Greetings,

What an incredible experience we had together on Easter morning! The church was FULL, colorful ribbons were waving everywhere, the congregation was in strong voice, enthusiasm was high, the message was clear, the sounds from the trumpet brought us to attention (Thank You, Mike Lueck) and the children were amazing. It was one of those rare worship experiences that happens only a handful of times in a pastor's life. I am still riding high from it.

The season of Easter is six Sundays long. The elders of the church, centuries ago, determined that it would take us six weeks to prepare to receive the mystery of Easter (Lent) and six weeks to figure out what the mystery of Easter means for us (Eastertide) before we can move into the next mystery of the church which is Pentecost. So, as we walk toward that next mystery, may we remember that life abounds, that hope is real, that love wins, and that God will have God's way.

Here's what's coming up in the life of the church:

Ordination of Carly Gaeth: Carly's Ordination will take place on May 18'th at 3:00 p.m. Invitations have been sent out. If you have not received an invitation, and would like to e-mailed one, please e-mail Pastor Dave at dgaeth@greendalecommunitychurch.org. This is a big celebration, with The Chancel Choir and Bel Campana participating, as well as representation from the Southeast Association of The Wisconsin Conference of The United Church of Christ. There will be a number of ways for folks from Greendale Community Church to Participate.

Walter Kunde will need ushers on that day (sign up to the left of Pastor Dave's office door)

Leslie Kunde and The Board of Community Life will need help with the dinner – set up, serving, and clean – up (sign up to the left of Pastor Dave's office door)

We will need Greeters (sign up to the left of Pastor Dave's office door)

Peace, Pastor Dave

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GCC Activities

April 24 - April 30



Tai Chi 9:00 AM



Values and Visions 6:30 PM



Let Them Book Study 6:30 PM





Herbal Allies for Stressful Times

FACILITATOR, WENDY LEHMAN: HERBALISM OFFERS US GENTLE, CALMING SUPPORT TO NAVIGATE DIFFICULT TIMES, HELPING TO CALM ANXIETY AND AN AGITATED HEART, SETTLE A TENSE STOMACH, COOL STRESS, AND EASE A SPINNING MIND. COME LEARN ABOUT EASY TO FIND AND GROW PLANTS TO TAKE AS HERBAL TEAS, TINCTURES, AND HONEYS TO PROVIDE NERVOUS SYSTEM SUPPORT.

APRIL 28 • 6:30PM

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VALUES AND VISIONS WELCOMES

USPEN US PALESTINIAN COMMUNITY NETWORK MILWAUKEE

Real Palestinian Life Stories: Life Under Occupation/Apartheid

Come join 2 speakers from the USPCN Milwaukee Chapter as they share their personal stories of living under occupation.

MAY 5 6:30 PM

FREE WILL OFFERING APPRECIATED REGISTER AT:

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BREATHWORK

BREATHING FOR BALANCE AND RELAXATION: 5/20 • 1:00 PM

EXPLORING BREATHWORK PRACTICES CAN BE A VERY MEANINGFUL WAY TO EXPERIENCE THE MAGNIFICENCE OF BREATH, WHICH IS OUR CONSTANT COMPANION ON THE JOURNEY OF LIFE, BRINGING LIFE FORCE ENERGY, PEACE AND VITALITY. THIS CLASS WILL INCLUDE A VARIETY OF BREATHING PRACTICES AND TOUCH ON THE SCIENCE OF BREATH FOR OPTIMAL BREATHING IN DAILY LIFE AND FOR RELAXATION. THE BREATHING PRACTICES WILL INCLUDE DEEP RELAXATION, GENTLE MOVEMENT, AND HEART COHERENCE BREATH MEDITATION...

ALL LEVELS ARE WELCOME AND PARTICIPANTS CAN BE SEATED OR LAYING DOWN FOR THE BREATHWORK JOURNEY.

About the instructor - Jillian Holy-Skaja has studied and shared yoga for over 20 years and breathwork for 6 years. Her practice and teaching are strongly influenced by the Himalayan tradition of yoga and meditation as well as her training in Transformations conscious connected breathwork.

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BREATHWORK JOURNEY FOR RELEASE AND VITALITY: 5/27 • 1:00 PM

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GARDEN CARDEN WALK

JUNE 26 • 10:00 AM

JOIN GREENDALE
RESIDENT AND STUDENT
OF HERBAL MEDICINE,
WENDY LEHMAN ON A
WALK THROUGH HER
HERBAL GARDEN TO
TOUCH, SMELL, AND
LEARN ABOUT VARIOUS
HERBS.



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Spring Into-Wellness fair

6:30 PM-8:30 PM

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Wellness is the complete integration of body, mind, and spirit - the realization that everything we do, think, feel, and believe has an effect on our state of well being. Come join us at this FREE event as we SPRING forward into wellness!

PRESENCE PRIMARY CARE: COMPREHENSIVE PRIMARY CARE FOR ALL

KATHRYN RAMBO: SOUND PRACTITIONER

PRANA HOLISTIC WELLNESS SERVICES: NUTRITION

CONSULTATIONS & WELLNESS CLASSES

JAMIE MULLEN YOGA: YOGA CLASSES AND RETREATS

CHI, TREES, AND OILS: A COLLECTIVE OF HEALERS & HELPERS

WENDY LEHMAN: HERBALIST

MUSKEGO HEALTH AND WELLNESS: CHIROPRACTIC AND

ACUPUNCTURE

GREENDALE VILLAGE VET: PET HEALTH AND WELLNESS

ONE 19 TRAVEL: BEST DAY EVER VACATION PLANNING

PATHWAYS TO HEALING: HOLISTIC THERAPY FOR ANXIETY,

DEPRESSION, PTSD, AND ADDICTION RECOVERY

GARNET AND THE MOON: A DIFFERENT PARADIGM FOR GRIEF

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