The Spire

November 2024







A Message from Our Pastor, Pat Pluss...

I came across this joke and it made me smile: A little boy and his family were having Thanksgiving dinner at his grandmother's house. When he sat down at the

table he started eating right away. His mother quickly asked him the wait until they said a prayer. The little boy replied, "We don't need to pray at Grandma's house. She knows how to cook."

The older I get the more I love the holiday of Thanksgiving. Perhaps it is because the older I get the more grateful I am, or maybe it is because the focus is so simple: food, family, and gratitude! It is a reminder to be intentionally thankful.

An old hymn by Johnson Oatman Jr. repeats the phrase, "Count your blessings, name them one by one. Count your blessings, see what God has done." Being thankful requires us to take a moment and reflect on our lives and consider what God has given us.

When we take time to reflect on the blessings in our lives it helps us to consider that which we often take for granted. It may be family or friends, a warm home, a vehicle that runs, or a clean, cool drink of water.

Being intentional about gratitude has significant effects. It takes our focus to God and away from ourselves and current circumstances. It deflects the hint of despair and distrust in difficult times. It keeps pride at bay, when we think I don't deserve this. And reminds us that God is with us and working out His purposes in both good experiences but also the painful ones.

Having our focus on God also reminds us not just what we are thankful for, but most

importantly who it is that gives us reasons to be thankful! We read this in Revelation 7:12 – "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen" (ESV).



May you count your blessing each and every day and give thanks to the God who makes them all possible.

Please join me in worship each week as we praise our God.

Wishing you a blessed Thanksgiving,

Pat

A New Crochet Class - NOTE: The time change!

Barb Anderson will be offering two classes on how to crochet a dish cloth - perfect to sell at our December Blessing Bazaar, to use for gifts, or for use in your own kitchen! Everyone is welcome!

The classes will be held:

- * Thursday, November 7, 9am 11am
- * Thursday, November 14, 9am-11am
- ➤ Please bring a size H crochet hook and a skein of cotton yard (Sugar 'n Cream, etc) We will meet in fellowship hall. Everyone is welcome to join us!

Men's Community Breakfast -

Please remember our Men's community breakfast each month. A delicious meal is served, and a time of devotion and discussion takes place too! **Invite someone and join us ~ all are welcome.**

- Saturday, November 2 8am
- Saturday, December 14 8am (Due to the Cookie Walk/Blessings Bazaar on 12/7)
- Saturday, January 4 8am
- Saturday, February 1 8am
- Saturday, March 1 8am
- Saturday, April 5 -8am
- Saturday, May 3 8am

Confirmation -

- Our next meeting is **Wednesday**, **November 6**, **6pm 7:30pm**. This is for students and mentors.
- > Saturday, November 16 9am 12noon students meet at Green Cares Food Pantry (Monticello), 422 South Garfield Street, Monticello. We will be working at the pantry in a variety of ways. Students may be dropped off and picked up at the Monticello pantry.



Thank you for your support of our Bingo event – we had to pivot at the last minute due to a cancellation at the Glarner Lodge. Bingo took place in our fellowship hall, and a good time was enjoyed by everyone!

All Saints Day -

On Sunday November 3rd we celebrated All Saints Day at our 9am worship service. It is a day we remembered those Christians of our faith community who have gone before us in the previous year.

This year in worship we reflected and lit a candle for:

Kim Pluss, Merlin Boley, Jeanette Rupnow, Katie Elmer, Dottie Mauerman, Eugene Dahlk, Carol Holmes, Dick Lunde, Marie Vetterli, Gilma Ott, Marie Reuter, Ronald Pierce.

A representative for each saint who passed away in the previous year, was invited to come forward to light a candle, and a chime was rung in the honor of all the loved ones also, who had passed during this past year.

REMINDER - Swiss UCC has Medical Equipment available for your use --



Swiss United Church of Christ in New Glarus has opened a Medical Equipment Mart. We became aware that many people don't have access to or cannot afford needed medical equipment after a procedure or accident. We are both collecting, and distributing new and gently used medical equipment. Items such as wheelchairs, canes, walkers, crutches, shower aids, commodes, etc. are both accepted and loaned out.

