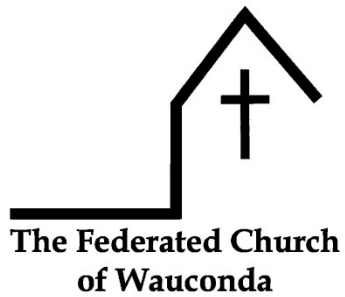


WORSHIP IN THE WORD

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| <i>First Scripture Reading</i> | (NT, pg. 1174) | Matthew 5:21-24 |
| <i>Prayer of Preparation</i> | | |
| <i>Second Scripture Reading</i> | (OT, pg. 40) | Genesis 33:1-11 |
| <i>Message</i> | “Jacob and Forgiveness” | Pastor Jason |

WORSHIP IN COMMITMENT

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| <i>Offering</i> | | |
| * <i>Offering Response</i> | “The Doxology” | No. 95 |
| * <i>Closing Hymn</i> | “I Love to Tell the Story” | No. 156 |
| * <i>Benediction</i> | | |
| * <i>Postlude</i> | | |



Matthew 5:21-24 Common English Bible (CEB)

²¹“You have heard that it was said to those who lived long ago, *don't commit murder*, and all who commit murder will be in danger of judgment. ²² But I say to you that everyone who is angry with their brother or sister will be in danger of judgment. If they say to their brother or sister, ‘You idiot,’ they will be in danger of being condemned by the governing council. And if they say, ‘You fool,’ they will be in danger of fiery hell. ²³ Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, ²⁴ leave your gift at the altar and go. First make things right with your brother or sister and then come back and offer your gift.

Genesis 33:1-11 Common English Bible (CEB)

³³ Jacob looked up and saw Esau approaching with four hundred men. Jacob divided the children among Leah, Rachel, and the two women servants. ² He put the servants and their children first, Leah and her children after them, and Rachel and Joseph last. ³ He himself went in front of them and bowed to the ground seven times as he was approaching his brother. ⁴ But Esau ran to meet him, threw his arms around his neck, kissed him, and they wept. ⁵ Esau looked up and saw the women and children and said, “Who are these with you?” Jacob said, “The children that God generously gave your servant.” ⁶ The women servants and their children came forward and bowed down. ⁷ Then Leah and her servants also came forward and bowed, and afterward Joseph and Rachel came forward and bowed. ⁸ Esau said, “What’s the meaning of this entire group of animals that I met?” Jacob said, “To ask for my master’s kindness.” ⁹ Esau said, “I already have plenty, my brother. Keep what’s yours.” ¹⁰ Jacob said, “No, please, do me the kindness of accepting my gift. Seeing your face is like seeing God’s face, since you’ve accepted me so warmly. ¹¹ Take this present that I’ve brought because God has been generous to me, and I have everything I need.” So Jacob persuaded him, and he took it.

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OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Worship service – 9:30am; Sunday School (Sept. – May) – 9:45am;
Fellowship – 10:30am

PRAYER MEETINGS

Our prayer meetings are a time to gather with other believers to lift our needs and our praises to God. We will meet on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Thursdays of each month at 7:00pm.

OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN

BIBLE STUDY SERIES

Join us for one of our Bible Study series called Bible Story Cafe. We have two Bible Study classes on Monday mornings at 10:00am and Tuesday evenings at 6:00pm.

Please note that there will be no Bible Study class on Monday, Sept. 4 due to the Labor Day holiday.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP

SUPER SENIORS LUNCHEON – Sept. 13

The September Super Seniors Luncheon will be at Pier 290 in Williams Bay, WI on Wednesday, September 13 at 11:30am. Please sign up if you would like to join us.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS

Anyone who would like to have flowers on the Altar in memory or honor of a loved one, a friend, or a special occasion, contact Ann Petersen at 847-526-9005 or the church office at 847-526-8471. The cost of an arrangement is \$12.50.

PLEASE CHECK THE REFRIGERATOR

Please note that all items in the refrigerator and freezer must be labeled with the event and date that they are going to be used for. Any items that are not labeled or have expired will be disposed of monthly.

MEETINGS IN SEPTEMBER

Worship – Sept. 6 at 7:00pm

Fellowship – Sept. 10 at 10:45 am

Trustees – Sept. 13 at 7:00pm

Federated Board – Sept. 18 at 7:00pm

Education – Sept. 24 at 10:45am

FOCW – Sept. 25 at 7:00pm

Outreach – Sept. 27 at 7:00pm

FOCW MEETING – Aug. 28

Please join us for our next FOCW meeting tomorrow, August 28 at 7:00pm. All women of the church are invited. We meet at 7:00pm on the 4th Monday of the month.

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED - Sept. 4

Just a reminder that the church offices will be closed on Labor Day, September 4.

CHOIR PRACTICE BEGINS – Sept. 5

Our choir practice begins at 7:00pm on Tuesday, September 5. We welcome anyone who loves to sing. If you are interested in joining our choir please see Geri Meyer.

RALLY DAY – Sept. 10

Please join us for worship on September 10 as we kick off our Sunday School program for the school year. We will celebrate our children and honor our teachers and volunteers who give so much to the kids and youth of our church.

RUMMAGE SALE – Sept. 21, 22, 23

The ladies will be working in the annex on Tuesday mornings starting at 9:00am until the Rummage Sale on Sept. 21 from 9am-6pm; Sept. 22 from 9am-2pm; Sept. 23 from 9am-2pm.

The annex will be open on Sundays to accept your donations. If you need to drop off your donations any other day than Sunday, please contact Nancy Lucius at cell 847-848-5023 or home 847-865-3300. Please consider signing up to help at the rummage sale. There are sign-up sheets on the table in the fellowship area by the window.

CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Pete Ambrosio, Florence Burton, Donna Gallmeyer-Dixon, Howard Ficht, Mickie Kisselburg, Marion Knoff, Hero Lucius, Scott Matthews, Laura Peroutka, Dolores Prusinski, Arb Swanson, Mary Taylor, Ted Tremont, Dorothy Wheelock, Snow White, Linda Wicker, Lisa Wineski

CALENDAR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUG. 27 – SEPT. 3

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| TODAY: Aug. 27 | 10:45 am | Education Meeting |
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| MON: Aug. 28 | 8:00 am | Coffee with the Pastor |
| | 9:00 am | Senior Exercise |
| | 10:00 am | Bible Study |
| | 7:00 am | AA Meeting |
| | 7:00 pm | FOCW Meeting |
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| TUES: Aug. 29 | 6:00 pm | Bible Study |
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| WED: Aug. 30 | | Beacon gets mailed |
| | 6:00 pm | T.O.P.S. |
| | 7:00 pm | Outreach Meeting |
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| THURS: Aug 31 | 8:00 pm | Alanon Meeting |
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| FRI: Sept. 1 | | |
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| SAT: Sept. 2 | 12:00 pm | FOCW Annual Luncheon |
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| SUN: Sept. 3 | | Communion in the Pews |

LAY MINISTRIES: Next Sunday – September 3

Worship Assistant..... Pastor Crystal
 Ushers..... Jutta Culbertson, Peggy & Tom Martin
 Nursery Assistant..... Val Whitman
 Greeter for September..... Fred Berchtold