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"Agree to Differ, Unite to Serve, Resolve to Love"

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FROM PASTOR BECKY ERB STRANG

I encourage you to read Luke 4:14-30: Jesus reading from scroll of the prophet Isaiah during worship in his hometown of Nazareth. At first, his hometown friends and neighbors seemed delighted by his witness among them. But their delight quickly turned to rage when Jesus went on to tell those nearest and dearest to him that God's grace is for everyone—not a select few.

Grace has a way of knocking us off our feet and causing us to take stock—for there is nothing we can do to earn God's grace, it is a gift freely given out of God's radical love and welcome for all of his children. As humans, we tend to want to draw boundaries around grace: deciding who is in and who is outside of God's embrace.

Luke 4 reminds us that we are not the ones to draw the lines. Instead, we are called to be instruments of God's grace for others rather than setting limits on who may receive that grace.

St. Paul UCC is a place of radical grace and welcome. We work hard as this particular gathered Body of Christ to reach out to the poor, the hurting, the hungry, the oppressed. We feed people at monthly Open Table Community meals. We offer gas and food cards for those in need. We have a fully stocked Blessing Pantry for those who cannot afford toiletries, cleaning supplies and food.

When I first arrived here over ten years ago, I was told that there are no poor people in New Bremen. But, when we as a congregation began to REALLY look around, we realized that there are plenty of people—our own neighbors—who are in need. And, because we love Jesus, we have sought to bring good news to the poor and hurting.

On February 9, St. Paul's Discipleship Team is hosting a Community Health and Resource Fair in the education building from 11:30am to 2:00pm. We will have a variety of health-related folk offering resources including a speaker about pain management, a dental staff, chiropractor, massage therapist, Reiki, along with free haircuts. A hearty meal will be served in the Assembly Room. We will also distribute new shoes, boots, and socks to all children—free of charge.

For the Discipleship Team, the Health and Resource Fair is another opportunity for us to reach out to our neighbors—welcoming them in, feeding their bodies and their souls.

My deepest prayer for our congregation is that we will continue to be people of radical welcome and hope. That we will not turn people away because of how they live or who they love. That we will bring good news to others who are often rejected by their closest family and friends. We have the opportunity to be the face of Jesus to those who often face condemnation and scorn. We have the opportunity to embody Christ's grace.

Quaker theologian Parker Palmer has this to say about how we are to live as Christians, as followers of Jesus: The mission of the church is not to enlarge its membership, not to bring outsiders to accept its terms, but simply to love the world in every possible way—to love the world as God did and does...If we are able to love the world, that will be the best demonstration of the truth which the church has been given.

Friends, let us be people of radical welcome and grace: for Jesus' sake.

Peace, Becky

NURSING HOME WORSHIP SERVICES

On <u>Tuesday</u>, February 4, folk from St. Paul will lead worship with Holy Communion with our friends at Elmwood. Plan to arrive by 2:15pm if you would like to assist with worship. On <u>Thursday</u>, February 6, folk from St. Paul will lead worship at Heritage Center in Minster at 10:15am. If you'd like to assist, plan to arrive in Pastor Becky's office by 9:20am.

BIBLE STUDIES IN FEBRUARY

On Thursday nights at 7:00pm and Sunday mornings at 9:00am, folk of all ages are invited to the Library for Bible studies centered upon the worship scriptures in the coming weekend's worship services. Pastors Dee and Becky will lead these classes. All are welcome!

BLESSING PANTRY: THANK YOU!

On behalf of the Discipleship Team, we offer thanks for your ongoing and generous donations to the Blessing Pantry. Your gifts are making a real difference in the lives of families and individuals in our community. Thank you!!!

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: FEBRUARY 26

Every year we mark the beginning of Lent with Ash Wednesday Worship. This year Ash Wednesday is on February 26 at 7:00pm in the sanctuary. Worship will include music, choir anthem, preaching, and imposition of ashes and the sacrament of Holy Communion. All are welcome!

COFFEE SHOP HOURS

Throughout the month of February, Pastor Becky will be at New Bremen Coffee Company from 2:00-4:00pm each Monday. Come: join in the conversation! All are welcome!