Please contact our church office at **608-527-2119** for more information on how to donate or borrow medical equipment. Arrangements can be made to drop off items that are clean and in good working order. If you aware of anyone who needs medical equipment, please spread the word. Thank you! God Bless.

Mission Committee - Upcoming Fundraising Events --

- We will be holding another Blessings Bazaar, (since it was such a success last year), in conjunction with Swiss Church's annual Cookie Walk, which will be held on Saturday, Dec. 7th, 8 am noon. "Special Thanks" to all the ladies who helped out during our morning of friendship and fun recently, making Crafts for our upcoming Blessings Bazaar. Be sure to check out all the many samples on display in Fellowship Hall, that will be available for purchasing at the Blessings Bazaar. Also, be sure to check out the beautiful Swiss UCC calendar that is available to purchase and place your order(s) on the provided sign-up sheet. Again, all sales will be donated to upcoming mission projects.
- Did you know 703 million people in the world live without clean water? That's nearly 1 in 10 people worldwide. Or, twice the population of the United States. The majority live in isolated rural areas and spend hours every day walking to collect water for their family. Not only does walking for water keep children out of school or take up time that parents could be using to earn money, but the water often carries diseases that can



make everyone sick. But access to clean water means education, income and health - especially for women and kids.

<u>Swiss UCC</u> is proud to join with Charity Water and make a goal of totally funding a clean water well for an area of need!

Here is a note from the Charity Water website: "The 100% Model": When charity water began, we made a bold promise: 100% of public donations would go directly to fund

sustainable clean water projects. We'd even pay back credit card fees, meaning if a donor gave \$100 with a credit card and we got only \$97, we'd make up the \$3 and send the full \$100 to provide clean water for people in need. Since we treat the clean water projects and operations sides of our business differently – separate purposes, separate fundraising goals and separate bank accounts, we can guarantee that every public dollar donated helps bring clean water to people in need. And so far, more than 1 million people from 100+ countries have given in this way!

Swiss UCC Mission Committee will be working diligently to raise funds – hopefully by Easter 2025 to provide a clean water well for an area in need! The Blessing Bazaar and Christmas Tree sale are our first two projects!

Thank you for your support!

Veterans Day is a time for us to pay our respects to those who have served in the past and in the present. We stand united in respect to you, our veterans from all branches. Take a moment during the day and thank someone around you who served for their sacrifice, bravery, love of country, willingness, and the example they set for us all for the common good of our nation.

"...Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go." -Joshua 1:9



Universal Prayer for Veteran's Day --

We ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light.

(Prayer provided by www.ucc.org)



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Giving Statement

Swiss United Church of Christ PO Box 97 New Glarus, WI 53574-0097

Dear Swiss United Church of Christ,

Gifts of congregations like yours to OCWM Basic Support make it possible for our Conference to support and strengthen local churches and leaders. We do this through programs like the recent Regional Youth Event.

Over the summer, young people from Wisconsin and neighboring states gathered at Augustana College in Rock Island, Illinois, for an event called "Love is Greater than Fear." Many came from congregations with few teenagers. But at the Regional Youth Event, they connected with peers who shared common values.

Some came with a feeling of vulnerability. Some had not been away from home or their families before. Some faced some anxiety; everyone reached out with a sense of acknowledgement and acceptance of this vulnerability. "I found the care and support beautiful to watch," said Lisa Hart, associate conference minister for faith formation and justice ministries. "Church at its best!"

One of the many highlights of RYE was the shared focus on what binds us, rather than what sets us apart. The young people celebrated their individuality while acknowledging their collective journey, finding strength and comfort in the realization that each of us faces unique struggles.

"The Many" provided a unique worship experience that combined movement and experiential prayer practices. Another moving episode was the Flamy Grant Concert, a memorable first experience for many with a drag performance, filled with faith testimonies and an expansive idea of God's love.

