

Caring Corner

Death

Charlie Goldsmith passed away on Tuesday, February 13th. Mr. Goldsmith was the former Chaplain of the Congregational Home. Services were held.

Barbara S. Janikowsky, past National Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Committee of the NACCC and a member of North Shore Congregational Church. She passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2018. Services were held.

Peggy Muth, wife of the late former FCC minister, Phil Muth, passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2018.

Recovering at Home

Dick Buchman

Nancy Hartter

Congratulations

Tesha Urban began a new role as Chaplain at the Congregational Home on Monday, February 5, 2018.

Elise Grace Schalmo born February 11, 2018, daughter of Tom and Brittany Schalmo, granddaughter of Janet Schalmo, and great-granddaughter of Jim Walsh.

Thank you for joining us today! Are you new or returning to our church? If you are interested in sharing your contact information with us, please fill out a bright yellow card (found in the racks of the pews) and either drop it in the offertory plate or give it to one of the ministers. We hope to see you soon again.

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Church Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs.: 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM, Fridays: 9:00 AM - 12 noon.

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Founded as an extension of the mission of the First Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, the Congregational Home, creates and maintains a caring community for the elderly offering housing, health care and quality of life services.

President/CEO - Kris Sptrel-NHA, Chaplain – Rev. Joseph Phillips, Board Chair – Doug Jacobson



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Our Covenant

As followers of Jesus Christ,
we commit ourselves to share in the worship and service of God,
to grow in the knowledge and expression of our faith,
to reach out with compassion to those in need,
to treat each other with love and understanding,
and to return to God a portion of God's gifts.

Sunday, February 18, 2018 ~ 1st Sunday in Lent

10:00 AM - WORSHIP IN THE NAVE

If you are a guest this Sunday, we would love to greet you!

Following the service is a Coffee Fellowship in the Friendship Lounge, please join us.

Please silence your cell phones.

TOWER BELLS

WELCOME AND THE GREETING OF PEACE

Rev. Bill Trump

THE PRELUDE

What Wondrous Love Is This

arr. by Albert Zabel

Rhonda Kwiecien ~ organ & piano

CHIMES

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Maddie Sgarlata

Leader: In a world where there is much death,

People: **We offer a message of life.**

Leader: In a world filled with anger,

People: **We offer the message of God's love.**

Leader: In a world filled with tension,

People: **We offer a message of peace.**

Leader: Let us worship God with thanksgiving for His Word to us.

*HYMN 456

God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM RHONDDA

*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (unison)

Most loving and merciful Father, we give you thanks that You have brought us together here in Your Son's Name. Keep us from the deceits of our own minds, and from the temptations all around us. Open our hearts and minds to Your Word in this our time of worship, so we may go forth filled with Your love and guided by Your Holy Spirit. It is in Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

*THE GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 558)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC *There's Room for Many-a More!* by Greg Gilpin
Mrs. Roxanne Trump-Miles directs the Junior Choir

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

All children ages 3 – 5th grade and youth in grades 6th through 12th are invited to meet in the Social Hall for a large group activity.

THE LESSONS Luke 4:14-21 Bible, page 936
1 Corinthians 12:12-31 Bible, page 1046

ANTHEM *Precious Lord, Take My Hand* Dorsey/Arr. Schrader

THE MESSAGE "Your Mission" Rev. Trump

*HYMN 463 *I Love to Tell the Story* HANKEY

THE CALL TO PRAYER and TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

THE OFFERTORY *Multiplied* by Need to Breathe
solo by Maddie Sgarlata

*THE DOXOLOGY (Hymn 563)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN 154 *Shine, Jesus, Shine* SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE *God of Grace and God of Glory* arr. by Douglas Wagner

***Indicates where the congregation is asked to stand, if able.**

CARE FOR CHILDREN

A supervised nursery is available for infants and toddlers during the worship service.

The Chancel flowers are given by Barry & Sue Szymanski celebrating their daughter, Sarah and son-in-law, Dave's anniversary.
Floral arrangements in the Friendship Lounge have been graciously donated by the Goldsmith Family.

10:00 a.m. Worship Service Preview for Sunday, February 25, 2018
Rev. Bill Trump presents the message.
Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir / Rhonda Kwiecien - organist/pianist