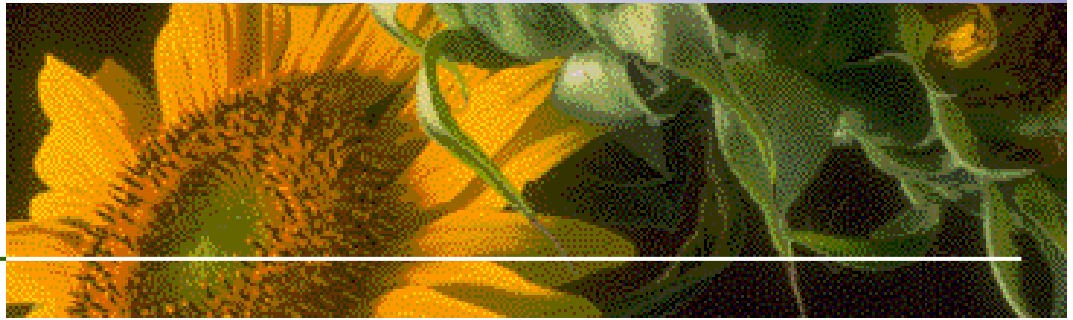


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WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

• Acme Fall Festival is getting closer! Saturday, September 27th, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. In case you haven't attended the festival before, you have missed a real treat! Last year there were approximately 5,000 people that attended. Everything from a car

show, tractor show, petting zoo, kids' activities, farmer's market, silent auction, chicken dinner, live entertainment, 50/50 drawing, and other things. One of the big hits last year was when a North Flight helicopter landed there and all could get up close to it.

- Women's Fellowship will have a booth there to sell RADA products as well as any other items which you, your friends &/or neighbors, and other church members would like to make and contribute.
- The RADA has been re-organized so it is in the numerical order---should make it easier to find for the customers.
- As there is not a WF Meeting in September, but we are looking for some of you to work a 4-hour/4-person shift! You will be under a tent so neither sun nor rain should bother you. *However*, please pray for a nice day as that is when all the people will come for everything that has been planned.
- Please call or e mail Carol Walter to let her know if you can help!
- We're scheduling 4 people in the booth at a time so that 2 can go for a break now and again!
- Carol's cell: 218-2018
- Carol's e mail: cc6584@charter.net

**NOISY
OFFERING
SEPTEMBER**

**Kewadin Indian Mission
Church**

September's Noisy Offering:

Kewadin Indian Mission Church, Lane 5 (Racial Ethnic Local Churches) of the West MI Conference. Monies collected for this Mission are used to support their worship, Bible Study, youth ministry, work camps and camp meetings. Thank you for your support!



CROP WALK is coming! CROP WALK is coming! We can ALL PARTICIPATE! Beginning this month, September, I (Amy Starkey) will be looking for volunteers. Walkers, or rockers (in a chair) to take part in the CROP WALK on October 12th at the Grand Traverse Civic Center. Can't or don't wish to walk? Well then, you can take part by making a donation. This is a very important part—because without you—we wouldn't be able to raise the

money needed to help end hunger in the world. (25% of funds raised, go directly to our local food pantries.) **Please**, please, plan on walking, rocking, rolling, or making a donation to support one of our church walkers/rockers. Don't miss this golden opportunity to help end hunger and show that we are indeed our brother's keeper. Be a good neighbor! Please go to www.cropwalkonline.org/traversecitymi to sign up and join our team! Williamsburg United Methodist Church is listed as a team on this website, and you can sign up!



September 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
AA: M 8PM W 7PM women Sat 10am men Sat 7pm all	1 Del Priest	2 Katie McCoy Stephen Donkers, Jr.	3 <i>1st day of school!</i>	4 11am Bible Study 7pm Bible Study	5	6 Isaac Gogolin
7 Communion	8	9 *CWU 9:30-2pm @ Central UMC	10 Garry Priest	11 Barb & Ernie Orchard's 66th Anniv! 11am Bible Study 7pm Bible Study	12 Tina Braden Clint Drummond Seth Gogolin	13 Tom Bloxsom Litchfield's 39th Anniv! *SPAGHETTI DINNER!
14 2nd Sunday Potluck Ron Reinhold Brad Ochs	15 Jane White	16	17 Dirk Renzema	18 11am Bible Study 7pm Bible Study	19	20 Pastor Nate
21 Chelsea Lloyd	22 Linda Slopsema	23	24	25 Pearl Morgan 11am Bible Study 7pm Bible Study	26	27 Kim Kuncaitis ACME FALL FESTIVAL!
28 Brunch! Carolyn Slopsema Sara Ochs	29	30	PSA..... The Whitewater Emergency Services Auxiliary will be hosting its annual spaghetti dinner on September 13 , from 4-8:00pm at the Williamsburg United Methodist Church . Great food, Great desserts, Door Prizes and Great community will be the highlight of the evening. Proceeds will be used to outfit the water rescue equipment in Whitewater Township. Cost is \$7.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children.			

Church Women United

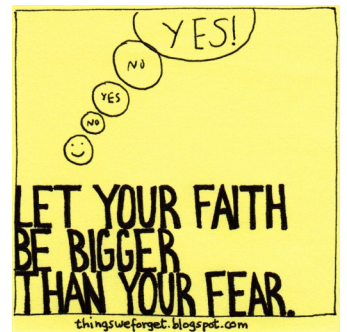


CWU Area Meeting
 Tues., September 9, 2014
 9:30 a.m.– 2 p.m.
 Central United Methodist
 Church
 Area State Officers will be
 visiting us on that day.

CWU Gathering/Potluck
 October 2nd
 Old Mission United
 Methodist Church
 November 6th
 Grawn United Methodist
 Church

December 4th
 Peninsula Bible Church on
 Fair Street

School & Health Kits
 We encourage you to con-
 tinue working on the
 school and health kits.
 Each church should take
 care of delivering them to
 Trinity Lutheran Church by
 October 11th between
 8AM and 12Noon.



From Pastor Nate:

Since this is my first submission to the newsletter, I must start with a huge ‘Thank You’! Since we moved here in the beginning of this summer, the kindness, guidance, hospitality, and welcoming spirit that has been extended to my family and me has been profound and touching. While the setting certainly helps, it is really the people of this church and community that make us happy to call this place home; We hope to do so for a long time to come.

Looking forward, I am taking a page from the exercise template of Cross-Fit (get it? “Cross”-Fit!). We will strengthen the core, while continuing to reach out! As I continue to get to know all of you and each of you, and better understand the talents and gifts have to share, I pray your hearts and minds be opened to the many ways you might best help this church reach out to the community we have been called to serve!

So What’s in the Works?:

-For the next 6 weeks (All of Sept. and first 2 weeks of Oct.), we, as a whole, will be **“Walking with Moses, Working with Jesus”**. An in depth look at the story of Moses, which has some amazing parallels to the Gospel and some stark contrasts to the life of Jesus. This will be the theme for Sunday Services, Hope Village Services, And **BIBLE STUDY!!!!!!!!** Which, I am excited to announce, will also be offered in the evening! Bible Study times are now every **Thursday at 11am and 7pm!**

Thank You All, again, for all of your prayer and support,

Pastor Nate Starkey



We’re going walking with Moses!

Every Thursday we’ll have a Bible Study! It’s entitled “Walking with Moses; Working for Jesus”. Any and every one are invited and welcome—no book necessary except for your Bible if you’d like. We have copies here too!

11 a.m.

7 p.m.

Bring a friend or neighbor if you’d like!



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