



Rise and Shine in The Park 2024

Join us for an afternoon of praising and fun with UNSPOKEN, a very popular contemporary Christian group. It'll be fun for the whole family. FPLC, along with many other churches from the area are supporting this awesome Christian concert. You can come straight from church! Grab your chairs, stop at the FPLC tent to say "Hi" to everybody and continue to praise and worship into the afternoon.

Date: Sunday, July 14, 2024

Time: Gates open at 11:30. Concert begins at noon with Windy Hope, followed by our headliner, Unspoken!

Location: Rotary Park, Mequon; Address: Rotary Park, 4100 Highland Rd, Mequon, WI 53092 (EAST ENTRANCE)

Cost: \$10 a ticket plus service charge and tax. (Children 12 and under receive free admission with paying adult.)

Food: There will be food trucks available at the park, to purchase items.

Make sure to stop by the FPLC tent for some FPLC swag, some snacks and water, and if you prefer, you can bring your own cooler with food and drink into the park. No glass or hard alcohol.

NOTE: Tickets are not available for purchase at the gate! Please buy online!

For tickets, go to:

[TICKETS](#)

For more information, including parking info, visit our website:

[FPLC](#)



Food Needs Rising

Food needs continue to rise. The following list includes items our local food pantry partners say are the items most preferred by their guests. There is a special need for the items in bold. The collection cart is just inside the main FPLC doors. *Please check expiration dates before donating!*

Food Needs:

Bush's Baked Beans
Canned black eyed peas
Ensure
Dinty Moore Stew
SpaghettiOs
Canned fruit
Canned beef and chicken
Soup (not tomato)
Baby formula
Spam

Sardines
Tuna
Vienna sausages
Mac & cheese
Canned vegetables
16 oz oatmeal
Canned Pasta
Pasta Sauce in cans or plastic
Honey Nut Cheerios/Cereal

Personal Care Items:

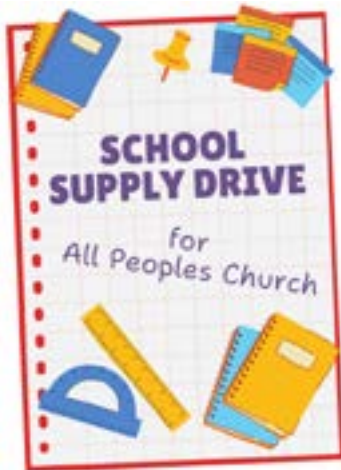
(Regular full-sized preferred, not bulk size)

Men's deodorant	Baby diapers
Women's deodorant	Body lotion
Body wash	Toilet paper
Toothpaste	Lip balm
Shampoo/Conditioner	Bar soap
Feminine Products	

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 **Fox Point Church**



School Supply Donations!

All Peoples Church

Many Milwaukee schools start as early as the first week in August, so our school supply drive also needs to start early!

Last year All Peoples had 280 children register for backpacks filled with school supplies. We aren't their only partner who donates supplies, but we cover a large portion of the need. Let's help the kids in the All Peoples neighborhood begin their school year with the supplies they need!

Supply Packages—Deadline June 15

We are partnering with Winkie's Toys and Variety! again this year. Thanks to Winkie's owners and FPLC members Terry and Beth Stuhlmacher, we can order school supply packages through their School Tools Program! There are 4 different age-specific school supply "packages" you can order directly through Winkie's. Winkie's also donates 5% of all School Tools sales to All Peoples Church. You simply order them with the form below and you are finished—Winkie's and the FPLC staff will take over from there! Questions? Contact Stacia at stacia@foxpointchurch.org.

For additional supplies we need for the drive, see the next page.

Winkie's School Tools for All Peoples Church

Return forms by Thursday, June 15.

(See page 2 for details!)

Order forms can be returned to Winkie's Toys:

Drop off in store: 629B E Silver Spring Dr. Whitefish Bay (lower level); **Winkie's' hours:** Mon – Sat 9-6; Sun 10-3

Or Mail to Winkie's Toys: PO Box 170650 Milwaukee, WI 53217

I would like to order the following packages:

# of packages	\$ Amount
_____ @ \$43.96/ea = _____	Kindergarten
_____ @ \$53.98/ea = _____	Elementary School
_____ @ \$72.95/ea = _____	Middle School
_____ @ \$85.50/ea = _____	High School

Total Dollar Amount: _____

Your Name:

Telephone # (for any order questions only)

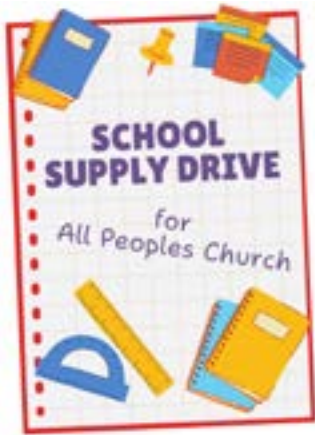
_____ **Check (payable to Winkie's Toys and Variety!)**

or

_____ **Credit Card**

Card Number

Expiration Date



Additional Schools Supplies—Deadline July 14

We will also be collecting the following supplies we can't get through the School Tools program. You can donate these items at FPLC (there is a cart as you walk in the first set of doors) or order them online and shipped to FPLC!

