(If you have someone who needs continuing prayers please let the church office know!)

Retta & Jim Michalek; Rachel Hewitt's co-worker, Barb; Michelle Walter's cousin, Karen; Terry Colby's co-worker, Rose; Terry Colby's co-worker's 14 year old niece & family; Bob Davenport's brother, Mike; Ann Newcomb's daughter, Kelly; Doris Carnahan's brother's granddaughter, Crystal; Barb Hiort's friend, Matt; Kathy Severt's co-worker, Kathy Powell; Sandy & Mark Kerkman's daughter, Holly; Fred Rausch's friend, Arlene; Judy Betz; Terry Colby's co-worker, Deb; Kathy Severt's friend, Laurie; Kathy Severt; Alice Johnson; Roger Wolf; MaryIn Zirbel; Marj O'Halleran; Marj O'Halleran's sister-in-law, Maureen; Davenport's niece, Kristy; Doris Carnahan's nephew, Mike; Bob Weber's son, Robert Jr.



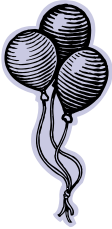
We would like to thank **Cameron Hewitt** for reading highlights of Pastor Lilliannet's message on March 10th.

Big thank you to **Barb Fiebelkorn** for preparing the communion every month along with getting the communion trays ready. We would like to thank her for her 20 years of doing this and looking for someone to take over this job. She will be doing April's communion.

We want to thank **Rachel and Cameron Hewitt** for preparing the power point presentation and streaming the worship service every Sunday. Thank you to **Michelle Walter** and **Paul McKibben** for filling in for Rachel while she wasn't feeling well.

We would like to thank **Doris and Laura Carnahan** for their musical talent of playing the organ and piano. We especially like to thank **Laura** for filling in for her mother on March 17th and 24th.

We would like to thank **Roger and Barbara Sherman** for wiring up a new floodlight for the parking lot. We appreciate you getting us light in the area.



April Birthdays/ Anniversaries

- 5 Dianet Kisner
- 12 Brianna Johnson
- 26 Barbara Fiebelkorn
- 27 Henrietta Michalek




SNOW CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENTS!

In case of inclement weather please check the following stations:

WTMJ (TV 4 & Radio 620 & 94.5 Lake FM)

WISN (TV- 12)



Remember Your Offerings

If you would like to mail in your offering:

Wilmot United Methodist Church
PO Box 218
Wilmot WI 53192



PHOTOS FOR WORSHIP

We are looking for photos of nature to incorporate into our PowerPoint worship service presentation. If you have any send them to Rachel Hewitt at queenrachel58@gmail.com or the church email or bring them to church with you.

February Treasurer's Report	
2024 Budget	63,387.00
INCOME	
Balance 2/1/2024	18,751.53
Income:	
Sunday Offering	3,737.10
Expenses:	
General Account	(5,968.03)
Transfer from other accounts	(65.00)
Balance 2/29/2024	16,455.60
Year to Date:	
Balance 1/1/2024	19,195.84
Income:	
General Account	7,976.27
Expenses:	
General Account	(10,591.51)
Transfer- Designated	(125.00)
Balance 2/28/2024	16,455.60
Please remember to mail in your offering envelope if you are out of town. We appreciate your support.	

Vanguard –Parsonage Sale & Memorials Investment:

Invested	\$111,040.86.00
Balance 2/29/2024	\$ 154,930.33

CHECK US OUT:

WEBSITE: www.wilmotumc.org

FACEBOOK: *Wilmot United Methodist Church*

WAYS YOU CAN HELP US RAISE FUNDS:

1. Purchase gift cards in denominations of \$50 or \$100 for **Woodman's Market** which is part of Living Waters Scrip program. Living Water will receive 5% profit from the cards and will pay 2 1/2% to the local church. Please contact Doris Carnahan (262-877-9876) at least a week in advance due to expiration dates and make checks out to "Living Waters".
2. **UMCMarket.org is now iGive** where you can shop at thousands of retailers you know and love, and earn cash back for your church. No Fees to your church or you. We pay out commissions from retailers to your church each month. Please sign in or sign up, select your church location, and then click through to retailers.

God's Helpers

Sunday	Liturgist	Greeters	Counter
Apr 7	Mike Wolf	Barb Fiebelkorn Fred Rausch	Barbara Sherman Mike Wolf
Apr 14	Bob Davenport	Audrey & Bob Davenport	Audrey & Bob Davenport
Apr 21	Marge McGrath	Marge McGrath Barbara Sherman	Audrey Davenport Marge McGrath
Apr 28	Paul McKibben	Paul McKibben Fred Rausch	Doris Carnahan Glenna Kisner
May 5	Barbara Sherman	Audrey & Bob Davenport	Audrey & Bob Davenport

If you are unable to serve on Sunday at your scheduled time, please try to find a substitute. If you cannot find substitute liturgists, ushers, greeters and money counters call Audrey Davenport at (847) 702-7399. Also, if you did not sign the Time & Talent Sheet, but would like to serve, call the Church Office at (262) 862-6366. Please call the Church office if substitutes are made, for proper identification of participants in the Sunday bulletin. Thank you!!

Fellowship

May 19th—



April 2024

Wilmot United Methodist Church

Sunday Worship 8:30 AM

Church: 262-862-6366

Website: www.wilmotumc.org

Email: WilmotUMC@gmail.com

Pastor Lilliannet's phone 262-725-6203

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 10:00 AM Community Senior Fellowship	4	5	6 9:00 AM Relay for Life Bake Sale at Berkort's Super Foods, Twin Lakes
7 <i>Communion</i> 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Ad Council	8	9	10	11	12 6:30 PM Game Night	13
14 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Book Study	15	16	17 7:00 PM—9:00 PM Blanket Bee at Calvary UCC	18	19 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE!!	20 9:00 AM Relay for Life Bake Sale at Berkort's Super Foods, Twin Lakes
21 <i>Native American Sunday</i> 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Adult Class	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Book Study	29	30	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> Worship is live stream on Wilmot United Methodist Church –Facebook </div>		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> Events and time subjected to change. Check the website or Facebook for updates. </div>	



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Rev. Lilliannet Rosario

Office Phone:
262-862-6366

Sunday Worship

9:00 AM

Adult Class

10:00 AM

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