

Oak Creek Community United Methodist Church
June 22nd, 2025



- As a praying church family, we are called to hold one another in prayer. This week we invite you to hold in prayer these randomly selected members and ministries: Chris, Paula, Elijah & Irina S and our Blooming Garden Group.
- From Cherie S: For Tracy as she is in hospice and her children as they go through this end of life journey.
- From Shelly: Healing prayers for our family friend Ron, who was in a bad truck accident in Montana.
- From Bonnie C: For her brother-in-law Lonnie who has a serious sinus infection. Praying that the new round of antibiotics works, so surgery isn't necessary.
- From Joan L: For one-year old Henry who is being treated for eye cancer.
- From Jenny S: For her Mom Lee Ann Birch Aronson who is in pain and going to find answers for an illness she's been battling.
- For Judy E who is recovering from knee surgery.
- From Jane L: For her nephews who are going through job loss, and family issues.
- For Carol F's grandson Theodore.
- Write down the name of the person on your left _____. Take this home and pray for them this week.

Opportunities for Service



Today is one of UMCs Special Sunday offerings to support programs and ministries to educate, equip and mobilize networks to engage in social advocacy and actions in a world plagued by war and terror, violence and destruction.

There is an envelope for your donation included in the Bulletin, and there are extras on the counter in the Gathering Area, or you may go online to donate: occumc.org > Online Giving > Donate Now > Miscellaneous > Peace with Justice.

A Lutheran mission team from Western Wisconsin will be staying at OCCUMC June 22nd-25th. They will be using the lower level rooms and kitchen Sunday evening through noon on Wednesday. Please respect their space and privacy during their stay.

Help is needed staffing our nursery during the summer. There are six dates listed on a sheet on the nursery door. If you can help with any of these dates please write your name on the sheet. Thank you for caring for the youngest of God's family!



Merry Mat Makers are collecting bags again for the sleeping mats. We're asking for thicker bags only (like **Festival, Menards, Farm & Fleet, Sendik's, Kwik Trip, Target, Piggly Wiggly, etc.**) The thin bags (i.e. Dollar Store) break easily causing problems with the mats. As always, the bags need to be clean, dry and empty of all contents. It is especially appreciated if you flatten the bags.

The mat makers meet Tuesday from 4:00 – 6:00 pm in Room L09. Come and join in the fun.



Don't forget your Little Jesus this summer!

As you venture into your yard, community or neighborhood exploring new places and visiting exciting destinations, take pictures with Little Jesus. Share pictures on your social media using

#occumclittlejesus. Then email them to office@occumc.org.

Little Jesus' are available at the Connection Counter.



Oak Creek Community UMC is a place where you can see how your Christian faith can change your life, and how, in turn, that can transform the world.

Membership in a United Methodist Church is a covenant,

a sacred promise, between you and the congregation. In becoming a member, we take vows to faithfully participate in the church's ministries with our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.

If you're interested in becoming a member, please contact Pastor Heidi pastor@occumc.org.



Be sure follow us on Facebook! You'll find updates, events, & opportunities for service.



The Donation Center has various organizations that need items throughout the year. Be sure to check it out on a regular basis to see what you can contribute.



Worship with us virtually Sundays at 9:00 am

Facebook: facebook.com/occumc (Live)

YouTube: [@OCCUMCyoutube](https://www.youtube.com/@OCCUMCyoutube) (Recorded)

Please, ['like' us or leave a comment](#) so we know this ministry is beneficial.



We love all the children and welcome them in worship! But if parents/grandparents need care support, we have a staffed Nursery available during service for ages 0 - 4. There are also activity bags available in the gathering area.

Connect/Prayer & Praise Cards are located on the back of the sanctuary chairs. Please place completed cards in the blue boxes. If you're worshipping virtually please email your information/request to office@occumc.org.



In response to God's love, you may support the ministries and mission of OCCUMC and beyond by giving:

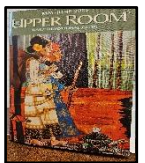
In-Person: place your offering in the blue boxes

Online: www.occumc.org

Mail: OCCUMC 8675 S 13th St, Oak Creek, WI 53154

Electronic Funds Transfer: contact finance@occumc.org

The **May-June** issue of *The Upper Room* is available in the literature rack in the Gathering Area.



The large bulletin board above the hanging file baskets is updated weekly with items of interest. If you would like something posted there, please contact Jane in the office.

Please check your hanging folder weekly. There may be something of interest in it. If your family doesn't have a folder please let Jane know (office@occumc.org or 414-762-4600). If you need a name badge, please contact Jane in the office.