

FRESHWATERS UMC  
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## FROM THE PASTOR

Greetings dear friends, sisters, and brothers in Christ! I pray that as you receive this month's newsletter that you and your family are well and in good spirits!

Summer is fast approaching! Spring has finally arrived and we have experienced some very interesting weather last week with heavy rains and hail. It is wonderful to see the trees turning green and flowers beginning to bloom once again. People are out in their yards and children are out at play. It is nice to see some of the familiar rhythms of life return especially after all we have been through as a people. Although we still live with the presence of covid, political divisions, war in Ukraine, and struggles with rising costs; we know life comes with both its blessings and its struggles.

I have been encouraged with where we are at as a church – our worship attendance has hovered around 85-90 with in person and online attendees. We are so glad that you are showing up and making the experience of God all the more richer! I am so proud of our worship team members who reflect praise and unity! Way to go everyone of you who show up with your gifts of praise to help us to experience God's Holy presence.

## Sermon Series

### Drift

**June 5**

Personal Drift

**June 12**

Missional Drift

**PASTOR KEVIN IS  
ON VACATION  
JUNE 15-27**

**June 19**

Message Given By  
Linda O.

**June 26**

Message Given By  
Sawyer C.

### FRESHWATERS UNITED METHODIST

[www.freshwatersumc.com](http://www.freshwatersumc.com)

**Join us In-Person or Online on Sundays at 9:30 AM!**

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I would also like to offer a word of thanks to our Sunday school volunteers who have come together for the sake of our children! I am excited that this summer we will offer a wonderful Vacation Bible School in July! We also plan to have a great kick off event in August as we prepare to enter into a new Sunday School season. I have enjoyed having the youth over to our home for study, games and lots of laughter! One of our youth invited a friend – way to go!

As we enter into the summer, people go off on vacations and various adventures, which is wonderful! I just want to encourage you to keep going with your spiritual discipline of worship attendance either in person or online! Keep drawing near to God so that your faith and hope may grow. Also here is a friendly and gentle reminder not to forget your giving and tithes! I know that with rising costs everything is stretched. We need however your wonderfully important partnership so that we can offer the best ministry we can to you and the surrounding community. For all of you who come, give, serve, pray, love and witness – thank you! I am so very proud of all of you! Let's keep the momentum going! God bless and keep all of you!

In His love, Pastor Kevin

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER	
Those Who Have Lost Loved Ones	Those Who Are Hurt And Suffering
Enger & Fillafer Families	Tammy S And Family
Leah C - Father And Family	Joyce M
Betty & John O	Val V
Angie C-D	Mary V



**Let's bless our Seniors** who are home bound or in a long term care facility. Why not pay them a visit, give them a call or send them a note to let them know you're thinking of them!

**Muriel Walker, Betty Oliver, Joyce Mulder**

We pray for all teachers, school staff, and students to have a wonderful and safe summer break!!

Announcements in worship: If you have an announcement that needs to be made in worship, please bring in a note of what you need to have announced and Pastor Kevin or one of the worship leaders will be happy to do that for you. Thank you so much for your help and cooperation!



**QUILTERS**  
**Tuesdays**  
**9 AM**

JOIN US FOR A TIME OF CRAFTING AND CONVERSATION! PEOPLE OF ALL EXPERIENCE LEVELS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN.

**Mowing Schedule**

We are looking for help mowing the church lawn this summer! There is a sign up sheet outside the fellowship hall, please contact Isaac Jenson with any questions. 763-439-2816

**Sunday Coffee Hour Hosts**

**June 5** - Jessica & Jeremy L  
**June 12 - NEEDED**  
**June 19** - Hohlen's  
**June 26** - Tina V.

**Coffee Hour Hosts Needed!** We provide the salty and sweet items to be served, we need you to help get the coffee going, set out the items, and when all done help with clean up. There is a sign up outside the fellowship hall.

Good Food Great Fellowship

**Men's Group**  
**BREAKFAST**

ALL ARE WELCOME

WHERE: K-BOB CAFE  
WHEN: LAST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH  
8 A.M.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT ISAAC 763-742-4583

**Ushers For Sunday Worship**

**June 5 - NEEDED**  
**June 12 - NEEDED**  
**June 19 - NEEDED**  
**June 26 - NEEDED**

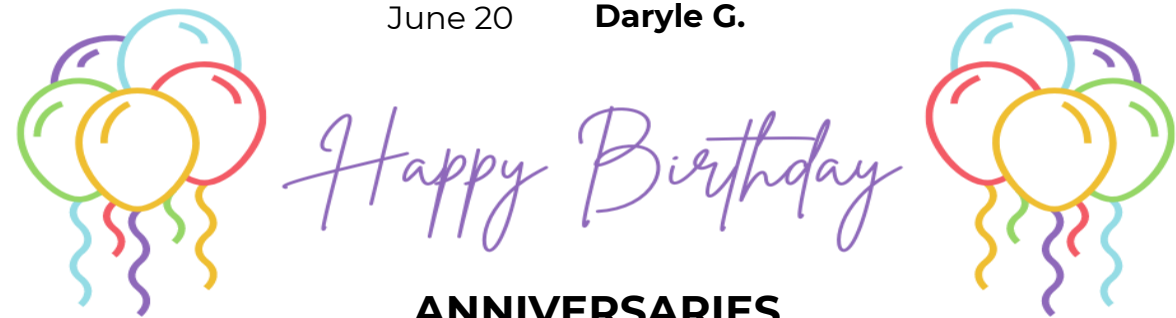
Sign up sheet outside the fellowship hall. If you have any questions please contact Jessica Laskowski 612-298-6709

