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Monthly Theme

*What does it mean
to be a people*

**CULTIVATING
COMPASSION**

Inside News

by the *Chanticleer* Editors

As autumn takes hold, here are some highlights of October opportunities to learn, nourish, and connect at First Church:

Wade Fernandez workshop

“Erasing Stereotypes through Arts and Culture” Menominee musician and storyteller Wade Fernandez shares Native American music and culture in this workshop for all ages. Details on page 12.

Feast for Funds is back!

What can you contribute to this silent auction that builds community? Learn more on page 10.

Anti-Racism Training

“Uncovering Unconscious Bias.” Learn to connect across differences, including privilege and power. Find details on page 10.

Bagels & Donuts Are Back!



This October, our Youth will once again be serving up bagels and donuts during coffee hour between services—for just a \$2 donation! Every bite helps support their fundraising efforts for the upcoming Unitarian Universalist Heritage Trip to Boston in 2026.

We invite you to come hungry, swing by the Common Room, and enjoy a tasty treat while supporting their journey of learning and connection.

Share the Plate

Lynde Uihlein
Share the Plate Chair

CORE El Centro is the Share the Plate recipient for October. CORE El Centro is a place of inclusion and hope. They are a non-profit organization offering affordable natural healing and wellness services in Spanish and English. Their mission is to enhance the health and wellness of their community by offering integrative natural health services focused on empowerment, healing, safety, and reducing barriers to access.

Located in Walker's Point on Milwaukee's south side, CORE El Centro serves adults and children of all income levels, including persons who have limited access if any to health care. Offering integrative healing services, their goal is to inspire individuals, families and communities to achieve optimal health.

In 2023 CORE El Centro provided direct services to about 1,000 individuals. This includes nearly 650 unique individuals in our clinic providing one-on-one holistic therapies, and over 530 adults and children in our movement classes and other mindfulness offerings. The populations served by CORE El Centro participate because of factors such as income, language or cultural barriers. 80% identify as Latino. The age range is 3 - 84 with an average age of 45. 80% are women. In 2022, 70% of clients were severely low-income, and about 90% of CORE El Centro's clientele is subsidized.

CORE is always happy to welcome new volunteers. They are currently in need of volunteer translators for English and Spanish. They also have room for laundry volunteers. They are open to volunteer practitioners (massage, yoga, acupuncture) as well. Any help is appreciated! For more information, see the website, core-elcentro.org.

Donate to this STP Partner



Words on the Wind

by Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom

Cultivating compassion is one of our most powerful tools for transformation. It can change our lives, relationships, communities, and our society.

Deep compassion for the self is the root of compassion for others, and turning inward with the whisper of kindness will ripple out through all our relationships. What might happen if you spoke to yourself in the same voice you use for a dear friend going through a hardship?

Cultivating compassion in our relationships can also ripple back towards our own tender hearts. By remembering the quiet struggles faced by everyone in our lives, we can soften our interpretations of their behavior. When combined with healthy boundaries, this softening can allow us to release self-blame.

When we cultivate compassion in our communities and our societies, we develop systems that care for people, prioritize human life, and support our collective thriving.

To that end, we have two October opportunities to build belonging and collective thriving: October 12 at 1 p.m., Wade Fernandez will share Menominee stories and songs in his workshop “Erasing Stereotypes through Arts and Culture,” and I will lead a workshop on Oct 26 at 1:00 p.m. called “The Tip of the Iceberg: Uncovering Unconscious Bias.” See page 10 for more information on this event.

Let’s keep cultivating compassion together and use it to build collective thriving.

Love,
Rev. Jennifer
Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom, Senior Minister



Kimberlee's Contemplations

by Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson



Looking at a piece of newspaper I was employing for utility rather than edification, I saw a familiar face from my past. "I know him." I said out loud. He inspired me to be a kind teacher, a compassionate human.

His name is Joseph Elder, a professor of sociology at the University of Madison, where he taught for 53 years. I was looking at his obituary; he lived to be 95 years old. At nineteen, I took his Civilizations of India class which was mindboggling rich and opened my eyes to global perspectives I had never considered. Joe was a smart and wise man, but why I remember him so keenly, so clearly, decades later is because of his profound kindness.

