



Second Worship Service and SUNDAY SCHOOL begin September 11th!



Starting Sunday September 11, the Worship Design Team has decided to begin offering an 11:00am worship service in addition to our 9:00am worship service. They will be the same service, just at two different times. We are hoping that anyone who finds the 9:00am worship service too early can now find a home at the 11:00am worship service. If that describes you, or someone you know, come to the 11:00am worship service beginning September 11!

Also, that day will begin the Sunday School year for ages Pre-K-5th grade, with Sunday School offered from 10:00-10:45am.

Please spread the word! This will be a great entry point for people of all ages.

“Having Words With Jesus”

Worship Theme Begins September 11

What words would you have with Jesus these days? Maybe we want to argue, or turn away, or give up. Or maybe we really want to know, to spend some time in his presence to understand and to explore, and finally, to hear. This is a call to listen again, even to the more difficult passages that we sometimes want to skip over. Join in this month as we have words with Jesus in worship.

Rally Sunday with Backpack Blessing!

Come “back to church” on Rally Sunday, September 11, 2022!

Children and youth are encouraged to bring their backpack to be blessed. Come join in as the program year begins and join in for Sunday School or Youth Group. (programming schedule for youth to be announced soon!)



When you pray, please remember-

Home - Janet Andrea, John Hirst, Donna Holmes, Dawn Jacobson (sister-in-law of Kristi Rogers), Lorraine Libbey, Dan Olson, Kelli Peters (daughter-in-law of Mary Ann Peters), Joe Robinson (son-in-law of Connie Schultz), May Ross

The Deerfield Arbor - Nori Steffen

The Deerfield Gables - Dana Craig, Marlene Hanson, Joe Langer

The Deerfield - Bob & Mary Hanson, Lorene Jameson, Karen Langer

St. Croix Health Center - Don Breid

Christian Community Home in Hudson - Cheri Shumaker

Preferred Senior Living of Ellsworth - Pat Allegar



Would you like a Phone Call or Visit?

If you would like to hear from Pastor Jeremy, please feel free to call or email him at: 1-651-783-2433 or pastorjdeaner@gmail.com

Hospitalizations

If you go into the hospital please let us know at church, especially if you would like to hear from Pastor Jeremy or Maybelle Hall. The hospitals cannot tell us if you are there, so the only way that we know is if you call or email us at: 715-246-2464 or newrichmondwiumc.org
Pastor Jeremy's cell # is 1-651-783-2433.



Prayer List

If you or a loved one would like to be placed on our Prayer List, please call the church office. Please pray for those on the prayer list in the weekly email and monthly newsletter.

Pastoral Care Team

Last year, we began a calling team to offer support to members and friends of New Richmond UMC during the pandemic. This ministry has blossomed into what we are now calling the Pastoral Care Team. The Pastoral Care Team is available to call, visit, or write notes to support our members, friends, and people at home. They support Pastor Jeremy in helping the congregation feel cared for and connected. Additionally, each team member will be having some training for providing basic pastoral care. A member of the pastoral care team may already have contacted you to say hello and see how you are doing, and if not yet, they will. This is a great way to have a listening ear from a member of your church, and a way to let the church know of needs for prayers or visits from the team or from Pastor Jeremy.



Ways to enjoy worship at New Richmond UMC

Our Mission is: Building bridges to discipleship by connecting, growing, and serving.

Our Vision is: Compassionate, God-centered community serving all people.



SUNDAYS AT 9:00AM & 11:00AM

Join us for in-person Sunday worship in the sanctuary. Communion is served the 1st & 3rd Sundays each month and offered to everyone.



Watch worship live-streamed each Sunday, beginning around 9:10am, or watch at your convenience later in the week.

To find us online, go to www.YouTube.com and search “New Richmond United Methodist Church” and our channel will appear in the results. Not only can you watch these sermons on your mobile device, but most smart TV’s with internet have access to YouTube.



In-Person Worship Guidelines

At their July meeting, your Church Council affirmed the current in-person worship guidelines to allow for continued safety and also a greater degree of normalcy, including Communion with one loaf of bread, handed out, given with individually portioned grape juice and a reminder that we both take attendance at the door and invite you to begin filling out the connection card in the bulletin again. We continue to urge patience and grace, with your church, with others, and with yourself as we all continue to do our best in these times!

Worship begins at 9:00am and 11:00am. The 9:00am service will be live-streamed around 9:10am. This allows for a fuller in-person worship experience while helping the live-stream not be too long.

Thank you to the Church Council and Worship Design Team for their thoughtful and prayerful work as we navigate these times together. Be well!



