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WORSHIP IN OCTOBER

Sunday Worship at 10:30 AM

October 2: 4th Sunday of Creation, on this Sunday we will be wrapping up our short season with Spirit of the Wilderness, talking, lifting up creation, and seeking to renew and reconcile humanity and the church to all nature. A good guide to this is St. Francis who often preached to the birds, the flowers, and all of creation. This Sunday is also World Communion Sunday so we will be having communion a week early to join in with churches around the world in the simple and sacred meal given by the head of the Church, Jesus of Nazareth.

October 9: 18th Sunday after Pentecost, we will be focusing on a healing story found in the Gospel of Luke of Jesus healing 10 lepers and only one returning to give thanks. This could be a parable because it has a wide variety of interpretations. But it is a good reminder that it is our actions and words, not our identity, our religious affiliation, or who we are that counts with Christ.

October 16: 19th Sunday after Pentecost, Rev. Carol Mork will be filling in to lead our service and give us a good message. We continue in Pentecost and hear a story of the unjust judge and the widow, what gems will she find in this story for us?

October 23: 20th Sunday after Pentecost, continuing in the Gospel of Luke, we hear the story about praying to God by two 'characters' who are wholly different in social standing and in their hearts. Do we come before God seeking to justify ourselves by all we have done? Do we recognize only our failings and failures? Can we go deeper and seek through prayer the recognition that strengthens and ignites our relationship with God that lights up the world around us? .

October 30: 21st Sunday after Pentecost, we continue going story by story through Luke's gospel in which last week's parable sets up this week's story of Jesus encountering a tax collector named, "Zacchaeus". However, this is a fifth Sunday so we will have an open forum of 'Pester the Pastor.' Bring your questions and your thoughts as we engage each other in deepening our conversation.

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

The Rev. Enno Limvere

¹⁹ You shall also love the stranger, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt.
Deuteronomy 10:19

The high profile sending of refugees to Martha's Vineyard from Texas on a plane by Florida governor Ron DeSantis showed no love, no mercy, and no common sense. The only reason he did this was to out-Trump, our former President. In this day of politics (mainly on the right-wing side), the goal to be the next leader is paved with nothing that has to do with Christ. It is all about showing strength, showing ugliness, and showing that only some people in this country matter. This act of cruelty, telling them they would get jobs, homes, and help and then dumping them off with no support and without contacting local authorities to give them a chance to prepare for their arrival may or may not be legal. It certainly wasn't moral and absolutely not just or part of God's kingdom in any way. Thankfully, the community of Martha's Vineyard did welcome the strangers and cared for them with compassion. Treated them as people, rather than political fodder.

From the comic books of Avengers, there is a group called Hydra, who claim that if you cut off the head, seven more arise. As Trump is slowly (too slowly) being brought to justice, there are many who are eager to show that they can take up the mantle of his villainy and his with us or against us mantra. There are those who want to continue to divide and conquer America with them on top and all others under their boot.

We are not the Avengers who will battle them in the streets. We are Americans and people who believe in love, justice, compassion, and a community for everyone, not just the ones we like or approve of. If we win the struggle, we will do so by not using their tactics, but by countering destruction with creativity, countering fear with faith, and countering apathy with compassion, injustice with justice, and smallness with generosity. We must stand up, we must struggle, and we must stay in the fight no matter how long it takes.

This coming election may be a boon to them if they take one of the bodies of legislation. I hope that it doesn't come to pass, but we can do only so much to stop it. There is still too much anger, too much fear, and too much disinformation that is spreading in our country and in our world. But, however, none-the-less there are also some amazing things happening in our country, in our government, and in our world. The season of white evangelical nationalism is still present and it is powerful, but it's not light, only darkness and cannot sustain itself. Light, salt, and leaven are the tools Christ tells us to use. The fruit of the Spirit of goodness, kindness, patience, faithfulness, love, joy, peace, and gentleness Paul calls us to invest in. God tells us what She wants: DO justice, LOVE mercy, and WALK humbly. May we do so...

Peace
Pastor Enno

OCTOBER PRAYER OF THE MONTH

Bounteous and Generous God, we come to you in this time of harvest ready to bring you the fruits of our labor and gather the fruit of your Spirit. Strengthen us with the bounty of the earth that our bodies may be healthy and our minds may be sharp. Strengthen us with the fruit of the Spirit so that our thoughts and actions may reflect our Lord, Jesus of Nazareth. Bring about justice so that no one may go hungry, for we already produce enough to feed the whole world. Bless and keep your church so we may proclaim your love and your presence today in this world. In Jesus' name we pray, who with you and the Holy Spirit, watch over us and guide us. Amen.