BECKY'S BOOK CLUB: FEBRUARY 23

All are invited to the parsonage at 6:00pm on Sunday, February 23 for dinner and discussion of Jennifer Richard Jacobson's <u>small as an elephant</u> — a powerful children's book dealing with loss, love and mental illness. Participants are asked to bring a side dish or salad to share. Copies of the book can be picked up at the church office. All are welcome!

THANK YOU

The Stewardship Team thanks the members and friends of St. Paul Church for your pledged and unpledged giving for 2019 and into 2020. Your gifts help shine Christ's light in our community and beyond. Thank you!



Join us for crafts and fun with your children
Saturday, March 7
9:00 - 10:30am
At St. Paul UCC New Bremen
In the Auditorium.
This is a time to Paint, decorate and be creative with your childrem!
If you have any Questions
Contact
Jen Snider (614-361-3899) Jennifer.e.snider@gmail.com Or
Pastor Dee (419-733-8760) Stpaulnbyouth@gmail.com

FROM PASTOR DEE

Looking forward through spring we have a few dates for parents and youth to keep in mind:

- Wednesday, February 12 3:00-4:30pm Splash Youth will travel to visit our friends at Elmwood.
- Wednesday, February 26 7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service Jr. / Sr. High youth and Confirmands attending.
- Saturday, March 7 9:00-10:30am Crafts and Cupcakes Event a time to paint, decorate and be creative with children and grandchildren.
- Sunday, March 29 Children's worship
- Wednesday, April 1 6:30pm Confirmation Faith Statement Dinner. Jr. and Sr. High youth will attend dinner and support their peers as they share their individual Faith Statements.
- Sunday, April 5 Palm Sunday & Rite of Confirmation All Youth and families are encouraged to support our 2020 Confirmation Class.
- Sunday, April 12 7:00-10:00am Youth Easter Breakfast Fundraiser. Will need youth and parents to help.
- Friday & Saturday, April 17 & 18 Rummage Sale Youth Fundraiser
- Wednesday, April 22 Last day of Youth programming
- Sunday, May 10 Mother's Day Children's worship
- Sunday, May 17 Last Day of Sunday School

I will continue Lay School Classes with "Old Testament II" taught by Rev. Dr. Diane Carter. Classes will be February 4, 18, March 3, 17, 31, April 21, May 5 & 19 from 6:45- 9:15pm in Tiffin.

MEETINGS

<u>The Women's Service Group</u> will meet in the Assembly Room at 1:00pm Thursday, February 13. Come and have some fun learning about how Essential Oils can benefit you and your family in the areas of health, home, emotions, and much more! With the Lenten season near, our talk will also focus on the story of Jesus and the Cross. Presentation by Leslie Krieg. Also enjoy some refreshments infused with essential oils. Members are encouraged to bring guests.

Please contact Julia Paul @ 419-629-3512 or 419-305-3064 to let her know if you will or will not attend. All are welcome, so please join us.

EL SALVADOR TRIP 2020

The 2020 El Salvador trip is planned for March 18-26. At this time, there are seven confirmed delegates. Currently, there are three to five spots available for anyone wishing to go on a trip that will be an eye-opening and rewarding event to remember your entire life.

In addition to visiting some of the missions of the Lutheran church, within this country, plans are being made to visit the Children's Hospital in San Salvador and a visit to La Palma (an artist's colony high on a volcano).

These are two destinations that have not been visited by our Mission Team in many years.

Each delegate will carry two suitcases filled with the following articles for those who are in need. There will be a box labeled, "Gifts for El Salvador" in the auditorium for this collection.

Suggested Articles for El Salvador: Good used clothing for warm climate

- Men's shirts, pants, ball caps
- Little boy's shorts or cool long pants
- Teen-age boy long shorts, jeans or long pants
- Women skirts and blouses
- Young ladies capris, light weight long pants or jeans (No shorts) Light weight jackets and sweaters for cool evenings
- School supplies
- Medical supplies band-aides, tongue blades, sterile gauze pads and sponges, surgical tape, rubber gloves, thermometers, sphygmometers, stethoscopes, medical tape. (No medications)
- Yarn, thread and sewing supplies, material, scissors, craft items, towels, good sheets.
- Soccer balls, needles and air pumps for balls, puzzles, crafts, Legos, match box or small toys for young boys
- Girls hair ribbons, items for styling hair, small dolls, beanie babies for younger children

Thank you for participating to help fill the suitcases. These are faith-filled people living under harsh conditions who do appreciate our visits and our support.