Young people engaged in a service project with Church World Service, assembling 500 CWS Period Packs. This initiative was a part of a broader focus to ensure that menstrual hygiene products are accessible to those in need. "I was inspired by the dedication and giving spirits of the youth," said Rachel Kessel of CWS. "They had so much fun with this project, and they really knew that they were making a difference with the local and global communities."

Thank you for the gifts of your congregation to OCWM Basic Support, which supports youth programs and much more in our Conference.

Faithfully yours,
The Rev. Franz Rigert, Conference Minister

Attention - Bakers and Workers - Cookie Walk - Dec. 7th -

On Saturday, December 7th from 8:00 am - 12:00 Noon we will be hosting our annual Christmas Cookie Walk.

The time for dropping off your baked goodies (TBD) will be noted in an email sent out from the church office through the Realm application.

If you are interested in helping Friday with set-up or during the event on Saturday, please contact Heidi Mondloch at heterotemanage, please contact <a href="https://example.c

Invite your friends and neighbors to our SUCC Cookie Walk & Blessings Bazaar!

"We Welcome Everyone" --

There is a sign leading up the driveway at Swiss Church that says, "We Welcome Everyone".

When you read this, what does it mean to you? How do you think we all can uphold this statement?

Welcome: to greet in a warm and friendly manner.

Everyone: every person, everybody

Welcoming everyone means including and accommodating people who have historically been excluded due to race, gender, sexuality, ability, political affiliation, etc.

With the holidays approaching, we can be hopeful that many visitors will join us at Swiss Church. Families may have guests that they bring to church, tourists may be in town and visit us on a Sunday, college students that were confirmed at Swiss Church may be home, families searching for a "church family" may be visiting to see if Swiss Church is a good fit.

What are some easy ways that we can make all our guests feel welcome?

- * Maybe seeking out unfamiliar faces, welcoming them and introducing yourself.
- * Invite them to return and to a special event we are hosting.
- * If families with children visit, welcome them to Sunday school and childcare.
- * As church concludes, seek out guest musicians or pastors and thank them.
- * Invite our guests to coffee hour or breakfast.
- * Maybe sit in a different pew, and greet those you may not know well.

There are many ways we can "Welcome Everyone", and be an inclusive congregation that we can all be proud of.

Swiss Church has so much to offer for everyone. Hopefully we will go above and beyond to provide gracious hospitality to everyone who enters Swiss Church, and make them feel so welcome that they want to return!

Sincerely,

Chris Kiesz Member of Consistory

NOVEMBER

Calendar of Events 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Reminder – Please call the SUCC church office, if you need to stop by in person, during our scheduled office hours, so we can assist you. Thank you! – Swiss UCC church staff Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday – 10 am – 2 pm Friday: Closed						
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*SS-Sunday School						Men's Community Breakfast – 8am
All Saints Sun. 3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9:00 am Worship* & live-streamed 9:15 am-10 am Children's SS* All Saints Day Celebration in Worship – 9am NG Home Service 10:30 am			Confirmation - 6pm - 7:30 pm Confirmation students and mentors	Bible Study Glarner Lodge – 10am Crochet class 9am-11am		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
9:00 am Worship* & live-streamed 9:15 am-10 am Children's SS*	Veteran's Day		Mission Committee meeting – 7am 6:30 pm Executive Committee	Required Clergy meeting 9:30am- 11:30am Crochet class 9am-11am		9am-11am Confirmation Class working at Green Cares
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
9:00 am Worship* & live-streamed 9:15 am-10 am Worship Comm. Meet – 10am	Spire deadline - Please turn in as many articles as possible, by TODAY, due to Thanksgiving next week. Thanks!	Goal – Please turn in as many Spire articles as possible by today! Thanks!	Property Committee Meeting – 6:00pm Fellowship hall			
9:00 am Worship* & live-streamed 9:15 am-10 am Children's SS* ** Mannerchor singing in worship	CONSISTORY ARTICLE (for the Spire) DUE TODAY – THANK YOU!	26	27	28 Thanksgiving	29	Christmas Tree Mission Drive 30 Christmas Trees for sale at Denny & Rachel Baker's property – to benefit Charity Water Mission Drive— 9am – 2pm



