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The Saltshaker

BROADWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
PASTOR CASSIE O'BRIEN GRAHAM
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*YOU ARE THE SALT OF THE EARTH
MATTHEW 5:13*



The Pastor's Pen

On Sunday, November 6, our church will recognize All Saints Day - also called the Feast of All Saints or All Souls Day. On this day, we publicly remember and honor those who have passed away. Celebrated on the first Sunday in November, many congregations light candles, ring bells of remembrance, and call the names of those lost in the previous year as a way of honoring the impact their lives have had on us. If you would like for our congregation to recognize your loved one, submit their name, photo, birthday, and death date to me by Wednesday, November 2. This year, we remember the following members* and staff of Broadway United Methodist Church we have lost in the past year:

Ann Vanderau - November 20, 1918 - December 29, 2021
Sherri James - February 27, 1955 - April 1, 2022
Shirley Boner - February 25, 1952 - August 20, 2022
Wilma Tippit - March 7, 1933 - April 4, 2022

*non-members, constituents, and friends and family of members will be included on Sunday, November 6.

Blessings,
Pastor Cassie

A Note From Our New Office Administrator

Hi, my name is Chloe Eubanks. I am married to Justin Eubanks and have a wonderful baby girl who you may know, Regina Robin Eubanks. She is now 15 months old and as you can imagine, she takes up most of my time! Before Reggie, I attended Park University and graduated with a Bachelors of Science in Business. After graduating I worked for 6 years in banking where I learned many skills that will help me with the office administration job at BUMC. I grew up attending Plattsburg BUMC with my family and am happy to be back. I look forward to working with all of you during this new journey!



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MISSION

To make new disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

VISION

To grow in the faith of Christ by reaching out and connecting with others through intentional service and witness.

Enough: Discovering Joy Through Simplicity and Generosity

One of Jesus' great teaching parables involves a sower who cast seed along the ground. The sower hoped the seeds would sprout, grow, and bear good fruit. Some seeds did just that, producing a great harvest. But others, Jesus said, fell among thorns and, though they began to grow, these good plants were quickly choked out. Jesus said the thorns were "the cares of the world and the lure of wealth" (Matthew 13:22).

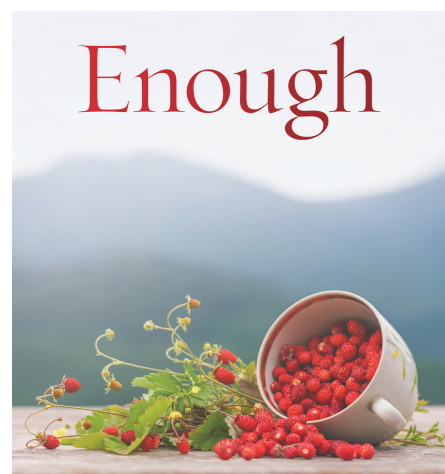
In a culture where having "enough" seems to have become a never-ending pursuit, Jesus' parable remains incredibly relevant. Many of us are chasing the American dream in ways that lead to stress, anxiety, and fear—thorns that can rob us of the ability to enjoy the abundant lives of purpose that God intended for us.

All of us have struggled with these issues at one time or another. They are important issues that we cannot ignore. This is why, over the next 4 weeks, our worship will focus on the study called Enough: Discovering Joy Through Simplicity and Generosity. During this time we will explore what the Bible teaches us about financial management. Each week we will provide you with some practical tools you can use to assess your financial situation and develop a financial plan with a biblical foundation.

At the conclusion of the emphasis, we will have the opportunity to make personal commitments of our offerings to God through our church in the coming year. We will consecrate these pledges in the worship service on Sunday, November 20.

I hope you will join us in the coming weeks as we look at how we can manage our financial resources and truly experience simplicity, generosity, and joy.

To fill out a pledge card, visit our website at www.plattsburgumc.org/giving



Broadway Youth Update

On Sunday, October 30, The Broadway Youth helped with clean up on

C Highway - the portion adopted in memory of Susan Hageman. Three youth and six adults picked up and filled about 13 bags of trash! Later that evening, they had a Halloween party with food, candy, games, a murder mystery, and pumpkin carving.