- Sturdy, NEW backpacks for kindergarten – high school students
- Individual-sized bottles of hand sanitizers
- Scientific calculators (\$10-\$15 dollars at local stores or online)
- Books—picture books through high school novels. Books with cultural diversity are especially welcome!
- Monetary donations are also welcome to purchase these items

We'll be collecting these items at FPLC through July 14. Please leave items in the cart by the main entrance labeled for school supplies. If you have any questions, contact Stacia Hickey at stacia@foxpointchurch.org



Attention all Women & Men

The '24 – '25 programming for Women's Club is now available in the Fellowship Hall (on the table where we normally sign up for events). This year men are invited to join us, whenever they would like. Please feel free to pick up one of these schedules, so you can mark your calendars now. If you are unable to come to church but would like a copy, please contact Gail Sommerfeld at sommerfeld56@gmail.com or 262-395-0396, and she will get you a copy via e-mail or regular mail — whatever you prefer.

Also, if you have received homemade cards like the one shown here, please consider donating them to a Women's Club project, "The Purposeful Purse." The card is approximately 5 1/2" wide by 4 1/4" long. The backs (with the greeting) will be cut off, and we will write on the back of the decorated portion. No holiday or birthday greeting cards please, just ones that are inspirational. Please bring the cards to church and put them in a box on or near the Welcome Desk during the month of June.

Attention All Women:

If you are spring cleaning and run across some gently used purses that you no longer want, *please hold on to them for a collection that the Women's Club will hold later this summer.*

The purses need to be large enough to hold approximately 14 travel size items.



Sheepshead Group at FPLC

We'll be meeting this summer!

Dates: Fridays, June 14 & 28

Declared the official card game of Milwaukee in 1983, Sheepshead is a staple to Wisconsin card players. Are you interested in joining a group of Sheepshead players to meet at church for some friendly competition? We play in Fellowship Hall, on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month, from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. We will have "learning aids" available to help with the basics, and experienced players to guide you.

We are looking forward to sharing the fun! For more information, contact Jim Schmidt at schmidtyjim@aol.com.

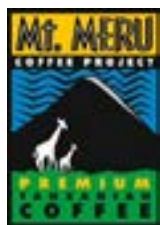


Bayside Garden Cards

Spring has sprung and your garden needs your help! You'll find everything you need, including pots, tools, soil, seeds, and plants as well as indoor plants/decor and bird feeders at Bayside Gardens.

Bayside Gardens helps us send teens in Tanzania to high school—an FPLC commitment of \$10,000 a year. All you have to do is purchase Bayside gift cards at church (NOT at the garden center). We retain 15% of each card's cost, which helps us keep our promise to our partner dioceses in Tanzania.

Cards can be purchased at the Welcome Desk on Sundays or in the church office during the week. *Cards purchased at Bayside Gardens do not benefit our program.*



Drink Mt. Meru Coffee at Home!

You can purchase Mt. Meru Coffee (beans, ground, regular, decaf, Seasonal Premium Mt. Meru coffee, k-cups) at church

to brew at home. We also have "Specialty 6-Packs" with smaller packages of flavored coffee blends. All of these can be found in Fellowship Hall and the Point Cafe.

Not only is the coffee delicious, but your purchase helps support the growers running small coffee farms in the Meru District of Tanzania.

Stop by the Welcome Desk on Sunday mornings or in the office during the week to make your purchases.



MACCANON BROWN
HOMELESS SANCTUARY, INC.

MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary's Fantastic Fridays Lunch Program

Do you enjoy cooking for others or do you prefer serving food to those in need? Either way, we have the volunteer opportunity for you!

For the second time this year, we will be providing a meal and serving lunch at MBHS's Fantastic Friday lunch program held at Hephatha Lutheran Church. There are two ways to help:

Supply Part of the Meal:

On the sign-up page, choose which part of the meal you'd like to supply. If you are signing up to make the sloppy joes, you will be sent a recipe to follow so we aren't combining several different recipes. If you would like to be reimbursed, just let Stacia Hickey know. Meal items are due to FPLC by Thursday, July 11 at noon. Sign up through the link below.

Serve the Meal with Other FPLC Members:

Join us on Friday, July 12 from 11 am – 2 pm to serve the meal to the guests for lunch that day. Just sign up on the SignUp Genius link below.

Contact Stacia Hickey with any questions at stacia@foxpointchurch.org.

