



HILLTOP HERALD-OCTOBER 2021

MONONA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

THE CHURCH EMERGENT

If you wish to schedule a group or event at the church, inside or outside, please contact Kay for the updated building use guidelines and forms. **We are following the Dane County Public Health mandate requiring masks be worn for all inside events.**

The office is open and staffed 9am-2pm, Monday through Friday. Pastor Paul and Mark Buffat are available for pastoral care both virtually and in-person for vaccinated individuals.

EARTH DAY - EVERY DAY

MUMC parking lot Saturday October 2, 10am until 2pm

All are welcome to this family-friendly event. The Trash Lab, created by the Dane County Department of Waste & Renewables in collaboration with Madison Children's Museum, will be here for you to check out.

- Reynolds Urethane Recycling will be collecting Styrofoam.
- Tour the Community Garden, learn about composting, and enjoy a Scavenger Hunt!
- Learn about sustainable living happenings in Monona
- Free fresh popcorn & lemonade!
- Support Equal Exchange fair trade products with your purchases!

MULTIGENERATIONAL CHOIR - CANCELLED

We will not have our Multigenerational choir share special music in October. We will wait until there is less transmission of the COVID virus.

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY - OCTOBER 3

World Communion Sunday is our yearly reminder that there is a unity and oneness given to us in Jesus Christ, and that God's will for the creation is peace and harmony. With threats of world violence, the needs of those who had to flee their home, and even divided Christian denominations, we are invited to the Communion Table as a political act that subverts the boundaries that separate people, as a sign of our unity and of God's love for all.

We will receive one of the special offerings designated by our denomination to support World Communion Scholarships, administered by the General Board of Global Ministries and Ethnic Scholarship and Ethnic In-Service Training programs related to the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry. Your generosity can help support the work of the worldwide church.

Communion in worship will use the traditional bread, but we invite you to fellowship where you will be able to try global breads while you are in community with each other.



PASTOR'S COLUMN

"WE WILL ALWAYS BE HERE"

On **Wednesday, October 6th at 6:30p.m.**, in our sanctuary, authors Jenny Kalvaitis and Krtisten Whitson will discuss their book, "We Will Always Be Here, A Guide to Exploring and Understanding the History of LGBTQ+ Activism in Wisconsin.

I first met Jenny and Kristen at a Fort Atkinson Rotary Club meeting. They presented their book and answered numerous questions. The Fort Atkinson Rotary Club represents a cross-section of the community, including a variety of religious and political perspectives. That Rotary Club appreciated Jenny and Kristen's honest and courageous sharing.

Jenny Kalvaitis has a Master's degree in Public History from Indiana-Purdue and works in museum education. Kristen has a Master's degree in Library Science and Information Studies from the University of Wisconsin-Madison,

When Jesus was asked, "What is the greatest commandment?" Jesus answered "...you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind and all your strength. The second is this, you shall love your neighbor as yourself." (Mark 12:28-34).

Loving God and our neighbors will always challenge us. The more we learn and understand each other's background and struggles, the better we will be able to love as Jesus demands.

Please come and join us next Wednesday, October 6th, at 6:30 p.m. Invite your friends, family and neighbors! Help us as we appreciate each other more!

Pastor Paul

BIBLE PASSAGES & THEMES 10:00AM SERVICE

October 3 - World Communion Sunday

"Jesus Gives Us Hope"

Paul Johnsen preaches on Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-9

October 10 – Peace with Justice Sunday

The Reverend Todd Marcotte, Chaplain to the Madison Area Jail Ministry, will share his experience with jail ministry.

October 17

"True Greatness"

Paul Johnsen preaches on Mark 10:35-45

October 24

"Healing Our Blindness"

Paul Johnsen preaches on Mark 10:46-52

October 31 – Ruth 1:1-18, Psalm 146, Hebrews 9:11-14, Mark 12:28-34

"We Can Do Better"

The Reverend Jim Scorgie will be our guest preacher. (Pastor Paul will be attending his niece's wedding celebration in Denver, CO.)



