

The Promise

The People of Covenant are called to:
gather, grow and go serve with Gods Love!



October 2023 The Monthly Newsletter of Covenant Lutheran Church, ELCA

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On September 24th we kicked off our stewardship and pledge drive for 2024. We are using materials from a resource entitled Our Money Story. We all have a money story – messages and feelings about money that first influenced us up to today and what you’ve learned about money and the legacy you hope to leave with your money story.

Here are some questions to help you think about your money story:

Growing up, how would you describe your socioeconomic status or position? What was the economic environment of your neighborhood, your school, your local community (city, town, region)? How did this economic setting shape your perceptions and beliefs about money? What words would you use to describe your socioeconomic status or position now? How does your current economic setting inform your money story now?

Who taught you—directly or indirectly—about finances and practices of giving? What did you learn or absorb from them? Who are the leading characters of your money story now? Who do you look to as models, guides, or experts? Who in your community or in your faith tradition inspires you to give of your gifts and resources?

What are the key events or major turning points in your money story? Name any recent events that are impacting your money story now.

A note from the Pastor continues on the following page >>



A Note from the Pastor

What events, challenges, or changes are impacting your financial behaviors and giving practices right now? What financial challenges or limitations have you faced? What money challenges do you wish to overcome and heal from? What habits do you want to retrain?

Throughout your childhood and formative years, describe the emotional tone of your perceptions of money. Perhaps your attitude toward money has changed throughout your life. How would you describe the overall tone of your money story now? How would you describe your current attitude toward money?

How would you answer these questions?

“As a community, we believe money _____”

“As a community, we use money _____”

“As a community, we give money _____”

We ask you to prayerfully consider pledging this year as a part of your relationship with God. God is using Covenant to transform your life. Perhaps Covenant provides a community to feel God’s love and the Spirit’s leading. Perhaps you live out your gratitude to God through service at Covenant. Perhaps you hear God’s word and ponder it throughout your week. Perhaps your heart and mind are comforted by prayers requested.

We will collect pledges as an offering on Sunday, October 22 nd . Please join us for a Baked Potato Bar in the fellowship hall after our worship service.

Important Update – After staff and council discussions, this will be the last monthly newsletter of The Promise. We already use the weekly email for events and updates and meetings and feel the monthly is unnecessary and repetitive. Amanda does a wonderful job with The Promise, but it takes a lot of time to put together and a lot of time to request articles from ministry teams as well. Omitting the monthly newsletter will free up some much-needed time for other work. We realize that not everyone has a computer or email, so, we need to find a way to keep in touch with those members.

If you would like to be a part of figuring that out, and doing a review of our communication procedures in general, please contact Pastor Wendy. We are forming a short-term Communications task force to review Covenant’s communications.

Blessings, Pastor Wendy

Council News

WHEN THE POWER OF LOVE
IS GREATER THAN THE LOVE OF POWER
THE WORLD WILL KNOW PEACE!

I saw these words printed on the back of a T-shirt this summer when I attended a family reunion. They immediately grabbed me, and I believe them to be true and important for all of us to remember as we move into a new election year, hearing and seeing more and more political messages. I pray that you will reflect on these words, too, as you consider leaders for our country.

One of the more meaningful things of my summer was the weekly lament service that was held at Covenant. Weekly, a small group of individuals met together to light a candle and toll the bell for victims and suspects that lost their lives. We prayed for them and all the family and friends affected by gun violence in our country, our state, our county and even in our own city. The number of these violent incidences and victims was staggering and the numbers of those affected was even harder to grasp.

I pray for peace to prevail in every corner of the globe.

May Your divine presence, Heavenly Father, bring an end to violence, conflicts, and injustice. Ignite a spirit of reconciliation, understanding, and harmony among nations, cultures, and religions. Heal the wounds of division and replace hatred with love. Grant us the courage to be instruments of peace in our communities, extending grace and forgiveness. May Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, envelop our world. In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen. As a reminder, October has been set aside as Clergy Appreciation Month. It's a special time to recognize and honor our pastors for all they do and all that they are. We are thankful for the ways the Lord has gifted Pastor Wendy. Covenant has truly been blessed to have her with us. Please plan to join us for coffee hour after the October 29th worship service as we will have treats in her honor to let her know how much we appreciate her caring and wonderful ways.

May God Bless you and your family & friends as we move through this Fall season!

Deb Oakland, Council President

Office Information

Notice of Monday Morning office Meetings

To avoid any inconvenience, we'd like to inform you of our weekly Monday morning meetings in the office.

