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# THE DAILY NEWS

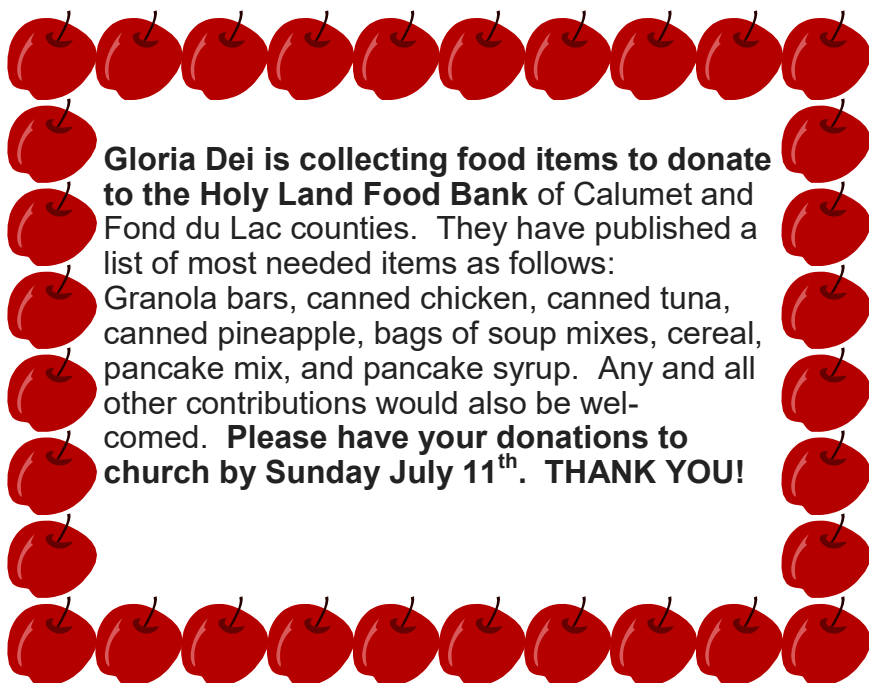
## July 2021

DATE TO REMEMBER	
07/04/2021	8:00 AM - Virtual Worship on Facebook - Parking Lot – In Person—
07/07/2021	6:30 AM - Bible Study Group
07/11/2021	8:00 AM - Virtual Worship on Facebook - Parking Lot – In Person
07/13/2021	6:00 PM - Church Council Meeting
07/14/2021	6:30 AM - Bible Study Group
07/18/2021	8:00 AM - Virtual Worship on Facebook - Parking Lot – In Person
07/21/2021	6:30 AM - Bible Study Group
07/25/2021	8:00 AM - Virtual Worship on Facebook - Parking Lot – In Person
07/28/2021	6:30 AM - Bible Study Group

### A message from the Property Committee

**God works in miraculous ways!!** Two weeks ago, we voted to raise \$15,000 to use to stain and paint the exterior of our church and shed. It took the generous members of Gloria Dei 10 days to reach \$15,100 and thus the property committee could meet, select a contractor, meet with that firm and sign a contract. Wednesday June 23<sup>rd</sup> Dick Welsch, Terry Erickson and Bryce Larson met with Jerry Matzdorf, the representative from CertaPro (the firm we selected which is also the lowest estimate) and we signed the contract to schedule the project and work to narrow color selections. We are being booked for August of 2021 and CertaPro did not need a down payment as we will pay the total payment when invoiced by CertaPro. We will have color selection materials with codes available for view by membership at our church services for 1-2 weeks. We want to have that decision made soon as supplies are still hard to get and we want the materials on hand when the crew is ready to stain and paint. The property committee is very glad to be moving forward with this essential project and we want to express our sincere gratitude for those members of Gloria Dei that have the gift of giving.

Bryce Larson- council representative for Gloria Dei property committee



**Gloria Dei is collecting food items to donate to the Holy Land Food Bank** of Calumet and Fond du Lac counties. They have published a list of most needed items as follows:  
 Granola bars, canned chicken, canned tuna, canned pineapple, bags of soup mixes, cereal, pancake mix, and pancake syrup. Any and all other contributions would also be welcomed. **Please have your donations to church by Sunday July 11<sup>th</sup>. THANK YOU!**

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**SUNDAY WORSHIP TIME CHANGE:** Beginning Sunday, May 02, 2021 Gloria Dei will hold Worship at 8:00 AM. The time change is necessary due to Pastor Liddel's schedule at a congregation he is currently serving. Your council decided to try this change and allow Pastor Jim, a familiar face, to serve at Gloria Dei. This time change to 8:00 AM Sunday Worship will be re-visited in three months. Your co-operation and participation at Gloria Dei is extremely important to it's future. Remember: Share the Good News. Christ is Risen!

**IN PERSON WORSHIP AT GLORIA DEI**

**Guidelines**

- 1- Attendance will be limited to 45 individuals (25% of full capacity) in the building at one time.
- 2- Entering church. As you enter a greeter will welcome you and direct you to hand sanitizing, sanitizing wipes, and mask station.
- 3- In the narthex. Social distancing and mask wearing are required. An usher will help seat you. On the table you will find bulletins, individual communion serving, the offering plate, and Script order forms.
- 4- Entering the sanctuary. Every other pew will be roped off, allowing social distancing. Families and couples may sit together. As you enter wipe your area with sanitizing wipe.
- 5- The service. Continue wearing of masks. Singing is allowed.
- 6- After the service. Ushers will release you, starting with the back pews to the front. Please gather outside with social distancing if desired. Facebook Live broadcast of services will continue.



