

Mazomanie United Church of Christ Newsletter

Gandy Dancer Festival Update

A big thank you to everyone who made pies and worked at the Gandy Dancer Festival. The profits for the event is \$1,184.61 and, members of the congregation donated a record number of 73 pies! This fundraiser is an excellent example of the entire assembly coming together to raise funds for our church.

Food Pantry Donations

Please consider donating food and paper goods to the Christians in Action Food Pantry. There is a plastic bin for donations located to the left of the sanctuary entrance. Paper goods such as toilet paper, paper towels, and tissues are encouraged.

Helping Afghan Refugees

There has been an outpouring of support asking for ways to help the 7,000 Afghan evacuees at Fort McCoy.

Team Rubicon, a national non-profit, will create the means to harness volunteers and donors into areas that will make the most significant impact. Currently, Team Rubicon is only accepting NEW item donations. Anyone interested in supporting Team Rubicon should email: resettlementsupport@teamrubiconusa.org to request their most recent list of new item needs. Team Rubicon will take no used items.

You may donate gently used clothing and other items at a local Goodwill. When things are needed, Team Rubicon or Red Cross will reach out to Goodwill for specific items that Goodwill sources from their inventory, clean them, and send them to Fort McCoy.

Taste of Madison 2021 Update

The Taste of Madison this year was held at Breeze Stevens Field due to the pandemic. There were fewer beverage tents and therefore needed fewer volunteers. The volunteer could not invite everyone back from 2019 (it was random who was requested).

The volunteer committee will start with the 2019 list when it comes time to gather volunteers in 2022 when they are back on the square.

Birthday list

Reverend Denise would like everyone to provide their birthdays to her. Please email Denise at revdenisemazo@gmail.com or speak with her after church.

Praying for others

Please notify Reverend Denise if you would like to lift someone in prayer if you cannot attend worship services. Denise's phone number is 354-1201, and please leave a voicemail message if she does not answer. Denise's email address is revdenisemazo@gmail.com