Monday from 9 -9:30am

If you call early Monday and we don't answer, we promise we're not ignoring you!



Prayer Requests

To submit a Prayer Request:

Please use the paper Prayer Request forms in the Narthex.

Prayer Requests will be read for four weeks, if you wish for the name to be read longer please resubmit the name to be read for an additional four weeks.



Ordering Altar Flowers



Order Altar Flowers in Honor, Memory or Celebration.



Signup on the poster in the Narthex, on our webpage under the forms tab.

[Altar Flower Order Form](#), also linked here.

The office orders from Stoughton Floral on the Wednesday before the Sunday of the request, using information provided on the sign up sheet to order.

Feel free to contact the church office with any updates, certain colors and/or flowers that would hold special meaning for your request. The florist cannot guarantee selection but promises to do their best to accommodate requests!

Altar arrangements are \$35, and includes delivery to Covenant.

(Requests are taken for larger assortments up to \$50.)

Please make payment to Covenant, clearly labeled 'Altar Flowers'.

If you wish to provide your own arrangement of flowers please let the office know and have them to church by Friday at Noon.

Thank you for including Covenant in your memories/celebrations this way!

Musical Opportunities

Covenant Lutheran Church seeks Pianist and/or Organist



For more information please visit our webpage CovLuth.Org

To apply, send resume and cover letter to hr@covluth.org.

Please share this position with your personal networks.

Position will remain open until filled.

***COME SING WITH US!* ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ Vocal Choir sings**

The Vocal Choir would love to add some new voices to the group. All singers, high school age and up, are welcome; there are no auditions.

We've modified our fall schedule to make participating in choir less time-intensive. This month, we'll rehearse on:

October 8, 15, and 22 at 8:15 a.m.

Plans for the fall include singing a variety of sacred music and helping to introduce new hymns from the All Creation Sings hymnal supplement.

For more information, contact Beth Gardner (bethgardner5678@gmail.com or 608-873-9426) or talk to any choir member. Hope to see you in the music room!



There is room for YOU in the Covenant Bell Choir!



We rehearse on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:30 and play about one Sunday a month. There is no rehearsal the Wednesday after we play at the service. You do not need to know how to read music.

Please contact Meghann with questions (608.332.4491 or meghann_foug@yahoo.com)

Volunteer Schedule

Thank You-Volunteers

Volunteer Assignments for October

Sunday Worship

Role	Oct 1	Oct 8	Oct 15	Oct 22	Oct 29
Assistant Minister	Nelson, Ann	Diebold, Jessica	Andrusz, Kathy	Oakland, Deb	Thompson, Ingrid
Lector	Nelson, Thomas P.	Chose, Philayne	Nelson, Thomas P.	Currie, Kimberly	Vols, Marijo
Worship Communion Assistants	Heil, Judy Sime, Jean Sime, Norm	Chose, Philayne Unzicker, Christy	Nelson, Thomas P. Nelson, Ann	Cook, Bill Hanson, Karen Unzicker, Christy	Andrusz, Kathy Oakland, Deb
Usher Team Leader	Sime, Norm	Chose, Thomas	Herbst, Mark	Nissler, Karl	Westrand, Tamarine
Ushers	Christian, Thomas Seamonson, Mark Sime, Jean	Cope, Jack Peterson, Stephen V.	Cook, Bill Hanson-Cook, Rhetta Herbst, Garrett Herbst, Evan Herbst, Caleb	Anderson, Thor Grefsheim, Larry Olson, Larry E	Heil, Matthew Heil, Judy Tarpinian, Gary Vodak, Greg
Communion Prep	Chose, Thomas Chose, Philayne	Chose, Thomas Chose, Philayne	Chose, Thomas Chose, Philayne	Chose, Thomas Chose, Philayne	Chose, Thomas Chose, Philayne
Altar Guild	Christian, Thomas	Christian, Thomas	Christian, Thomas	Christian, Thomas	Christian, Thomas
Greeter	Hanson-Cook, Rhetta Smith, Sam	Carpenter, Gloria Liddle, Cynthia	Craig, George Pritchard, Carol	Oakland, Deb Oakland, Dan	Brekken, Monty Brekken, Carol

Please let the office know if you are unable to make your scheduled date or if you are interested in changing the way you are currently being scheduled.

Amanda is happy to get you on the volunteer schedule as your time allows!



