# **Maywood Community Church**

### Elder Report

June is upon us and for many it means the start of the vacation season. Even if you are on vacation, please keep Jesus first and attend Church wherever you may be and if you are at home, please be here on Sunday morning. The Church has several ministries starting in the summer months. Let's review the upcoming June events.

June 4 Old fashioned chicken dinner following church.

June 19-23 Vacation Bible School from 9am to noon. (Please take 5 flyers and pass them out to your friends, family, and neighbors. If you personally invite them, they are likely to attend.)

June 4 and every Sunday night at 6pm, Tom will conduct a Bible study on Intermediate Christianity.

AED training will be provided to all interested Church members with a to be determined date.

The Elders and Deacons participated in a retreat at Tall Oaks in April. Topics included prayer, Reaching 200 and outreach. The feedback received from the congregation in the Meet Your Deacons dinner was discussed, and several ministries were identified which would be a good fit for our Church to start. Look for more information as the Church moves forward on these topics.

If you are interested in being a part of the Sunday School ministry, please tell one of the Elders. More on this subject will be announced.

On the building front the insurance claim was given to the company "Roof Check". They came onsite and inspected the building and reviewed the proposed insurance claim. The next step is for Roof Check to meet with the insurance company to reach an agreement on the repairs.

Starting this week, the breezeway between the Church and the Fellowship Hall will be repaired and repainted by Lukas Hein for his Eagle Scout project.

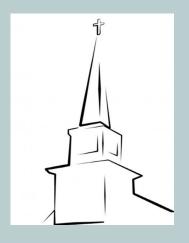
Please continue to pray for the Church and each other. Pray for our next Pastor and that we are staying in the Lords will.

We look forward to seeing you every Sunday.

God Bless,

The Elders

### **June 2023**



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#### **June Events:**

June 3rd: Men's Prayer Breakfast

June 4th: Old Fashioned Chicken Dinner

June 15th: Ladies Council Meeting 10 am

June 19th-23rd: VBS

June 29th : Helping Hands of Faith 6:30-8:00 pm

#### **Every Tuesday:**

Ladies Bible Study 10 am Ladies Quilting 1 pm

#### **Every Wednesday:**

**Prayer Meeting 6 pm** 

#### **Every Sunday Night:**

Bible Study 6 pm Youth Group 6:30-8:00 pm



Jews for Jesus is one of the more recent additions to the Missions Groups we support. Our support began with a year end donation in December of 2021 and continued in 2022

Jews for Jesus is an International Christian Missionary Organization the evangelizes to Jewish people that Jesus Christ is the son of God and died on the cross as a sacrifice for our sins.

Jews for Jesus outreach includes Jewish holiday events, Bible Studies, service projects, internet evangelism in cities like New York, Los Angeles, To-

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ronto, London, Tel Aviv, Moscow and other cities throughout the world.

Most people of the Jewish Faith view Jesus as a false prophet and a failed Messiah claimant. Please pray

for Jews for Jesus as they reach out with the saving truth of Jesus Christ.

More information about Jews for Jesus can be found at www.jewsforjesus.org or by doing an internet search.

## "Only those who see the invisible accomplish the impossible"

#### **Youth Group**

We started a new study this month called, Does God Exist? We will continue with it over the next few months. It presents information for youth to defend their faith and understand it better.

We will not meet on Father's Day.

Please pray for our Youth as many have camps, trips, and jobs this summer.

We continue to have anywhere from 14-18 per week.

If you'd like to provide a dessert for Youth Group, please get in contact with Meghan.

### **Pulpit Search Committee Report**

The pulpit search committee has interviewed and met with several candidates and is now moving forward with one candidate, Alan Hodak. We have him scheduled to preach at Maywood on July 9th. After he preaches, the members from the Congregation will vote yes to move forward in the hiring process or no and we should continue to look for a Pastor.

Please continue to pray for the Church and the committee and for all of us to be in the Lords will as we continue working through the process. Please continue to pray for our next Pastor as we know the Lord has chosen the man for Maywood.

**God Bless** 

**May Financial Corner:** 

We were under budget on expenses for the month of May.

We were under budget on Giving for the month.