

BROADWAY UMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY — AUGUST 11, 2019

Adult Sunday School is on Sunday mornings from 10:15-10:45am. Come to church a little early, grab a cup of coffee, and join us for some inspiration before the 11am service!

Pick Up Choir continues! Whoever wants to sing in this no stress, informal choir can meet me in the Sanctuary at 10am to rehearse hymns or a song (if there is no soloist scheduled), which we will sing at the 11am service. Pick Up Choir will continue each Sunday throughout the summer. All are invited to join me praising God in song. Also, **anyone interested in singing a solo this summer**, feel free to [email me](#) and we can arrange a time to rehearse during the week. ~ Robert Galbreath, Jr., Music Director

AUGUST MISSION MINUTES

Clara Mridula Biswas, a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church, serving as a community worker in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. She works with the “poorest of the poor,” especially children, in slum areas and garbage dumps to facilitate their transfers to relocation and rehabilitation centers.

Lincoln Park Community Shelter. LPCS brings communities together to empower individuals facing homelessness and poverty to secure stable housing and make sustainable life changes. LPCS staff, Guests, volunteers, stakeholders, and donors are a micro-community with common interests and goals that hold each responsible to the other. Together, they work within Lincoln Park Community Services and with the larger community to ensure members receive the support, respect, and understanding they need to empower their lives. They believe that every person in our community has a stake in and can contribute to ending homelessness. More info at: <https://lpcsonline.org/>

You can donate by designated cash or check in the offering plate, mailing checks to the church, or [giving online](#). Your donation will be split evenly between mission minutes each month unless specified otherwise.

THIS WEEK — AUGUST 12 TO 17, 2019

If you aren't already subscribed to our **Weekly E-News**, click the link on our [website](#) or on our [facebook page](#) or send an email to the [church office](#).

Please join us Wednesdays at 7pm for our lay-led **Lectionary Study** where we meditate, reflect, and discuss the lectionary scripture readings. The lectionary readings can be found at www.umcdiscipleship.org/worship/lectionary-calendar. We study two weeks in advance.

NEXT SUNDAY — AUGUST 18, 2019

“**Worship in the Yard**” will continue on the 3rd Sunday of the month in August and September at 11am, followed by a potluck picnic. The next date is next Sunday, August 18th.

LOOKING AHEAD

Upcoming church meetings: **Property Caregivers** on Monday, August 19th at 7pm. **Broadway Ministry Advocates** on Monday, August 26th at 6:30pm. These meetings are open to the congregation.

Take Pride In Your Care—A Care Planning Workshop! Sunday, September 8th, from 1pm-2:30pm here at Broadway. The first generation to age 'out' is entering senior care right now—wading through the maze of senior housing, hiring caregivers, and making financial resources last. If this sounds familiar, we invite you to join us for a workshop to take charge of your present and future care! This workshop is specifically geared towards people who are • Interested in planning for their own care • Currently caregiving for a loved one • Curious about senior resources available in the area. Facilitated by The Care Plan, together we will discuss your specific needs and make a plan together. This workshop will provide inclusive LGBTQ+ resources and coaching. Seating is limited, RSVP to Jacqueline@the-care-plan.com. This workshop is open to the public and free to attend.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

A sign-up form for **Liturgists and Hospitality Volunteers** is online at <https://signup.com/go/qeDmtnS>. You may also contact the office to volunteer.

Calling all green thumbs! **Adopt-A-Plot!** Select a portion of the church grounds to plant and take care of this summer. It's gardener's choice of what to plant. Lilac bushes and other large shrubs have to stay but anything else is subject to removal. Plot adoptions can be selected on sign-up sheet on the Property Caregivers bulletin board (next to the kitchen).

Broadway is in need of **Helping Hands**: There are many small tasks that we need volunteers to do so that we don't have to hire a handyman. Cards that describe these small tasks are on the Property Caregivers bulletin board (next to the kitchen). Information about any special tools needed or times that the tasks can be done can be found listed on each card.

Basement Painting Project: We are still looking for donations to finish painting the basement and to purchase new baseboard to finish the project. Please talk with Kathy Wurster or contact the church office.

Monthly Update	Income	Expenses	Difference
Quarter 1	\$38,758.38	\$51,845.11	-\$13,086.73
Quarter 2	\$44,181.59	\$49,176.73	-\$4,995.39
YTD	\$82,939.72	\$101,021.84	-\$18,082.12



God is inviting you to specific ministry of sharing your resources. Please be as generous as you can in your giving. To give online, visit us at broadwaychurchchicago.com/give or scan the QR code at left. Thank you for your commitment to God's purposes through our faith community!

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