ADDRESS CHANGES/ADDITIONS

Sarah Barhorst
997 Fairfield Rd.
Troy, OH 45373
Cassie Albers
1288 E. Hoewisher Rd.
Sidney, OH 45365

FEBRUARY ALTAR FLOWERS

February 2 Open

February 9 Voress Family
February 16 Mim Donnerberg
February 23 Allen Bushman

FEBRUARY GREETERS

February 2

East: Don and Sue Kettler

North: Lowell and Betty Quellhorst South: Dan and Kathy Nedderman

February 9

East: Karla, Brianna, Zachary Wiedeman

North: Tom and Peg Brandewie

South: Dan Chamberlin

February 16

East: Molly Borkowski North: Shelly Smart South: Gary Wehmeyer

February 23

East: Jerry and Mary Lou Bambauer North: Jerry and Andrea Huber South: Dana Bornhorst and family

ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS

Chapel Hill Community, 12200 Strausser St. N.W.,

Canal Fulton, OH 44614

Jean Schroer

Elmwood Assisted Living, 711 S. Walnut, New Bremen, OH 45869

Joann Freeman Alice Hegemier Lois Moeller

Stanley Ouellhorst

Heritage Center, 24 N. Hamilton, Minster, OH 45865

Thomas Goodwin Jean Waterman Mary Ellen White

Otterbein, 11300 Yost Circle, St. Marys, OH 45885

Doris Blanke

Dan Chamberlin (11710 Kingfisher Lane)

LaRue Dicke

Miriam Donnerberg (11314 Bobwhite Lane)

Eunice Ireton

Virginia Kuenning (11807 Mallard Lane)

Dorothy Wilkens (Room 330)

Swiss Village, 1350 W. Main St., P.O. Box 284, Berne, IN 46711

Mary Lou Campbell

St. Marys Living Center, 1209 Indiana Ave., St. Marys, OH 45885

Rosie Heitkamp Annabelle Wenning

The Gardens, 505 Walnut, Wapakoneta, OH 45895

Louise Kettler (Room 222)

1140 S Knoxville Ave, Saint Marys, OH 45885

Zelta Fogt

Pastoral Care is very important! Please contact the church office when you, a family member or friend enter a hospital, or care facility, so Pastors & church family can be supportive.

Phone: 419-629-2502, Email: stpaulnb@nktelco.net

When: February 17, 2020

Who: Everyone

Where: St. Paul Assembly Room

Serving: 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Menu: Lasagna, Salads, Breadsticks & Desserts

Carry-outs Available

Free Chair Massages & Indoor Park

Prepared by: Magnified Giving



ST. PAUL UCC COUNCIL MEETING JANUARY 14, 2020

The meeting was called to order by President Jeff Quellhorst with council members including: Roland Dicke, Andrea Huber, John Mohrman, Myra Hanenkratt, Tom Brandewie, Dee Schroer, Brice Schmitmeyer, Becky Strang, Erin Topp, and Barb Holdren.

<u>Secretary's Report:</u> Tom Brandewie made a motion to accept report as written. Roland Dicke seconded motion. Motion carried.

<u>Treasurer's Report:</u> As of December 2019 the General Fund is (-\$2,974). Tom Brandewie moved to accept Treasurer's report as read. Brice Schmitmeyer seconded the motion. Motion carried.

<u>Congregational Meeting:</u> Notes were reviewed. Myra Hanenkratt made a motion to approve minutes as written. Erin Topp seconded the motion. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mission:No ReportWorship:No ReportFinance:No reportBudget:No reportAudit:No report

Discipleship: Health fair coming up in February. January community meal is a benefit for Mike

Bushman.

<u>Playground:</u> On hold until spring

<u>Art Camp:</u> Theme for this year's camp – Peace.

OTHER REPORTS

<u>Deacon's Report:</u> No report <u>Elder's Report:</u> No report

<u>Stewardship:</u> Envelopes will be mailed soon, Becky will be hand delivering nursing home bound

members.