Join Us for
WORSHIP

WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SIGNUP

Since we are back in the sanctuary to worship weekly, we need to have our volunteers back as well. We have created a Volunteer Sign Up Genius listing with the volunteer jobs needed each week. We would especially like to fill: ushers and fellowship hosts. Please check your schedules and sign on using the link below. You can also send an email to the church office with your requested dates.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094DA8AE22AB9-volunteer>

PEACE WITH JUSTICE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2021



Speaker: Reverend Todd Marcotte, Chaplain to the Madison Area Jail Ministry

“A desire to provide hope and encouragement to those experiencing the crisis of incarceration led Chaplain Todd to jail ministry. He brings a unique perspective from having had adult children whose journey through addiction and mental health issues led them to their own encounters with the criminal justice system. Through a ministry of presence, Chaplain Todd hopes to help others find a spiritual pathway to freedom.

Prior to his role as the lead chaplain, he worked as a volunteer in the jail for 3 years leading religious services, facilitating a weekly Bible study, and serving as a Volunteer Chaplain. Rev. Marcotte has previously served as an associate pastor and as a district missionary, planting campus ministry chapters in Indiana, Pennsylvania and Duluth, MN. He holds a Master of Arts degree in Ministerial Leadership from Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University.

MAJM provides pastoral care through the work of our chaplain, volunteer chaplains, and ministry volunteers. Chaplain Todd leads a team of over 30 dedicated volunteers who understand that incarceration often results from ongoing self-destructive habits, mindsets, and behaviors. As such, the team encourages and aids men and women in their efforts to access support through counseling, Bible studies, support groups, as well as literacy training and provide resources for AODA (alcohol & other drug abuse) issues, education, and employment.”

Check out the Madison Area Jail Ministry web site at: <https://www.madisonjailministry.org/>
Take a look at the brochure and a couple of videos as well at:
<https://www.madisonjailministry.org/about-6>

Church & Society

OUR WEBSITE

Check out our improving website: www.mononaunitedmethodistchurch.org

- We have the recorded sermon available for an online Worship experience as well as our in-person worship. Check our website for more information.
- We have a **Giving** tab on our website to make a donation with your credit card or through your checking account.

OCTOBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

The Road Home

The Road Home Dane County provides opportunities for homeless children and their families to achieve self-determined goals and affordable, stable housing.

The Road Home Dane County (then known as Interfaith Hospitality Network of the Madison Area) opened their doors on April 26, 1999, as an overflow shelter for families who could not be served by the existing shelters. In the years that followed, The Road Home played a growing role in securing funds and support for affordable housing and providing case management to help families find and maintain that housing. In 2018, we phased out shelter to focus on housing and support services. A 501(c)(3) organization, they currently operate ten housing programs and serve over 200 families with children in Dane County each year.

The Road Home Dane County is committed to ending the issue of family homelessness in our community. This is accomplished by developing long-term relationships with homeless families with children that change lives. The agency works with families, not only to relieve the immediate crisis of homelessness, but also to build skills, resources and relationships that set the stage for long-term success. To accomplish this mission, they rely on the help and support of individuals, congregations, and businesses throughout Madison and beyond. The Road Home believes that for the greater good of our city and for humankind, they can and should join together to make a difference because every child deserves a home.

The Road Home is committed to working every day to fight injustices in housing and every aspect of life.

Please consider supporting this wonderful organization that works to strengthen our community in many ways. Please mark your check or online giving, "The Road Home".

Thank you and many blessings.
The Mission Team

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

As long as we meet in the sanctuary on Sunday mornings, we will have class in the library after the service, 11:30am-12:30pm. If the virus dictates that we are unable to meet in person, we will go back to Zoom again.

We are taking a look at Cokesbury / Faithlink, their Connecting Faith with Life series. Each topic costs the church ten dollars, no matter how many people want to receive copies and participate in the discussions. Join us when you can.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN INFORMATION

Friendship Circle - Wednesday, October 13 at 1:30pm in Fellowship Hall at church. Lynda Diers will be our host.

Faith Circle- Thursday, October 14 at 1pm in Fellowship Hall at church. Call Jan Wanek at 395-2433 with any questions.

UMW BAKE SALE

Mark **Sunday, October 17** to treat yourself and someone you love to a homemade treat. The UMW will have goodies for sale. A "Love Offering" container will be on the table for you to donate the amount you wish. Proceeds from the bake sale will go to support the UMW missions.