Prayer - Faith - Action - Sisterhood

United Women in Faith supports a variety of mission projects, locally and globally. One of the local recipients of our support is the St. Croix County Health Center Activities Program. On Thursday, September 8 at 9:30AM, Cindy Prokash, a recently retired Director of Activities of SCCHC, will share with us her experiences of how various activities enrich the lives of residents of the nursing home and assisted living facility. Activities such as music, woodworking, caring for plants, crafts, games, drama, cooking, baking, field trips, art, and exercise are part of the experiences available in a well-developed activity program. There is added cost to many of these activities. There will be time for questions after her presentation. She may also bring her guitar and share an activity with us! All women are invited to attend and learn about this local mission we support!!!!

Our first Fall meeting on Thurs., Sept. 8, at 9:15 a.m. in the parlor is coming soon. We are excited to begin a new season of renewed ministry. Some of our work is internal, such as reviewing our support lists, and updating how we serve funeral lunches and organize the Rummage Sale. Some of our work is educational as we have monthly programs informing us of needs in the world. Some of our work is missional as we support numerous ministries that are local, state and national through our fundraisers. Yet our first goal is to center ourselves in the Word and love of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who came into our world so that all people might live life fully on this earth.

If you are interested in finding out more about the UWF ministry, or are interested in joining, contact me at: dwbreid@frontier.com, or at 715-246-4883. God's peace to you.

-Ruth Egerer, UWF President



WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP?

Do you have a talent or attribute you could use to help others? As part of our Connect, Grow and Serve initiative, your Church Council has decided to create a directory of people who will share their talent or attributes with others in our congregation. This can be anything from yard work, sewing/hemming, handyman work, rides to appointments or anything else you're willing to do to help others. The possibilities are endless! There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the gathering area, or you can call or email Kristi in the office. This is a great opportunity for community connection within the church and to serve others.

Do you sing in the shower? Do you sing in the car? Are you a King or Queen of Karaoke?

If so, then you are ready to sing in the church choir!!

Here are some reasons to sing in the choir:

- We can express our love of God and sing to His glory!
- We make new friends
- We all support each other
- We have fun too!
- You can become a part of a good group of People!!

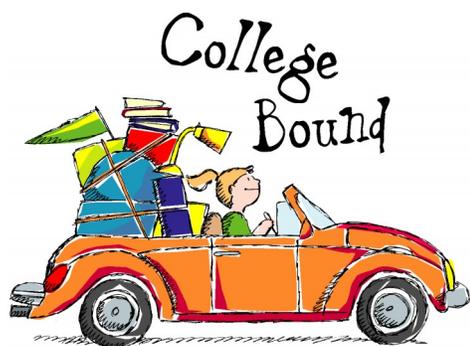


Ask anyone who sings in a choir, and they'll tell you it's good for both the brain and the body. Singing is great for your health and great fun too!! Mixed ability and experience welcomed, no need to read music. Choir is open to 7th graders to age 100+!! If you have a spirit of praise and a song in your heart, the Church Choir is for you!!

We begin Sunday, September 18: Warm-up at 8:30am and Practice at 10:00am, both in the parlor (upper level meeting room, past the restrooms).

Feel free to contact Jill Thomas with any questions, 715-246-2878 or jillthomas5@nwcomm.net

**SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS
SEPTEMBER 11
AT 10:00AM
FOR ALL
PRE-K - 5TH GRADERS!**



Is your son or daughter headed off to college next month? Maybe they'll be living at home while attending college. Either way, we'd like to add them to our group of college kids so we can send them care packages throughout the school year, as a way of keeping them connected to church and letting them know we're thinking of them. Please contact Kristi in the office or Jill Thomas with their address info. Thank you!

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

| | | |
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| 1 Judy Bakke | 10 Pastor Jeremy Deaner Art Sachse | 21 Randy Amundson Maggie Westmoreland |
| 4 Susan Amundson Gary Turnipseed | 11 Lynn Barnhart | 23 Charles Balcerek Mark Mayry |
| 5 Lilia Henke | 12 Anna Hop | 24 Sue Gillis |
| 7 Julie Eickhoff | 13 Carolyn Craig Connie Schultz | 25 Bryan Hop |
| 8 Eric Bohl Oliver Hoogheem Luke Melby | 14 Liam Johnston | 28 Pat Davis Fay Kopp |
| 9 Mary Ann Campbell Craig Carlson | 16 Sharon Beebe | 29 Dean Augustine Minerva Barnhart Betty Komula |
| | 17 Gerald Amundson | |
| | 18 Mike Ballard | |
| | 19 Ruth Spoo | |



