

Dear Members and Friends,

We would like to provide you with a few updates in this initial time of transition. We were close to securing an interim minister, but recently learned the role wasn't the right fit for the candidate. The Executive Team is working diligently to connect with other candidates. The church can expect to welcome guest leadership each Sunday through the month of May and into the summer months. We appreciate Tracy Greymont, our Liturgy Team Representative on Church Council, for coordinating pulpit supply (the term for a list of interested guest ministers available on a week-to-week basis) and welcoming the guest leaders. Thanks also to members of the Property Team who open and close the church each Sunday morning.

Sincerely, Your Church Council

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY ON MAY 19

The seven students of this year's Confirmation class, Sawyer Crain, Simon Gilhooly, Ruby Hoffmann, Kylee Olson, Chloe Rychtik, Addison Wellenstein, and Sydney White, have been learning and serving since the program started in September. The class will be confirmed on Pentecost Sunday, May 19, during the 10:00 service led by Rev. Don Niederfrank.

The class has learned about the Bible, the Trinity, and the Church. They have also put their faith into action with mission experiences serving at Daycholah Center, The Food Pantry, and our Breakfast with Santa fundraising event. The group put on a Pageant on Christmas Eve. They also toured America's Black Holocaust Museum in Milwaukee and will be walking the Stations of the Cross at Holy Hill on May 5. They have helped to lead our monthly Family Service as well as provided nursery care on Sunday mornings.

With the support of Confirmation parent and Church Council member, Eric Olson, the group will be working on their personal Statements of Faith in preparation for presenting them on Confirmation Sunday. We hope you can join us on May 19 to celebrate these individuals as they take this meaningful step in their journey of faith!



Christmas Pageant on December 24.