



BASHFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

October 21, 2018

8:45 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Service

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WORSHIP LEADERSHIP TODAY:

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Amanda Stein

Deacon: Rev. Kory Douglass

Pianist/Organist/Director: Brian Johnson

Song Leader (10:30): Jesse Harrison

Liturgists: Gail U. - 8:45; Beck Family - 10:30

Ushers: Jan F., Dick F. & DuWayne H.- 8:45;
Beck Family - 10:30

Greeters: Arnie & Joanne B. (back);
Barb S. (front) - 8:45; Jim & Yvonne C. - 10:30

ANNOUNCEMENTS: **Please silence your cell phones*

This Week at Bashford:

- Mon.** - Knit & Crochet Group at 1:00 PM in Fireside
- Church Council at 6:00 PM in Room 3
- Forward Marching Band at 7:00 PM in Sanctuary
- Boy Scouts at 7:00 PM in Room 7
- Tues.** - Nominations Meeting at 10:00 AM in Fireside
- AA Group at 6:00 PM in Fellowship Hall
- Wed.** - Ecumenical Meeting at 1:00 PM in Fireside
- Madison OEC at 5:30 PM in Fellowship Hall
- EENA/EPNA Planning Meeting at 5:30 PM in Room 3
- Girl Scouts at 6:30 PM in Room 4
- Thurs.** - Adult Bible Study at 12:00 PM in Room 3
- Handbells at 6:00 PM in Handbell Room
- Cub Scouts at 6:30 PM in Rooms 4, 7 & Fellowship Hall
- Choir at 7:00 PM in Choir Room
- Fri.**
- Sat.** - Fall Clean-up at 9:30 AM - come prepared for outdoor work
- Sun.** - Sermon Series Begins

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- Oct. 28** - Trick or Treat for Unicef - kids invited to wear costumes
- Nov. 4** - All Saints Sunday - 8:45 Special Recognition
- Nov. 8** - Wills & Memorials Meeting
- Nov. 11** - A Service to Honor Our Veterans - 8:45 Special Recognition
- Nov. 18** - Celebration Sunday - turn in pledge cards
- Nov. 19** - Charge Conference at Bashford
- Nov. 22-23** - Office Closed in observance of Thanksgiving

WELCOME VISITORS!

Please see the following to enhance your worship experience-

- Prayer Request Cards in the pews have welcoming info on the back
- Nursery care is available during both services (ages 0-5)
- Busy Bags for children at the back of the sanctuary
- LARGE PRINT bulletins and hymnals available; ask ushers

Sunday Conversations—Fireside Room 9:50-10:25

This week we will have a talk-back about the sermon that was offered in the first service. Come for a preview of second service's sermon, or to talk about the sermon you just heard!

New and (maybe) Improved Name Tags!

Nametags are a challenge in churches. There is "remembering" the nametag; feeling "comfortable, and not awkward with the nametag.. There is also "I don't like the pins on the back, they ruin my shirt" or "The clips on the back don't work for t-shirts or women's blouses."

And so, in attempts to better care for you, the office of Bashford UMC is rolling out the new and improved "magnet" option!! If you would like your nametag changed over to a magnet, instead of the clip, please simply drop your tag in the offering plate. The ushers will bring them into the office following worship and by week's end they will be returned to the boards outside of the sanctuary. We are here to help and serve you! Blessings!

Sign Up to Help Sell Pumpkins

We are still looking for volunteers to take a shift or multiple shifts selling pumpkins. It's easy, as I'm sure those who have already sold can attest. We are in particular need of afternoons, evenings and weekends. Sign up online by going to this link and putting your name down for a particular time.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yoh9pvHVGD4PHJ2t2nZoNxIQAd-wBLLwa-4VBN4r1V0/edit#gid=0>

We in the office offer a big THANK YOU to those who have already sold and to those who will sign up to sell in the future. We have already taken in over \$1,600 and have earned over \$400 for ourselves!

Toys for the Children of Rosebud

The Bashford Mission Committee designated the month of October to collect NEW toys for the Rosebud children to receive this Christmas. There will be a bucket under the Mission Board in the hallway where you can place your toys. We need small toys, games or books for children from age 1 through their teens. Try to keep the price under \$20.00 and please, no electronic or battery operated toys. If you would prefer to give a monetary donation to help defray the cost of postage, that would be appreciated.

UNICEF/HALLOWEEN

Sunday, October 28th is UNICEF. The children will be collecting money after each service. Please bring your loose coins!

Parents, please have your children wear their Halloween costumes.

Thanks, Miss Paula

No Mini-Service This Month!

In light of All Saints' Day coming up in November, there will be no Service of Remembrance at the end of this month. We look forward to honoring in a few weeks those who have passed on into God's loving care.

Also, as there has often not been strong interest in the mini-services, they may be occurring less frequently in the future. Stay tuned for future updates on mini-services.

Last Chance to Sponsor a Walker for Crop Walk

The 2018 CROP WALK will be Sunday, October 21. It begins at 1:15 at First Congregational UCC. (1609 University Ave.) It is a 1 mile walk around Camp Randall and funds raised go to fight hunger around the world and around the corner. To participate, pick up a sponsor packet from Barb Stapelmann and start getting people to sponsor you or sponsor a member of our church. So far, Pastor Amanda, Mary Lu A., Barb S., Paula F., Katie K. and Ryan K. plan to walk. Join us too! We will carpool to First Congregational Church. For questions call the church office: 608-249-9222.

Church Women United - World Communion Day

November 2, 2018

Reaching for Wholeness in Harmony with God's People

9:00 AM Refreshments; 9:30 AM Welcome & Announcements;

10:00 AM Worship Celebration

Mt. Zion Baptist Church - 2019 Fisher St., Madison

Lay Servant Roundup

Friday, Nov. 9th 6:30 - 9:30 PM and Saturday, Nov. 10th 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM.

Basic and advanced classes are being offered. Registration fee is \$25.00.

Registration forms are in the education center outside the office. Deadline to sign up is Nov. 1st. Classes will be held at Monroe UMC 2227 4th St in Monroe.

Scholarships are available.

AARP Driving Class

Bashford will be hosting an AARP driving class on Thursday, November 8th.

The cost is \$24.95 for non-AARP members and \$19.95 for AARP members.

Space is limited. To sign up, please contact Barb or Kory in the office.

**In our prayers, we embrace those recently hospitalized, ill,
or in special need...**

Sharon R.; Bob M.; Paul W.; Betty .; Jim D.;

Gerry & Donna N.; Helen V.; Greg S.;

Lawrence A. (nephew of Wayne Q. - kidney failure);

Our 2 Stephen Ministers in training - Marla D. and Dorothy T.

This week we also pray for Hazel Green,
their clergy Roy Lewis and the 73 members.

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Amanda Stein

Coordinator of Adult Ministries & Congregational Care: Rev. Kory Douglass

Office Manager: Barb Koston

Director of Music: Brian Johnson

Nursery Caregivers: Paula Fulton & Linsey Vander Plaats

Custodians: Dave Stewart & Mike Beck

For Pastoral Emergencies: Pastor Amanda Stein 608-338-8240