**In-Kind Donations**

Please fill out the in-kind donation form, (You can request a form from the Church Administrative Assistant Ann Martin) or turn in any receipts for items purchased and donated to the church. This would include boxes of tissues, toilet paper, office supplies and any other items that would normally need to be purchased as part of the budget. Keeping track of all the items that are donated helps to ensure that our budget is accurate.

Treasurer - David Hoban.

## Gloria Dei Church Council June 08, 2021

Present: Julie Schaefer, Brenda Kobs, Bryce Larson, Nealey Janicek, Sue Salzsieder, Jennifer Lecker,  
Michael Hetzner, David Hoban  
Absent: Ann Sellen

Call to Order—President Julie Schaefer 6:03 pm

Approval of Meeting Agenda—(N. Janicek, B. Kobs)

Approval of Secretary's Report—(S. Salzsieder, B. Larson)

Approval of Treasurer's Report—(B. Larson, B. Kobs)

### Treasurer's Monthly Report

Submitted by David Hoban

	<u>April</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>YTD</u>	
	----2021----	----2021----	----2021----	----2021----
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Planned</u>	<u>Planned</u>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>				
Operating Income	\$ 6,248.00	42,496	43,033	103,280
Capital Campaign	\$ 0	1,170	4,167	10,000
Building Projects	\$ 0	0	1,458	3,500
Benevolence Funds	\$ 0	0	1,042	2,500
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 6,248</b>	<b>43,666</b>	<b>49,700</b>	<b>119,280</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>				
Operating Expenses	\$ 6,474.94	46,983	50,263	120,632
Capital Campaign	\$ 0	1,170	4,167	10,000
Buiding Projects	\$ 0	0	1,458	3,500
Benevolence Funds	\$ 0	0	1,042	2,500
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 6,475</b>	<b>48,153</b>	<b>56,930</b>	<b>136,632</b>
<b>INCOME MINUS EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ -227</b>	<b>-4,487</b>	<b>-7,230</b>	<b>-17,352</b>

At the annual meeting, Gloria Dei passed a budget that projected a shortfall for 2021 of over \$17,000. This report is intended to keep the congregation informed on overall budget on a monthly basis. Please reach out to me if you have any specific questions.

For May, expenses exceeded income by \$227. Year to date, expenses exceed income by \$4,487.

For expenses, this month had the minimum amount of payments. Expenses only totaled \$6,248 when the monthly average is \$9,000-\$10,000.

For income, May offering revenue was down considerably. The income also includes the \$400 rent from the Pentecostals.

There is a cost savings of \$2,000 a month going back to an intentional Supply Pastor compared to the Synod supplied interum Pastor. May was the first full month with this change.

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Discussion of Mask Requirement for In-Person Worship -

Council discussed the Covid Task Force recommendation to make masks and social distancing while within the building voluntary. All expressed their views. Council did not change our policy. At this time, masks and social distancing will remain in place while inside. A survey will be sent to members about masking and if this is influencing their in-person attendance, etc.

Congregational Meeting

Council is grateful that members in person and on Zoom approved raising \$15,000 to cover the cost of professionals painting/staining the exterior of our buildings. Dave Hoban reported that as of Monday we had \$2900 in the bank. He also announced that a member of our congregation will match each dollar raised up to \$15,000. At this time two council members, Bryce Larson and Julie Schaefer stated that they are each going to donate \$2000 toward the project. This makes our total \$6900 and with matching funds - \$13,800. This good news will be announced in e-mails and on our Facebook page. We feel confident that we will reach our fundraising goal by July 1st and be able to schedule this important work for later this summer or early fall.

Committee Reports

- 1) Fellowship/Outreach—Those comfortable about sharing fellowship after church with snacks and drinks thoroughly enjoy it. It will continue. Other ideas to build community include evening bonfires. Pastor Eric Holgrem, of the Pentecostals of New Holstein, is also planning a potluck/bonfire on June 26th.
- 2) Property— C&R Pumpers will be out this week to check/pump out the septic system. Committee members and the Kobs family are very pleased with Big Joe’s Lawn Service that mowed the morning of Kendra Kobs’ wedding. The grounds were wonderful for wedding photography.  
MOTION: Council gives the Property Committee the authorization to choose and schedule the painting/staining contractor. (J. Lecker, M. Hetzer)
- 3) Stewardship/Long Range Planning— Short discussion was held on other needs such as carpeting and making our budget. Over half of our congregation uses Simply Giving. We need to get people back to church and involved.
- 4) Worship/Music— no report
- 5) Youth/Christian Education— Sunday School will resume in fall.

Calendar Update— Council meetings will remain the 2nd Tuesday of each month, but will meet at 6:30 pm. Next meeting is July 13, 2021

Adjournment with the Lord’s Prayer (N. Janicek, B. Kobs) 7:16 pm

Submitted by Sue Salzsieder and approved by Michael Hetzner

**Piggly Wiggly Receipts**

Your receipts from Piggly Wiggly from Kiel can be placed in the basket in the narthex. The Kiel Store allows us to turn in receipts to get the same non-profit donation as purchasing SCRIP gift cards.

**Receipts from purchases using**