Be sure to join us for our upcoming events:

11/20 - Youth Paint Party (painting the downstairs fellowship space) at 2pm

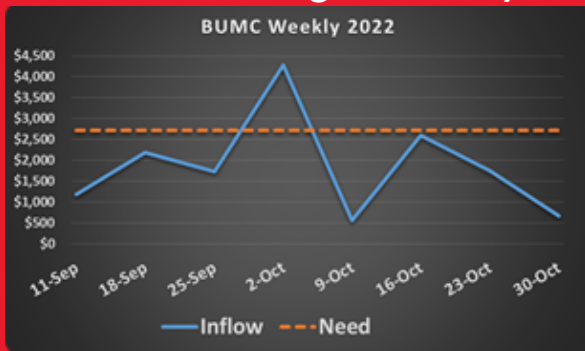
12/16 - Christmas Lock-in



Christmas Giving Tree

Our church is once again hosting the Christmas Giving Tree project to help families with Christmas presents this year. If you know of someone in need, please get an application to them. All applications are due Tuesday, November 15. For more information, go to www.plattsburgumc.org/christmas-giving-tree

BUMC Giving Summary



WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

10/2 - 38
10/9 - 49
10/16 - 48
10/23 - 38
10/30 - 41

NOVEMBER CELEBRATIONS

Celebration Sunday is always the last Sunday of the month. We invite those with birthdays and anniversaries during the month to "Feed the Fish" and make a special offering to support the Plattsburg Food Pantry.

BIRTHDAYS

11- Sophia Schaffer
12- Linda Enderle
14- Kim Tongue
14- Robbie Jensen
16- Jerry Hopkins
18- Rick Tharp
19- George Brumbaugh
21- Bill Jones
21- Maise Clifton
21- Sami Felts
23- Alexandria Eisenhauer
23- Caleb Eisenhauer
24- Sandy Jones

ANNIVERSARIES

7- Pastor Cassie & Aaron Graham

PRAYER LIST

Harold Bowling
Kathy Barnes
Bobbi Bozarth
Rita Kilgore
Aimee Mclallen
Russell White
Jean Grisby
Betty Shoemaker
Peggy Shoemaker
Betty Swanson
Ben Baldwin Jr.
Charlotte Atwater
Gil Sander
Mary Goldberg

LITURGIST SCHEDULE

6- Lisa Querrey
13- Connie Collins
20- Ken Tongue
27- George Hoover

Food Pantry

On Monday, November 21, from 9am - 4pm, the Food Pantry will pass out food for an appropriate Thanksgiving dinner. They will be closed on 11/24. They are in need of canned cranberry sauce and boxed stuffing mix.

In the month of September they have assisted 45 families and 145 individuals, 620 pounds of food were donated. They recorded 210 volunteer hours.

Our local Food Pantry needs your help. We help around 55 families a month and with Second Harvest running low on food supplies nationwide we are in need. The Food Pantry is open on Thursdays 8:30-11:15 if you are in need or want to donate or you can drop donations off at Broadway United Methodist Church Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00-3:00 or Sundays 9-11:30. Be blessed by blessing others.

Board Summary

The board met on Monday, October 10, 2022 at 7pm. The following agenda items were discussed:

- Youth update - see calendar
- Kitchen Update - next meeting 10/16, clean up day TBD. Early December for first church dinner.
- Financial Update given by Craig Mattke
- Charge Conference paperwork approved. Paperwork is available to all members by request.
- Membership Audit complete - 1 transfer, 30 withdraw, 60 on 2nd year reading list to be removed by Charge Conference action, 46 on 1st year reading list - plans to reengage non-active members.
- Charge Conference at Ashland UMC in St. Joseph (2711 Ashland Ave., St. Joseph, MO 64506) on Saturday, January 14, 2023 from noon-2pm.

If you would like a copy of the agenda, minutes, or provided reports, please contact Pastor Cassie, Ken Tongue, or the church office. Next meeting 11/14 at 7pm.

November 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6 All Saints Sunday Communion	7	8 Election Day	9	10 AA Meeting 6:30	11	12 Christian Men's Breakfast @ Bread Of Life 7:30am
13	14 Board Meeting 7pm	15 Christmas Giving Tree Applications Due	16	17 AA Meeting 6:30	18	19
20 Youth Painting Downstairs 2pm	21 Retired Teacher Breakfast 9am	22	23	24 Thanksgiving Day Office Closed AA Meeting 6:30	25	26
27 Hanging of the Greens Celebration Sunday	28	29	30	<u>Weekly Activities</u> Sunday Children's Sunday School - 9:30am Adult Sunday School - 9:30am Coffee hour 10:00am Youth Group - 6:00pm Wednesday Handbells- 6:30 Choir - 7:15 Praise Team - 8:00pm <u>Office Hours</u> Tuesday and Thursday 9:00am - 3:00pm Monday, Wednesday, Friday - By Appointment		

Home Delivered Meals