

December 9, 2018



# FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH • MUKWONAGO

✠ Calendar for the Week of 12/9/18 - 12/16/18		
<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Bible Study Worship Bake Sale
<b>Monday</b>	6:30 pm	Scouts
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:30 pm 6:30 pm	Choir Scouts
<b>Wednesday</b>	5:00 pm	Quilters
<b>Thursday</b>	6:30 pm	Missions
<b>Friday</b>		
<b>Saturday</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am 1:00 pm	Bible Study Worship Front Porch Linden Ridge

✠ The lounge will be used for Christian Counseling: Sundays 2pm – 10pm,  
Mondays 6pm – 10pm and Thursdays 6:30 pm – 10pm

✠ Mon. – Fri. 7:30 – 3:30 Tri-Skill will be using approved areas of the building.

### Servant Schedule

Date	Refresh.	Ushers	Nursery	Liturgist	Sunday School Teacher/Helper
12/9		Group 1	Paige		Reyna & Tim
12/16	Kay R	Group 2		Zach B	Joanne H
12/23	Merit / Lily Ryan / Missy	Group 3		Kay R	Jess & Cory
12/30	Women's Fellowship	Group 1	Lydia M		Claire A

### Stewardship @ 12/7/18

	Income	Expenses	Over (Short)
Offering			
Other Income			
Total			
	<b>11/18</b>	<b>11/25</b>	<b>12/2</b>
Attendance	71	72	71

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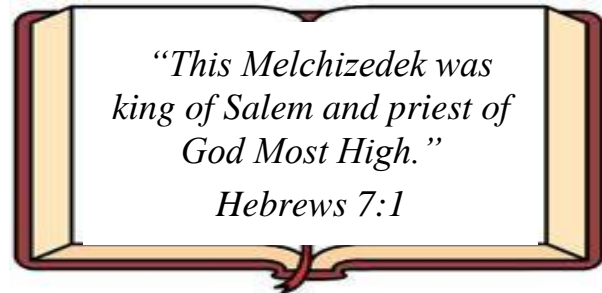
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### COMMITTED TO:

The Word of God

Positively impacting our community and the world  
Growing in faith together

**Ministers: People of the Church**

Pastor: Kevin Clark

**December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

*\*Please Stand If You Are Able*

**PRELUDE** Marni Wiggins

**OPENING SONG #132** Away in a Manger

**WELCOME**

***Need prayer? New here? Change of information?  
Want to grow in your faith?***

*Please take a moment to fill out a Connection Card and put it  
in the offering plate or hand it to the pastor on the way out.  
We'd love to get to know you and grow with you.*

**MISSION MOMENT**

**LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE** Buchmann Family

**CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on Psalm 110)**

The LORD says to my lord:

**“Sit at my right hand until I make your  
enemies a footstool for your feet.”**

The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind:

**“You are a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek.”**

**SCRIPTURE**

Genesis 14:17-20

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Hebrews 6:19-7:11

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**SPECIAL MUSIC** Cindy Wendlandt - “Mary Did You Know?”

**TIME OF PRAYER**

**Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory forever. Amen**

**OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

**\*Congregational Response** Doxology, Hymnal # 563

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*HYMN # 130**

Infant Holy, Infant Lowly

**MESSAGE**

Jesus, B.C.

Pastor Kevin

**PRAYER OF REFLECTION**

Jesus, you are my high priest. You intercede for me and bring me into the presence of God. Thank you! Amen.

**\*CLOSING HYMN # 108**

The First Nowell

**BENEDICTION**

**PASSING THE PEACE**

**POSTLUDE**

*At this time any children, grades K-6, are invited to follow our  
Sunday School Teachers out for continued fun and learning*

# this week's Announcements

December 9, 2018

**Christmas Offering** ~ Our Christmas offering this year will go to the Mukwonago Food Pantry. You may use the specially marked envelope found in the back of your offering envelopes. Thank you!

**Life's Connection Christmas Collection** through Sunday, December 16th. For our Christmas project this year, we're collecting items for Life's Connection, a crisis pregnancy center right here in Mukwonago. They need practical items to help run the office as they in turn help young ladies in our area. The booties on the tree (knit by Bonnie and Diane) will be given to them along with the items we collect.

**Blood Drive** ~ Dec. 28 from 9:30 am - 2:00 pm. Volunteers are needed for set-up, take-down and donations of cookies and bars. Please see the signup sheet on the connection table. Thanks!

**Snow Shovelers** ~ Help is needed to keep the walkways to both entrances clear during the winter. If it snows more than 3 inches the plowing company will take care of it, but we need help for the smaller snowfalls. Please see the sign-up sheet on the connection table.



## **Prayer Requests received this week:**

Prayer requests can be emailed to [prayer@fccweb.net](mailto:prayer@fccweb.net)

- † Joanne K ~ passed away
- † Cindy (from Sally) passed away
- † Julie (from Janine) health concerns
- † Our shut-ins and those in ill health
- † Our Church Leadership
- † Those in Need
- † Mission School of Hope & Clinic
- † World Peace

MICHELLE  
*Olympic Speed Skater.*  
*Grateful blood recipient.*

American Red Cross

A photograph of Michelle, an Olympic speed skater, on an ice rink. She is wearing a black jacket and pants, and is in a crouched position, ready to start a race. An American flag is visible in the background.

## **Mukwonago Community Blood Drive**

**First Congregational Church of Mukwonago  
231 Roberts Dr**

**Friday, December 28, 2018  
9:30 AM to 2:00 PM**

For an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org)

You can save up to 15 minutes when you donate blood by using RapidPass! Visit [redcrossblood.org/RapidPass](http://redcrossblood.org/RapidPass) for more information.



**Free long-sleeve Red Cross T-shirt when you come to donate Dec. 20-Jan. 6, while supplies last!**

*Give more life. Donate blood.*

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