Each time you donate your time and talents to Covenant you are part of the hands- keeping Covenant and God's mission, alive.

We are so very grateful for your help!

Treasurer's Report

JULY 2023

	Current Month Actual	Same Month Last Year Actual	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Last Year
INCOME					
Member Giving	21,244.15	14,786.00	156,910.00	153,037.50	144,434.27
Other Income	4,173.23	0.78	24,724.30	15,070.13	1,230.61
Transfers (Dedicated/G&M)	14,087.73	1,360.74	36,145.01	29,180.80	7,123.99
TOTAL INCOME	39,505.11	16,147.52	217,779.31	197,288.43	152,788.87
EXPENSE					
Mission Partners	2,097.92	1,538.12	18,659.30	15,866.60	20,034.04
Staff	15,852.12	18,441.88	121,296.87	122,803.81	102,394.83
Education	2,297.79	21.82	3,225.45	3,850.00	3,898.99
Congregational Life	956.94	14.58	2,955.33	2,100.05	1,502.15
Social Action	320.00	-	916.57	2,333.30	100.00
Worship & Music	6,089.59	945.00	8,125.25	7,379.15	4,644.80
Office Administration	1,798.35	1,573.64	19,342.41	15,487.40	14,533.33
Occupancy	10,772.64	1,574.89	49,701.91	27,937.47	25,501.70
TOTAL EXPENSE	40,185.35	24,109.93	224,223.09	197,757.78	172,609.84
INCOME – EXPENSE	(680.24)	(7,962.41)	(6,443.78)	(469.35)	(19,820.97)

AUGUST 2023

	Current Month Actual	Same Month Last Year Actual	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Last Year
INCOME					
Member Giving	15,846.40	20,274.25	172,756.40	174,900.00	164,708.52
Other Income	368.75	1,205.03	25,093.05	17,223.00	2,435.64
Transfers (Dedicated/G&M)	4,461.41	5,724.19	40,606.42	33,349.49	12,848.18
TOTAL INCOME	20,676.56	27,203.47	238,455.87	225,472.49	179,992.34
EXPENSE					
Mission Partners	1,529.63	1,477.61	20,188.93	18,133.28	21,511.65
Staff	17,202.94	13,401.75	138,499.81	139,784.25	115,796.58
Education	522.63	1,454.35	3,748.08	4,400.00	5,353.34
Congregational Life	1,119.96	169.07	4,075.29	2,400.04	1,671.22
Social Action	505.00	-	1,421.57	2,666.64	100.00
Worship & Music	92.29	2,624.42	8,217.54	8,433.32	7,269.22
Office Administration	2,615.68	2,362.82	21,958.09	17,699.92	16,896.15
Occupancy	789.38	1,770.18	50,491.29	31,166.64	27,271.88
TOTAL EXPENSE	24,377.51	23,260.20	248,600.60	224,684.09	195,870.04
INCOME – EXPENSE	(3,700.95)	3,943.27	(10,144.73)	788.40	(15,877.70)

I hereby submit July and August treasurer's reports. We incurred additional AC maintenance charges in July, but in the end, we were able to cover a good portion with a combination of our emergency maintenance fund and some undesignated gifts & memorials. We still show a YTD deficit, but our total member giving by the end of August is fairly close to what has been budgeted, so that is great! Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Donna Tarpinian, Treasurer

Monthly reports can be found on the bulletin board, in the Church hallway.

Education Updates

ELCA
GOOD
GIFTS
and ...



Sunday
School
Return!

The kids are back in the Sunday School routine. We discussed what Good Gifts area the kids would like to focus on this year. The older kids guided the discussion to an area they thought was a big problem and chose health care.

Mosquito nets and hygiene kits are not as cute as pigs and goats but are vital.

We will do some education on what some of the items are before the kids make decisions. Family piggy banks are going home to allow the kids to save change to help with their purchases.

Once the banks go home, they do not have to come back.

Tamarine Westrand is once again going to be teaching the younger group of students. Her help is so deeply appreciated. She has such warm relationships with the students in her group. Watching them greet her the first week of classes reminded me how important it is to have adults here at church that children can connect with. For them, that is the heart of what church is. It's more than a building; it's the people who are happy to see them. So many of the members here convey that warmth and care. The students and the Education Team Thank you so dearly, Tamarine!



You may have noticed that some of the older kids love Harry Potter. On October 13th, we will be watching :

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone
in the cinema!

Everyone is invited to experience the movie on a big screen with popcorn and lemonade.

