



Newsletter – October 2024

Update from Board President

We certainly have an exciting month ahead at Redeemer!! As we look forward to the installation of Pastor Huehn on the 27th, and welcoming him and his family to Manitowoc and Redeemer, I want to thank the entire congregation for their prayers and support as we navigated the past 16 months. Those prayers and that support will certainly still be needed as we start a new chapter at Redeemer, but it is a chapter that is filled with hope, anticipation and joy! Now, with a transition like this, change is inevitable. Change can be a daunting prospect, but it can also be a catalyst for growth, renewal, and spiritual vitality. I know we all will embrace this change with the same love and support that we will embrace Pastor Huehn, Kara, Abby and Andrew. God has blessed us in so many ways, and now with a new shepherd to lead us into what I know is an incredibly exciting future.

Pastor Huehn's Installation

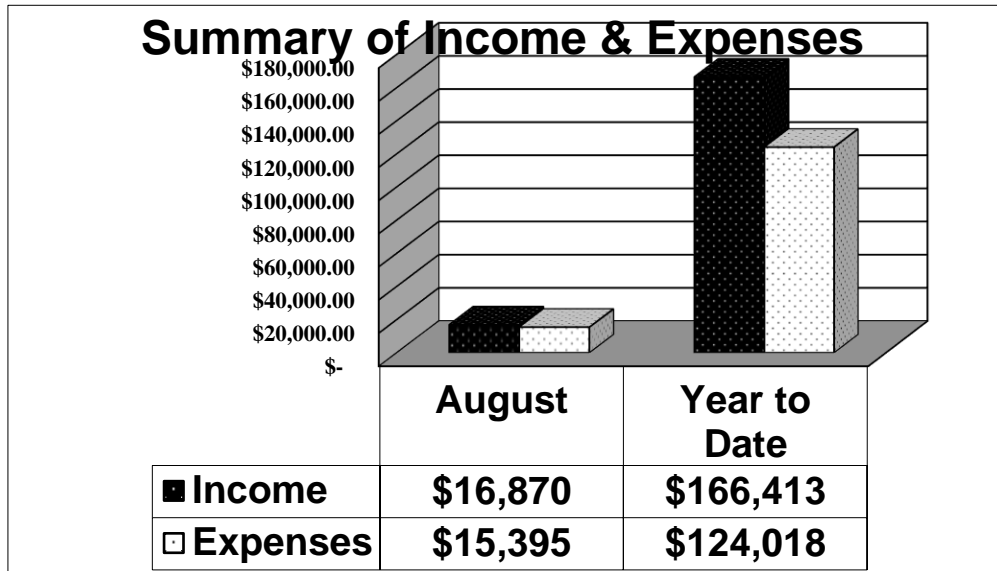
We are very excited to announce that Pastor Huehn will be installed at Redeemer on October 27th at 4:00pm. District President Rev. Eric Skovgaard will be preaching and a reception will follow the service. We would love to see as many congregation members as possible to help us celebrate this joyous occasion.

Pastor Huehn's Installation Dinner & Sign-Ups

We will be hosting a dinner following Pastor Huehn's installation on Sunday, October 27th. There are four sign-up sheets for this event:

- 1. We ask you to sign up if you are planning to attend the dinner.*
- 2. We are asking for donations of desserts for the meal, please sign up if you are able to donate a dessert. Please bring desserts on Saturday between 1-2pm or on Sunday morning.*
- 3. If you are able to help with set-up on Saturday afternoon, please sign up.*
- 4. We will also need help with clean up after the meal, please sign up if you are available. Men are welcome!*

Financial Update



Second Time Singles –

- Our October get-together will be Wednesday, October 16th. We will attend the Art of Tablesettings exhibit at the Rahr-West Art Museum. The exhibit this year is a special one as it is the 50th anniversary of this event. There will be 50 tables on display including some that are based on Ruth West's originals. After seeing the exhibit we will go out for lunch. Meet at the museum at 10:30 am. Please sign up by Tuesday, October 8th so reservations can be made for lunch. Questions to Joanne Thompson at (920) 684-7152.
- Mark your calendar for the Clipper City Chordsmen's Christmas Concert for Saturday, December 14th at 3 p.m. More information and sign-up sheets will be posted in early November.

Youth Group Shoe Drive

Looking for a win-win? Clean out old, gently worn or new shoes and donate them during our Shoe Drive. These shoes are collected and redistributed to micro-enterprises in developing countries where job opportunities are limited. What better way to reduce clutter than helping someone else put their best "shoe" forward! Drop off shoes anytime you visit church

through November 7th. The youth will hold a Community Drive on Saturday, October 26th from 9 am to 2 pm. If you would like to help spread the word, reach out to Amy Kamien for details or materials. amy.kamien@gmail.com or 920-973-7139



Youth Game Nights

October youth game nights are Wednesday, October 2nd, 16th, and 30th. Please contact Aaron Utecht if you have any questions:

Puzzle for October:

Haiku from Revelation 3:20

I stand at the door
And knock: I will come in to
Him and sup with _____.



Senior Choir & Handbells

- Senior Choir and Handbells are now beginning rehearsals for the fall months. Now is the perfect time for new members to join in the singing and ringing for our upcoming 2024-2025 worship services.
- Senior Choir meets on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. prior to the Sunday morning service in the conference room. The first Sunday rehearsal was held September 15th.
- Handbells will meet on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary.
- In addition, any instrumentalist or vocalist who might like to play or sing an anthem during a church service should contact Pastor or Gary Neustadter at 920-242-6489.

