



WWW.HALFWAYCREEK.ORG

# Halfway Creek LUTHERAN CHURCH

## **CURRENTS** APRIL 2021

### **CONGREGATIONAL VOTE FOR A NEW PASTOR**

The outcome of March 28th meeting, was an unanimously yes vote to offer the call to a pastor and his family. Further information will be forthcoming.

### **GOOD NEWS - SERVICE IS BACK!**

Easter Service is scheduled on April 4th at 9:00 AM with Pastor Garman. Weather permitting will be in parking lot (bring your chair), otherwise in the sanctuary. Egg hunt for kids will follow.

If not attending you can receive pre-filled communion wafer/juice and a short devotional. Contact Rose if you would like dropped off at our home or stop in to pick up.



*thank you!*

HCLC received a thank you card from William "Buck" Manley of Holmen Area Fire Department-Chief for our donation to new EMS equipment to upgrade cardiac AED defibrillators.



**After the 9:00 AM Easter Service on  
April 4th an egg hunt will follow.**

HALFWAY CREEK LUTHERAN CHURCH  
VISION BOARD MEETING AGENDA  
February 9, 2021  
7:00 PM

MEMBERS: Patti Happel, Mike Martin, Mike Nedoba, Gaye Johnson, Jessica Cook, Carolyn Bjerke, Diane Jostad

**ITEM:**

Call to Order at 7:09pm

Devotion/Reflection/Prayer - Diane Jostad

Approval of Agenda - Mike Nedoba approved the January's agenda and Carolyn 2nd, motion passed

Introduction/Welcome/Election of Officers

New Members: Diane Jostad and Carolyn Bjerke

Election of officers:

President: Patti Happel was re-elected for President, motion passed

Vice President: Mike Nedoba for VP nominated by Gaye Johnson, Carolyn 2nd, motion passed

Treasurer: Mike Martin was re-elected for Treasurer, motion passed

Secretary: Jess Cook was nominated by Mike Martin, Diane Jostad 2nd, motion passed

Approval of January minutes Mike had a question for Jess about contacting the Architect to remove the bathroom. Jess has not and will before the next meeting. Mike Martin moved to approve minutes and Carolyn 2nd, motion passed

Financial Report - Mike Martin reviewed January budget sheet with the vision board

\*Building loan will mature in February - Merchants bank is finishing up the paperwork

>1471.83 to meet our budget

>Flooring for Parsonage will need to be in the budget

> Total Revenue: \$9,588.22 / YTD \$13,820.00

> Total Expenditures:\$9,363.80 /YTD\$13,719.80

>Nothing is outstanding for this month

Motion made by Gaye Johnson to approve financial report, 2nd by Mike Nedoba, motion passed

**OLD BUSINESS**

SIMS >talk to the Technology team on thoughts on different options for view in the sanctuary. Carolyn is checking on some items as well.

Opening >Still watching the numbers and staying aware of the area.

New Furniture for Church By Gaye Johnson >, Motion to let Gaye replace old furniture and old bookcase in church with her donation of newer furniture, that she is bring from her house due to upgrading, motion made by Mike Martin, 2nd by Carolyn Bjerke, motion passed

**NEW BUSINESS**

Synod Assembly> Amy Noel has offered to represent us and was approved at the annual meeting. Patti will reach out to Andrea Baxter to see if she would also like to attend the Virtual Synod assembly.

Parsonage :

New roof > Mike Martin will have to wait until spring and see what we have left for money after the gutters are done this spring.

New flooring > Mike Martin will contact some flooring companies and get prices for our next meeting.

