The Compass

June - 2017

Need a Break?

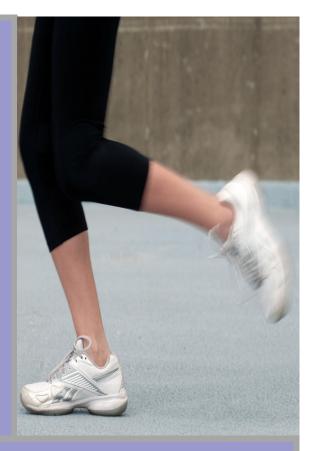
Do you ever have the feeling that the pace of life is accelerating? That sometimes things are just going too darn fast?

When I was a kid, it was predicted that technological advances were going to change the way Americans work so much that by now we would be working 32 weeks a year. Or we'd would be working 22 hours a week. Or we'd retire by the time we hit age 40. I heard this study as a kid and I believed it. The question was "What will we do with all our free time?"

Let me ask you: "Is that the biggest challenge you face – figuring out what to do with all your extra time?"

I bet there's a good chance your soul is a little tired – at least some of the time. If so, have we got a worship series for you this summer. We'll take on the challenge of soul fatigue through the helpful insights of living with Sabbath, Margin, and Boundaries. Come to worship this summer and catch your breath as we soak up spiritual wisdom for sane living.

Pastor Mike



<u>Summer Worship</u> – we have one worship service at 9:30 each Sunday this summer. (On September 17 we return to our schedule of worship at 8:30 & 10:45 AM)

<u>Sunday, June 4</u> – "Run Toward the Roar" Rachel Deveraux explores 1 Peter 5:8 & Philippians 4:6-7 and we **celebrate** and **honor those graduating from high school and other education programs**. Holy Communion will be celebrated. The **Bells of the Pond** hand bell group returns with their wonderful music gifts.

<u>Sunday, June 11</u> – "Soul Fatigue" – Pastor Mike kicks off our summer series with a look at pace of life and wisdom from the 23rd Psalm.

<u>Sunday</u>, <u>June 18</u> – "Go for the Dog" – We explore the good gift of Sabbath – given to bless our lives with physical and mental health. Exodus 20: 8-11

<u>Sunday</u>, <u>June 25</u> – "The Gift of Sleep" – Psalm 4 & Psalm 127 tell us that sleep is a gift to those God loves. How can we prepare ourselves to receive this good gift?

Baptized at Cross Winds Sunday, May 21, 2017



Harvey Mattheis Kruppstadt
Born: August 20, 2016
Parents: Lindsey & Karl Kruppstadt
Grandparents:
Kerry and Gloria Kruppstadt

Connie & Al LaTendresse



Alana Betty Flagel
Born: September 10, 2016
Parents: Nicole & Dack Flagel
Grandparents:
Libby & Mark Schaffer
Kevin & Sara Flagel
Jan Flagel
Paul Shaker
Congregational Sponsor:
Libby Schaffer



Adam Mark Schaffer
Born: December 28, 2016
Parents: Amy & Justin Schaffer
Grandparents:
Libby & Mark Schaffer
John & Sharon Dibella
Congregational Sponsor:

Mark Schaffer

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Shirley Duncanson, Pastor Emeritus

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Make sure to check out our **WEBSITE** for information and inspiration. It is updated continually.

MISSION PARTNER CRITICAL NEED OPPORTUNITIES

C.R.O.S.S. SERVICES

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One of our partners, C.R.O.S.S., is in need of volunteers and support in the following areas. If you can help in any of these areas, please contact Lynda Weeks via the church directory or call the church office:

Farmers Markets Team:

Help staff the CROSS booth at the Rogers Farmers Market on Wednesdays from 3-6:30pm. Or at Maple Grove help take down the tent and bringing food back to CROSS when the market is over, from 6:30-7pm. The market runs from June 14th through October 4th.

Mobile Pantry Team:

Our mobile pantry is delivering at multiple locations. Join our Mobile Pantry Team for various ways to help whether packing food at CROSS or volunteering on-site at the events. Weekly distributions are Monday and Friday afternoons in Dayton and Corcoran. Monthly distributions are the 2nd Tuesday of each month in Dayton.

Safety/Maintenance Team:

Work with our team to help keep CROSS a safe and maintenance-free environment. The schedule is flexible.

Clothing Area:

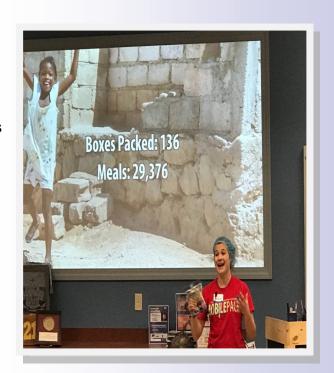
Volunteers are needed to run the cash register and help in the clothing area on Wednesdays from 11:30 am-5:00 pm (or as available)

Reception Area:

Please join our sub group filling in as needed or as a regular volunteer. Receptionists answer phones, check-in clients, and do minor office work. Dates and times vary.

DID YOU KNOW?

- † ...that your Mission Offering dollars have supported all of our Mission partners this year?
- † ...that your Mission Offering dollars helped members going on Mission Trips, like Rev. Harold and Karen Biederman to Sager Brown for the United Methodist Committee on Relief, and Joanna Finch as she prepares to walk with orphans in Uganda?
- † ...that on May 13th, our church *Feed My Starving Children Team*, lead by Floyd Burghard packed enough meals to feed 80 kids for a year?