UMW MEMBERS

Attention all UMW members, baked goods/candy for the UMW Sunday bake sale may be brought to church on **Sunday morning, October 17**. Please have items packaged to sell and labeled with contents, ex. Brownies with nuts.

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Adapted from the Fair Trade Website

We at Fair Trade USA® believe that everyone wants to do what's right – for their families, fellow global citizens, and the planet. That's why we're committed to making the right choices the most obvious ones. Based on the simple idea that the products bought and sold every day are connected to the livelihoods of others, fair trade is a way to make a conscious choice for a better world. A choice for Fair Trade Certified™ goods is a choice to support responsible companies, empower farmers, workers, and fishermen, and protect the environment. In other words, it's a world-changing way of doing business.

When you see a product with the Fair Trade Certified seal, you can be sure it meets rigorous social, environmental, and economic standards. That means:

Safe working conditions

Environmental protection

Sustainable livelihoods

Community Development Funds

We measure progress in the tangible difference we're making in lives and communities around the world. That includes financial benefit to producers, stronger communities, improved livelihoods, and commitments made to the people in our supply chains.

Thank you all for your continued support of our UMW Mission by purchasing fair trade certified products.

Jackie Hull 608-576-7837

Karelyn Hopkins 608-577-3185

Coordinators for our UMW Fair Trade Mission

Please let us know if you have any questions or ideas for improvements.

HILLTOPPERS

The Hilltoppers group will be meeting on **Monday, October 11** at 11am in the church fellowship hall. There will be no food at this meeting and masks are required for the meeting.

The program will be given by Julie Wiedmeyer, executive director of the The River, a faith based organization which is considered southern Wisconsin's busiest food pantry. They also provide freshly prepared to go meals, and mobile lunches for children and adults in low income neighborhoods. They also have a "Food Bridge" program in which volunteers can deliver groceries or prepared meals to older adults in their homes. They started a new program in August called ePantry in which households have the option of ordering their groceries online.

This will be a very enlightening and interesting meeting.

READ 'EM & MEET



The book club will start meeting again on **Sunday, October 17 @ 2pm** to discuss, *Driftless* by David Rhodes at the home of Jenny Kinsler. Mary Neuman will provide dessert. **Visitors and new members are always welcome to attend.** There is a list of future meetings and the books to be discussed in the Narthex.

Join this fun and lively group!



STEPHEN MINISTRY

We are all facing different kinds of life challenges:

- isolation and loneliness
- anxiety over health
- grief
- juggling work, childcare and schooling responsibilities
- financial strain or job loss
- uncertainty about the future

But you don't have to go through it alone! If you or someone you care about is experiencing difficulties like these, our Stephen Ministers are ready to listen, care, encourage and be there to offer support. You can find out more by calling Mark Buffat at 608-335-5063 or Pastor Paul.

ALTAR FLOWERS

We welcome donations of flowers for our altar on Sundays. If you would like to give flowers on a particular Sunday, please contact the church office or use the volunteer Sign Up Genius link found in this newsletter. Flowers may be dropped off on Fridays during office hours, 9am-2pm or on Sunday mornings. Thanks for brightening up our worship space.

BOOKS IN THE ENTRY

We have some books from our library and previous Adult Sunday School classes that you are welcome to take, read and return. The UMW book shelf is also available to check out a book.

RIVER FOOD PANTRY

The River is currently accepting 18-count egg cartons until further notice. Also, The River is NOT accepting clothing or household items. If you have items to donate, please check with either Agrace or Boomerang. You are welcome to drop off egg cartons, paper bags, non-perishable food, or personal hygiene items at church daily from 9am until 2pm.

VIRTUAL CROP HUNGER WALK

October 18 – 25

CROP Hunger Walks are happening in a new way! To keep everyone safe and healthy, Walks are going virtual – either walking alone, with immediate, or a small group walking a safe distance apart.

The work of Church World Services (CWS) and our local hunger agencies continues – with the possibility of a global famine on the horizon, raising money for vulnerable people is more needed than ever.