A Message From Our Moderator

One of the enjoyable things about having a place down by the Lake Superior shore is spending time on the beach observing the wildlife who live there. Ducks are my favorite. Mallard ducks, what wonderful creatures. They aren't like those gulls who spend much of their time defacing the local rooftops and soiling the vehicles parked here. And unlike the geese, a flock of ducks will pass through your yard without tearing up your lawn. They are quiet respectful beings who spend their time ridding the area of nuisance bugs and revitalizing lands that we humans have failed to maintain. The Lord got it right when he created ducks.

But ducks lead tenuous lives and are vulnerable to weather and predators who also live here. All summer I watch as the mother ducks herd their young along the shoreline, shielding them and preparing the little ones for the challenges ahead. Winter is always coming and I am relieved when I see their flapping wings lifting them into the air and carrying them hopefully to somewhere safe.

The coolness of the season has come upon our church also and we must make adjustments. I hope we have had the opportunity to revitalize and grow during our very successful summer of outdoor services and activities. It's time however to fly indoors and build upon all we have learned. Friends, my hope is to see all of you nestling in the pews in the coming months, we will have a wonderful time.

Peace, Tom

First Congregational United Church of Christ, Grand Marais

Board of Directors Meeting

September 20, 2022 @ 5:00 pm

Zoom Meeting

Board Attendees: Carol Bennett, John Bottger, Kevin LeVoir, Carol Winter, Bruce Tyler, Tom Yuhasey, Pastor Enno, Jenny Delf on travel

WE BEGIN TOGETHER:

Tom chaired the meeting, read the mission statement.

Joys and Concerns were shared.

Pastor Enno asked the question “What is the funniest thing you remember happening in church?” Responses were shared. (Good laughs!)

August minutes were approved by email for the September newsletter.

The agenda for the meeting was approved.

Communication Agreement read by Tom

Newsletter article from the board is due 9/26; Tom volunteered to write it.

Financial Report, Kevin

The budget is “OK”, we are close to where we should be.

We ended with \$2,000 more in August than in July.

Pledges: 2/3 of the pledges are in as of 9/19/2022

Loan of \$10K from pandemic relief is not part of the PPP (Payroll Protection Plan). We have been given a 6-7 month extension to repay the loan, beginning mid-year 2023. End of August the endowment lost \$27,000, which may affect interest earnings.

Full report is available in the church office.

Next BOD Meeting

Next BOD meeting October 18, 5:00 PM, on Zoom

Pastor Report, Enno

The full report is available in the church office. Highlights below:

The Church Office is closed now, and Enno would like to open it and take down the email response and signs. He proposed opening the office Thursdays, 9-12 since Nancy is often at the office during these hours. Kevin is at church for several hours every Monday.

Lots of positive feedback following the joint service with Spirit of Wilderness.

ECC Summit: “membership” is a national hot topic; what kind of things are we doing now for the church 50 years from now? Enno will share conference video links.

Sunday School – 2 children involved; probably will do on Zoom

Youth Group: very excited about going to Duluth and Washington DC

Mutual Ministry Goals

Three goals were agreed upon in August and listed in the August minutes. Further refinement of the goals was tabled until next month giving more time to detail the goals.

Safe Church/Abuse Policy, Kevin

Kevin, Ranna, and Jodi have reviewed the policy, and the board discussed how to implement recommendations to be in compliance with current recommendations for having a safe and secure environment. Discussion on background checks for church volunteers and leadership positions; what sort of checks for outside users. Will discuss further in October. Once updated and approved, it will be posted on website and circulated to congregation and building users.

Cemetery property: no update, no action

Vehicle Charging Station

\$5K which was offered for charging station may be available for a suitable project. Buildings and Grounds is looking at several things including windows. We would like to get more information on what would be needed for a solar installation. This information might be available from Solar United Neighbors. Carol W will request more info from Buff Grace of MNIPL.

Return to Worship Poll

There have been 5 responses so far to the Mail Chimp poll regarding masking and singing for inside worship. Will encourage better response, possibly using paper ballots on the next Sunday we are at UCC. (Sept 25 worship is at Sprit of Wilderness Church). Until further notice, masks and no singing. Question raised regarding what criterion we will use to decide when we can sing indoors.