**Sound Board Schedule**

**June 5** - Isaac J  
**June 12** - Jim H  
**June 19** - Slayter C  
**June 26** - Scott L

## BIRTHDAYS

June 01	<b>Darcy D.</b>	June 07	<b>Kathy H.</b>	June 20	<b>Mark Z.</b>
June 01	<b>Andrew H.</b>	June 10	<b>Sandy M.</b>	June 22	<b>Ron J.</b>
June 01	<b>Brady H.</b>	June 10	<b>Jayden P.</b>	June 22	<b>Hunter S.</b>
June 01	<b>Debbie J.</b>	June 10	<b>Alley W.</b>	June 23	<b>Myla T.</b>
June 02	<b>Kacey A.</b>	June 11	<b>Jackie L.</b>	June 24	<b>Brady H.</b>
June 02	<b>Tyler L.</b>	June 12	<b>Jean T.</b>	June 24	<b>Michael P.</b>
June 03	<b>Deb F.</b>	June 13	<b>Marlys F.</b>	June 25	<b>Andy V.</b>
June 04	<b>Sue E.</b>	June 13	<b>Cayla L.</b>	June 26	<b>Sylvia C.</b>
June 05	<b>Terri P.</b>	June 17	<b>Brooke S.</b>	June 26	<b>John W.</b>
June 06	<b>Cassy M.</b>	June 18	<b>Mike P.</b>	June 27	<b>Tami M.</b>
June 07	<b>Alma B.</b>	June 18	<b>Garr P.</b>	June 30	<b>Rosetta C.</b>
June 07	<b>Alex F.</b>	June 19	<b>Barb H.</b>	June 30	<b>Melody W.</b>
		June 20	<b>Daryle G.</b>		



## ANNIVERSARIES

June 02	<b>Roger &amp; Nancy L.</b>	June 11	<b>Barry &amp; Norma H.</b>
June 03	<b>Steve &amp; Diana W.</b>	June 12	<b>Bob &amp; Sarah L.</b>
June 04	<b>Jim &amp; Kathy H.</b>	June 16	<b>Brandon &amp; Megan B.</b>
June 05	<b>John &amp; Jean T.</b>	June 23	<b>Cassidi &amp; Jared J.</b>
June 08	<b>Betty &amp; Dale B.</b>	June 24	<b>Skip &amp; Clarice H.</b>
June 08	<b>Jim &amp; Alma B.</b>	June 26	<b>Tamara &amp; Gerald M.</b>



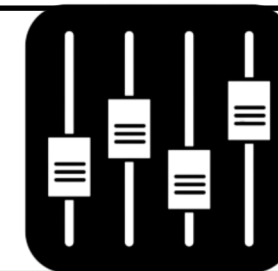
## A NOTE OF THANKS TO FRESHWATERS

Dear Pastor Kevin & Friends,  
Thank you so very much for your prayers, kind birthday blessings, cards and calls. It was very much appreciated and I had a great 90th birthday party and I thank my family. I miss you all. \*Notes & calls always appreciated: 3810 Alder Lane #300 Eagan, MN 55122 651-452-2650  
Sincerely, Elaine Munson



Congratulations to Faith Zins as she graduates from Princeton High School! We offer our congratulations to all the graduates and their achievement! We offer prayers and praise of thanksgiving for our teachers, staff, bus drivers, custodians, cooks, and teacher's aides! We also offer prayers for parents who are so critically important to the well being of our schools!

Thank you to Jenna, Angela, Cayla, Ryan and Audrey who helped with our children's ministry over these past few months!  
Thank you to Linda, Becky, and Connie who helped with the snacks for the children!



Thank you to Joel and Jim who worked hard on fixing our technological difficulties with the sound system!

## Bags of Blessing!

Thank you to everyone who helped donate and pack the bags of blessings this past year. We packed roughly over 1,000 bags in this school year! Great job!



**Bags Of Blessing**

Packed with LOVE by the people of Freshwaters!

Freshwaters Board Minutes  
May 10, 2022

Linda Olson called the meeting to order at 7pm. Present were Linda Olson, Darrin Wesloh, Andrew Harvala, Scott Leistmen, Susan Kettlehodt, Ryan Purdy, and Phil Lingle.

The agenda was approved as written. Last months minutes were approved electronically.

Susan reviewed financial statements. Giving has remained consistent but without the Conference grant we wont have finds to renew the youth director next fall.

Andrew reviewed improvements planned by the trustees. We discussed the A/C unit that needs repair and agreed that if any major work needs to be done they should explore replacing it to improve its function.

Kevin sent a report with Linda. Sunday School doing well, there is a summer Carnival and Vacation Bible School planned. Average attendance on Sundays has been 85, and an additional 15 online.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

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Please note: Committee Minutes are drafted and approved by the committees and the church office does not make changes beyond formatting.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Coffee Hour	30 Memorial Day	31 9 AM Quilters	1	2	3 6:30 PM Trevor B Event	4
5 - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Coffee Hour	6 7 PM BSA	7 9 AM Quilters	8	9 9 AM-4 PM Quilters Sidewalk Sale	10	11
12 - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Coffee Hour	13 6 PM 4-H 7 PM BSA	14 - 9 AM Quilters - 6:30 PM Trustees - 7 PM One Board	15 <b>Pastor Kevin Is On Vacation</b>	16	17	18
19 - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Coffee Hour	20 7 PM BSA	21 9 AM Quilters	22	23	24	25 8 AM UM Guys at K-Bob
26 - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Coffee Hour	27 7 PM BSA	28 9 AM Quilters	29	30	1	2

**Regular Sunday Worship  
In-Person and Streaming Live at 9:30AM**

**Freshwaters June 2022**