Register for the walk or donate online: crophungerwalk.org/madisonwi

Gather your family and friends and create your action route:

- Spirit Walkers: Team members walk in Spirit
- Micro Walks: Families/small groups walk masked while social distancing
- Bike, Hike, Paddle, or participate in other safe activities
- Check online for additional ideas: resources.crophungerwalk.org/virtual-walks/

Reminder: 25% of funds raised stay local helping area food pantries and hunger organizations.

RESCHEDULED HYMN SING

Lake Edge Lutheran Church (4032 Monona Dr) is inviting all the Seeds of Peace congregations to a Hymn Sing on **Sunday, October 31** from 3:00-5:00 p.m. It will be held in their sanctuary. Keep your hopes high for “low COVID numbers”!

SAINTS DAY TO BE OBSERVED

Sunday, November 7 is All Saints Day, the day the church sets aside to remember those who have died during this past year, especially those from our fellowship and families. You are invited to email or call the church office with the names of people who have been a part of your life, who have died since last November. During the prayer time, we will read the names aloud as we light a candle for them.

FOOT CLINICS/VOLUNTEERS

Did you know that Monona UMC is hosting the NewBridge Foot Clinic in our Fellowship Hall three Tuesdays a month? NewBridge is partnered with Registered Nurse Gail Owens and Nail Technician Susan Hasey to provide foot care for older adults 60+. The cost is \$20 and we ask that you bring two towels. Appointments are required by calling (608) 512-0000.

NewBridge is also looking for a Foot Clinic volunteers to help with their foot clinics. Please contact Joe at NewBridge 608-512-0000- Ext. 2000 for more information.

NEWBRIDGE/MY MEAL MY WAY

The NewBridge meals sites are starting up again with some new options. The East Side/Monona location has lunch at Messiah Lutheran Church at noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays and breakfast/lunch at HyVee (East Wash.) from 10am until 1pm on Wednesdays and Fridays. Find more information on their website, including registration info: www.newbridgemadison.org/nutrition

JUST BAKERY

We can still enjoy the wonderful goodies from Just Bakery. Search for “Just Bakery” online to view their many products. You may call 608-598-0420 to place your order. Due to COVID-19 their store front is no longer open but their products are available for delivery in Dane County for a \$5.00 charge or you may pick up your order curbside on Saturdays (9:00 - 2:00) at 1708 Thierer Rd. Madison.

AGRACE HOSPICECARE

Agrace Offers Virtual Grief Support

In October, Agrace grief support specialists are offering in-person and virtual group grief support options:

- **Family Grief Support Group** meets at the Agrace Grief Support Center every other Tuesday, from 6 - 7 p.m. Dates vary, call (608) 327-7135 for details.
- **Grief on the Move** meets at the Agrace Grief Support Center October 5 and 19, from noon to 1 p.m. Attendees will walk along the Badger State Trail, weather permitting.
- **LGBTQ+ Spouse/Partner Loss Group** is a seven-week series that meets Tuesdays, October 12 to November 23, from 5:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. at the Agrace Adult Day Center.
- **Spanish Language Grief Support Group (virtual) / Serie de sesiones de apoyo para duelo (en línea) dirigida a hispanohablantes.** Sesiones en línea están los miércoles, del 8 de septiembre al 13 de octubre, de 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. No tiene que pagar nada.
- **Bridges (virtual)** meets online October 13 and 27, from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
- **COVID-19 Loss Group (virtual)** meets online October 6 and 20, from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Pre-registration is required for all groups. For details, fees or to register, visit Agrace.org/GriefGroups or call (608) 327-7118.

Agrace Seeks Volunteers in Dane County

Agrace is seeking volunteers across Dane County to visit with hospice patients, provide companionship for clients at the new Agrace Adult Day Center, support its Madison-area thrift stores, or assist customers at the Doc Rock Café. Volunteer orientation will take place at Agrace's Madison campus October 7, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., or October 18, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. **Pre-registration is required for either session.** Call (608) 327-7163 or visit Agrace.org/Volunteer to fill out an application.