November Joyful Celebrations

Anniversaries

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2	Kim & Brenda Bright	8	Michael & Barbara Krauss
3	Jack & Bonnie Roberts	25	Bob & Sherry Bergum
7	Gary & Carrie Krahenbuhl		
7	Bill & Mary Anne Oemichen		
			Birthdays
1	Kristin Klossner	14	Kelly Fredrickson, Kyle Frederickson, Rudy
			Gerber, Pam Cox
3	Melanie Fink, Jaclyn Kempfer, Anita Klassy,	15	Ronald French
	Reese MacLean		
5	John Schadewalt, Bev Hoesly	17	Rob Ready, Barbara Anderson, Arlene Marty
6	Shelly Truttmann	18	Betty Henning
7	Jessie Fink	23	Zander Hauser, Barbara Bright
8	Bob Bergum	24	Dianna Truttmann
9	Diane Elmer	29	Karly Ready, Dane Schmitz, Jackson Sidwell
10	Finley Hubbard	30	Kaitlin Whitish, Beau Alderman

We are truly very sorry if we missed your anniversary or birthday. The information is taken from Realm the church database. Contact the office, so we are aware of your special day, and we will be sure to add it our database application.

North Stairway Closed

The outdoor steps, leading up to the church from 4th Avenue, will be <u>CLOSED</u> from approximately mid-November through mid-April (depending on the weather). Closing the stairwell helps protect our property from damage that would otherwise be caused by salt. Chains will be in place to help protect **YOU** from potential injury – please do not bypass them. Members and visitors are encouraged to enter the church directly from the handicap accessible entrance on the north side, or through the south doors. Your cooperation helps prevent unnecessary falls.

STAY SAFE IN THE WINTER -

Use your discretion during the winter months regarding your attendance at worship services. Extreme lows in temperature plus the wind chill factor can make for dangerous situations. Please use extreme caution when large amounts of snow/ice are present, too. If weather officials are recommending travel "only if absolutely necessary", most likely all church activities will be cancelled.

How will I know if Swiss Church Services been cancelled?

Michael Krauss, Myles Gruenenfelder

- Listen to local radio stations: WEKZ 1260AM or 93.7FM
- Check your email or our Facebook page.

Thank you for your donations to the Hurricane Relief

In a recent request to support the Hurricane Relief through the UCC Conference we are proud to report that the contributions received through our Swiss UCC church office as of November 1st, balance: \$2,935. We so appreciate your willingness to help out with the request for those in need. Thank you!

MEMORIAL DONATION --

* In memory of Ruth Wyttenbach designated to the Undesignated Memorial Fund

A THANKFUL HEART OVERFLOWS WITH

Generosity

Here are a few different ways to give and support our ministry...

<u>CHECK -- Make a check payable to either Swiss United Church of Christ, Swiss UCC or Swiss Church.</u>



You may designate a specific fund such as General, Property, OCWM, Cemetery or a different fund on your memo line of the check.

<u>DIRECT AUTOMATIC FROM BANK ACCOUNT</u> -- Please call the church office to complete an authorization form to authorize a monthly donation from your bank account and return to Financial Secretary with a voided check.

<u>ONLINE --</u> Click the GIVE button on our church website at <u>swisschurch.org</u> Enter the amount you want to give, select a fund and enter your email address. Click GIVE and enter your payment method to complete the transaction.

TEXT -- Text SWISSCHURCH and the amount to 73256.

Click the link you receive in your text message response.

Select a fund, enter your email address and payment information to complete the transaction.

Thank you for your generous support of the work of Swiss UCC!

Swiss UCC Consistory Meeting Minutes September 25, 2024

<u>Attending:</u> Kim Bright, Jon Ziltner, Chris Kiesz, Jessica Swan, Nicole Sidwell, Steve Rossing, Ron Legler, Gary Krahenbuhl, Pat Pluss. **Absent:** Rachel Baker

The meeting was called to order by Kim Bright at 6:32. Pat Pluss led us in prayer.