Giving Update

Giving for the first four months of 2017 of \$203,000 has been good and is in line with our expectations thus far this year. As we near the middle part of our year, please keep in mind that our giving estimate for 2017 includes an



additional need of \$15,000 - \$20,000 beyond what we had received as part of our giving campaign. So, please continue to pray and consider if you are called to help us close that gap. To the extent that you would like to make an additional contribution or commitment this year, please reach out to our Financial Secretary, Steve Weeks so that we can consider that in our planning. Thank you so much for your generous support of the ministries at Cross Winds.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawl Ministry will gather on Monday, June 26 @ 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. Marcia Colson is hosting. Bring your current project and any completed shawls

to be dedicated. Do you knit, crochet or want to learn? Join us.

Special Dates

Pentecost, June 4, 2017
Trinity Sunday, June 11, 2017
Flag Day, June 14, 2017
Father's Day, June 18, 2017
First day of Summer, June 20, 2017



You are invited to pack food at Feed My Starving Children:

Sat. June 10th 9:00-11:00 am



Every day, at least **6,200**children die from starvation...
.....but YOU can make a difference
by volunteering at
Feed My Starving Children.

if you are interested contact Floyd Burghard with your name and phone number.

Kids over 6 years old, youth and adults are welcome.



Blessed are those who are generous, because they feed the poor.
- Proverbs 22.9

JOIN CWUMC KIDS THIS SUMMER FOR FAMILY FUNI

SUMMER SUNDAY'S

Starting May 28th

Join us most Sunday's after Children's Message for Children's Worship downstairs!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 16-20-5:45-7:45pm

(at Cross Winds Church) **Ontional Meal from 5:00-5:45**

Evening camp for 4 year olds - rising 5th graders http://2017.cokesburyvbs.com/crosswindsumc



FREE FAMILY FUN NIGHTS

July 21st - 7:00pm

"Peter Pan the Musical"



Location: Bogle Home, 11350 Dallas Lane N., Dayton, MN

Bring your own chair! Visit www.buncebackyard.com for info!

August 18th - Sunset Movies by Moonlight showing "Moana"

Location: Maple Grove Town Green

Bring your own chair, blanket, etc and snacks! Look for fellow CWUMC members to watch the movie together.



SUMMER CAMP

Options for all ages including overnights, day camps and a

Family Camp See Camp Brochures in the pews or visit

Campminnesota.org for more information and to register!





Cross Winds Student Ministry & Young Adult News...





Saturday, June 17th - 1st Annual Golf Scramble at Sundance Golf Course

Thank you to all of you who have signed up to play and support our students @ CWUMC! Students – look for the email from Rachel to sign up for a shift to help with our biggest fundraiser of the year!



Wednesday, June 21st - <u>Celebration</u> of Life in Ministry at MN Annual Conference

7-9 PM – The River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN. Rachel will be receiving her license from Bishop Ough to be appointed as a Licensed Local Pastor at Cross Winds at this service. All are welcome to attend!



June 25-July 1 - <u>LYFE Camp</u> at Northern Pines



July 1 - Cub Foods in Maple Grove bagging event

9 AM – 1 PM – come do your grocery shopping and support CWUMC Students!

Rachel Devereaux-Director of Student & Young Adult Ministries
- church www.crosswindsumc.org

https://www.facebook.com/cwumcstudents

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Sunday	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 5:15 pm Men's Small group Bible/ Book @ Daily Dose	2	3
4 Graduation Sunday Bells of the Pond <u>9:30 am</u> Summer Worship	5 9:30 am Caring Ministries 6:30 pm Welcome Team	7:00 am BNI 9:30 am Staff Meeting 7:00 pm Facilities	7 Bulletin Deadline 9:00 am Sr. Exercise class/Sr. Facilities	8 5:15 pm Men's Small group Bible/ Book @ Daily Dose	9	10 9:00 am Feed My Starving Children @ Coon Rapids location
11 9:30 am Summer Worship Senior High Christian Youth Camp June 11- 17 @ Northern Pines	12 9:30 am Caring Ministries 6:30 pm Personnel Team/ Cross Winds Board Meeting	13 7:00 am BNI 9:30 am Staff Meeting	14 Bulletin Deadline 9:00 am Sr. Exercise class/Sr. Facilities 7:00 pm Hospitality Team Flag day	July Compass Deadline 5:15 pm Men's Small group Bible/ Book @ Daily Dose	16	17 CW Youth Golf Tournament at Sundance
18 Father's Day 9:30 am Summer Worship Pathway Camp @ Camp Koronis Ages 9-13, June 18-23	19 9:30 am Caring Ministries 6:30 pm Worship Team Meeting	20 7:00 am BNI 9:30 am Staff Meeting First Day of Summer MN Annual Conference Session June 20-22	21 <u>Bulletin Deadline</u> 9:00 am Sr. Exercise class/Sr. Facilities MN Annual Conference Session June 20-22 7:00 pm Celebration of Life in Ministry at MN Annual Conference	22 5:15 pm Men's Small group Bible/ Book @ Daily Dose MN Annual Conference Session June 20-22	23	24
25 9:30 am Summer Worship Discovery Camp Ages 9-13 @ Northern Pines June 25-30 LYFE Camp 7-10th Grade @ Northern Pines June 25-July 1	9:30 am Caring Ministries 1:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry	7:00 am BNI 9:30 am Staff Meeting 6:30 pm Nominations & Leader- ship Team	28 Bulletin Deadline 9:00 am Sr. Exercise class/Sr. Facilities	29 5:15 pm Men's Small group Bible/ Book @ Daily Dose	30	July 1st Cub Foods Youth Bag event

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Web site: http://www.crosswindslife.org

Prayer Request: http://www.crosswindsumc.org/prayerrequests/



JUNE WORSHIP



Summer Worship

One
Worship
Service
9:30 am

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