



HILLTOP HERALD-JUNE 2017 MONONA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH & IGLESIA METODISTA UNIDA EL LIBERTADOR

SEEDS OF PEACE EVENT - "LET'S TALK ABOUT IT"

About what? Immigration ... travel ban ... the wall ... Muslims and others ... refugees ... social security ... health care ... racism.

Have you worried about the current political climate?

Have you talked about President Trump's words and actions?

Are you concerned about the country's present and future?

Here's an opportunity to gather and talk about specific topics that arise from today's realities.

For: Anyone in the community.

Where: Monona United Methodist Church, 606 Nichols Road, Monona, WI 53716

When: Wednesday, June 7th at 6:30 PM

FARM STAND AT MONONA UMC JUNE 15, 2017, 4-7PM

John and Linnea Phillips are organizing a Farm Stand in the MUMC parking lot on Thursday nights this summer! They will be selling a wide range of produce from their organic farm and donating 10% of their gross sales to the church. There are so many opportunities to grow this idea into really creative and wholesome activities for the entire community! Contact Linnea at linneaphillips@gmail.com if you might want to participate in a farm stand committee or would like additional information.

PEACE WITH JUSTICE SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2017

The General Board of Church and Society (GBCS) challenges United Methodists to work in areas of important social concern and develops resources to inform, motivate, and train United Methodists on issues of social justice in the society. Peace with Justice Sunday, according to the UM Books of Worship & of Discipline, is to be illustrative of the nature and calling of the church, specifically be a witness to God's demand for a faithful, just, disarmed, and secure world. In line with these directives, on Sunday, June 18, our Church and Society Work area is planning the worship service to highlight water.



While many of us in our country take water for granted, water and sanitation around the world is far from a given. Water has always been of utmost importance to all of life on earth and figures prominently both negatively and positively in the scriptures. Thus drought was described as punishment from God. Rain could be viewed as a sign of God's goodness but also be associated with danger and death. Water overall was important for cleansing both literally and symbolically as God's blessing and spiritual refreshment. - Hope to see you on June 18, for us to focus on water together.

(Church and Society Work Area)



PASTOR'S COLUMN

There is a wonderful book by the writer, dancer, and Episcopal priest Nancy Roth in which she writes about the relationship between gardening and prayer. Our congregation is so blessed to have a marvelous community garden on our property, and as I see it spring to life these days I think of Roth's insightful words about what she learns from her garden, and how that gives rise to a new kind of prayer.

As I kneel at the edge of the vegetables, plunging my hands into the soil, I am also learning new things about prayer. I am learning that nature itself prays by being absolutely true to itself—"Glorify the Lord, all you works of the Lord"—and that being true to myself is a way of prayer. The garden is teaching me that the earth's need for healing demands my intercession and prayerful action. It is teaching me how to grow the seeds of hope, and how to utilize the debris of life's sorrows. It is teaching me about living and about dying. It is teaching me that my spirit flourishes when I meditate upon God's creation. It is teaching me, along with organic gardening, *organic prayer*.

"Organic prayer" offers me a helpful metaphor both for my contemplation of God and for my attempt to live in harmony with God's creation. Organic prayer, like the life it tends to produce, is rooted in the "soil" of our experience: the feel of the earth under our feet, our place as *homo sapiens* on that earth, and our intuitions of the holy. Our religious traditions were first based on such experience; when we trace the roots of these traditions, we find flesh-and-blood people working, playing, thinking, and praying. Scriptures, doctrines, rituals, and ethics are revitalized when we realize this. When we dig into the soil of experience—both our own and our ancestors—we are likely to discover that prayer becomes natural: an "organic" response of the human being to God rather than an activity we need to be taught.