Agenda:

Heidi Mondloch moved to approve the agenda; Jon Ziltner seconded. Motion carried.

Approval of Consent Agenda and Checks

Chris Kiesz moved to approve consent agenda; Nicole Sidwell seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report for Financial Statements ending August 31, 2024

Treasurer's Report for Financial Statements ending August 31, 2024 Actual income for August was \$14,418 and expenses were \$20,908 for a net loss of \$6,440. Year-to-date income is \$160,270 and expenses are \$151,500 for a net profit of \$8,770. Last year through August the net profit was \$8,752 almost the same as for 2024. OCWM contributions are over 80% of the pledged amount of \$10,000. Cemetery checking and savings account have a balance of \$15,788. The only expense in August that was unusually large and unbudgeted was for the replacement of a section of piping for the fire sprinkler system at a cost of \$2,125. Respectfully Submitted, Jon Ziltner

Old Business:

1. Discussion of Property Insurance
Discussed property insurance quotes by Church Mutual and Mosher and Associates. We currently have Insurance
Board; however, our agent is out of state. Our current deductible is \$5,000, current premium is \$19,585 with a 10%
increase expected next year. Church Mutual has premiums, but a much higher deductible. Insurance on Zwingli is
currently approximately \$4,000. We can have liability insurance without covering the building. We have had no problems
with claims in the past with Insurance Board.

Kim Bright moved to stay with our current carrier, Insurance Board; Heidi Mondloch seconded. Motion carried.

Heidi Mondloch moved to reduce coverage on Zwingli to only liability insurance; Nicole Sidwell seconded. Discussion proceeded about the possibility of the need to insure the contents of the building. Verified that gas and water are turned off, electrical is still in place for outdoor lights to prevent vandalism. Motion carried.

2. Pastor's Report

- Pat provided an update on the confirmation schedule.
- Pat requested time off on October 8 and 9. No vote required.
- Pat reported that a meal train will be provided when a church member returns home from the hospital after an
 extended stay.
- Discussion about hosting an anti-human trafficking seminar provided by the Green County Abuse Prevention Team.

Jessica Swan moved to host the human tracking seminar at SUCC on October 16; Ron Legler seconded. Motion carried.

Additional Old Business

- **Update on pipe issue**: None of the leaks have been in the antifreeze portion of the sprinkler system, there have also been no leaks in the area where there is water flow. Another meeting will be held on 10/1. Ahern Plumbing was recommended by Dave Jones Plumbing.
- Nursery update: There was a gap found in the insulation, this will be corrected.
- Church Clean Up: Scheduled for October 5.
- **Cemetery Update:** Last two meetings have been productive. The village has approved \$200,000 in borrowing in addition to our funds to seed an endowment fund.
- Stewardship: On hold until fall meeting
- **Update on Music/Online Taping Supplies**: Reviewed the requests from Ben for needed equipment. Kim Bright provided update after looking at online company called Sweet Water for pricing of the supplies. Kim put together a purchase order request to present to consistory. Planned Giving (innovative ministries) is able to provide additional funding above the \$1000 that is budgeted which is \$522.00.

Jessica Swan moved to approve funding of \$1522.00 for purchase of equipment that is currently being borrowed from Ben; Jon Ziltner seconded. Motion carried.

- Update on signing of document for background checks: All documents have been signed. Jessica Swan will follow up
 with Nicole Sidwell and Pat Pluss to proceed with initiating background checks for Sunday School teachers, Confirmation
 sponsors, and Sunday morning daycare provider.
- **Pulpit Supply:** Discussed options for guest pastors and the possibility of developing a contract for professional pastor to fill in when Pat isn't available.
- Sanctuary Screen: Table until more information is acquired.
- **Library Update:** No further information available at this time.
- Memorial Gift: Consistory reviewed Planned Giving bylaws. Jon Ziltner will inform Planned Giving of the memorial gift.