Social Action

LatinX & Hispanic Heritage Month is a time designated to celebrate and recognize the rich cultural and historical heritage and contributions of Spanish-speaking communities in the United States.



- **When did it begin?**

It began in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to encompass a 30-day period.

- **When is it celebrated?**

It is celebrated in the United States from **September 15 to October 15**.

- **Why September 15?**

It begins on that date to commemorate the independence of several Latin American countries, including Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua, which gained their independence on September 15, followed by Mexico on September 16 and Chile on September 18.

- **Who is “Hispanic”?**

Hispanic Heritage Month is not limited to a single nationality or ethnic group, but celebrates the diversity of cultures and countries that make up the Hispanic community, including the millions of people whose ancestors came from Mexico, Central America, the Caribbean, South America and Spain.

There are approximately 147 ELCA Latino ministries in the United States, from the state of Washington to Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. The people they serve often use Spanish as their primary language and were born in or trace their heritage to Mexico, Central and South America and the Caribbean. To find out more about Latino Ministries, their mission strategies and related associations, visit: <https://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Congregations-and-Synods/Ethnic-Specific-and-Multicultural-Ministries/Latino>

You're Invited to the Covenant Museum



The Museum door will be unlocked and you are welcome to visit the Covenant Museum anytime you'd like!

Please enter through the main doors during office hours, or schedule a time to have the lower exterior doors unlocked!

Thank you to our Blanket Makers!!

(And those supporting them!)

Our congregation sent **164 Quilts** made this year, to Lutheran World Relief who will send them all over the world to provide warmth and comfort to those experiencing need. This number doesn't include the Quilts given around Stoughton, Madison and locally during the past year- **THANK YOU!!**



'Celebrating 50 years' with a helpful Opportunity



Celebrating Covenant's 50th Anniversary the Council would like to offer a stewardship opportunity to celebrate our 50th anniversary.

Please consider a financial gift to be shared 50/50 - 50% for use at Covenant and 50% shared with START and the Senior Center.

We have special 50th Anniversary envelopes created by Catherine Forde Quint that can be found in the Narthex. We hope you will share what has been so generously given by God to further our ministry at Covenant and to support our neighbors in need.



Date: _____
 Amount: \$ _____
 Offering Type: _____
Please Check Pledge to Covenant Lutheran Church



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1525 North Van Buren Street, Stoughton, WI 53589
(908) 837-7494 www.covluth.org

OFFERING ENVELOPE

The People of Covenant are called to: Gather, Grow, and Go Serve...With God's Love!

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

Invited to Connect



Bible Study Meets Weekly

Think of making this a weekly fellowship opportunity. Gather to discuss the bible! Each Wednesday evening beginning at 5pm in the Gateway Room.



Come laugh, learn and grow together while we discuss the Bible. This is a non-committal opportunity there is no homework, no required preparation. Just come as you are!



Hospitality Sign Up in the Narthex!

Gathering for light refreshments, **Growing** from connection and conversation and taking time to replenish our light before we **Go** out again into the world to do Good Work for our Lord!

There is a sign-up in the Narthex. Choose to provide set-up, refreshments and clean-up any Sunday you choose.



New: Coffee will only be served on Sundays that someone has signed up to bring refreshments. **Many thanks to all the helping hands!**

Covenant Volunteer Opportunities

Looking to **Get Involved** at Covenant Lutheran Church?

We have opportunities for you!!

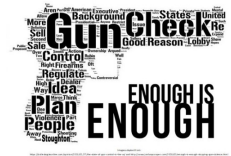
Is it a weekly, monthly or seldom commitment you are looking for? We have many ways to get involved!



Sunday Worship Service Assistants, Weekday Service Prep, Church Committees, Education Assistants, Sunday Greeters & Much More!

Contact the office if you're interested in information on our current Volunteer Opportunities!

A 60-Day Journey Toward Justice in a Culture of Gun Violence.



From **October 1 through the end of November** the Social Action team invites and encourages members to commit to "A 60-Day Journey Toward Justice in a Culture of Gun Violence."

This 35-page resource comes from the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America at <https://www.elca.org/60days>.

The website states: *"We invite you on a journey of prayer, scripture, stories and church teachings with this resource, "A 60-Day Journey Toward Justice in a Culture of Gun Violence." Together through daily observances, it calls us to work toward the prevention of gun violence as people of God who strive for justice and peace in all the world. Copies of the resource are available for preview in the gathering space. The journey will have no meetings so participants will journey as individuals unless they choose to link up with a partner for the journey. Participants who plan to enter this journey are asked to sign up so they can support and encourage others on the journey.*

Covenant Stewardship Drive 2023

A Special Invitation to Covenant's Stewardship Drive!