Rooted and Rising Report, Bruce

(Bruce read the report and I copied what he wrote from his email to the board)
Bruce suggested a “listening session” for the church community to give feedback on the items below. Enno proposed Sunday, October 2, St. Francis Day, after church, outside around the fire pit with snacks and hot drinks. Goals:

1.) The Rooted and Rising Action group met last week and decided on at least 3 priority projects to be worked through over a few years.

A. To construct and place on the church property—near to parking lot entrance and along the North city sidewalk—one or more raised garden beds, waist high so accessible to one who cannot bend down. To be offered to the Community garden program for the use of a suitable person. We supply the bed and access to water. Multipurpose: may be a holder for the lighted Advent tree decorations.

Could include a Welcome sign closer to the main entrance.

Bruce has been exploring designs and materials—especially thanks to Mike Carlson and Jeff Kern for their suggestions and offering materials and available work space for construction.

B. Longer term project: Planting a variety of bird-friendly trees and bushes around the church grounds, possibly on the boulevard grassy strip (mindful that they not grow so tall as to interfere with the power lines).

Also plant some trees of appropriate type around the fire pit area for more shade. Longer term: possible fruiting trees/shrubs in back near the fence and play equipment.

C. Another longer-term project: seed or plug areas of the lawn with alternate turf grasses and herbs: such as fescue, creeping thyme, or white clover, which can survive foot traffic, and need less mowing and moisture, or provide food for birds., bees or butterflies. This could start as a demonstration plot to test their qualities and encourage others to do likewise with signage.

I will attempt to send pictures of the models Mike Carlson made.

Also Jeff K suggested we try at least one raised bed of corrugated metal for longer life and less maintenance.

Lastly, the Rain Garden restoration group—also a project of Rooted and Rising Action—but including workers from the wider community and MnInterfaith Power and Light—has mostly completed the renovation and replanting of the city rain garden nearer the library and are working on the RG outside the wall by the Gunflint Trail Canoe sign.

Thanksgiving Dinner, Bruce

It's around the corner, and never too soon to start thinking about

Thanksgiving! Bruce will send out an email to determine a time to have a zoom meeting to begin planning.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45

Treasurer's Report for October 2022 Newsletter

The August 2022 (latest fully available information) Financial Report shows a total income of \$6,404.34 and expenses of \$8534.13 (See Detail Below). This means that the Church's Income was less than its Expenses by \$2,129.79.

Income for August 2022	
Pledged Donations	\$ 5,198.33
Non-Pledged Donations	\$ 640.00
Loose Plate Offering	\$ 234.00
Building Use	\$ 198.00
Income from Outside Sources	\$ 133.00
Pass Through Donation	\$ -
Interest Income	\$ 1.01
	\$ 6,404.34

Expenses for August 2022	
General Expenses (Pastor, Staff, Building, Loan Interest)	\$ 8,339.71
Loan Principle	\$ 194.42
	\$ 8,534.13
Difference	\$ (2,129.79)

The full report for August is available in the Church office.

Respectfully submitted,
Kevin LeVoir, Treasurer

Sunday School and Pizza for Social Justice

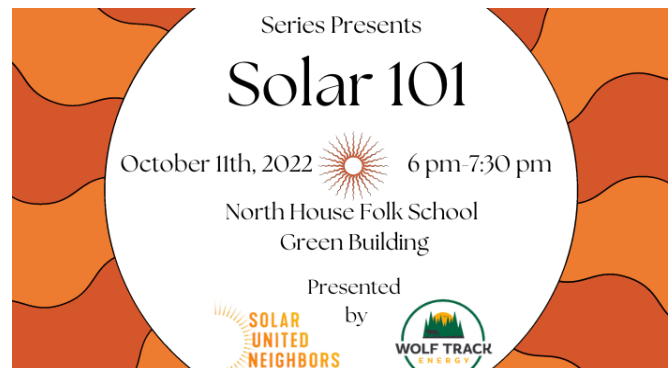
Sunday School will begin October 2nd at 9:00 AM for youth Kindergarten through 6th grade! We will begin the school year on Zoom and work to see when we be coming back into the church building. We will continue the lessons we were working on last Spring from a “Joyful Path” and practicing ways to pray, be present, and love ourselves and our neighbors.

Our gathering of older youth has the theme of social justice this year as they will be talking with a variety of people about their experiences in social movements, watching films and documentaries with a couple of overnights at the church. They will also be pumpkin carving on October 26th and painting a mural in the media/youth room this year. Lots to do and be a part of.