TRUNK or TREAT

Saturday, October 26TH from 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Redeemer will once again host a Trunk or Treat event for our preschool and neighborhood kids. Trunk or Treat is an alternative to door-to-door trick-or-treating. All you have to do is stand by your car and hand out treats to our little visitors. You can decorate your car if you want to, but it is definitely not a requirement to join in!

Please see the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center if you would like to reserve a spot for your car. We will also be accepting donations of candy, thank you!

You can contact Beth Utecht at 952-240-4817 with questions.

Book Club! Redeemer's Book Club will be meeting at church on Thursday, October 24th at 1 pm and Saturday, October 26th at 9 am. Books are available for sign out at the welcome center. All interested readers are welcomed. Any questions, call Lisa Battin 920-323-6456.



Join us at Sunday School!

Sunday School classes began on Sunday, September 17 but you can still join us! We will meet every week after Sunday morning worship service until about 11:00 am. Sunday School classes are available for all ages!! The whole family can learn every week. Light snack, music, lesson, and craft every Sunday! Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center at Church.

Fellowship Sign Up

A reminder that there is a Fellowship Sign-Up sheet in the rack. If your family or group would like to host fellowship after worship, please sign up for the week in which you are available to host.

Pastor Visit? Please note that if you would like a visit from a pastor, for any reason, please call the church office and Carrie will make sure to contact a Pastor and arrange a visit!

Sara Gahagan

904 S. 41 St., Manitowoc, WI 54220
(920) 901-1612 Birthday: Oct. 6

Sara moved to Manitowoc and joined Redeemer in 1993. Originally, she was born in Sheboygan and graduated from Sheboygan South. She attended LTC with a business degree. Moves then took Sara to Racine and Vicksburg, Mississippi where she kept involved in insurance, working 20 years in an office for real estate until 2014. She is now employed at Allstate Rigging in Two Rivers as an office manager.

Sara had attended Bethlehem Lutheran in Sheboygan so when she moved to Manitowoc she chose coming to Redeemer so she could continue with a Missouri Synod Church. Sara's siblings consist of three older married brothers who live in Marion, Jackson and Oostburg. The family enjoyed traveling together. Being a younger sister, her brothers were very protective of her.

Sara does not have much free time but enjoys gardening in her yard. She has gotten involved with stained glass, which is a very interesting hobby. She enjoys fishing and vacationed at Eagle River recently where she was proud of catching a 15" crappie. Sara has enjoyed playing tennis over the years.

Sara attends Monday night services. Perhaps, she would tell you about some of her fishing experiences.

October Birthdays & Anniversaries

Oct. 1 Johanna Harris, Joan Champeau
Oct. 2 Keith Gilbert
Oct. 3 Rose Ann Kuehne, Duane Zabel, Matt Conrad
Oct. 4 Sonja Hansen, Kari Stoker
Oct. 5 Larry Kretsch, Richard Konopacki,
Oct. 6 Kurk Bessler, Jane Boerst, Debra Braun, Sara
Gahagan, Lee Qualman, Kristy Schaefer
Oct. 7 Rachel Fricke, Shelley Yurk
Oct. 8 Matt Leicht, Dylan Neuser, Riley Neuser,
Karl Battin
Oct. 10 Ashley Seiler, D.J. Kielsmeier, Cari Larsen
Oct. 11 Tammy Hartwig, Chelsea Korte
Oct. 12 Abby Weidmayer
Oct. 13 Marcus Miglieri
Oct. 14 Makhi Etheridge, Autumn Gomm
Oct. 15 Lisa Bubolz, Evan Malueg, Riley Conrad
Oct. 16 Sara Erdmann, Justin Hafeman, Lynn Qualman
Oct. 17 John Brixius
Oct. 18 Tim McDougal, Kara Schneider
Oct. 19 Juanita Firgens, Pam Roehrig,
Oct. 20 Jesse Orth, Elly Luedtke
Oct. 21 Chris Magyar
Oct. 22 Mike Andrastek
Oct. 23 Amy Eisenschink
Oct. 24 Fran Beckman
Oct. 25 Lewis Kamien
Oct. 26 Ryan Qualman
Oct. 28 Claudette Quint, Eleanor Schneider
Oct. 29 Dan Kielsmeier, Calla Eichmann,
Madri Gregurich, Abigail Andrews
Oct. 30 Marti Conrad
Oct. 31 Cheryl Tougas



Oct. 2 Riley & Allison Neuser
Oct. 7 Ehrick & Amanda George
Oct. 16 Jim & Karen Beke
Oct. 17 Gerry & Judy Pieper
Oct. 19 Chad & Sara Erdmann
Oct. 23 Greg & Lisa McDougal
Oct. 24 Michael & Madri Gregurich
Oct. 25 Mike & Kim Andrastek
Oct. 26 Glenn & Sandra Gass
Oct. 31 Jim & Dawn Dabeck

* Shut-In

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Associate Pastor: Scott Hirssig (Phone: 920-629-2949)

October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1) Finance 8:15am Bible Study 9am	2) Game Night	3)	4)	5)
6) Worship 9am Fellowship Educ. Classes 10am	7) Worship 6pm	8) Finance 8:15am Bible Study 9am	9)	10)	11)	12)
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20) Worship 9am Fellowship Educ. Classes 10am	21) Worship 6pm	22) Finance 8:15am Bible Study 9am	23)	24) Book Club 1pm	25)	26) Book Club 9am Shoe Drive 9am Trunk or Treat 4pm
27) Worship 9am Fellowship Educ. Classes 10am Pastor Huehn Installation 4pm	28) Worship 6pm	29) Finance 8:15am Bible Study 9am	30) Game Night	31)	Nov. 1)	Nov. 2)

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