On the day before Christmas Eve, my final paper was due (it is likely I should have managed my time better). I was struggling with a nasty cold, preventing me from writing clearly and finishing my paper. I needed to call Prof. Joe at home to request an extension. I was mortified. Trembling, I called, I could hear his family in the background gathered for the holidays. "Professor Elder, I am so sorry to bother you....".

Joe was magnanimous and compassionate, he asked if I had family or friends to care for me, he offered to bring me a healing soup that "always helped." I got off the phone and cried with relief and deep gratitude, determined to write the best paper of my life for this man.

His responsibility to the 1,000+ students that semester did not require this level of generosity.

And when I saw his face smiling back at me decades later, I instantly recalled how it sparked a desire to be like Joe whenever I could. As it turns out, Joe Elder left a long legacy of compassion, instilling that spark of unfettered kindness within many institutions and souls.

I wonder who offered you unfettered grace? What legacy of compassion do you carry? What ancestors can you call for inspiration when the world seems to be embracing cruelty?

"There is no greater remedy for helplessness than helping someone else, no greater salve for sorrow than according gladness to another. What makes life livable despite the cruelties of chance, these little acts of mercy, of tenderness, the small clear voice rising over the cacophony of the quarrelsome, over the complaint choir of the cynics, to insist again and again that the world is beautiful and full of kindness." - Maria Popova

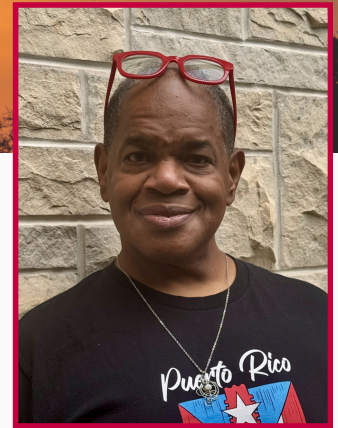
Compassion can transform individual lives, strengthen communities, and reshape entire societies. When we respond with empathy and kindness, we ease others' suffering and encourage them to pass that same care forward. Leaving a legacy of compassion plants seeds of lasting change, shaping values and habits that future generations will carry on.

May we all be a part of that legacy,

Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson
Minister of Faith Formation

Curiosities & Musings

by Rev. Chris Long



Cultivating Compassion: Balancing Presence and Action

This year's Ingathering has come and gone. Wow!! Does this church know how to do Ingathering or what? Well, for me, it was a sacred, even magical service.

I can hardly express just how amazing these last eight weeks with you have been since beginning as your Acting Assistant Minister on August 1, 2025. The one-on-one times for tea or a meal and the individual and group meetings with most of the areas of the church that are Under My Care have been profound. Additionally, I have been fortunate to have attended an Immigration Solidarity and Action Group (IS&A) meeting and the Social Justice Team retreat. I have even had the pure pleasure of attending a meet-and-greet and a UW Madison versus Marquette women's college volleyball game with our amazing and growing Young Adult group known as Unitarian Universalist Young Adults (UUYAs). This church is on the move.

Of note from my time here so far has been the level and depth of sharing you have gifted me related to your personal journey into Unitarian Universalism, the depth of spiritual and pastoral concerns you are holding, and your expressed needs and desires for the ministry this church provides. I have been humbled by the generosity of spirit you share with the ministers, staff and each other both within the church and as we navigate this city, state and world.

In October, many of the programs of the church are underway or will soon start, including Affinity Groups, Forum, Faith Formation for all, Theme Circles, Wellsprings, and our weekly worship life. As you well know, all of these programs need your continued support.

On Sunday October 12, we have the honor of having Wade Fernandez/ Wicīwen Apīs-Mahwaew (Walks With The Black Wolf) of the Menominee Indian Reservation joining us for our Indigenous Peoples Day Services. He is a multi-award-winning artist and educator from the Menominee Nation. He provides deeply authentic storytelling, and songs shared in his native language. The title and theme for those services is, "Indigenous Peoples Day 2025: Balancing Action and Presence."

Please keep your eyes, ears, and souls open for spiritual support groups tentatively titled, First Church Black Joy Collective, and a DRUUMM (Diverse, Revolutionary, Unitarian Universalist Multicultural Ministries) Groups to support our Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) members and friends of the church.