MAINTENANCE REPORT

John Mohrman reports:

- Performed weekly and monthly preventive maintenance checks.
- Replaced west clock face light.
- Replaced sanctuary heater blower filters with help from Tom Brandewie.
- Fixed leaking drain in sanctuary ladies' room.
- Put ventilation holes in the back of the main sound system cabinet.
- Took recycles to the recycle center.
- Other small things taken care of as needed.

<u>Trustees Report:</u> Assisted changing blower heaters and bathroom heaters.

PASTOR DEE'S REPORT

Sunday school classes have transitioned to stories of Jesus, in the New Testament, as we begin the New Year. We celebrated Epiphany (the coming of the Wise Men) January 5, with lessons and a scavenger hunt. Students were led to the Assembly Room where we gathered to talk about the abundance of items collected for their "Blessing Pantry Battle", and what a blessing it is to bring "gifts" for Jesus and for others. In addition to what the students donated, Emily Willrath applied for, and was granted, a donation from Thrivent.

Thrivent is an insurance company her workplace is affiliated with. Not only did they make a monetary donation, which enabled Emily to buy a large amount of items for the Blessing Pantry, they also donated t-shirts for all our students and teachers that encourage us to "Live Generously!









Our Splash Youth have begun the New Year with a four week study of new beginnings starting with the story of Saul and his conversion to becoming the Apostle Paul. We are learning that EVERYONE can have a new beginning.

There are many ways God can help us to begin again: in how we treat others, our own conduct and behaviors, and our perspective on life and how we live.

The Jr. and Sr. High have resumed their studies of the symbols in our sanctuary which has led us to our lessons about Jesus' closest disciples. Please feel free to ask them to share what they are learning.

I received an e-mail Wednesday, January 8 about an overnight outing set for Saturday & Sunday, February 22-23 at the United Church of Christ Congregational in Vermillion. The Vermillion UCC Congregational is

looking for youth to help raise money for the Denison Avenue UCC in Toledo to continue to host their homeless shelter. I have presented the 6-12 grade youth with the information and sent home a letter containing all pertinent information about the homeless shelter situation and the overnight outing. I am hoping to get some responses at youth group this Wednesday night!

I will resume Lay School in Tiffin, February 4. Rev. Dr. Diane Carter will teach "Exploring the Old Testament II" classes.

Home Communion – 2
Home Visits – 11
Hospital Visits – 13
Member Assistance – 3
Notes Written – 10

Nursing Home – 16 Individuals
Office Visits – 1
Outdoor Worship – 1
Phone Calls – 3

PASTOR BECKY'S REPORT

Worship

Christmas Eve Worship Service Attendance:

2015 - 322: 5:00 (103); 8:00 (84); and 11:00 (135) 2016 - 350: 5:00 (128); 8:00 (109); and 11:00 (113) 2017 - 359 with addition of morning worship 10:15am (99); 5:00 (81); 8:00 (91); 11:00 (88) 2018 - 300: 4:00 (105); 8:00 (86); 11:00 (109) 2019 - 294: 4:00 (90); 8:00 (130); 11:00 (74)

- January 25 and 26 Honoring Caregivers during worship services
- February 2 Boy Scout Sunday at St. Paul
- February 4 Worship with Communion at Elmwood at 2:30pm
- February 6 Worship at Heritage Center at 10:15am
- February 23 Crosby Burden Baptism
- February 26 Ash Wednesday Worship at 7:00pm

<u>Confirmation</u> - We have six students. Pastor Dee and I are rotating Wednesday nights between youth group and confirmation. Our regular confirmation teachers are Lisa Weigandt, Jeff Paul and Shelly Smart.

Pastor Dee and I are leading a <u>Lectionary Bible Study</u> on Sunday mornings at 9:00am and Thursday evenings at 7:00pm.

<u>January's Book Club</u> book is <u>When Bad Things Happen to Good People</u> by Rabbi Harold Kushner on Sunday, January 26 at 6:00pm at the Parsonage. Copies are available at the church office.

I will be getting <u>SALT letters/information</u> out by early February. We have one SALT intern funded in the budget. I plan to find funding for a second intern.

I attended a <u>Faithful Innovation Summit</u> in Minneapolis in late July 2019. VERY good information. I'd love if a contingent from St. Paul could go to next year's conference. Dates set for it are June 24-26, 2020.

<u>Art Camp 2020</u> set for June 7-11: First two nights for elementary age students. Second two nights for preschool students. Final night for Community Festival.