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| 2 Scott & Heidi Herron | 21 Bryan & Erin Johnston |
| 3 Ryan & Janelle Stephens | 25 Dale & Pegi Fleming |
| 11 Dee & Pat Davis | 28 Andy & Laura Westmoreland |
| 13 Gene & Barb Arnst | 29 Fred & Pat Zeiler |
| 20 Don & Sue Amundson Charles & Erica Balcerek | |



**OUTDOOR WORSHIP
WITH
COMMUNION AND BLESSING OF THE PETS**
Sunday, October 2 at 11am
on the church lawn

Join us for outdoor worship! Bring a chair or blanket and don't forget your furry (and not-so-furry) friends for Blessing of Pets!



SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE UPDATE

During our collection of school supplies at the end of July through mid-August, we collected over 1,400 items PLUS \$180 in monetary donations! A BIG thanks to all who donated!

-Nancy Refsnider
Community Outreach Committee



Relay for Life Pancake Breakfast

Thank you to everyone who attended the pancake breakfast fundraiser on August 21st. We raised a total of \$320 for the American Cancer Society! -Jill Thomas, Team Leader

THE C.O.M.E. COMMUNITY MEAL

The Community Outreach Meal for Everyone (C.O.M.E.) is BACK! The meal is now held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 5:00-6:00pm in our fellowship hall. The meal is FREE and open to everyone in the community. Local churches and other organizations participate by taking turns planning and cooking the monthly meals, which are all held at our church.

NEXT MEAL: Tuesday, September 13
Faith Community Church will be cooking and serving this month.



If you belong to a group or organization that would be interested in organizing a meal, please talk with Kristi in the office for more information.



NR UMC Relay for Life Team Upcoming Fundraisers



Wednesday, October 12

Chili Dinner

in fellowship hall
4:00-6:00pm



Sunday, December 18

Bake Sale

in the gathering area,
before and after worship

Team meeting schedule:

Monday, October 3

Monday, March 6, 2023

All meetings are at 6:30pm at the church.
New team members are always welcome!



Ways to stay in touch with church

Email: newrichmondwiumc@gmail.com

Website: www.newrichmondwiumc.org

Facebook Page: [Facebook.com/newrichmondwiumc](https://www.facebook.com/newrichmondwiumc)

YOUTUBE: Simply search for:
"New Richmond United Methodist Church"

Church Membership

If you would like to join the church, please talk with
Pastor Jeremy.

**NEW RICHMOND UMC
2022 FINANCIAL REPORT**

January - July 2022



General Budget

Income 112,865

Expenses - 142,855

- 29,990

(2021 amount was - 21,065)

Extra Mile Contributions:

Church Maintenance/Repairs 6,410

Community Outreach 1,230

SPOTLIGHT ON STEWARDSHIP



We are moving into a new stewardship focus called **Be a Light!** This past year and a half has been hard, but we can be lights for each other and the world. The light of Christ lives in each of us and is ready to be unleashed to bring healing. Your church is ready to do this with you, but the church is the people, you are its lights. How can you use your gifts of time, talent, and money to be a light this year?

GIVING OPTIONS

To continue to support the church's mission and ministry during this time, we have a few options for you. Please contact Kristi Rogers in the church office with ANY questions.

1. Online Giving on our Website-

We have added a NEW online giving option to our website called "GIVE+" by Vanco Payment Solutions. We've used Vanco for over 10 years as a convenient way for our members and friends to give to the church electronically on an on-going basis. It is safe, simple, and offered at no cost to you. Now, with GIVE+, you can donate to the church using your checking or savings account at any time. To access GIVE+, you just click on our church's link that can be found on our website: www.newrichmondwiumc.org, click the link on the home page, then go through the steps. You can choose a one-time gift or reoccurring gifts. You only need to create a sign-in account if you plan to set-up reoccurring payments.

2. U.S. Mail- Our mailing address is: P.O. BOX 277, New Richmond, WI 54017

3. Electronic Giving-

If you would like to sign-up for our regular reoccurring electronic giving program with Vanco, please contact Kristi and she'll send you a form. You can make changes at any time by contacting her.

NR UMC Electronic Giving

Electronic Giving is a safe and easy way to contribute to the church. All you need to do is fill out a form that I have in the office, and I'll take care of the rest. You can adjust it at any time and there is no cost at all to you. If you're interested, please give me a call, 246-2464.

-Kristi Rogers, Secretary



IRA AND STOCK GIFTS

There are significant tax benefits for giving to the church directly from your IRA or other retirement account. Also, if you have stock and would like to make a gift to the church from it, our United Methodist Foundation can process those gifts without any fees. Please contact Kristi if you are interested in giving to the church in either of these ways.