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SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

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Empathy Teaches the Truth

Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom, Senior Minister

Alissa Rhode, Lead Music Director

Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson, Minister of Faith Formation

Hannah Fox, Worship Associate

[Click for info about this service](#)

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Balancing Action and Presence

Rev. Chris Long, Acting Assistant Minister

Alissa Rhode, Lead Music Director

Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson, Minister of Faith Formation

Jessie Diliberti, Worship Associate

[Click for info about this service](#)

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Compassion Changes Things

Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom, Senior Minister

Tristan Strelitzer, Choral Director, and the Chancel Choir

Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson, Minister of Lifespan Faith Formation

Tom Hester, Worship Associate

[Click for info about this service](#)

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Honoring Our Beloved Dead

Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom, Senior Minister

Alissa Rhode, Lead Music Director

Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson, Minister of Faith Formation

Austin Baldwin, Worship Associate

[Click for info about this service](#)

Sunday Services at 9 and 11 a.m.

Splinters from the Board

by Stacy Koenen

Member of the Board

The Board of Trustees held our first meeting of the year the end of August. We were honored to be joined by Rev. Chris Long to meet the Board and get to know each other. The Board also elected Kathy Donius to serve as Secretary for the upcoming church year and appointed committee liaisons and task force members.

Additionally, Mark Bishop joined the Board to discuss goals and intentions as he steps into the Treasurer role. The Treasurer role is to advise the board on financial matters. Mark would like to review the current process and the BOT's understanding of the financials. He is asking the BOT to provide feedback on what they would like to see reported and if we would like changes to the current financial reporting.

Jean Johnson has announced her retirement for this upcoming January 2026. Communication has been sent to the congregation with a timeline. There is much gratitude and praise to be given for Jean's 27 years with the congregation. She has helped us through growth and transition. We appreciate her hard work, stability and support. She will be greatly missed.

The ministerial portfolio and responsibilities have been adjusted due to our staffing transitions. Rev. Kimberlee will be handling all educational aspects including; Faith Formation, religious study groups, and other related areas. Rev. Chris will be overseeing Membership aspects including; Theme Circles, Pastoral Care, Journey to Membership, and other related areas.

Over the upcoming year the Board will be dedicating significant time and effort to reviewing our Congregation Ends. The Ends are what we use to direct the work of our congregation. It's been several years since the original Ends were created and it's time to review them and see what our current direction for our congregation will be. Please keep an eye out for opportunities to participate in this process. We are excited for your feedback and input into First Church's future.

Continued "from Rev. Chris Long"

Lastly, we will continue to grow the First Church Men's Group that started last year. DO look forward to more announcements related to all of these spiritual efforts in the coming days and weeks ahead.

If you would like to have tea, coffee or a meal together, please feel free to email me at revchris.long@uumilwaukee.org.

Sincerely and in Joy, Hope and Possibilities,
Reverend Chris Long
Acting Assistant Minister

Pastoral Care Providers, Part of Something Larger

by Scot Henry

Pastoral Care Provider

Sometimes a little rain falls in our lives—and sometimes, it's a downpour. During the storms that hit Milwaukee on August 9 and 10, one of our members discovered unwanted water in their basement. Seeking help, they reached out to Laura White, our Pastoral Care Provider Coordinator.

While most pastoral care requests involve providing meals or rides to appointments, this situation called for a different kind of support. Remembering that at First Church we are part of something larger than ourselves, three of us pulled on our well-worn cleaning clothes and pitched in.

We invite you to keep extending love, one person and one caring act at a time. If you would like to learn more about the Pastoral Care Provider program at First Church, please contact Laura White at fusmpcproviders@uumilwaukee.org.

In Memoriam

Dan Haislmaier

June 29, 1947 - September 11, 2025

Dan Haislmaier died peacefully at home of advanced Parkinson's on September 10, 2025, with his wife Sue and his daughter Molly by his side. While his journey with Parkinson's has been difficult, Dan left his loved ones with smiles on their faces, taking his last breath with the drums and cymbals booming during his beloved 1812 Overture.

Everyone is invited to his Memorial Service on Saturday, November 15 at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom officiating.

All in the Family

We send our love and comfort to **Jack Forbes Wilson**, who was recently diagnosed with pancreatic and liver cancer.

We send our care and comfort to **Rod and Sharon DePue** who are processing a difficult health diagnosis for their son-in-law, Scott, and their Great-Granddaughter, Hope.