Cook County Local Energy Project

Time & Location

Oct 11, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM CDT
500 W Hwy 61, Grand Marais, MN
55604, USA



Join us for an evening with solar experts from Solar United Neighbors & Wolf Track Energy!

Making the switch to solar can be overwhelming, but it doesn't need to be! We will lay out the basics to demystify the steps of going solar in a straightforward format. Solar 101 will explore:

- Solar Basics & types of photovoltaic systems
- Financing options, federal tax credits, & net metering
- How to save on going solar through the [Duluth and Arrowhead Region Solar Co-op](#)
- Grid-tied PV systems & off-grid PV systems in Cook County
- Charging an electric vehicle with a solar array system
- The Inflation Reduction Act & valuable solar incentives to utilize!

Don't miss this opportunity to learn from these solar experts, register for this free workshop below.

Please consider donating to Cook County Local Energy Project for organizing this educational workshop!

Solar 101 is part one of the Sustainable Living Series. Presented by Solar United Neighbors & Wolf Track Energy in partnership with Cook County Local Energy Project, North House Folk School & University of Minnesota Extension.

Join us next month for the next Sustainable Living Series Event, the Trick or Treat Solar Home Tour Saturday, October 29th at 1 pm!

Peace United Church of Christ presents

The Rally for Peace



October 1st, 2022 - Noon-3 pm - Leif Erickson Park - Duluth



Featuring Keynote Speaker: **David Hogg**
"Engage in the Change:
Our Generation Must Own Democracy"

The co-founder of the March For Our Lives Movement, David is an author, activist, and survivor of the 2018 Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School shooting in Parkland, Florida.

Other speakers will include Mayor Emily Larson, students from our high schools and universities, the League of Women Voters, and others.

The Rally for Peace is a special gift to the youth of our community to honor Peace Church's 150 years of working for peace and justice. This is an event whose purpose is to promote a peaceful, nonviolent world, encouraging voter registration and engagement in our democracy.

We are grateful for support from our church partners:
Gloria Dei Lutheran - Glen Avon Presbyterian - Hillside United Methodist -
First United Methodist - Our Savior's Lutheran -
Pilgrim Congregational - St. Mark AME - St. Scholastica Monastery -
Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Duluth

This is a free event. All are welcome to attend. Bring a blanket or chair to sit on.

Our Pizza and Social Justice group will be taking a vehicle down to the Rally. Afterwards they will gather with other UCC youth to meet with Rev. Kevin Brown from the Minnesota Conference to talk about a trip to Washington, DC next summer, and a small group talk with David Hogg himself.

Rooted and Rising Climate Action News

Rain Garden Restoration

Last meeting for the season Monday, October 3, from 5-6 p.m., weather permitting. An average of 10-12 UCC and other community members have gathered since mid-July to restore these gardens. This has been a project spearheaded by the local MN Interfaith Power and Light (MNIPL) working group and folks from our church.

The rain garden work closest to the Grand Marais Public Library has been completed for this year and work is ongoing on the rain garden in front of the stone wall at 2d Avenue W. Rain gardens are designed to capture water run-off, allow it to percolate back into the soil, and prevent it from running untreated into the Lake. Stop by to admire and be inspired by the many native plants thriving again, once the crew pulled invading grasses and spread new mulch.

Listening Session, Climate Action Plans for the Church Grounds

October 2, After Worship

Join the Rooted and Rising Action Group as they outline plans to enhance our church grounds and ask for your support and approval.

Cook County MN Interfaith Power and Light Working Group

The working group met on September 26 by the rain gardens to hear about programs developed by Cook County Local Energy Project Director Kat Meyo. Mark your calendars for these upcoming events.

These events are free .Registration is requested for the Solar/Climate events on the CCLEP website. www.cookcountylenergy.org.

October 11, 6-7:30 p.m., Solar 101: Learn the basics steps to install solar energy.

Green Building, North House Folk School, Grand Marais

Representatives of Solar United Neighbors and World Track Energy will explain the basics and you will have an opportunity to sign up for a free assessment and bid.

October 18, 7 p.m. on Zoom. En-ROADS: Explore Potential Environmental Policy Solutions using a simulation tool to understand how various changes to energy, land use, consumption, and agriculture practices and policies can improve the future climate outlook.

October 29, 1-4:30 p.m. Trick or Treat Solar Home Tour. Caravan to tour three local homes with various solar array systems. Talk with homeowners about their experience. Solar installers will be present to answer your questions.

The Tour will leave from the Grand Marais Community Center, 317 W. 5th Street at 1:15 and return to the Community Center for Q & A afterwards. You are welcome to drop in to any of the home tours or the Q & A session as you are able.