Other concerns or topics > Replace garage door, fascia board and paint small shed and being paid by dedicated funds under the garage door Funds. Motion made by Gaye Johnson to make the necessary improvements to shed with dedicated funds, 2nd by Diane Jostad and Motion passed

Closing Prayer > The Lord's prayer

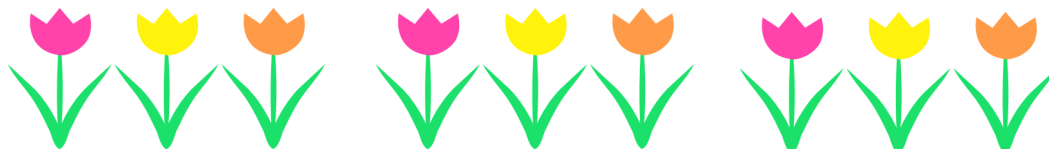
Adjournment >8:03pm

By Email on Feb. 23 Carolyn Bjerke made a motion to approve Jazzercise (Becky Brudos) to use the Fellowship Hall for exercise classes for \$200/month(For heating and electricity) Mike Nedoba seconded it. Motion Passed

Next meeting(s):

Thursday March 11, 2021 6pm – Regular Vision Board Meeting

>Devotion By Gaye for March 11th.



## LA CROSSE AREA SYNOD W-ELCA 2021 SPRING CONVENTION

Will be held at Our Saviors in La Crosse on Saturday, April 17th. Registration begins at 8:30 am and concludes at 3:00 pm. For registration, look in the March issue of Crosswinds or call .



2021 Synod Assembly will be held June 11-13, the theme "...we will Sing". The Pre-Assembly Conference Caucus Meeting are scheduled for May 11, 7:00 PM for the North Conference. All meetings will be done virtual. Representing Halfway Creek Lutheran Church is Amy Noel and Andrea Baxter.

## APRIL BIRTHDAYS

*If your birthday is missing, please notify the office.*

1	12	19	24
Nicole Barbour	Cohen Lee	Jennifer Kruckow	Roy Ackerman
3	Kennedy Strangstalien	Wyatt Oines	26
Noah Hanson	14	21	Dawn Bandoli
Gregory Temp	Alexa Lautenschlager	Kathleen Hagel	27
4	15	Chantel Temp	Rebecca Hauser
Rachael Hauser	Kristi Johnson	22	28
Trinity Horstman	16	Gabriel Hansen	Ryan Olson
6	Erica Daily	Allison Oines	Cartyr Stumlin
Rhonda Britton	Cora Klich	Ethan Oines	29
Doug Gordon	17	23	Audrey Bringe
Zach Johnson	Marcella McDonald	Savannah Britton	Lars Oines
Cassie Tremain-Tolvstad	18	Philip Johnson	
	Andrea Baxter	Joanne Mihm	
		Randy Tuquero	



**Currents**

**HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE GRADUATES RECOGNITION**

If your child will be graduating this year from either high school or college, please email their name to [assistant@halfwaycreek.org](mailto:assistant@halfwaycreek.org). so that they can be recognized in the publications.



**Christ in Our Home Daily Devotional** for April, May & June are located in the entry way of church. If you would like to receive one in the mail, please call 608-526-3701 or email [assistant@halfwaycreek.org](mailto:assistant@halfwaycreek.org).



*We pray for Roy Ackermann, Katie Wier, Phoebe Kitzke, Ayla Humphrey, Ted Latham, Gayle Kuespert, Mark Sanders, Beulah Sanders, Betty Schmidt, Cary Heyer, Eric Erdman, Dawson Reed, Jenny Lee, Mary Dokkebaken, Karla Johnson, Thelma Severson, Alice Fonfara*

Your giving helps with our mission-*Reaching Out to Share Christ with All*

<b>February</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Y-T-D Budget</b>	<b>Y-T-D Actual</b>
Expense	15,854	8,224	31,709	17,558
Revenue	15,834	10,790	31,668	20,378
Debt Reduction		439		709

Halfway Creek Lutheran Church  
W6016 County Road W  
Holmen, WI 54636

Halfway Creek Lutheran Church  
608-526-3701  
[www.halfwaycreek.org](http://www.halfwaycreek.org)

### **OFFICE HOURS**

The office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you need to reach Rose Wegner, you may leave a message on the answering machine or e-mail at [assistant@halfwaycreek.org](mailto:assistant@halfwaycreek.org).

### **PASTORAL CARE**

If the need arises for Pastoral Care, please contact Holmen Lutheran Church at 608-406-7592 or Pastor Kathy Ingbritsen 608-606-2903.

