

# Oak Creek Community United Methodist Church

## June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026



Our Hearts  
go out to...

Worship in the Arts Team.

As a praying church family, we are called to hold one another in prayer. **Please feel free to fill out a yellow card located on the back of the chairs and place it in the blue box.** This week we invite you to hold in prayer these randomly selected members and ministries: Merrilee M & Shelly & Shannon S and our

- Happy 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary to Liz & Rich I.
- From Jillian I: For Randy as he navigates his illnesses.
- From Susan J-T: for her sister Barbara who will receive a kidney transplant this fall and for her husband Terry who has donated a kidney so Barbara could receive one.
- From Cherie: Celebrations!! Prayers have been answered. Craig is home after a year in rehab for a brain injury; Also, Baby Karter is home!! He now weighs over 6 pounds and is doing well.
- For all experiencing health issues, undergoing physical therapy, awaiting test results, and their families.
- For Pastor Heidi, Liz, and all who are driving home from Annual Conference today.
- For all of the women and men serving in our armed forces.

### Opportunities for Service



**He's Back!! Take a Little Jesus with you this summer!** As you venture into your yard, community or neighborhood exploring new places and visiting exciting destinations take a Little Jesus with you.

Be sure to take pictures with Little Jesus and share them on social media using [#occumclittlejesus](https://www.instagram.com/occumclittlejesus). Then email them to [office@occumc.org](mailto:office@occumc.org).

Little Jesus is available at the Connection Counter.  
(while supplies last)

We will be serving the dinner at **The Cathedral Center this Tuesday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**. Sign-up sheets for volunteering and food needs are on the counter in the Connection Center. Any questions? Please contact Joanne M (414-817-2914) or Diane W (414-405-0153).



If you are unable to volunteer, please consider supporting the mission financially. We welcome donations with your regular offering. Just designate the amount you want donated to The Cathedral Center on your check in the memo section. You may also give online at [occumc.org](https://occumc.org) > [Online Giving](#) > [Donate Now](#) > [The Cathedral Center](#).



The **Monday evening only** 365 Bible Group zoom meetings will not meet for the remainder of the reading plan calendar. We encourage everyone to attend the Sunday group on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday, following worship, in the library.



**Thank you** to all who have contributed to our annual flowers fund. You will see the new flowers in pots and in the planting areas soon. You may still add to our flower fund by placing any amount from your pocket into the **garden collection box** in the Gathering Area.



**Tabitha Circle** will meet on **June 14<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm** in Doyle Hall. Amber Yeary will teach us some fun things we can do with our phones. . .more than just texting and calling. Do you know how to drop a pin? Let Amber know if there is something you'd like her to teach us. All are welcome.



**Father's Day is June 21<sup>st</sup>**. The Women of our congregation are planning to serve breakfast in Doyle Hall after worship that day. There is a signup sheet on the Connection Center counter for women to sign up to bring items needed.

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# WALK IN THE PARK SERIES

- Get outside and join in a walk at a beautiful County Park each month.
- Don't forget your walker punch card! Get 3 (or more!) punches on your card and earn a free admission to **Boerner Botanical Gardens**.
- All parks have parking lots, restrooms, and are dog friendly.



**Wednesday, June 17<sup>TH</sup> @ 6:00<sup>PM</sup>**  
 Abendschein Community Park  
 1311 E Drexel Ave, Oak Creek

**Wednesday, July 15<sup>TH</sup> @ 6:00<sup>PM</sup>**  
 Franklin Woods Nature Center &  
 Kayla's Playground  
 3723 W. Puetz Rd, Franklin

**Wednesday, August 19<sup>TH</sup> @ 6:00<sup>PM</sup>**  
 Froemming Park  
 8801 S. 51<sup>st</sup> St, Franklin

**Sunday, September 20<sup>TH</sup> @ 11:00<sup>AM</sup>**  
 Petrified Springs Park  
 5555 7th St, Kenosha



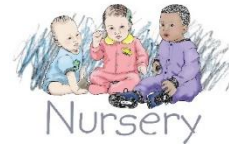
**Happy Birthday, USA!** Let's celebrate our country's birthday together by marching as a church family in the Oak Creek 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade! We can meet at the staging area about 8:00 am, with decorated bikes or scooters, dressed in the traditional colors of the day.



The parade lasts from 9:00 to about 11:00 am, and we can pass out flyers announcing the Christmas in July Holiday Rummage Sale as we go. The crowd will know we are OCCUMC Methodists by our holiday spirit and welcoming smiles. A sign-up sheet and information sheets are at the Connection Center. Please join the UWF in our mission to help Joy House and others.



**Worship with us virtually Sundays at 9:00 am**  
 YouTube: [@OCCUMCyoutube](https://www.youtube.com/@OCCUMCyoutube)  
 Please, 'like' us or [open the chat to leave a comment](#) so we know this ministry is beneficial.



We love all the children and welcome them in worship! 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](mailto: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](http://www.occumc.org)
- Mail:** OCCUMC 8675 S 13<sup>th</sup> St, Oak Creek, WI 53154
- Electronic Funds Transfer:** [finance@occumc.org](mailto:finance@occumc.org)



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



The May 26<sup>th</sup> to July 2<sup>nd</sup> listing for the 365 Bible Group is available at the Connection Center and online at [occumc.org](http://occumc.org).