We send our comfort and care to **Bob and Amy Monahan** who have gone through a series of family losses this summer, including the death of Amy's brother, and Bob's brother-in-law entering hospice.

We want to wish **Amber Risky** continued healing as she celebrated her birthday (9/24/2025), with balloons and a few treats from us here at Church.

SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN



Transforming lives.
Strengthening communities.

Attend Common Ground 1,000 Person Assembly

by Jerry Fredrickson

Leader of Common Ground at First Church

Please join us on Sunday, October 19, 3:00-4:30 pm, at Serb Hall, 5101 W Oklahoma Ave for our Common Ground Assembly. We have 3 major reasons why we need 1,000 people:

1. To ask for your support and to send a message to slum landlords that we are building a city-wide organization through our Tenants United Campaign. A vital part of this campaign is to form a Tenants Union to build tenant power and create leaders.
2. Inform you of our Jury Diversity Campaign to get more people of color serving on juries.
3. Show solidarity with our Southside leaders.

RSVP at www.commongroundwi.org/events

Call for Nominations for Share the Plate

by Nancy Cross Dunham

Share the Plate Team Co-Chair

Share the Plate is a First Church social justice ministry that shares 50% of all non-pledge cash in the church's weekly offering plate with non-profit organizations in the Milwaukee metro area. The work of recipient organizations is also highlighted in various ways: during church services; at the Social Justice table during coffee hour; in the Chanticleer; and on the Share the Plate page on the Church's website.

There are opportunities for you to become more directly involved in our Share the Plate endeavors. Please consider nominating a deserving organization addressing issues that are close to your heart.

Some criteria for Share the Plate eligibility are as follows: the organization is a non-profit, providing services in the greater Milwaukee area; and the work focuses on serving one or more of a range of economically and socially challenged populations.

You can find more information on the nomination criteria on the Share the Plate page, along with a link to the nomination form. Find the [Share the Plate page](#) on the church website.

If you have questions about the nomination criteria and process, feel free to talk with any of the Share the Plate team members: Nancy Cross Dunham (co-chair); Bob Monahan (co-chair); Lynde Uihlein; Laurie Petersen; or Rod Bott.

THE TIP OF THE ICEBERG

UNCOVERING UNCONSCIOUS BIAS

You let us know
you wanted to know
more about unlearning racism.
The Anti-Racism team listened and is sponsoring
a skill building workshop on unconscious bias
and building beloved community.
Join us in learning how to connect across
differences, including privilege and power.

Led by Rev. Jennifer Nordstrom

October 26, Sunday 1pm-2:30pm

Leenhouts Common Room
Snacks and Beverages Provided
Childcare Available



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Feasting and More to Build Community

by Scot Henry
Feast for Funds Chair

How can we spend enjoyable time with members of our congregation while at the same time raising money for our church's important mission? That was the question that the creators of Feast for Funds successfully answered years ago. Feast for Funds is our congregation's silent auction, and it returns this year November 2 through the 16.

Popular contributions include hosting a themed meal (e.g. "Tacos Around the World, and "Vegetarian Feast"), but other experiences, services, gift cards, and unique items are just as welcome. What can you offer this year? If you have a cottage or room to make available for a weekend stay, those valuable donations are especially popular.

Not sure what to offer? Visit the Feast for Funds table during Coffee Hour on October 5, 12, or 19 for inspiration and guidance. If you already have an idea, you can also submit your donation online here: <https://bit.ly/3XOSATd>.

EJM Walk and Roll Greenfield Park West Allis

by Jackie Zandi
Earth Justice Ministry Member

Join the Earth Justice Ministry on Saturday October 11 from 10:30-noon for our Walk and Roll in Greenfield Park located in West Allis between Greenfield and Lincoln Avenues, and 116th and 124th Streets. The northern half of the park is a golf course. The southern half has a water park, lagoon, and exceptional Native Plant Community.

The parking lot near the pavilion on the edge of the lagoon can be accessed from 116th and Rogers Streets. Let's meet at the pavilion. From there we will Walk and Roll around the lagoon on a paved path and explore the native plant area from meandering paths.

We are joyful curious nature seekers. Come and be part of the experience! Cheri Briscoe is our leader, and Paula Anderson and Jacki Zandi are your hosts. Invite friends and family!



