

OPEN AND AFFIRMING UCC CHURCHES MARCH IN MKE PRIDE PARADE



Joe, Bev, David, Louise, and Jeanne at the parade.

David Franks, Jeanne Mantsch, Louise Mollinger, Joe and Bev Mueller, along with Pastor Scott, represented our church, marching with eight other "Open and Affirming" United Church of Christ churches of the Southeast Association in Milwaukee's Pride Parade on June 4. It was a great event and we got lots of cheers from the enthusiastic crowd when they saw that there were churches like ours that were welcoming and supportive of LGBTQ+ people and issues.



BBQ BIBLE STUDY WITH "THE CHOSEN" CONTINUES JULY 5 & 19

You are invited to join the BBQ Bible Study group this month as they continue their viewing of "The Chosen"! The group will be meeting on Wednesday evenings from 5:00 to 7:00 on July 5 and July 19 this month. There will be no Study on July 12 and 26. Scott prepares some easy to grill foods, like brats, dogs, and burgers, which are then paired with the fine side dishes and desserts prepared by group members to share each week. Everyone enjoys dinner and conversation together followed by watching an episode of the religious drama series, "The Chosen" and discussion of the themes and plot.

"The Chosen" is a TV series telling the story of Jesus and his disciples and is in its third season. We began in June with season one, episode one and will be watching episodes four and five this month. Watching an episode and spending a little time discussing and reflecting on it together has been a great way to explore issues of discipleship and the life of faith. We will have watched the whole first season of "The Chosen" by the end of the summer. Join the group for dinner, conversation, and reflection!

BBQ BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday Evenings
July 5th & July 19th
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Fellowship Hall and Church Patio