FOR THE LOVE OF GOD'S CREATION

We are at a critical moment in history. Our world is in turmoil in so many ways. The pandemic continues to take lives, devastating numerous families. The corresponding economic crisis has led to the loss of millions of jobs, with skyrocketing unemployment insurance claims, and severe decline in economic growth. As the effects of systemic racism and underlying inequities are being exposed, our nation is coming to reckon with our racial justice crisis. And then there is the climate crisis, with worsening climate disasters displacing families, creating an ever-growing refugee stream, and upending local economies with future predictions of worse to come, if we don't act in decisive ways for the common good of all. Climate action is at the heart of President Biden's Build Back Better Agenda.

From the recent Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) report we have learned that we still have an opportunity to avoid catastrophic climactic impacts if we get on the path to a clean energy future now. We can preserve the status quo or we can invest, according to our Christian values with Social Justice and Creation in mind.

The different pieces of legislation before congress, **the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Bill** and **the Budget Reconciliation Plan**, weave together the idea of protecting our most vulnerable fellow humans and being faithful stewards of the Earth. This year we have a historic opportunity to shape the future we want, a safer climate, an equitable and inclusive economy, and a modern clean energy infrastructure that improves the lives of all Americans.

Please contact your legislators and share your opinions with them.

Let us do everything we can to care for this world. We are stewards of God's creation.

Siv Goulding for Church and Society

To contact your legislators by phone you could call the **Congressional Switchboard at 202-224-3121** during business hours. Or you could contact your **contact your Senators through** <https://www.senate.gov/states/WI/intro.htm>

Or **your House Representative through** <https://www.house.gov/representatives>. At these sites you will find phone numbers to call each legislator or direct ways to send an e-mail message.

...FOR THE LOVE OF GOD'S CREATION...

an easy recipe with fresh garden produce

TABBOULEH

Originally from the mountains of Lebanon and Syria, tabbouleh has become one of the most popular salads in the Middle East. It is an example of an edible herb dish that has been an essential part of the Arab diet since the Middle Ages.

Bulgur is the most exotic part of tabbouleh. It is the cracked parboiled groats of several different wheat species, most often from durum wheat. It does not require cooking. Soaking in water is all that is needed.

INGREDIENTS	DIRECTIONS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 cup bulgur • 1 cup boiling water • 3 cups finely chopped parsley • ¼ cup finely chopped mint • ¼ cup finely minced scallions • 2 medium tomatoes, seeded and diced • 1 medium cucumber, seeded and diced • ½ tsp salt • ¼ tsp ground cumin • ¼ tsp ground black pepper • 3 tbsp lemon juice • 3 tbsp olive oil 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combine bulgur and boiling water and let it soak for one hour. Drain well and squeeze out any excess water. • In a large bowl, combine drained bulgur, parsley, mint, scallions, tomatoes, cucumber, salt, cumin, black pepper and lemon juice. Chill for one hour. • Immediate before serving, add olive oil and toss well. <p>Makes 6 servings.</p> <p><i>Recipe from Bob's Red Mill</i></p>

CH&SOC, Siv Goulding

\$ Financial Report \$

Cash Flow August 31, 2021

General Fund	Month	Year to Date
Income	\$ 18,342	\$ 168,310
General Operating Expenses	22,410	161,517
Net Surplus (Shortfall)	\$ (4,068)	\$ 6,793

STEWARDSHIP - HELPING GOD'S KINGDOM COME ABOUT

(The Kingdom of God) "is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade." Mark 4:31-32

My two children have received an allowance for doing chores from the time they understood the concept of money. We paid them allowances, not because they needed the money, but because we wanted them to begin to understand that money is something to earn, not to just ask their parents for. We also wanted to begin to teach them how to manage money.

The lesson was very simple. When they were little, every Friday, I'd grab 10 dimes and sit down with them. We'd first take a dime, grab an offering envelope, put their name on it, and slide the dime in. The second dime would be dropped in their piggy bank, which we'd take to the local bank every few months. The other eight would go into their pocket or purse for them to bring with to the store when we went

I was once asked what difference those dimes given to the church really made. To which I responded, "To the church finances, I can't imagine anything. To my kids – more than I can explain. Every Sunday they put their envelopes in the offering plate with huge smiles on their faces. As they got older, when they made more money, they'd continue the same practice – along with reflecting on how they wanted to make a difference with their generosity. Would they give it all to the church? Would they give some to a mission or another non-profit that was making a difference?"