This metaphor for prayer helps me to practice contemplative gardening. When I gaze upon our vegetables and flowers, I take note that my prayer needs to be grounded in reality, that I need to be open to those gifts of God that give me life and nourishment, and that I need to guard against those sins that spoil the fertility of the earth and the well-being of its creatures. (Nancy Roth, *Organic Gardening: A Spiritual Gardening Companion*)

Roth goes on to name the characteristics of such organic prayer: how it integrates us and helps us discover God's presence in new ways, how it opens our hearts to compassion and bears fruit in our lives. Whether or not you are a gardener, the notion of organic prayer that springs from the soil of our experience in the world is a promising one, I think.

In addition to our community garden, this month we will be starting an exciting new venture with a farm stand in the church parking lot on Thursday evenings at 4-7 PM! The kick-off is scheduled for June 15th, and I hope to see you there.

My prayer is that you will enjoy God's blessings this summer in all the gardening and praying you may do.

Christ's peace,

Pastor Brad

BIBLE PASSAGES & SERMON THEMES 10AM SERVICE

June 4 – Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; John 7:37-39; Acts 2:1-21
“The ‘More’ of the Holy Spirit”

June 11 – Genesis 1:1-5, 16-31; Matthew 28:16-20
“Divine Creation and Human Identity”

June 18 – Peace with Justice Sunday celebrated

June 25 – Matthew 10:26-31; Genesis 21:8-21
“Hagar, The Handmaid’s Tale, and the Sparrow”

JUNE MISSION OF THE MONTH

Agrace Hospicecare

Founded in 1978 by volunteers who believed in the revolutionary idea that comfort, dignity and even hope and joy are possible for those facing a life-limiting illness, Agrace is a nonprofit community-based health care agency. It provides hospice and palliative care services in private homes and in skilled nursing, assisted living and other community residential facilities.

It serves more than 750 patients every day in southern Wisconsin and northern Illinois. People trust them to care for themselves in very difficult times--while they are facing a serious illness or the end of life.

For more information, go to AGRACE.org or call (800)553-4289. To support this mission, please mark your envelope or check with "Agrace."

CARING COORDINATOR COLUMN

All the particulars for *Camp in the Community* with Sun Prairie UMC have been worked out and released. Check out the details within this newsletter and on our web site! Flyers are also available on the table in front of the office.

I continue to explore ways for us to interface with local businesses, schools, neighborhood and community organizations. There are several plans in the works along with a few other ideas being teased out, all with the goal of becoming a more vital partner with our surrounding community. The most rewarding part for me is the opportunity to meet new people and establish relationships with area organizations.

Our Casserole ministry has been a blessing to many within our church family. There are no pressing needs at present. However, it is time to restock our freezer. Please consider making an extra meal and placing in plastic ware. Mark containers “Casserole Ministry” along with a note describing the meal and place in our kitchen freezer.

East Madison Seeds of Peace is working on a summer community engagement and fundraising event to benefit our weekend school nutrition programs. More details to follow soon. Our next Seed’s event is the “Let’s Talk About It!” gathering, 6:30 pm, Wednesday, June 7th, here at Monona UMC. More details can be found within the newsletter and in our weekly bulletin pink sheet.

Caring & Coordinating, Mark Buffat

BRAND-NEW BACK DRIVEWAY

Our back driveway was repaved on **May 10 and 11**. The cost has increased to \$23,612. We have funds available to cover part of the cost but additional funding is needed. If you are able, please donate to our Capital Improvement Fund to help cover the extra cost, in addition to helping to fund the sanctuary ceiling repair, which has been put on hold.

JAIL MINISTRY NOTECARD DRIVE

Brighten a local inmate's day by giving them the materials they need to connect with their friends and family back at home. Bring your unused notecards and greeting cards—any kind—for donation to the Madison Area Jail Ministry through June. Blank journals, composition books, and number two pencils are also welcome. Drop them in the basket in front of the office.

CLIMATE JUSTICE #3

What Is Climate Justice?

Why Is It a Religious Issue?