New Business

- **Handicap Parking Permits:** Marlis renewed 4 handicap parking permits for members to use to assist members of the congregation with mobility/community access. Chris Kiesz will announce this during church.
- Access to Church during festivals: Kim Bright met with the police department regarding 4th Avenue being blocked off recently and church members not being able to access parking during service. Kim spoke with Jeff at the police department and was provided assurances that we will have access to parking for church members during services.
- Kilby Counters: Heidi Mondloch will complete Kilby Count.
- Safe Conduct Policy: Heidi Mondloch will read and summarize prior to next meeting.

Motion to adjourn at 7:40 PM by Kim Bright; all voted in favor. Respectfully submitted by Jessica Swan

	2024 YEAR TO DATE FINANCIAL SUMMARY							
	General Fund							
	2024	2024	2023	2024	2024	2023	2024	BUDGET
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	NET	NET
	INCOME	INCOME	INCOME	EXPENSES	EXPENSES	EXPENSES	INCOME	INCOME
January	\$19,427	\$20,512	\$14,898	\$18,978	\$20,543	\$18,404	\$449	-\$32
February	\$25,888	\$15,968	\$21,565	\$20,567	\$19,185	\$18,517	\$5,321	-\$3,217
March	\$30,268	\$29,376	\$24,184	\$18,274	\$19,809	\$18,820	\$11,994	\$9,567
April	\$15,460	\$21,929	\$25,832	\$17,664	\$18,656	\$17,617	-\$2,203	\$3,273
May	\$20,305	\$16,020	\$17,245	\$20,223	\$19,822	\$20,052	\$82	-\$3,802
June	\$18,039	\$15,316	\$15,594	\$17,854	\$20,441	\$20,224	\$185	-\$5,125
July	\$16,466	\$20,666	\$20,846	\$17,033	\$17,347	\$15,959	-\$567	\$3,319
August	\$14,418	\$15,695	\$16,030	\$20,908	\$17,813	\$17,849	-\$6,490	-\$2,119
Sept.	\$17,756	\$16,244	\$15,946	\$19,408	\$20,677	\$20,689	-\$1,653	-\$4,433
October			\$16,998			\$17,196		
Nov.			\$15,946			\$18,751		
Dec.			\$41,490			\$22,432		
YTD	\$178,026	\$171,726	\$246,573	\$170,909	\$174,294	\$226,508	\$7,117	-\$2,569
BENEVOLENCE DONATIONS		OTHER FUND FINANCIAL SUMMARY			Balance as of 9/30/2024			
	OCWM	Non-OCWM		Net Income				
	Restricted	Restricted	Cemetery	Property	Endow	General		\$38,392
January	\$1,152	\$1,373	\$72	\$900	1st Qtr	Property		\$105,907
February	\$1,002	\$5,601	\$91	-\$6,850	Income 4,242	Restricted	i	\$77,215
March	\$777	\$2,689	\$701	\$9,940	Sales 11,513	Cash Reserve		\$105,952
April	\$752	\$268	\$111	\$1,020	2nd Qtr	Cash Rese	rve CD	\$50,902
May	\$1,407	\$1,410	-\$1,354	\$5,925		Cemetery Checking		\$2,775
June	\$887	\$4,104	-\$665	\$1,495	\$3,467	Cem. Savings		\$12,073
July	\$857	\$837	-\$1,939	\$415		Cem. Perp	oetual Care	\$58,147
August	\$1,277	\$2,580	-\$1,064	\$1,130		Endowme	nt Fund	\$619,304
Sept.	\$834	\$11,265	-\$276	\$1,238	\$3,206	Debt Obligation		\$0
October								\$1,265
Nov.								
Dec.								
YTD	\$8,945	\$30,126	-\$4,324	\$15,213	-\$598			
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gender, ethnicity or national origin, physical and developmental status, faith background, family structure or marital status and share our common communion with all, regardless of race, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression. abilities, age, educational background, economic or social Mission...Our faith leads us to affirm all persons. We celebrate

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