Watching them grow in generosity constantly reminds me that we all have a place in bringing about God's kingdom, whether what we have to offer is large or small. It's about the need of the giver to give, rather than the church to receive. Even a seemingly small act of generosity can grow into something beyond what we could ever ask or imagine.

Rev. Jason Mahnke

Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation, 888-903-9863 or www.wumf.org

The Life and Ministry of God's People In Monona United Methodist Church

October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Pastor's Day Off 4:15-5pm MG High School parade ends at MUMC	2 6-7:30am E.L. Prayer Vg 10am-2pm Earth Day/ Every Day- parking lot
3 World Communion Sunday <u>See schedule below</u> 9am Children's Sunday School 11:30 Adult Sunday School	4 6-8pm Girl Scout Troop	5 1:00 Staff Meeting 3-5:30pm Paper Moon Drama 6:30 Hand Bells Rehearsal-hall	6 2-4pm Caregvr support -Zoom 6:30 We Will Always Be Here Book discussion 6:30-8:00 E.L. Bible St-upstairs	7 1:00 Zoom Church / Society 6:30 Trustees	8 Pastor's Day Off 3-8pm Paper Moon Drama	9 6-7:30am E.L. Prayer Vg
10 <u>See schedule below</u> Peace with Justice Sunday 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 9am Children's Sunday School 11:30 Adult Sunday School	11 11am Hilltoppers 6:30 Stephen Ministry	12 9:30-12:15 NewBridge Foot ClinicF.H. 1:00 Staff Meeting 3-5:30pm Paper Moon Drama	13 1:30 Friendship Cr-Fellowship Hall 3-8pm Paper Moon Drama 6:30-8:00 El Libertador Bible Study-upstairs	14 1:00 Faith Cr at church 6:30 SPRC at church	15 Pastor's Day Off 3-4:30 Girl Scout Troop-Hall 6-8pm Paper Moon Drama	16 6-7:30am E.L. Prayer Vg
17 <u>See schedule below</u> UMW Bake Sale 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 9am Children's Sunday School 11:30 Adult Sunday School 12:30 CROP Wk 2 Read / Meet	18	19 9:30-12:15 NewBridge Foot ClinicF.H. 1:00 Staff Meeting 6:30 Finance	20 10-11 RSVP Knit 'N Stitch-Hall 6:30-8:00 El Libertador Bible Study-upstairs	21 1:00 Zoom Church / Society	22 Pastor's Day Off 6-8pm Paper Moon Drama	23 6-7:30am E.L. Prayer Vg
24 <u>See schedule below</u> Staff Appreectn Newsletter Ddln 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 9am Children's Sunday School 11:30 Adult Sunday School	25 10:30am-3pm Monona Quilters-F.H. 6:30 Stephen Ministry	26 9:30-12:15 NewBridge Foot Clinic-F.H. 1:00 Staff Meeting 6:30 Ad Council	27 6:30-8:00 El Libertador Bible Study-upstairs	28 Pastor Paul vacation thru November 3	29 6-8pm Paper Moon Drama	30 6-7:30am E.L. Prayer Vg
31 <u>See schedule below</u> 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 9am Children's Sunday School 11:30 Adult Sunday School	<u>SUNDAY SCHEDULE</u>				NEWSLETTER DEADLINE Newsletter Deadline October 24. Information arriving after the above date may not be in the November newsletter. Remember, you can FAX your article to 222-2395 or email to secretarymumc@sbcglobal.net	
	10:00 Worship 11:00 Fellowship 1:00 El Libertador Worship in Spanish					

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Worship 10:00am

WE WILL ALWAYS BE HERE

**A Guide to Exploring and Understanding the
History of LGBTQ+ Activism in Wisconsin**

Join us on **Wednesday, October 6 at 6:30pm**
in our sanctuary for a book discussion with
authors Jenny Kalvaitis and Kristen Whitson.

Admission is free and all are welcome.

Books will be available to purchase.

Masks are required.

Register to attend: Online or In-Person.

Registration for in-person is appreciated but
not required.

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608-216-7457

