

CHURCH OFFICERS

Elders

Class of 2021

Kim Edinger
Judy Kuhlman

Class of 2022

Vicki Born
Lew Burchard

Class of 2023

Leslie Gilreath
Marlene Smith

Deacons

Class of 2021

Robert Smith

Class of 2022

J. Michael Hall
George Pica

Class of 2023

Mary Bartels
Jo Ann Hartzell
Rosemary Holloway

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of Fairplain Presbyterian Church, rejoice in God's grace and redeeming love through Jesus Christ. We believe we have been called as God's children to create an open and welcoming community, to worship and praise God, and to nurture and support each other. We are called to develop our God-given gifts and to equip ourselves to reach out to the world in love and compassion. Thus prepared, we will share our faith, preach the gospel, feed the hungry, and be peacemakers according to God's will.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

May 2 - 9

TODAY: 9:30 am – Worship (In Person & Live Streaming)

10:45 am – Zoom Coffee Hour

MONDAY: 9 am-noon: Church Office open (closed in the afternoon)

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY: Church Office closed

THURSDAY: 9 am-noon: Church Office open

1:30 pm-Food Pantry (closed in the afternoon)

FRIDAY: 9 am-11:30 am: Church Office Open

(Closed in the afternoon)

SUNDAY: 9:30 am – Worship (In Person & Live Streaming)

10:45 am – Zoom Coffee Hour

May 2

May 9

Liturgist: Kim Edinger

Director of Music: Vladimir Slavujevic

Pianist: Muyu Zou

Sound Technician: J. Michael Hall

Video Technician: Bill Cundiff

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Prayer Requests: If you have prayer requests that you would like to leave as a voicemail to be played on Sunday morning, you can call 269-332-1118 to leave a message, and we will play it on Sunday morning.

Prayer Concern 4/25/21: Branka Slavujevic, recovering from knee surgery.

Prayer Concern 4/18/21: Sonja Stormo & family, recent death of Sonja's mother, Margaret Ann Kangas; Ernie Lewis' friend, Fran; Family of Orv Harju, recent death of Orv on April 7.

Prayers 4/4/21: Death of Jill Wendel's grandmother, JoAnne Kuehl; death of Cody Yergeau, drowning on Lake Michigan.

Joys 3/28/21: Vicki Born's cousin is doing better after Covid; birth of Adalaide Elizabeth, born to Meaghan and Theo Viebke on March 26, weighing 7 lb. 7 oz., and 20 ½" long. Maternal grandparents are Erick and Carrie Gilreath and maternal great-grandmother Leslie Gilreath.

Prayer Concern 3/21/21: Family of Dorothy McDonald, died crossing street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VIRTUAL COFFEE HOUR: Please join our virtual coffee hour at 10:45am Sundays. You will receive a link if you are subscribed to our email newsletters. You can subscribe at <https://www.fairplainpc.com/newsletters/>.

SECRETARY SUPPLY: While Linda Cogswell is on vacation the following ladies will be in the church office from 9 am-noon on Mondays and Thursdays on Fridays from 9:00-11:30 am. The church will be closed in the afternoon on these days and all day on Tuesdays, May 4 & 11 and on Wednesdays. Thank you all for helping out in the church office!

Monday, May 3: Linda Zitta

Thursday, May 6: Leslie Gilreath

Friday, May 7: Judy Kuhlman

Monday, May 10: Linda Zitta

Thursday, May 13: Amy Reutlinger

Friday, May 14: Amy Reutlinger

Monday, May 17: Judy Kuhlman

JUNE NEWSLETTER: The deadline for articles for the June newsletter is no later than Monday, May 17. Thank you – Linda Cogswell

PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE: If you would be interested in joining the Parish Life Committee with Kristen Schell and Linda Cogswell, please contact the church office.