

BROADWAY UMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

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](#).

If you are **willing to assist in worship by reading** our Offering Invitation/Prayer, or Scripture, **providing special music** such as solos, duets, groups on vocals and/or instruments, or **assisting with media**, please sign up [here](#). You may also [contact the office](#) to volunteer.

PSALM 96: SING UNTO THE LORD A NEW SONG! SING UNTO THE LORD ALL YE LANDS! Fellow Christians, I will **resume the full music program here at Broadway Church this month, September 2022**. I welcome all singers and instrumentalists to blend their talents! No auditions required. I only seek a willingness to lift up God's Name in song! Rehearsal schedule TBA. Feel free to contact me directly at ziggy6870@gmail.com. Blessings to all! Robert Galbreath, Director of Music Ministries, BUMC

The **Community Food Pantry** outside BUMC is there for anyone in need but it's often EMPTY! We invite all who are able to pick up a few items next time you're at the grocery store and drop them off in our Community Food Pantry! See our [giving page](#) on our website suggested items/items to skip.

September Mission Minute: National Ataxia Foundation. Ataxia is a degenerative disease of the nervous system. These symptoms are caused by damage to the cerebellum, the part of the brain that is responsible for coordinating movement. The National Ataxia Foundation is dedicated to improving the lives of persons affected by Ataxia through support, education, and research. More information at <https://ataxia.org>. Please visit Broadway's donation page to read more about our Mission Minutes and how to give.

THIS WEEK — SEPTEMBER 26 TO OCTOBER 1, 2022

This week's office hours are

Wednesday, September 28 from 9:30am-1:30pm

Thursday, September 29 from 9:30am-1:30pm

Friday, September 30 from 9:30am-1:30pm.

Please check our online calendar at <https://www.broadwaychurchchicago.com/calendar> for the most up to date information:

Need to stop by at a different time? Please email the office at bumclakeview@gmail.com.

Please join us Wednesdays at 7pm for our **Online Bible Study**. Click [here](#) to join Zoom by video. (link also on our website events page) To join by phone: Call 312-626-6799. When prompted, enter Meeting ID: 923 3982 2404 and passcode: 381947.

Spiritual Practice Group: Thursdays from 6-7pm. In this spiritual practice group, we will be starting with a question that John Wesley (the founder of Methodism) used in his own small groups, "How is it with your soul?" Every person in attendance will have an opportunity to share their answer to this question. It is a chance to check in and build our connections with one another, and it is also an opportunity to deepen our personal reflection and connection with God. Then, we will continue with a version of a Lectio Divina practice. In this version of the older monastic practice, we will be reading a piece of scripture (or contemporary religious/spiritual writing) three times. The first time, we will be listening for what resonates with us. The second time, we will be listening for what is challenging to us personally. The third time, we will be listening for a synthesis of the two, or a rising above the two that happens. After we listen to the reading these three times, along with their attendant reflections, we will share with the group what we experienced. Then, at the end of our time together, we will share with the group what we will take away from our time together into our lives. I'm very excited about this opportunity to meet with you and reflect together! ~ [Student Intern Pip](#)

North Side Community Donation Drive: Emergency Response for New Arrivals from Texas. Northside elected officials have come together to collect donations of new items for these families. Donations can be dropped off at our Alderman's office **until October 1st**. Baby products and hygiene products are an immediate list, and to

see the full list of items being requested, [please click here](#). The city is also looing for volunteers, so if you feel you will be able to donate some of your time, [please click here](#), and [click here](#) for a full list of drop off locations.

LOOKING AHEAD

Social Justice Initiative: We will be beginning this work in earnest in October, when the congregation as a whole will have opportunities to brainstorm together about what cause/issue we are going to address. There will be a weekly meeting of whoever is interested in being part of the committee, starting in **October, at 7pm Thursday evenings**. ~ [Student Intern Pip](#)

As we ease into Autumn, the **Chicago Coalition of Welcoming Churches** invites you to join us at our **Fall Event - "Connection, Celebration, Reflection."** Please join us to connect with each other, celebrate our successful 2022 Chicago Pride Parade experience and reflect on how we did and vision for what's next for us as a Coalition and our presence in the 2023 Pride Parade!

What: Fall Event: "Connection, Celebration, Reflection"

Who: Open to all

When: Saturday, October 8, 2022, 2:30 – 4:30 PM

Where: Lake View Lutheran Church (835 W Addison St. 3 blocks from the CTA Addison Red Line Stop, 1 block from Addison / Halsted bus. The church does have parking in the rear of the building.)

Come join us, meet some new folks from other CCWC member churches, enjoy light refreshments and vision and dream about how we want Pride 2023 to look and beyond! [Use this link to register](#) so we have an estimate of how many people will be attending. We look forward to seeing you then! ~ The Chicago Coalition of Welcoming Churches. Questions - email us at info@chicagowelcomingchurches.org.

Broadway Street will be closed between Sheridan and Diversey for the Chicago Marathon the morning of Sunday, October 9th. Anticipated closure is 7am and anticipated opening is 12:30pm. Street parking near BUMC will be difficult. You may be able to access the church from Halsted St. Great day to bike, walk, or take CTA!



September: 30 Days of Anti-Racism

[Here is a complete calendar](#) for us to follow. GCORR invites us to share our journey with a picture each day using [#30daysantiracism](#).

God is inviting you to the specific ministry of sharing your resources. Please be as generous as you can in your giving. To give online, go to [broadwaychurchchicago.com/give](https://www.broadwaychurchchicago.com/give). Thank you for your commitment to God's purposes through our faith community!