When we accept that climate change and degradation of the many facets of our environment is real, we embrace statistics that tell us fossil fuels and deforestation make up 74% of global greenhouse gas emissions. We need to all be transformed into stewards of earth's resources.

The climate justice movement insists that the love and concern we show for the well-being of those of us in the wealthiest countries is equal to the love and concern we show others in the poorest countries. This is a Gospel message!

In that the United States has just 5% of the world population, but is the 2nd largest contributor to carbon dioxide emissions after China, the national and global economies that are dependent on consuming fossil fuels in unsustainable quantities must recognize and respond to the evidence that disadvantaged nations and populations who contribute the least to climate injustice suffer the most negative consequences. This is particularly true for women and children.

Our nation's pursuit of happiness through acquisition of water, food, land, health care, jobs, and property along with personal and national security is intricately connected to increasing demand for fossil fuels. This happiness pursuit has historically been secured through commodification of our economy by working with citizens, policymakers and corporations to create a national and global economy of "needs" that support consumerism.

With climate justice as a religious issue, as Christians, we must respond by not having our lives defined by production and consumption of commodity goods. Intentional resistance to the seductive pressures of insistent market demands intruding on every part of our lives from family to the national budget is imperative.

For the promotion and understanding of climate justice, let us begin by reflecting upon this:

"To save humanity is to save creation; To save creation is to save humanity"

Malik Saafir, M.Div,

President, Janus Institute for Justice

Adult study Group of MUMC



FLOWERS FOR ALTAR

Please share your summer garden flowers with us this summer. The flower calendar is on the kiosk in the Fellowship Hall as well as on the Volunteer Sign-up sheet on the table in front of the office.

JUST BAKERY

Just Bakery (a Madison-area Urban Ministry Program) will sell bakery items **Sunday, June 4**. Just Bakery has been selling their bakery items at Monona United Methodist Church for two years. The members of our Church and Society committee would like to extend to our congregation our heartfelt thanks for supporting this wonderful ministry program. The **Just Bakery** program provides classroom and hands on vocational training for formerly incarcerated individuals who are interested in food service careers. By purchasing their delicious baked goods, we are financially supporting their endeavors to be successful active working members of our community. (We realize that prices may be higher than large grocery store chains, so we really appreciate you supporting this special ministry.) Thank you!

OUR SYMPATHY

Goes to the family of Alton Price, who passed away on May 2.

COMMUNITY GARDEN PLANT SALE

Saturday June 24, 8:30am-2:30pm

Stop in and find the plants you have always been looking for or that you didn't know that you needed. If you would like to donate plants for the sale, please drop them off on Friday, June 23 in the parking lot nearest the garden.

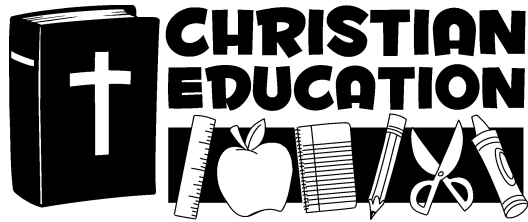


OFFICE SECRETARY SUBSTITUTE

Would you be willing to be a "once in a while" substitute for Kay, our Administrative Assistant? It could be as simple as answering the phone and being a welcoming presence for visitors, or include more secretarial duties, like helping to prepare and print bulletins. It is all up to you and what you would like to learn. Please let Kay know if this is something that you would like to do (secretarymumc@sbcglobal.net, 222-1633).

POP TOP COLLECTIONS

Don't forget we are collecting pop tops for the Ronald McDonald House. Just put them in the white container on the narthex information center. Thanks for your support.



Congratulations to our high school graduates who will be recognized in worship on **June 25**:

- Sean Bennett
- Sara Dillon
- Ali East
- Lindsey Medenblik
- Kara Moore
- Thomas Rathert
- Brock Wroblewski
- Brooke Wilson

YOUTH CAMP IN THE COMMUNITY

We've teamed-up with Sun Prairie UMC for a week-long Camp in the Community!