There are currently 52 people on my weekly pastoral care check-in list and 11 people on my monthly check-in list.

I am trying to take Thursday mornings as professional reading time.

I take Fridays off for personal time. I will return calls on Saturday or Monday.

I will take my six week sabbatical Monday June 29 - Sunday August 9.

Vacation 2020 (6 weeks' vacation; 6 weekends)

- January 3-7 (half a week/one weekend)
- February 10-15 (one week/half a weekend)
- May 20-26 (one week/one weekend)

I am a facilitator for the Ohio Conference's Excellence in Ministry Program.

I am serving on the Rotary's Board of Directors.

I am also on-call at Joint Township Hospital as an emergency chaplain.

November 11, 2019 - January 13, 2020 (I was ill in December and did not submit a report)

Coffee Shop Attendees - 6 Nursing Home Visits - 34 Funeral - 2 Nursing Home Worship - 1

Home Communions - 56

Home Visits - 21

Hospital - 6

Office Visits - 2

Phone Calls - 35

Ring Dedication - 1

Notes Written - 3

OLD BUSINESS

2020 Nominations - All seats are filled at this time.

<u>Brick Repair</u> - We attained a quote, and approval was granted, to proceed with Miller Masonry. We are thrilled to share that a donation for the full amount was made, and the project will be completed in the spring.

<u>Church Safety</u> – Plan is to have all Youth Staff attend an updated training class, as well as, provide Active Shooter training for all staff and deacons.

Copier Lease - Installed and completed.

Project of the Year - Sanctuary AC Installation will begin late January/ early February.

<u>Technology Assistance Needed</u> – Still looking for assistance at worship services. Please contact church office if interested.

<u>Side Walk/Street Repair</u> – A quote for sidewalk project has been sent for \$3,000. Actual work began this week. An attempt to find out who is doing the work, is in process, in order to inquire about needed repair to areas on North side of property.

NEW BUSINESS

2019 Debt - Year-end deficit of -\$2,974

<u>Staff Reimbursement/Housing Policies -</u> No change to either document. Will renew dates. Erin Topp motioned to renew document for staff reimbursements. Tom Brandewie seconded motion. Motion carried. Tom Brandewie motioned to renew the Housing policies for 2020. Myra Hannenkratt seconded the motion. Motion carried.

WISH LIST

- Bathroom Updates in Education Building
- Steeple Shingles
- Tiles/Gutters
- Auditorium flooring and window rework
- New Carpet in Chapel & Assembly Room
- AC Youth Rm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Next meeting</u> – February 11	, 2019	@	7:00pm
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<u>Devotions</u> – Roland Dicke <u>Adjournment</u> - There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned with The Lord's Prayer.

Andrea Huber, Secretary	
Jeff Quellhorst, President	

St. Paul	United Church of	f Cl	hrist - New I	Bremen OH		
Treasure	r's Report as of l	Dec	ember 2019	for BMPCF		
Account Name	Period Activity		YTD	Annual	Annual Budget	Previous
			Balance	Budget	Remaining	YTD
Income						
Contributions-BMPCF	3,330.00		29,534.00			25,595.55
Maintenace endow income/change value	1,780.04		12,236.89			(2,253.56)
Total Income	\$5,110.04		\$41,770.89			\$23,341.99
Expense						
Lawn Care Salary	0.00		3,071.00	3,071.00	0.00	2,559.15
Maintenace Salary	752.92		9,035.04	9,035.00	(0.04)	9,035.04
New Lawn Equipment	194.15		194.15			1,248.00
Lawn Equipment Maintenance	0.00		793.62			1,326.92
Real Estate Taxes	0.00		2,865.46			0.00
Organ/Piano Expenses	750.00		1,650.00			1,255.00
Building/Property Expenses	0.00		2,295.82			0.00
BPCF/ Building Maintenance	320.15		10,014.28			11,830.26
Landscape Maint. Expenses	0.00		418.99			497.70
Elevator Maintenace	0.00		78.25			0.00
Total Expense	\$2,017.22		\$30,416.61	\$12,106.00	(\$0.04)	\$27,752.07
Difference	\$3,092.82		\$11,354.28			(\$4,410.08)

