

The Beam

August, 2018

First Presbyterian Church

406 Grant Street,
Wausau WI 54403
(715)842-2116
firstpreswausau.org

August Birthdays!

03~Julie Sorenson, Jennifer Schmitt
04~Gloria Beighley
05~Stephen Rhyner
07~Shannon Arambel
08~Sarah Culver, Kevin Ingvalson
09~Angela Kettner
10~Jon Fox
13~Katie Sauer
15~Betty Osswald
18~Bitsy Hoffmann
19~Shirley Strasser, Toni Simonson, Johanna Barkley
21~Diane Ehrhardt, Katherine Crabtree
22~Cheryl Davis
23~Ken Day
28~Robert Kluever
29~Aaron Hsu
30~Parker Schmitt, Chris Coscio
31~Susanne Kettner



Team Meeting Days and Times

Discipleship, 6:00 pm and
Mission, 4:30 pm, first Tuesday of the month.
Support, 4:00 pm and **Worship**, 5:30, the third Tuesday of the month.

Vacation Bible School - August 21-23 (Tuesday – Thursday)

Our First Methodist and Immanuel Lutheran friends will be joining us at First Presbyterian for three nights in August. *Come early at 5:00 pm for a family dinner!* Then join us at 5:30 pm for Bible stories, crafts, games, and music. Volunteers are needed! Contact the church office or Andrea Ingvalson (after 8/1) if you would like to help with VBS.

Everyone is invited to sing on the **last Sunday of August in our final Summer Choir**. Be ready to practice by **8:45 am** Sunday, Aug. 26th, when we'll learn an easy song for worship. All voices, great or small, high or low, are welcome (Kids too!) Be sure to mark August 26 on your calendar and come to sing!

August 5th is PRODUCE Sunday!

Please bring fresh produce from your garden to share with our food pantry guests. No garden? No problem! We'll accept fresh produce from any of our local markets. Thank you.



The Mission Team will also be providing meals for **VBS** August 21-23 here at FPC and serving the **Sunday Community Supper** on Sept. 2 If you are interested in helping with any of these meals, contact Chuck Schlitz, 715-573-8565 or cbschlitz@charter.net.

As we begin anew for the fall

the four teams, Discipleship, Mission, Support and Worship, are up and running and preparing the new fall programs. This is a great time to get involved with one of the teams or, if you prefer, one of the sub-committees that make up each of the four teams.

If you are interested, please turn this sheet over and read through the information about the teams and the various committees and projects. You can be as involved as you want to be! Hope to see you at our next meeting!



The Deacon School Angel Project is well underway!

We hope you have been able to take advantage of the great sales and coupons to help the kids at Franklin School by providing supplies for those who can't afford them. The list of supplies needed follows below:

- * Underwear (size xs-xl child or 4-10)
 - * Socks (size xs-xl child)
 - * Shoes (size 11-2)
 - * Markers (washable - fat & skinny) - they are very low on these
 - * Composition notebooks
 - * Dry erase markers
 - * Highlighters
 - * Poster board
 - * Construction paper
 - * Erasers
 - * Colored pencils
 - * Glue sticks
- Deodorant and supplies for hygiene closet

Staff are in and out of the office over the summer months. Here are their scheduled days out of the office:

Pastor Rachel: July 22 - August 5

Kathy DeYarman: August 9, 20

Susan Schaefer: August 9 - 12

Pastor Joy: August 19 - September 7

YOU are invited to continue the fellowship every Sunday after church and **dine at the Texas Roadhouse**. Present your church bulletin from that Sunday to your server and **10% of your food bill will be donated back to our church**. That's all you need to do! We recently received our first month's rebate so **THANK YOU to those of you** who have eaten at the Roadhouse on Sundays. It pays!