Friday Lunch Program



Coffee Hosts Needed!

Hosts make the coffee and serve the donuts on Sundays. You are still able to attend the church service. Just slip in at the back as the service is starting and slip out as it's ending. Families are welcome to volunteer with their kids! **It's also a great Service Opportunity for our Confirmation students (with an adult).**

10:30 am shift: (Approx 10 am – 11:45 am) Keep the coffee brewing, fill the donut trays as needed and clean up afterwards.

If you'd like to help with this important part of Sunday mornings, please sign up with the link below or contact Lori Barrieau in the church office if you have any questions; lori@foxpointchurch.org or 414-352-8990.

Many Summer Dates Open!



Learn the Basics of Baby Massage

Best for babies 2 weeks to under 12 months and their parent(s)/guardian(s). Infant massage can relieve fussiness, pain and discomfort for the baby as well as help babies fall asleep sooner and sleep more restfully. Bring your baby, wear comfy clothes and bring a blanket to class as we will be on the floor. Handouts will be provided.



Date: June 21; additional sessions are the 3rd Friday of the month. You only need to attend one class, but can come to more if you would like.

Time: 11:15 am – 12:15 pm

Limit: 6 families per session

Registration: Call or email Angie Biersach, 414-207-2808 or angiebiersach@gmail.com to RSVP.



The Point Cafe Lower Level

Did you know our lower level Point Cafe is open most Sunday mornings? Grab a donut, coffee or a specialty coffee after services. It's a great place to catch up with friends after church. The cafe is staffed by our high schoolers. There's no charge for the coffees, but they accept "trip tips". Tips collected help offset the cost of the '24 Mission Trip!

Hospital Visits

If you or a loved one is hospitalized and would like a visit or call from a pastor (or just for them to know you are hospitalized), please call the church office; 414-352-8990. Due to HIPAA rules, hospitals are not allowed to share with us that you are a patient.



Caregivers Support Group

Led by FPLC member Susan Halling, a marriage and family therapist, this group is for caregivers dealing with changes in family dynamics. Challenges include: role reversal, juggling responsibilities, handling dementia, loss and transitions as we move into uncharted territory. The group meets Fridays at 10:30 am in FPLC's first floor Heritage Room. If you are interested in joining or learning more, please call the FPLC office at 414-352-8990.



Serenity Inns Dinner Fellowship

Serenity Inns is a residence for men in recovery from alcohol and/or drug abuse in Milwaukee. FPLC has had a long volunteer relationship with SI. This summer, Serenity Inns is opening a brand new building! To hear about that, watch the TMJ 4 news story [HERE](#).

What to expect when volunteering?

We ask our volunteers to make dinner for the Inns at home & take it to the Inns on your chosen date. You should deliver it warm by 5:45 pm (for a 6 pm start time) and join them for dinner and conversation. Because the number of residents is around 8-12, two families may want to volunteer together. You will be cooking for yourselves, the men and the innkeeper. You're usually on your way home by 7 pm.

Sign up on the website (see link below), on the sign-up in Fellowship Hall or contact FPLC member Lorraine Buehler at lcbuehler@cs.com. Lorraine is happy to answer any of your questions.

Click here to sign up!

Sign Up!

Share Your Military Service

Every year for Veterans Day we publish a list of our members who have or are serving in the US Military in order to honor and recognize their service.

If you have served in the military, please share your service information with us! Aren't sure if you've already shared it with us? That's ok, just fill out the Service form through the link below and we'll double check what we have.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacia Hickey at stacia@foxpointchurch.org.

Thank you!

Service



Vacation Bible School Registration is OPEN!

June 17-21

9 am – Noon

Are you currently in K4-3rd grade? Then bring lots of friends and join us for this fun and faith-filled week!

Imagine! Create! Build! Even Break!

We will be making lots of things, but whatever we make: we will make it FUN, we will make it GOOD, and we will make it for GOD!

Register by clicking the gear:



Fee: \$75 per child

*Scholarships available, contact the church office.

We are looking for volunteers! If you can help for a few hours or every day, please contact Julie Schlifske at julie@foxpointchurch.org

Little Lambs Registration is OPEN!

June 17-21

9:15 – 11:45 am

Little Lambs is designed for children who have turned age 3 by January 1, 2024, through those currently in a P3 program.

Join us as we sing, play games, make crafts and investigate how to follow Jesus.

Register by clicking the lamb:



Fee: \$75 per child

*Scholarships available. Contact the church office.



Summer Sunday School Has Started!

Join us at 9 am or 10:30 am as we learn through crafts, stories and games!

All kids who are currently in P3 through 3rd grade are invited to join us in Sunday School. Kids currently in 4th grade and older are welcome to worship with their families during the summer.

Confirmation Service Opportunities

We have plenty of opportunities coming up. Current 7th graders can get a jump on your SOPs for next year!