	Local Aid Expenditures – 12/21/2019 – 01/20/2020						
Gif	Other						
10	\$100 Aldi	1	\$50 Aldi	\$27.50	Blessing Pantry		
10	\$50 Aldi	6	\$100 Aldi	\$305.01	Vehicle Maintenance/Payment		
		10	\$25 Gas Cards	\$52.39	Therapy Supplies		
		5	\$50 Gas Cards	\$361.62	Utilities		

St. Paul	United Churc	ch of Christ - 1	New Bremen C	ЭН			
Treasurer's Report as of December 2019 for Operating Fund							
Account Name	Period	YTD Balance	Annual Budget	Budget	Previous		
	Activity			Remaining	YTD		
Beginning Balance		632.63					
Income							
Contributions	21,572.07	239,762.19			243,280.90		
Rent - Nursery School	600.00	3,150.00			2,550.00		
Rent - Misc. Building	0.00	625.00			324.00		
Contributions-SS	63.00	549.16			307.19		
Contributions-Beacon	0.00	120.00			560.00		
Contributions-Misc	10,000.00	11,847.00			5,597.00		
Enlistment	10.00	365.00			315.00		
Office Sup	25.00	159.00			179.50		
Easter Offering Thomks giving Offering	10.00	1,668.00 195.00			4,936.00 310.00		
Thanksgiving Offering Christmas Envelope	2,705.00	2,800.00			1,678.00		
Lenten Offering	0.00	2,641.70			0.00		
Anniversary Gift 2018	0.00	2,041.70			0.00		
Kick Off Gift 2019	0.00	6,499.00			5,398.00		
Advent Gift	3,768.09	3,818.09			3,480.00		
Interest check acct	6.98	114.31			71.84		
Sr Minister Endow Trans	550.00	6,600.00	6,600.00	0.00	6,360.00		
Visit Ministry Endow Trans	448.50	5,382.00	5,382.00	0.00	5,382.00		
Youth Ministry Endow Trans	2,100.00	25,200.00	25,200.00	0.00	22,500.00		
Gift Fund Transfer/budget		6,000.00			8,000.00		
Total Income	\$41,963.64	\$318,128.08	\$37,182.00	\$0.00	\$311,229.43		
Expense							
Sr Pastor Base Salary	5,133.42	·		(0.04)	·		
Sr Pastor Insurance	1,719.78	13,276.14	14,000.00	723.86	13,500.00		
Sr Pastor Pension	0.00	11,211.36		(0.36)	11,211.36		
Sr Pastor Disability/Life	0.00	1,291.21	1,550.00	258.79	1,391.24		
Sr Pastor Cell Phone Stipend	50.00	600.00	600.00	0.00	600.00		
Sr Pastor Continuing Ed	0.00	997.36		2.64	493.77		
Sr Pastor Business Ex	82.72	980.35		19.65	543.56		
AssocPastor Base Salary	2,750.00	33,000.00		0.00	33,000.00		
Assoc Pastor Housing	833.34	10,000.08	10,000.00	(0.08)	10,000.08		
Assoc Pastor Pension Assoc Pastor Insurance	3,951.28	6,020.04 12,400.82	6,020.00 12,500.00	(0.04) 99.18	6,020.00 9,767.03		
Assoc Pastor Disability/Life	0.00	0.00		645.00	161.25		
Assoc Pastor Continuing Ed	90.00	452.12	1,000.00	547.88	990.27		
Assoc Pastor Continuing Ed Assoc Pastor Business Ex	0.00	667.99	1,000.00	332.01	361.94		
Assoc Pastor Cell Phone Stipend	50.00	600.00		0.00	600.00		
Organist Salary	1,542.00	7,310.00	6,386.00	(924.00)	6,168.00		
Music Director	75.00	7,310.00		0.00	780.00		
Senior Choir Director	150.00	1,325.00		875.00	1,925.00		
Chancel Choir Accompanist	0.00	200.00	· ·	175.00	425.00		