November 5, 10 a.m. to ?, Community Clothing Swap, Grand Marais Community Center.

Come to swap useable children's and adult clothing. Keep useable clothing out of the landfill.

Donations of clean, usable clothing will be accepted on Friday, November 4 or before the Swap Meet on Saturday morning. You do not have to donate anything to attend. Check the CCLEP website for details and criteria. If you would not choose it at a thrift store, don't donate it. Volunteers will be on hand to teach you how to repair otherwise useable clothing to keep it serviceable.

Coming in January: Non-profit and business access to Federal Infrastructure Investment money for climate mitigation. Learn what this money can be used for and how to apply for it.

Details available later in the year.

Bible Study: Letter of James

This Fall we are going to look at the Letter of James for a short Bible study that has begun and conclude by the end of October. We will take each of the five chapters to walk through each week. This 'book' of the Bible was the only book that Martin Luther wanted to remove from the Bible and one of the few that doesn't center on Jesus' death and resurrection. We will gather Thursday afternoons at 1:30. We will be meeting in person in the Fireside Room or you can join us on [Zoom](#).



Minnesota Conference
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Minnesota Conference- Conference Minister Rev. Shari Prestmon returns from sabbatical

Today marks my first day back after three months of sabbath. I want to take a bit of space here to offer abundant thanks for the privilege and deep blessing of that time away.

My goal for the sabbatical time was to “deepen connections”. The pandemic season of these last 2-1/2 years is one I experienced as difficult isolation at times. The strain of being unable to meaningfully connect with family and friends and places dear to my heart often drained my spirit. In this Sabbath time I wanted nothing more than to spend quality time with people I love in unrushed conversation and spaces, soaking up God’s goodness and rediscovering joy.

Mission accomplished!

From Iowa to Connecticut and Maine to Mississippi, I lingered with loved ones, was awed by the beauty of God’s Creation, and reconnected with people who are integral to my faith journey. And at the close of it all, I attended the 11th Assembly of the World Council of Churches in Karlsruhe, Germany, where I had the amazing opportunity to observe the wideness of Christ’s global Church engaged in ecumenical ministry together. (More on that another time; it was fascinating!)

Thank you...

To the Conference staff: the strength and dedication of our talented staff team allowed me to be confident that all would be well during my absence. Many thanks to them for their ongoing hard work and for picking up any ‘extras’ caused by my time away

To Rev. Rick Wagner, who served as sabbatical supply Conference Minister during this time and provided the necessary glue and steady leadership to help things run smoothly

To the Board of Directors, who never hesitated in its support of my sabbatical, urged good boundaries to allow for blessed rest, and made it possible for me to attend the World Council of Churches Assembly.

To all of you for being a Conference that loves and supports its Conference staff and offers a generous sabbatical policy, and for your patience as you've awaited my return when questions or concerns arose.

The months ahead will be filled with good ministry and ample opportunities for all of us to deepen our own connections across the life of the Conference. I look forward to seeing or talking with you soon!

Gratefully,

Rev. Shari Prestemon



United Church of Christ



UCC grant recipient: Moving from tiny house to big advocacy

by [Jody Usher](#) | published on Sep 21, 2022

In 2016, a grant of \$10,000 — made possible by the United Church of Christ [Neighbors in Need Special Mission Offering](#) — went to support a special [“tiny house”](#) at [Peace Congregational Church, UCC](#), in Clemson, S.C. The project, meant to shelter LGBTQ+ people in need, hit twists and turns on its journey. In June 2022, it finally arrived, literally and figuratively, at its destination — with a wider-than-expected impact. Jody Usher, moderator of Peace Church in 2016 and a shepherd of the project since, tells the story.

We gave away the tiny house this year!



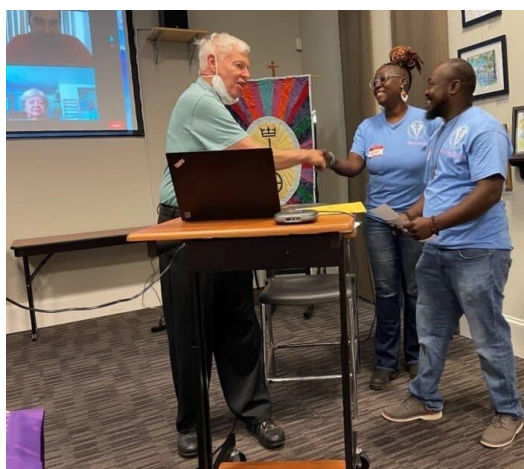
The tiny house trailer makes a stop in Clemson, S.C., on its way to its final destination on June 26, 2022. Peace Church originally imagined it as a mobile shelter for LGBTQ+ folks who needed short-term safe housing. As moderator, I served on the grant writing team and helped recruit young participants via

PRISM, our church's Clemson University student ministry. Tyler Rodgers, then a senior architectural student, dreamed and drew up the tiny house. With the South Carolina Botanical Garden, we found space to build it and use power. Our early estimate was to build in less than a year.