Beginning Sept 24th, continuing Oct 1st, 15th & 22nd

In relation to our Stewardship Drive
we'd like to introduce you to
Our Money Story.



Each of us has a unique money story that is intimately woven and layered with the stories of others. "Our one story." Though we each have our own money story, our stories are so interconnected that they ultimately create one story.

The work at hand is the process of releasing, reclaiming, restoring, and renewing our stories so they take on the contours of God's story.

Join our remaining sessions after Worship- October 1, 15 & 22 to learn more!

Invited to Connect

Covenant Lutheran Lunch Bunch

Join every first Wednesday of the Month at 11:30 am

November 1st

Location Coming Soon!

Gathering for a Meal!



We Encourage Everyone to join this Dutch-treat style gathering.

Contact Ann Nelson or the office for more information!

Feeding the Hungry at St. Marks



Volunteers Needed to serve food the
2nd Friday of each month!

from 10:30-1:30,
at St. Marks in Madison
(Upcoming dates: October 13,
November 10, December 8)

If able, please sign up to help!



Pat Johnson at (608) 535-0441 or Johnson.pat.skip@gmail.com

Thank you for your partnership in this Ministry!

Movie Night in the Cinema



Come Enjoy Everyone's Invited
We Cannot Wait to see you there!

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

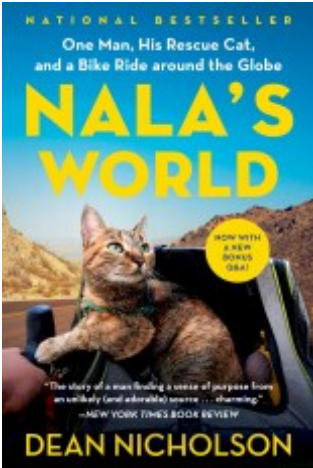
Friday, October 13th

6:30pm-8:30pm

Lemonade, Movie and Popcorn Provided!

Invited to Connect

Covenant Book Group



*A special invitation to **You**, we'd **LOVE** to have you join!*

Nala's World

By Dean Nicholson

Join: October 14th at 1pm
at Penny Vodak's Home

**Enjoy this Story of:
one Man,
his Rescue Cat,
and a Bike Ride
around the Globe.**

Discover a life-changing friendship between a man and his rescue cat, Nala, as they adventure together on a bike journey around the world.

Please Join if you are able: **You're Invited!**



A training aimed to

'Keep the Beat'

Information provided on

CPR, Narcan and AED Administration.

Be part of the Community that helps everyone: 'Keep Their Beat!'

Signup [here](#) Today! Space on the sign up form to leave your information if interested in this type of training.

Covenant Social Action Committee



Will you join our meeting this month?

October 16th at 6:30 pm by Zoom or at the Church

Scan the QR code or click [Here](#) to join the meeting virtually!

Link also available on our webpage!

Invited to Connect



Outdoor Clean-Up



Ever wonder how Covenant stays so ‘Beautiful’ on the outside?

It’s a team effort!

The Landscape team invites you to join: **Outdoor Fall Clean-Up**

Scheduled **October 21st at 8:30 am**

(with a rain date of November 4)



Thank you for your help in this Covenant Ministry!



Stewardship Baked Potato Bar

Celebrate our Stewardship Drive after Worship **Oct 22nd**

Stay for Fellowship and a Baked Potato Bar!



Easy to Follow Potato Bar Instructions:

Step 1: Pick a Potato,

Step 2: Open it Up,

Step 3: Add Your Toppings,

Step 4: Eat and ENJOY!



Join Covenant's Blood Drive



**GIVE
BLOOD
SAVE
LIFE**



**Updated
Location**



Monday, October 23rd

in The Youth Room!

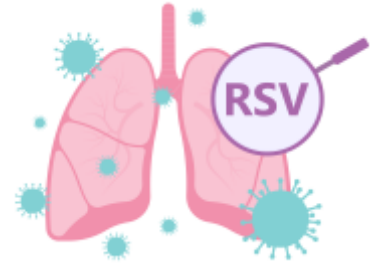
1-6pm

The American Red Cross is experiencing a national blood shortage– Please Donate if you can!