Beacon Editor	224.00	2,688.00	2,688.00	0.00	2,688.00
Visitation Ministry Salary	448.50	5,382.00	5,382.00	0.00	5,382.00
Bell Choir Director Salary	103.00	1,236.00	1,236.00	0.00	1,133.00
Web Page Editor	0.00	772.50	1,854.00	1,081.50	1,800.00
Office Administrator	2,461.58	29,538.96	29,539.00	0.04	29,538.96
Financial Secretary Salary	430.67	5,168.04	5,168.00	(0.04)	5,168.04
Ed. Bldg Custodian Salary	1,108.58	13,025.81	13,303.00	277.19	12,541.52
Sanctuary Custodian Salary	643.42	7,721.04	7,721.00	(0.04)	7,721.04
Vacation Replacement	935.00	3,588.00	3,000.00	(588.00)	1,070.00
SALT Project Salary	0.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	0.00	0.00
Telephone-CHURCH	52.92	679.92	800.00	120.08	1,392.37
Staff Cell Phone Reimburse	50.00	600.00	600.00	0.00	600.00
Natural Gas-Church	1,058.02	7,924.74	7,500.00	(424.74)	8,121.11
Internet Service	159.95	1,919.40	2,000.00	80.60	1,919.40
Natural Gas-Parsonage	110.51	952.60	1,000.00	47.40	943.42
Electric Church/Parsonage	675.08	8,284.78	8,000.00	(284.78)	8,177.92
Trash-dumpster	66.32	792.57	800.00	7.43	734.23
Worship Materials & Supply	274.49	3,549.57	3,000.00	(549.57)	2,671.36
Worship Saturday Eve	280.00	3,130.00	3,120.00	(10.00)	2,960.00
Pastoral Care	0.00	614.40	800.00	185.60	364.20
Music	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	225.00
Delegate's Expense	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	28.00
Membership Dues	150.00	575.00	500.00	(75.00)	450.00
Enlistment Materials Exp.	88.20	2,302.30	2,500.00	197.70	2,652.99
Church Growth & Develop	149.61	4,480.86	3,500.00	(980.86)	4,082.22
Postage	323.79	4,461.96	4,000.00	(461.96)	4,700.87
Shipping	65.75	273.61	500.00	226.39	327.24
Mileage/Travel	1,716.33	11,394.29	10,000.00	(1,394.29)	8,859.98
Payroll Preparation	0.00	616.80	650.00	33.20	502.47
Office Supplies	192.78	3,219.69	3,500.00	280.31	3,519.09
Custodial Supplies	0.00	1,382.24	1,500.00	117.76	1,445.29
Office Equipment Maint	1,131.32	10,131.25	8,500.00	(1,631.25)	9,871.26
Miscellaneous Expenses	525.00	895.68	800.00	(95.68)	980.28
Sunday School/Youth Programs	281.97	2,360.82	5,500.00	3,139.18	2,893.39
Camperships	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
Bible Expense	0.00	582.76	500.00	(82.76)	414.21
SALT Programs	0.00	214.65	300.00	85.35	0.00
FICA Taxes (Employer)	1,122.14	13,503.71	15,000.00	1,496.29	13,610.32
Worker's Compensation	0.00	818.00	1,000.00	182.00	713.00
Confirmation Expenses	4.99	1,106.76	1,000.00	(106.76)	830.31
Library Fund Expenses	0.00	0.00			24.53
Total Expense	31,261.46	321,102.22	325,829.00	4,726.78	310,596.80
Difference	10,702.18	<u>(\$2,974.14)</u>			<u>\$632.63</u>



FREE:

Blood pressure screenings!

Haircuts!

Reiki Sessions!

Chair Massages!

JTDMH Speaker on "Chronic Pain & Workplace Wellness!

JTDMH Nutritionist available to answer questions!

Dentist Consultation Available!

Chiropractor Assessment Available!

New shoes, socks, and boots will be available — free!

Meal Provided-Chili, Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich, Cookies

Sunday, February 9th at 11:30AM to 2:00PM

St. Paul's United Church of Christ Auditorium

119 N. Franklin St.

New Bremen, OH

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2020 February Events Calendar