Erasing Stereotypes Through Arts & Culture: A Workshop for All Ages with Wade Fernandez

by Alissa Rhodes
Lead Music Director

Sunday, October 12
1:00 - 2:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Join Menominee musician and storyteller Wade Fernandez for this workshop that breaks down stereotypes by teaching about Menominee and other Native American cultures, demonstrating how honoring and learning about yourself and others creates understanding and acceptance which leads to better relations with all.



Click on YouTube to watch Wade Fernandez Interview | Re/sound: Songs of Wisconsin.

About the Artist Wade Fernandez

With Menominee roots extending well over 12,000 years to the land that is now called Wisconsin, Wade Fernandez /Wiciwen Apis-Mahwaew, has continually been sharing medicinal music, motivational messages and Menominee culture on stages and classrooms throughout the world for over 35 years. Wade is an enrolled member of the Menominee Nation and was raised in the beautiful ancient forest land of the Menominee Reservation where he still resides to this day.

He is an international award-winning musician/recording artist/songwriter/producer who performs with voice, guitar, Native American flute, and hand drum. As a certified teacher with a college degree in Music Education, motivational speaker, former adjunct instructor in the History dept at Marquette University, and presenter with extensive experience in classroom, on the stage, and parenting (proud father of 6), Wade combines a warm personality, a wealth of experience, and a sense of humor that keeps international audiences and schools inviting him back year after year.

Attention Readers

by Eileen Teska

Our First Church Book Discussion Group is one of the longest-running, continuously activities at First Church and it has changed since COVID. We meet on the second Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m. Central Time.

What you may not know:

- It's a zero commitment activity. **Sign up** and we'll send you the reading list for the church year, and monthly background information like links to author interviews or thought questions about each book as well as an invitation to join the discussion. There is no expectation that you will do anything with the information unless you choose to.
- It's Zoom only because we have members who live out of town and members who can't make it to an in-person meeting.
- Of our current 53 members, typically 8 to 12, not always the same people, participate in the lively discussions on the second Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m. Central Time.
- You do not have to have read the book to join in the discussion.
- Many of our members enjoy having the member-selected book list and never participate in a discussion.
- In spring each member is encouraged to recommend up to 3 books they have personally

read and then to vote on the list for the coming 12 months. We read and discuss all year long.

- Each month in the Chanticleer, there is a Book Discussion Group notice with a link to sign up <https://form.jotform.com/222686359167973> so please join us anytime!

Happy reading! Barbra Lancelot, Christine Linder, Nina Davis and Eileen Teska, co-coordinators

2025-26 Book Selections

October	<i>A Death in the Family</i> by James Agee
November	<i>The Memory Wall</i> by Anthony Doerr
December	<i>Homeland Elegies</i> by Ayad Akhtar
January	<i>Being Jewish after the Destruction of Gaza. A Reckoning</i> by Peter Beinart
February	<i>Godstruck: Seven Women's Unexpected Journeys to Religious Conversion</i> by Kelsey Osgood
March	<i>The Story of a Heart: Two Families, One Heart, and the Medical Miracle that Saved a Child's Life</i> by Dr. Rachel Clarke
April	<i>Pompeii</i> by Robert Harris
May	<i>Birnam Wood</i> by Eleanor Catton
June	<i>When It All Burns</i> by Jordan Thomas
July	<i>Troubled: A Memoir of Foster Care, Family, and Social Class</i> by Rob Henderson

Faith Formation Volunteer Orientation October 5

Join us for the FF Volunteer Orientation at 1:15 a.m. on Sunday, Oct. 5 as we kick off the new church year!

We'll cover:

- Overview of the Faith Formation program
- Child and youth safety practices
- Scheduling and volunteer opportunities
- Plans for the upcoming year
- Registration & background checks

If you registered as a volunteer last year, there is no need to re-register. New volunteers: please fill out the FF Volunteer Form to get started.

Parents of registered children don't need to register –just sign up on the FF Volunteer Schedule and we'll follow up if a background check is needed.

All volunteers working directly with children must be willing to complete a general background check to ensure the safety of our families.



Child Dedication

by Rev. Kimberlee Tomczak Carlson
Minister of Faith Formation

On November 23, a Dedication of Parents and Children will take place during our 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday services.