Then came delays and changes. Students graduated. Our pastor moved on. An interested builder stepped forward, whose partner offered to move the tiny house to his property some 20 miles away. Then, more delays. Because of changes in the families and partnerships of those involved, the tiny house needed a new construction site. The COVID-19 pandemic arrived. How could it already be the summer of 2021?

Through connections at a local food co-op, another landowner learned of our need and offered a site. We drew up an agreement that proposed completion by December 2021.

Transgender Awareness Alliance co-founders Tamara Joseph and M. Greg Green receive the tiny house's ownership documents from Peace Church's Russ Stanton at a June 26 worship service.



Now: who would oversee the use of our LBGQTQ+ tiny house? COVID shifts and leadership changes ruled out several groups that had once expressed interest. Then we heard from a longtime contact, Ivy Hill, founder of the nonprofit [Gender Benders](#) and now leader of [SC United for Justice & Equality](#). Ivy connected us with the [Transgender Awareness Alliance](#) in Columbia, S.C. – which itself had a dream of creating a tiny-house village there for transgender individuals.

In early 2022, a Zoom call between Peace Church leaders and TAA founders M. Greg Green and Tamara Joseph generated ideas. Plans were made for final detail work on the structure and for safe land with the necessary utilities. The latter eventually came from the Columbia Housing Authority, alongside other affordable housing for transgender people. On June 5, the congregation voted to donate the tiny house, plus \$2,000 in startup funds, to TAA.

Green and Joseph towed the tiny house trailer away from its construction site on June 26. On their way to Columbia, they stopped in Clemson for a

special Peace Church worship service. Leaders and supporters of the project over the years joined online. Those in person blessed the building by blowing bubbles on it.

That sounds like the end of the story, but it was more of an open gate than a closed door. Giving away the tiny house led to more than any of us could have predicted.

Just before the tiny house send-off, several of us from Peace Church attended the [Southeast Conference Annual Meeting](#). Its theme was “Reflecting on Our Past, Focusing on Our Future.” *The Rev. Traci Blackmon, one of our national UCC officers, preached on Nehemiah 6:9: “All of them were trying to make us afraid by saying, ‘Their hands will become tired from laboring, so the work won’t be completed.’ Therefore, Lord, strengthen my hands.”*

She challenged groups within the Conference to work together toward a goal we would set for ourselves, state by state.

Four people huddled for South Carolina and chose advocacy for transgender folks as our focus. Peace Church now saw through a wider lens. We knew that God needs us to speak up and be more widely visible for the trans community that is under attack in South Carolina. What that will look like continues to evolve. The Revs. Kim Wood and Heather Fosburgh of the Southeast Conference have prompted follow-up conversations. With the \$5,000 funding packets offered by Associate General Minister Blackmon to any collaborative project, we expect to combat transgender oppression across our state.

Reflecting on our past and focusing on our future, we will succeed — not because we are strong, but because of our persistence.

SEASONS OF OUR LIVES

For everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven.

(Ecclesiastes 3)

Time to Celebrate....

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS:

10/7 Kileen Limvere
10/14 Chuck Silence
10/15 Nancy Dalbec
10/15 Steve Nielsen
10/17 Sherrie Lindskog
10/22 Bea Sorenson
10/27 Lesaann Foris
10/28 Ben Silence
10/28 Stephen Aldrich
10/30 Bobbie Collins

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES:

10/10 Ann & Tom Dawson
10/15 Kevin & Ranna LeVoir
10/15 Stephen & Carole Quaife
10/24 Bob & Sarah Smith
10/27 Anne Swallow Gillis & Chris Gillis



Please help keep us up to date by letting us know if you'd like to be added (or removed) from our Birthday and Anniversary newsletter announcements.

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FS—Fireside Room SH—Social Hall MR—Media Room SA—Sanctuary N—Narthex/Lobby SR—South Room LL—Lower Level

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 CODA—Co-dependents Anonymous