For: Youth ages 6 to 13

Where: Sun Prairie United Methodist Church

When: July 3 – 7, 9am - 3pm daily

Cost: \$20/camper

Includes: T-shirt, daily lunch & snacks

Kiddos will enjoy fun and games, songs and crafts and much more. All activities will be led by a trained, high-energy, young adult staff from Wisconsin United Methodist Camps. A field trip is planned to Monona UMC's community gardens on day four of camp. For more information and registration forms see the "Camp in the Community" link on our web site.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

“Abundance Orchard – where faith grows and hungry people are fed”

We have started planning MUMC's Vacation Bible School with the dates picked out, **July 31 and August 1-3**, and some helpers who have volunteered their time. Now we just need a few more volunteers. Please contact the church office to lend your support. You do not need to have young children to volunteer!





NEW BABY

Maeve Violet Wiswell, is the daughter of Matt & Melissa Wiswell and granddaughter of Jeff & Tammy Wiswell. Congratulations to all!

MEN'S GROUP BREAKFAST

Join the men of Monona UMC for fellowship and breakfast at Monona Garden Family Restaurant (6501 Bridge Rd) on **Saturday June 17 at 8:00 am.**

2017 WISCONSIN ANNUAL CONFERENCE - JUNE 16-19

Marriott West

Our overall theme for the Annual Conferences will be "One with Christ." We will be represented by Mike Conrad and Mary Lou Byers, our Lay Members to the Wisconsin Annual Conference.

One of the many highlights at Annual Conference will be presentations by Adam Hamilton entitled, "Leading Beyond the Walls." He is well known for launching The Church of the Resurrection in 1990, which today is the largest United Methodist Church in the United States with an average weekend attendance of 8,600.

On **Monday, June 19**, anyone is invited to join in the Learning Day from 8:30am until 3pm at no charge. Please contact the church office (222-1633) for more information.



STAFF APPRECIATION

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Please join us in celebration as we recognize the dedicated staff that keeps our church running. The Staff Parish Relations Committee will be serving refreshments following the service and we encourage all members of the congregation to join in celebrating and thanking our talented staff for doing such a great job.

Staff Appreciation

VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

SUMMER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Liturgists, Ushers, Fellowship hosts, Acolytes, Greeters, Nursery volunteers and Dishwashers are needed every Sunday to make our worship special. Summer months can be especially hard to find volunteers with vacations being planned and camps being enjoyed. If you know that you will be attending worship on a particular Sunday, please consider helping in one or more ways to make others feel welcome at Monona United Methodist Church! There is a sign up sheet in front of the office giving you the opportunity to sign up individually or fill all the volunteer spots with others from your committee.

WE NEED YOU!!!

PRAYER FOR THE U.S.

The East Madison Seeds of Peace churches to which Monona UMC belongs invites people to pray daily for the well-being of the United States by pausing for prayer each day at noon.

Seeds of Peace member Michael Marshall describes the intent behind the practice: It is my belief that God (Who is Love Itself) will not impose Him or Her Self on us or on anyone. I believe that S/he will, however, in an instant, intervene if called upon. It may even be that our only true duty in life is regularly to call forth Love into each situation we encounter or participate in.

We can dedicate ourselves daily to prayer, meditation, energy sending, contemplative resting in God, or whatever method best suits each individual.

If this idea speaks to you, please begin today, holding the U.S. in the Light, calling on God to intervene in our national experience, discourse, and actions... bringing Love to effect Its great transformations. And please invite anyone you think would like to help in this prayer action on all our behalf, to join in. Wherever you are at noon, or close to that time as you can, stop and take a few moments to send energy, say a prayer, see yourself joined with thousands of others in calling forth Love to heal this land and to bring about a positive transformation toward compassion.