SCRIP CARDS CAN BE USED FOR GIFTS OR EVERYDAY EXPENSES!



With the help of over 750 stores/brands, it turns our everyday shopping into earnings for our church. Not only can you use Scrip cards for your personal every day purchases, but they also make great gifts! Many of the cards are re-loadable too, like Kwik Trip! Don't have a computer or want to shop online? Contact Kristi in the church office (715-246-2464) or our Organist, Mary Jensen (715-222-0586) and they can place your order for you! It's super easy and not additional cost to you.

Every store/brand gives a rebate percentage- normally between 2% and 16%, and they often run specials for even more! The rebate amount comes directly to our church when a card is purchased at its face value. For instance, if you order a \$100 card and the rebate on it is 4%, the church receives \$4 and you still receive the card for its face value of \$100. It's a Win-Win! It's easy, it's rewarding, and it fits perfectly into your busy lifestyle.

Instant Access to eGift Cards

In addition to physical gift cards, ShopWithScrip offers ScripNow® eGift cards for over 400 brands. eGift cards are perfect for last-minute or unplanned purchases, like dining out or a quick trip to the mall. You have access to the scrip you need whenever you need it. Place your eGift card order on ShopWithScrip.com or on MyScripWallet.com on your mobile device. When you pay for your eGift cards with online payments (credit card or a linked bank account), you'll receive the eGift cards immediately. All of your eGift cards are housed in your wallet on ShopWithScrip and on your phone in MyScripWallet. You can print eGift cards and present them like a physical gift card in the store or redeem them from MyScripWallet. Redeem them online by entering the card number and PIN when you're checking out. You can also send a ScripNow eGift. It's easy to customize the eGift with a personal note, and send it to anyone, anywhere, with an email address. Our eGift card selection is growing all the time. See the complete list of available eGift card brands by clicking on the [Shop](#) link at the top of the page, and selecting the ScripNow card type on the left, or viewing the eGift Card card type on MyScripWallet.

To order online, go to: www.shopwithscrip.com

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User Name: nrumc19

Family Access #: 1E4EF7AB64749



When setting up your account, you will add a bank account or debit/credit card for your purchases. From there, you can then order:

- * **e-Cards**, they will email you your card, you print it off and bring to the store to shop;
- * **Download** cards into your Scrip App on your smartphone;
- * **Physical plastic gift cards** will be mailed to Mary Jensen, coordinator, then she gets them to you.



NEW RICHMOND
UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH

September 2022

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| <p>715-246-2464 Email: newrichmondwumc@gmail.com Website: www.newrichmondwumc.org</p> | | | | 1 | 2 Office Closed | 3 |
| <p>4 9:00 Worship with communion 10:00 Coffee Fellowship</p> | <p>5  Office Closed</p> | <p>6 9:30 Day Away respite</p> | <p>7 9:30 UM Men's Coffee at The Deerfield 1:00 Card Group 6:00 Staff Parish Committee</p> | <p>8 9:15 United Women in Faith "The Walk" Book Study at Deerfield (time tbd)</p> | | <p>10</p> |
| <p>11 RALLY SUNDAY! 9:00 Worship 10:00 Coffee Fellowship 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Worship</p> <p>BACKPACK BLESSING AT 9:00 & 11:00 WORSHIP 5:30 Scouts</p> | <p>12 12:00 Staff meeting 5:30 Finance Comm. 6:00 Grief Support 6:30 Riverside 4H</p> | <p>13 9:30 Day Away respite 9:30 Grow Group: Spiritual Life Friends 5-6pm C.O.M.E. Community Meal</p> | <p>14 9:30 UM Men's Coffee at The Deerfield 10:30 Pastoral Care Team 1:00 Card Group 1:00 Head Start</p> | <p>15 "The Walk" Book Study at Deerfield (time tbd)</p> | <p>16</p> | <p>17</p> |
| <p>18 8:30 Choir warm-up 9:00 Worship with communion 10:00 Coffee Fellowship 10:00 Sunday School 10:00 Choir practice 11:00 Worship with communion</p> | <p>19 6:00 Grief Support</p> | <p>20 9:30 Day Away respite 1:00 Worship Design 6:00 Trustees 7:00 Church Council</p> | <p>21 9:30 UM Men's Coffee at The Deerfield 9:30 Piece Corps Quilting Group 1:00 Card Group</p> | <p>22 "The Walk" Book Study at Deerfield (time tbd)</p> | <p>23</p> | <p>24</p> |
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