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	COMMUNITY			ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE		
	HEALTH & RESOURCE FAIR			FEBRUARY 26		Men's Club
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9	11:30AM - 2:00PM	EDUCATIONAL BUILDING		7:00PM		
						5:00pm - Worship
2	3	4	5	6	7	
9:00am - Sunday School			3:00-5:00pm - Splash			
9:00am		2:30pm - Elmwood Worship	6:30-8:30pm	10:15am - Heritage Center		
10:15am - Worship			Jr / Sr High & Confirmands	Worship		
	2-4:00pm - Coffee Shop		Dinner, Lessons, Activities			5:00pm - Worship
			7:00pm - Bell Choir	7:00pm - Bible Study		
			8:00pm - Adult Choir	-		
9	10	11	12	13	14	1
9:00am - Sunday School			3:00-5:00pm - Splash			
9:00am			6:30-8:30pm			
10:15am - Worship			Jr / Sr High & Confirmands	1:00pm Women's Service	HAPPY	
Community	2-4:00pm - Coffee Shop		Dinner, Lessons, Activities	Group	VALENTINES	5:00pm - Worship
Health & Resource Fair	6:30pm Discipleship Team	7:00pm - Church Council	7:00pm - Bell Choir	7:00pm - Bible Study	DAY!!!	·
11:30am - 2:00pm		•	8:00pm - Adult Choir			
16	17	18	19	20	21	2
9:00am - Sunday School			3:00-5:00pm - Splash			
9:00am	2-4:00pm - Coffee Shop		6:30-8:30pm			
10:15am - Worship			Jr / Sr High & Confirmands			
	4:00-6:00pm - Open Table		Dinner, Lessons, Activities			5:00pm - Worship
	Community Meal		7:00pm - Bell Choir	7:00pm - Bible Study		
	•		8:00pm - Adult Choir	·		
23	24	25	26	27	28	2
9:00am - Sunday School			3:00-5:00pm - Splash			
9:00am			6:30 - Youth Dinner			
10:15am - Worship			7:00pm			
	2-4:00pm - Coffee Shop		ASH WEDNESDAY			
6:00pm - Becky's Book Club			SERVICE	7:00pm - Bible Study		
with dinner & discussion			8:00pm - Adult Choir	1.00pin Bible otddy		
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February 2020 Birthdays & Anniversaries

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Barb Rhinehart

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Cathy Stevens	Ashley Bowers	Aubrey Fairchild	Amy Barhorst	Parker Bushman	Sue Schnelle	Lois Dicke
Thomas Thieman	Jack Oldiges	Ian Fairchild	Olivia Dicke	Deborah Gibson		Gregory Hainline
Gayle Wray		Jamie Kuhn	Sue Kettler	Matthew Tontrup		Marissa Topp
		Avery Rhinehart				Mark Winner
		Ron Tontrup				
		Lexi Quellhorst				
		Nora Quellhorst				
9	10		12	13	14	
Andrew Charlson	Cynthia Charlson	Kirk Greber	Sierra Schott	Phyllis Fledderjohann	Jan Dammeyer	Larry Kuhn
Evan Howell	Brietta Fark		Monika Stauffer		Ashley Fraley	Owen Wray
Belinda Hudson	Christine Schott				Eileen Gamble	
Kyle Schroer	Charlie Vibbert				Adleigh Wray	
Katie Sok						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Hallie Bushman	Weston Lesher	Genevieve Conradi	Ethan Howell	Molly Borkowski	Tracey Dammeyer	Grant Dicke
Sarah Kramer	Kristen Nelson	Taylor Williams	Kathy Nedderman	Charles Dicke	Debra Kramer	Cooper Fortman
Pam Miller	Kurt Topp	Sherri Tontrup		Kayla Lear	Lily Longfellow	Rodney Hainline
Brett Schaefer		Joycelynn Vondenberger		Jason Maurer	Lucas Schrader	Eric Hirschfeld
Trevor Schaefer					Thieda Tontrup	Shiela Kuhn
					Steven M. Topp	Lisa Thobe
						Jim Tontrup
23	24		26		28	29
Howard Fark	Jeffrey Dicke	Tanner Howell	Craig Siefring	Lori Fortman	Lucille Francis	
Morgan Felver		Samuel Simon		Brian Hatfield	Daniel Jacoby	
Denise Joyce		Tyler Wiedeman		Patricia Moeller	Emily Linniman	
Jean Waterman				Keith Quellhorst		
Lisa Weigandt						



Happy Anniversary

2/3 - Dennis & Genevieve Conradi Dicke 2/7 - Tim & Vicki May 2/8 - Kurt & Rachael Topp

> 2/14 - Jordan & Ashley Fraley 2/14 - Bev & Ed Hickerson



2/24 - James & Kathy Naylor