[There is a substantial body of evidence, that when a small group of people prays together for a larger community, there is a significant decrease in crime, accidents, even fires, in that larger community. A group as small as the square root of one percent of the larger populace will effect positive change. For the US, that number would be approximately 1800 people. Will you be one? If so, thank you!]

SHARE YOUR TALENT!



During the summer months, our choirs get a well-deserved rest. That means that we would like volunteers to provide special music on Sunday morning to enrich our worship hour. If you would be willing to share special music please call the church office at 222-1633. Adults, young people, children, if you have a musical talent that has been hidden from view, please consider sharing it.

FOOD PANTRY

There is always a need for food pantry items, especially during the summer months. Next time you are shopping, add a couple things to your cart for the St. Stephen's Food Pantry. Donations of food, personal items, paper products, baby food and diapers are all gratefully received.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Our next Blood Pressure Screening will be held on **Sunday June 11** at 9:30am in Pastor Brad's office. These screenings are staffed by medical volunteers from the congregation. *Keep Healthy - have your blood pressure checked!!*



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Quilters/Yarncrafters – will meet during June at 1pm on **Mondays** in Fellowship Hall. Join us when you can. New members are always welcome!
Executive Luncheon/Meeting – Monday, June 12. Time and location will be announced soon.

JAVA JIVE

This summer on Thursday evenings you can purchase equal exchange coffee, olive oil, and chocolates in our church parking lot along with the organic fruits and vegetables the Phillips family will be selling at our Farm Stand. If you are in the area, please stop by! The next Sunday coffee sale at church will be on

June 11. One of the coffees we sell is Congo coffee. It is a whole bean coffee.

Equal exchange donates one dollar for every bag of Congo coffee sold to the Panzi hospital and foundation which is in The Democratic Republic of the Congo. This hospital supports women who are survivors of epidemic sexual violence. The Panzi hospital is a groundbreaking holistic healing center and it has treated tens of thousands of women in need.

Thank you, Karelyn Hopkins, UMW fair trade team member



UMW SALAD SUPPER THANKS

Thanks to all that helped with the Salad Supper! Countless people contributed salads and many hands worked throughout the day to make the event a big success. 85 people attended with a profit of over \$950 realized. Profits from UMW projects help support missionaries and mission projects throughout the world. A special thank you to Clyde for set up, to the men on the clean-up crew and our own models who shared the fashions. We greatly appreciate your help!

A VACATION REMINDER

Summer is a time for many people to travel, and church attendance may be more sporadic for some. If you are going to be out of town, please drop your offering envelope in the mail. This may also be a time to set up your donation to automatically get deposited into the church account. There are forms available in the church office. Please contact the church office if you have any questions.

JULY 4TH COMMUNITY OUTREACH

“Open Hearts! Open Minds! Open Doors!”

Join Mark Buffat in planning the upcoming 4th of July community engagement party. Last year's event was a huge success and a ton of fun! If you are willing to help in any way, contact him in person or at markbmumc@gmail.com.

EGG CARTONS NEEDED

The River Food Pantry is in need of egg cartons and plastic grocery bags. You can drop them off directly to them during open hours, or bring them to church and Tim and Sue Eberle will deliver them.

JULIAN GATHERING

The East Madison Seeds of Peace churches group, which Monona UMC belongs to, announce a contemplative prayer gathering called a "Julian Gathering." A first session is scheduled:

Where: At St. Luke's (4011 Major Ave. Madison WI 53716)

When: Wednesday, June 14

Times: For those who have daytime available: from 1:00 - 2:45 pm.

For those with night-times available: 6:30 - 8:15 pm

Needed: Openness to learn from a mystic writing 600 years ago, comfortable clothing, and nothing else!

Based on the teachings of the 15th Century English mystic Julian of Norwich, a Julian Gathering is a way to support each other in the practice of contemplative prayer and contemplative spirituality, and to open ourselves to the depths of the unconditional love of God for each of us that is found in Jesus Christ. The gathering is open to all who want to deepen their life of faith through the practice of contemplative prayer, for beginners as well as those already practicing. Each meeting includes time for contemplative prayer, fellowship, and reading/discussion of Julian's book, Revelations of Divine Love. At the beginning of each meeting, brief instruction on the practice of contemplative prayer is offered.