The Child Dedication Ceremony is a time for celebrating the birth or adoption of a child in a ceremony of naming and dedication. It is a time for welcoming our children into the world, into the family, and into the church community. It is a time for acknowledging that each child's life is sacred and holding that truth in the light of our faith. This simple ceremony is related to the Christian "baptism" or "christening," though the meanings we attach to it are significantly different. Please read our [UU Child Dedication](#) for a full description.

The ceremony is a public declaration by parents dedicating themselves to faithfully nurture and support their children. The congregation recognizes your child's original blessing, and we dedicate ourselves to nurturing your child and you. Because of the promises our congregation makes to the family during the ceremony, child dedications are available only to members of the church.

If you are interested in having your child dedicated on November 23, fill out this [online form](#) by Sunday, November 16 or email Rev. Kimberlee.



Buddhist Study Group

Wednesday, Oct 1 & 15, 6:30 pm
At Church

Join us as we meet to share our thoughts and interpretations of Buddhist teachings and ideas. Then we meditate as a group for a short while and have fellowship. Contact is Mark Miller at gatheringwaterssangha@gmail.com.

Chancel Choir

Oct. 9, 16 & 30, 7:00-8:30 pm
At Church

Sing with us on Thursdays as we prepare to perform for Sunday services. Open to all singers high school age and up (no previous experience or audition required). Contact Tristan Strelitzer at tristan.strelitzer@uumilwaukee.org to join.

Book Discussion Group Online

Sunday, October 12, 1:00 pm
[Join Us Online Here](#)

Join us as we discuss October's read, *A Death in the Family* by James Agee. Contact Eileen Teska or more information at eileenteska@gmail.com.

The Practice of Presence

Every Monday, 5:30 - 6:30 pm
At Church

Join us in our beautiful Sanctuary for the Practice of Silence as we sit in silence. Silence can bring calm to the mind and restore balance. Drop-in and stay the entire hour or just a few minutes. You can arrive anytime during the hour. No meditation experience required.

The Shawl Ministry Group

Sunday, October 5 at 12:00 pm
At Church

The shawl ministry group plans to meet after the second church service on October 5 in the Common Room. Hoping to see you soon, Juliet Hills.

Poetry Contemplation Online

Every Wednesday, 9:00 am
[Join Us Online Here](#)

Join us online as we listen, respond, and rest with the words of selected poets. Come listen for what resonates and illuminates. Members, guests, and visitors are welcome to join this open, weekly, drop-in practice.



Sunday Morning Forum

10:00 AM IN-PERSON & ON YOUTUBE



OCTOBER 5

Milwaukee Turners Yesterday & Today

Emilio De Torre, Executive Director of the Milwaukee Turners.

The Milwaukee Turners have been in existence since 1853. Whether fighting confederate slavers and Nazis; starting the first kindergartens and Physical Ed classes; teaching gymnastics and holding forums; or fish fries, beer and concerts, almost all Milwaukeeans have some sort of relationship with the Turners and Turner Hall. Hear where they've been and how their 172 year-old mission informs their actions and rebirth today.

OCTOBER 12

International Institute of Wisconsin

Alexander P. Durtka, Jr., LHD, MSW, MDiv., CFEE

An insider's overview, beyond the annual Holiday Folk Fair, into an often-unknown Wisconsin institution. Its development, programs, and efforts to connect the world to Wisconsin and its people to the world.



OCTOBER 19

The Status of Public Radio and WUWM in MKE

David Lee, General Manager of WUWM 89.7 – Milwaukee's NPR.

David Lee, General Manager of our local public radio National Public Radio (NPR) affiliate, will discuss WUWM's status and plans for the future, along with the current state of NPR and the implications of federal budget cuts to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

OCTOBER 26

Common Ground's Campaigns: Crime, Jury Diversity

Kevin Solomon, Senior Associate Organizer with CG and Bad Landlords.

After our successful campaign to reform the Housing Authority, Common Ground has been listening, building new relationships, and preparing for action. We are back at it – with three new campaigns. Come and hear about our efforts to address crime on the Southside, make juries more diverse, and hold two big corporate landlords accountable.



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Monday - Wednesdays: 5:00 - 8:30 pm

If you are attending a scheduled group, ring the bell. If you need access to the building at other times, please make an appointment at first.church.office@uumilwaukee.org.

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