As our Confirmation families know, each student is required to participate in a certain number of service opportunities as part of their Confirmation experience. Ideally, they will participate in 3 opportunities per year that help FPLC and 3 per year that take place out in our community.

These are excellent projects for your students:

Internal to FPLC:

Contact Lori Barrieau for info/sign up:

lori@foxpointchurch.org

- Ushering on Sundays
- Coffee Hosting with a parent(s)

Community SOPs:

- Serenity Inns Dinner Fellowship; click: [Serenity Inns](#)
- Lunches for MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary; see our website [HERE](#)



PRAYER LIST

All in The Family

Join us on Sunday, for the virtual service. If you or your family need anything we can help you with, call the office at 414-352-8990 or email church@foxpointchurch.org!

We encourage you to keep these people in your prayers during the week.

Julie Anderson
Woody Barksdale
Kim Bell
Gabby Biancuzzo
Jay Blair
Brenda
Charley
Kathy C
John Chamberlain
Cheryl
Chris
Christine
Claire
Chrystal
Craig
Danielle D
Jane D.
Lyle Dabney
Pr. Dan
Laura Dossett
Eden

Cammy Endres
Erin
Lu Farwig
Frank
Rick Frank
Andrea G.
Jenny G.
Joan Gildner
Guy
Anna H.
Heidi
Sue Hiller
Jim
Joan
John
Jon
Donna Jordahl
Julia
Randy K.
Helen Kappmeyer
Kath

Corrine Kraus
Leslie
Linda
Linda
Pr. Luke
Steve M.
MaryEllen
Andy Meser
Pat Meyer
Michael
Mike
Pr. Gerry Miller
Michael Miller
Nichole
Nancy
Curt Nash
Robert Palmer
Patrick
Peter
Tan Popatas
Linda R.

Rebecca
Rick
Robert
Roger & Nancy
Dave Rotter
Ruth Schmidt
Stephen
Jane T.
Terry
Thad
Tom
Mike Umland
Nidal Wonder
Cory Zamora

You can follow Cory's cancer journey via CaringBridge: <https://www.caringbridge.org/public/coryzamora> or by using this QR code:

Prayer Requests

Now you can make a prayer request through our web-site. Click [Prayer Requests](#) to submit a form or submit a request through email—church@foxpointchurch.org.

Military

Alex	Grant
Ben	Ian
Cooper	Kyan
David	Matthew



The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

John 1:5



Condolences

Our thoughts and prayers are with the friends and family of Sheila Dlugi, who passed away May 9.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Nadene Kramer, who passed away May 22. Services will be held June 8 at FPLC; visitation is 9:30 – 11 am; the service is at 11am, followed by a cake and coffee reception.



Grief Support at Fox Point Church

Have you experienced the loss of a loved one? Do you need encouragement and support as you navigate your grief?

Are you interested in participating in a facilitated 12-session grief support group with others who are also grieving? If so, or to learn more, please reach out to Pastor Bruce by phone or by email; 414-352-8990; pastorbruce@foxpointchurch.org.

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Written by FPLC member,
Mary Buscher. This devotion was
first shared on Wednesday, May 29.
If you would like to receive Mary's
devotion on a weekly basis, please
sign up here: [Weekly Devotion](#)

Hello!

"Is anyone crying for help? God is listening, ready to rescue you. If your heart is broken, you'll find God right there; if you're kicked in the gut, He'll help you catch your breath. Disciples so often get into trouble; still God is there every time. He's your bodyguard, shielding every bone; not even a finger gets broken." – Psalms 34:17-20 *The Message*

Have you ever had someone you loved or at least respected tell you a hard truth about yourself or criticize you? Boy, it hurts. It's like cutting an onion...it's going fine... then the knife slips, and the slice is out of your finger, not the onion. The moment hangs there almost waiting for someone to fix it. Maybe when you look back you wonder how you ever survived it. God is in that moment and every moment, and He can turn your world around.

"Look at the ships also; though they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs." – James 3:4

Solving and presenting the solution to a claims issue was my time to shine as a new auditor. A thumbs up by my manager, gave way to a stern reprimand because I thought my work ended with the proposal. She barked in front of the entire staff, "What were you thinking, you submitted it...you execute it!" I felt embarrassed and inadequate. When I looked up and saw the other auditors staring at her, silently berating her...not me, I felt my confidence returning. Our Heavenly Father walked with me in that moment, quietly guiding me to the other side of that mountain, loving me through it, and yes, turning my world around.

Let's pray together this morning.

Be, O Lord, a guiding star above me, a smooth path below me, a kindly shepherd behind me and a bright flame before me; today, tonight and forever, Amen.

– St. Columba, *Prayers from the Ancient Celtic Church*

Be encouraged and at peace this week. – Mary