--The Students and staff of The Crossing send a heartfelt THANK YOU to Monona UMC for serving a meal on March 12. Thank you for this generous and kind support to the ministry of hospitality we seek to provide for students at The Crossing.

--Pastor Brad, thank you for your prayers and visits. Also thanks for the prayers from the church family. It makes us feel so comforted.

Much appreciation,

Wesley & Dolores Lausted

-- A huge Thank You to everyone that supported me in the Great Steps 4 NF Walk this year. The support you showed me both with cash donations as well with raffle items was overwhelming. The cash donations from the congregation totaled almost \$600. I truly appreciate the support. Sincerely, Tim Eberle

--Thank you all for supporting our first Blood Drive with the East Madison Seeds of Peace churches. The Red Cross collected 23 units, which included 4 Power Red units and was above our goal.

--Thank you to the Monona Methodist Church. We are very thankful for your generosity in allowing us to stay at your church this weekend for Kon Tiki with the Girl Scouts.

Sincerely, Troop 4622, St Charles Illinois

Linda, Shannon, Catherine and girls



READ 'EM & MEET

The book club list for next year is available in the Narthex information center. Please pick up a list and begin your reading. We will begin on **Saturday, July 22 @ 10:00am** with the book, *The Art of Racing in the Rain* by Garth Stein at the home of Kara Roisum. Bring a pastry or fruit to share. Visitors and new members are always welcome to attend.

BISHOP JUNG'S INTERFAITH BUS TOUR AND RETREAT

Registration is open for Bishop Jung's second annual Interfaith Bus Tour and Retreat on **August 18-20**. The theme is "Beyond Tolerance." Come meet and learn from Bishop Jung as he leads opportunities that include participating in a Shabbat service at Congregation Shalom in Milwaukee, visiting Sikh, Islamic, and Hindu worship centers in and around Milwaukee, and worshiping at a Coptic Orthodox Church in Oak Creek. Participants will also have the opportunity to speak with a Buddhist priest and a Muslim professor. See the flyer on a kiosk for more information.

ONLINE NEWSLETTER

Our church website has a copy of the current month's newsletter. If you misplace your paper copy, you can read it online: www.mononaunitedmethodistchurch.org.

STOUGHTON CHAMBER SINGERS

The Stoughton Chamber Singers under the direction of John Beutel will present their annual Spring Concerts entitled "America Sings: 200 Years of American Music" on **Friday, June 2** at 7:30 pm at the Stoughton Opera House and on **Wednesday, June 7** at 7:00 pm at the Cooksville restored Congregational Church. Tickets are \$5.00 and are available at McGlynn Pharmacy, from choir members, or at the door.

The theme of the concert honors Cooksville's celebration of the 175th Anniversary of its founding, thus giving a historical context to the music performed. The opening section will feature hymn tunes, anthems, and fuguing tunes of Colonial America by William Billings and Justin Morgan. Songs by Stephen Foster and Billy Joel will also be performed, along with several other compositions including an arrangement of "Shenandoah" and the spiritual "Ain'-A That Good News."

AGRACE HOSPICE CARE

Bridges Weekly Support Group is held every **Wednesday** from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Agrace, 5395 E. Cheryl Parkway, Madison. This ongoing group is for adults who are grieving the death of a loved one. All are welcome. Pre-registration is not required. For details on all Agrace grief support groups, visit agrace.org.

Orientation for Prospective Volunteers

In June, Agrace will offer orientation for people interested in volunteering to brighten the lives of people with serious illnesses. The orientation sessions are **Tuesday, June 6** from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., and **Tuesday, June 27**, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., at Agrace's Madison campus. Before they attend orientation, prospective volunteers will complete an application and an interview process with Agrace's Volunteer Services staff to identify the volunteer's skills and interests. Call (608) 327-7163 to register.

