



August 2021 Newsletter

Flushing Presbyterian Church

Worship: 10 AM year round C.E. 11:15 AM Sept - May Be the Church Opportunities Year Round (see inside)
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The Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) of Flushing Presbyterian Church is unanimously presenting Paul Pfeuffer as nominee for Pastor of Flushing Presbyterian Church. You are invited to come and meet with him and his family at a dinner and reception on Saturday, August 14th, at 5:00 PM in Fellowship Hall. On Sunday, August 15th, Rev. Paul will preach for us in our pulpit.

A Called Meeting of the Congregation will take place on Sunday, August 15th, immediately following worship, for the purpose of voting on the call of Paul J. Pfeuffer as Solo Pastor of Flushing Presbyterian Church and to approve his Terms of Call.



Join us! The Member Care Team invites you to join us for our first fellowship event since the beginning of the pandemic. We will gather on Wednesday and Thursday, August 18-19, 5:00 – 7:00 PM in our pavilion for an Old Fashion VBS for adults and children. The evening will start with a simple dinner (hot dogs or sloppy joes), followed by worship, games, crafts and a devotion. Bring a lawn chair and participate as you are able. Friends are welcome and all help will be gladly accepted (we are especially in need of a song leader). **Please RSVP by Monday, August 9th** (especially if you want enough to eat!!) to the church office or Shirley Sanborn, 659-6192.

We are currently collecting school supplies for local children in need. You can help by placing back packs, crayons, pencils, pens, scissors, glue stix, spiral notebooks, erasers, etc. in the large box in the Narthex. Cash contributions for purchasing school supplies will also be accepted - be sure to indicate "School Supplies" on the memo line of your check. **The deadline for donating supplies is Sunday, August 15.**





The Red Cross will be holding a Blood Drive at our church on Monday, August 2, from 12:00 - 5:45 PM. To schedule an appointment to donate blood, log onto redcrossblood.org, sponsor code: Flushing Community or call 1-800-Red-Cross (1-800-733-2767).



Our annual *Blessing of the Backpacks* will take place on Sunday, August 29th during the worship service. Bring a backpack, satchel, tool kit, sewing bag, work bag or representation as we ask God to bless our efforts in daily life.



Outdoor
Worship
Service

Outdoor Worship Services in August

We will be having our worship services outdoors in our pavilion in August. Bring a folding chair for comfort, if you would like, and dress casually for a non A/C environment (in the event of inclement weather, we will move indoors). Come and enjoy worshipping the Lord in God's great outdoors!



Please note that our office hours in August will be from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM, Monday through Thursday. The office is closed on Fridays.



Guest Pastors' Schedule

The following schedule has been established for pastors for August:

- August 1 - Max Hayden
- August 8 - Max Hayden
- August 15 - Paul Pfeuffer
- August 22 - Julianne Princinsky
- August 29 - Julianne Princinsky





This Month's Schedule

August 1

Communion Preparer: Julie Socha

Flowers:

Sound Board Operator: Brett Albert

Ushers: Karen & Steve Howe, Mark Jacobson

Lay Leader: Joyce Hudson

August 8

Flowers:

Sound Board Operator: Scott Tucker

Ushers: Kathy Miller, Dennis Sanborn, Bill Weiss

Lay Leader: Lynette Daig

August 15

Flowers:

Sound Board Operator: Randy Socha

Ushers: Gary Albert, Mark Jacobson, Natalie Lucas

Lay Leader: Sandy Tucker

August 22

Flowers:

Sound Board Operator: Scott Tucker

Ushers: Mike & Sylvia Keeler, Randy Socha

Lay Leader: Mike Keeler

August 29

Flowers:

Sound Board Operator:

Ushers: Brett Albert, Kaye Kaufherr, Dennis Sanborn

Lay Leader: Chris Albert



August

- 4 Norm Dickenson
- 5 Brenda Hollenbeck, Kathleen & Roy Rhoads
- 9 Brett Albert, Elle B
- 10 Dan Radspieler
- 13 Dan & Flora Radspieler
- 14 Sandy Snyder, Helen & Norm Dickenson
- 16 Beverly & Bob Blair
- 17 Carole Noye
- 18 Kelly Stein
- 21 Beverly Tuttle
- 25 Dean & Pat Bemis
- 26 Michael & Sylvia Keeler
- 29 Kay Hall, Janet & Bill Ballagh
- 30 Marty & Bob Williams



Financial Highlights

Average 2021 Collections	\$3,136
Average June Collections	\$3,243
Average 2020 Collections	\$3,069
Average needed for 2021 Budget	\$3,173



FLUSHING CHRISTIAN OUTREACH CENTER

The special focus items requested by the Flushing Christian Outreach Center (FCOC) for August are canned fruit and toothpaste. If you can help by providing these items, or any other non-perishable food or personal care items, there is a collection basket for the FCOC in the shelving unit just outside of the kitchen.



STAY CONNECTED WITH WEEKLY UPDATES

EMAIL UPDATES

If you would like to receive weekly email updates about prayer requests and upcoming events, please contact Kay Hall or the church office. You will then be put on the email list. You may request to be removed from the list at any time. Please note that your email will not be published or given out without your permission.



Lectionary Readings

August 1: 2 Sam. 11:26-2:13a and Ps. 51:1-12; Exod. 16:2-4, 9-15 and Ps. 78:23-29; Eph. 4:1-16; John 6:24-35

August 8: 2 Sam. 18:5-9, 15, 31-33 and Ps. 130; 1 Kgs. 19:4-8 and Ps. 34:1-8; Eph. 4:25-5:2; John 6:35, 41-51

August 15: 1 Kings 2:10-12, 3:3-14 and Ps. 111; Prov. 9:1-6 and Ps. 34:9-14; Eph. 5:15-20; John 6:51-58

August 22: 1 Kings 8:1, 6, 10-11, 22-30, 41-43 and Ps. 84; Josh. 24:1-2a, 14-18 and Ps. 34:15-22; Eph. 6:10-20; John 6:56-69

August 29: S. of Sol. 2:8-13 and Ps. 45:1-2, 6-9; Deut. 4:1-2, 6-9 and Ps. 15; James 1:17-27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Flushing Presbyterian Church 2021 Session

Budget & Finance

Brett Albert
Steve Howe

Community Outreach

Carol Dulin
Sylvia Keeler

Member Care

Denise Churchill
Shirley Sanborn

Property Team

Scott Tucker
Bill Weiss

Spiritual Growth

Julie Socha
Carrie Younkin



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Communion	2 12:00 PM - Blood Drive	3 6:00 PM - GFWC (Flushing Women's Club) 6:30 PM - Michigan Chorale Rehearsal	4	5	6 Church Office Closed	7
8 Noisy Offering	9 3:45 PM - Member Care 6:30 PM - Girl Scouts 6:30 PM - Spiritual Growth	10 1:00 PM - Tuesday Book Club, Kathy's Restaurant 6:00 PM - GFWC (Flushing Women's Club) 6:30 PM - Property 6:30 PM - Michigan Chorale Rehearsal	11 10:00 AM - Community Outreach	12	13 Church Office Closed	14
15	16	17 6:30 PM - Michigan Chorale Rehearsal	18 7:00 PM - B & F <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 5px auto;">-----VBS for Adults & Children----- 5:00 – 7:00 PM (Includes Dinner)</div>	19	20 Church Office Closed	21
22	23 6:45 PM - Session	24 6:30 PM - Michigan Chorale Rehearsal	25	26	27 Church Office Closed	28
29 Blessing of the Backpacks (During Worship)	30	31 6:30 PM - GFWC (Flushing Women's Club) 6:30 PM - Michigan Chorale Rehearsal				

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