



FALL



Family Fun at First Cong!

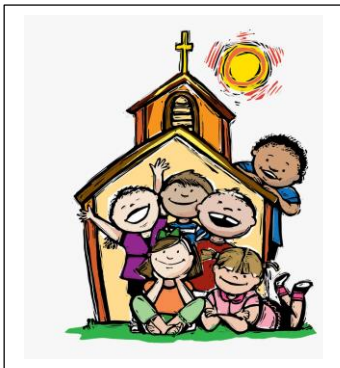
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY REGISTRATION!

It's time to update the Church Records! Parents of children from BIRTH through Grade 6 are invited to follow the QR Code to the Children's Ministry Registration on Realm. (Realm Events) This gets current contact information (address, email, phone) in the system, AND helps Jeff better prepare a more welcoming learning environment for our youngest members! Please do this today!



SUNDAY SCHOOL!

Regular In-Person Sunday School classes will begin again as soon as we have a full staff of TEACHERS and PARENT AIDES! Hopefully by September 18! Classes will be offered for Children from Age 3 (by Sept 1) through Grade 6. Students will continue to mask. Consider being a TEACHER or a PARENT AIDE (a once-a-month commitment) and check the box when you register your kids (see above QR Code) or Contact Jeff Rabe. jrabe@firstcongmadison.org



K5 – 2 OUR WHOLE LIVES (OWL)

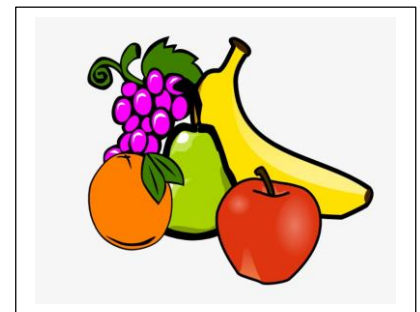
We are excited to announce that First Cong will be hosting a K-2 *OUR WHOLE LIVES* sexuality education class this Fall!! The hour-long sessions, 6-7pm, will be held on **THURSDAYS, September 15 through November 10**. Parents need to attend a **MANDATORY PARENT ORIENTATION**. See attached flyer for more info. Use QR Code at right to register today! A class is also being offered for Grades 7 – 9.



BACKPACK BLESSING!

Sunday, August 21
during worship

Students of all ages are invited to bring their school backpacks (or equivalent) to worship on Sunday, August 21 for a special blessing!!



COMMUNION PREP CLASS!

Grades 2 and Up

Tuesdays, Sept 20 & 27 at 6 pm and Sunday, Oct 2 at 9am

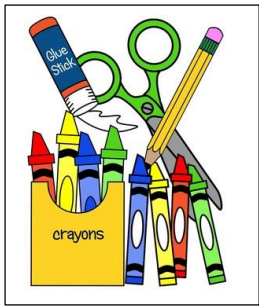
Through a series of three special classes, this program will share with our children; the history of the sacrament, its elements, its role in the modern church, and what it can mean for participants. The children would then be invited to the table to participate *virtually* with the congregation in communion on the First Sunday in October, World Wide Communion Sunday. **SIGN UP OnRealm, use the QR Code.**



FCC FAMILY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Back-To-School Supply Collection!

- ~#2 pencils
- ~dry erase markers/erasers
- ~spiral notebooks
- ~sewn composition notebooks
- ~set of 12 colored pencils
- ~glue sticks
- ~small personal pencil sharpener
- ~set of washable markers, Thin or wide tip
- ~12 inch ruler metric/english
- ~2-pocket folder (3 hole punched)
- ~erasers (pencil cap or large)
- ~pens (blue, black, or red only)
- ~scissors (for both large and small hands)



BY AUGUST 21!

THANKGIVING DINNER!



The First Cong Outreach board will again prepare a big feast on Thanksgiving Dinner with plans to offer PICK-UP and DELIVERY only. Watch how Families can be a part of this special ministry!

Madison CROP Hunger Walk



Join the FIRST CONG TEAM as a Family to raise funds and WALK in solidarity with our Brothers and Sisters around the world, and in our neighborhoods, struggling with hunger, poverty, and displacement.

Sign up TODAY!

crophungerwalk.org Madison/First Cong



SAVE THE DATE!



Hearing Screening

Saturday, September 24 10am – Noon
all ages



Blessing of the Animals

Saturday, October 8 10:00 am

coming soon!

Kids Drums!

Watch for more info about a special Drum Choir just for kids! Gr 1 – 6



Art with Henry!

Henry Fogel is busy planning another exciting project for YOUNG ARTISTS! Watch for more details!



TRUNK or TREAT!

Friday, October 28 6 pm