\$ Financial Report \$

Cash Flow April 30, 2017

<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Income	\$ 37,051	\$ 110,354
General Operating Expenses	21,652	96,749
Net Surplus (Shortfall)	\$ 15,399	\$ 13,605

A STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE

Giving: Found Trustworthy

“Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found trustworthy.” (1 Corinthians 4:2)

The Apostle Paul’s statement about stewardship is a definition. To be a steward means to have been given a trust.

It is amazing how much God is willing to entrust to mortals. We are entrusted with the well-being of God’s creation, with the mysteries of the Gospel, with spreading of the Gospel to all the nations of the Earth, and with the health of the Church. That’s a lot of trust.

What do we do to earn that trust? Nothing. As it is with the unmerited grace that is offered to us as disciples, so it is with the unmerited trust offered to us as stewards. We say, “Yes” to the invitation and then, if we follow the plan, we grow and mature in stewardship.

Jesus points the way to growth in stewardship by admonishing us to start small. “Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own?” (Luke 16:10-12).

In stewardship, faith is not what you believe, it is what you do to grow the Kingdom.

Jim Wells, Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation

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The Life and Ministry of God's People In Monona United Methodist Church June 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<u>SUNDAY SCHEDULE</u>				1 6:30 Trustees	2 9am English	3 4-6pm El Libertador Music practice-sanctuary
10:00 Worship 11:00 Fellowship 5:00 El Libertador Worship in Spanish				8 5:30 Caring Ministry 6:30 SPRC	9 9am English	10 8am-5pm Mexican Consulate Fellowship hall
4 <u>See schedule above</u> Just Bakery Sale 11:15 am Stewardship	5 Pastors' Day Off 1:00 Quilters & Yarncrafters	6 9:30 Staff Meeting	7 7:15-9:15am Fellowship Hall in use 2-4pm Library-use 6:30 El Libertador	15 Pastor Brad vacation thru June 19 Kay Vacation thru June 18 4-7pm Farm Stand	16 9am English Annual Conference Marriott West	17 Annual Conference 8am Men's Group breakfast 4-6pm El Libertador Music practice-Sanctuary
11 <u>See schedule above</u> Coffee Sales 9:30 Blood Pressure Screening 11:00 Church & Society meeting	12 Pastors' Day Off 1:00 Quilters & Yarncrafters	13 9:30 Staff Meeting 6:30 Finance	14 7:15-9:15am Fellowship Hall in use 6:30 El Libertador	22 4-7pm Farm Stand	23 9am English	24 8:30am-2:30pm Plant Sale 4-6pm El Libertador Music practice-Sanctuary
18 <u>See schedule above</u> Father's Day Annual Conference Peace With Justice Sunday	19 Annual Conference – Learning Day Pastors' Day Off 1:00 Quilters & Yarncrafters	20 9:30 Staff Meeting	21 7:15-9:15am Fellowship Hall in use 6:30 El Libertador	29 8:30 Newsletter Helpers 4-7pm Farm Stand	30 9am English	
25 <u>See schedule above</u> High School Graduation Recognition Staff Appreciation NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	26 Pastors' Day Off 1:00 Quilters & Yarncrafters	27 9:30 Staff Meeting 6:30 Ad Council	28 7:15-9:15am Fellowship Hall in use 6:30 El Libertador			

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Newsletter Deadline is **June 25**. Information arriving after the above date may not be in the July newsletter. Remember, you can FAX your article to 222-2395 or email to secretarymumc@sbcglobal.net



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JUNE 2017

FARM STAND AT MONONA UMC, THURSDAYS 4:00 - 7:00PM



Starting June 15, stop in our parking lot to check out the fresh organic produce from Rock Lake Organics, owned by church members John & Linnea Phillips.