Oct 2023 topic: RSV in Older Adults

Why is RSV of concern in U.S. older adults?

- 60,000 - 160,000 hospitalizations every year
- 6000 - 10,000 older adult deaths every year



What are the symptoms of RSV?

Runny nose, nasal congestion, coughing, sore throat, fever, headache; shortness of breath. VERY contagious!

Can a person get RSV more than once?

Yes; most people are likely to have RSV multiple times during their lives.

Who's at risk for getting SEVERE RSV?

People 60-65 years of age & older who also have:

- asthma or COPD
- chronic heart failure or coronary artery disease
- diabetes mellitus or chronic kidney disease
- weakened immune system or taking immunosuppressive medicines

Should I get an RSV vaccine? Maybe.

- 2 vaccines have been approved in 2023 for adults 60 & older
- Talk with your medical provider about getting a vaccine

Does insurance cover an RSV vaccine?

- Some insurances cover an RSV vaccine others do not
- SeniorCare & Medicare Part D DO cover the vaccine
- Medicare Part B does NOT cover the vaccine

In faith and health, Denise Pigarelli



Resources: www.fda.gov, www.pharmacist.com, .healthline.com

Ways to be a Blessing



Stoughton Clothing Center



Stoughton Clothing Center Seeks Substitute Volunteers!

Are you looking for a low-stress, meaningful volunteer opportunity? The Clothing Center is looking to build a roster of people willing to "sub" for our volunteers. Key duties would be to greet shoppers, and accept donations.

The Center is clean, temperature controlled, and has great WiFi! You will meet the nicest people, and help the Clothing Center stay open when our volunteers are ill or have other commitments.

Interested? Email contact@stoughtonclothingcenter.com!

The Stoughton Clothing is so grateful for our partnership with Covenant Lutheran Church!

Together, we are helping to ensure that no person or family within our community lacks the clothing they need to secure employment, succeed in school, maintain a healthy and hygienic life, and be socially accepted.

City of Stoughton IDEA Invite

Meeting 6-8pm
the 3rd Wednesday
of each Month



To join contact
the city!

Diverse Voices Needed

Join the City of Stoughton's Diversity,
Equity and Inclusion Planning Process

Click [here](#) to link to the form to sign up!

**Join the city's committee promoting
inclusion- right here at home!**

Ways to be a Blessing



**ADDICTION
MEDICAL
SOLUTIONS**

HOPE HAPPENS HERE

**Are you or a
loved one
struggling
with
addiction?**

We can help!

**Medication Assisted Treatment
is Available**

Vivitrol

Buprenorphine/
Naloxone

Methadone

Outpatient
Services



For More Information:

(608) 758-1944

1312 Barberry Dr. Suite 110
Janesville, WI 53545

<https://amsjanesville.com/>

What can a community do if there is an overdose spike?

Everyone in a community can learn to recognize the signs of an overdose:

- † Pale, sweaty or clammy skin
- † Lips/fingertips turn blue
- † Slow or irregular breathing: gasping, gurgling, or snoring
- † Difficult or unable to wake
- † Always call 911 if you suspect someone is overdosing

Contact the [Behavioral Health Resource Center of Dane County](#) for treatment and recovery resources: (608) 267-2244

These resources and more information found at: <https://publichealthmdc.com/community-initiatives/reducing-drug-harm/overdose-spike-alerts>

Ways to be a Blessing

ATP and HATS - Serving Stoughton

Want to volunteer driving?

Affordable Transportation Program is looking for volunteer drivers!!

Mileage reimbursement of 65.5 cents per mile driven, no commitment.

Just helping those in need- one trip at a time!

Contact Richard at 608-873-6112 or rwhoffman64@yahoo.com



Looking to support housing needs in Stoughton?

Housing Advocacy Team of Stoughton can help!!

HATS addresses housing needs within the Stoughton Area School District working with public and private entities and individuals in the community. Visit www.hatsofstoughton.org

S.T.A.R.T. Stoughton Area resource Team

Supporting Stoughton's Community every step of the way.

Dignity Drives provide items to those unable to acquire them by their own means.

Donate underwear and Period products to S.T.A.R.T. today at:

135 W Main St, Suite 102 Stoughton, WI 53589

They can be reached at: 608-577-5650

Schedule and more info at: <http://www.startstoughton.org/basicneedsdrive>



Whether homeless or living below the poverty level everyone needs essentials and START is here to provide that comfort, dignity and safe space for those in need in our community. **You Can Help!**



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Thank you!*

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