

"BETWEEN-US"

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Thanksgiving -AA Style-

November, during which we in the U.S. celebrate the anniversary of the Pilgrims' first Thanksgiving, is also AA Traditions Month. Our AA Traditions which are printed on the inside back cover of each Grapevine, were designed and adopted by the Fellowship years ago to safeguard our individual sobriety and to insure, under God, that AA will be there when alcoholics come for help at any time in the future.

The Traditions serve to focus our gratitude. If there were no AA, if it were to go under in a swirl of dispute and self-seeking, how many of us would ever have come back from drunkenness; how many of us would be able to stay sober for long, alone? Our gratitude is practical--a matter of life and death.

Anonymous

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A Suggestion for Thanksgiving

THE idea is in the air that AA might adopt Thanksgiving Week as a time for meetings and meditation on the Tradition of Alcoholics Anonymous. The friend who hatched this notion tells you--on another page--why he thinks the idea good. I heartily agree with what he says and hope you will too.

Pre-AA, we alkie could sometimes achieve that dubious state called "sobriety, period." How bleak and empty this alleged virtue is, only God or a dried-up drunk can fully testify. The reason? Of course every AA knows it: nothing has taken the place of the victim's grog; he's still a man of conflict and disunity. Comes then the 12 Steps of Recovery, bringing to him a "personality change." The shattered prospect feels reassembled; he now says he seems all one piece. We understand exactly what he means, for he describes the state of being "at oneness"; he is talking about personal unity. We know he must work to maintain it and that he can't stay alive without it.

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PROFIT & LOSS, Fiscal Year: Oct. 1, 2013-Sept. 31, 2014

| | <u>Oct '13 - Sep '14</u> |
|---|--------------------------|
| Ordinary Income/Expense | |
| Income | |
| 4000 · Literature Sales | 143,981.49 |
| 4050 · Between us | 4,140.17 |
| 4070 · Contributions | 59,211.05 |
| 4080 · Gratitude boxes | 24,085.52 |
| 4100 · Memorials | 2,984.00 |
| 4130 · Personal Contributions | 774.34 |
| 4150 · Other Income | 3,535.49 |
| 4170 · Interest Income | 753.67 |
| 4830 · Sales Discounts | 104.81 |
| 48900 · Shipping and Delivery Income | 1,476.48 |
| Total Income | 241,047.02 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | |
| 5000 · Literature | 82,377.44 |
| 50000 · Cost of Goods Sold | 30.72 |
| 5050 · Between us COGS | 380.00 |
| 52900 · Purchases - Resale Items | 173.94 |
| Total COGS | 82,962.10 |
| Gross Profit | 158,084.92 |
| Expense | |
| 51100 · Freight and Shipping Costs | 3,404.64 |
| 59900 · POS Inventory Adjustments | 611.21 |
| 6020 · Automobile Expense | 125.01 |
| 6040 · Bank Service Charges | 46.25 |
| 6045 · Coffee/Soda/Candy Expense | 1,396.15 |
| 6050 · Credit card fees | 2,185.89 |
| 61200 · Cash Drawer Payouts | 291.95 |
| 6170 · Computer and Internet Expenses | 891.05 |
| 6200 · Conferences & conventions | 50.00 |
| 6262 · Postage | 26.65 |
| 6330 · Insurance Expense | 491.20 |
| 6370 · License & permits | 10.00 |
| 6500 · Office | 37,871.52 |
| 6600 · Payroll | 109,198.35 |
| 6700 · Professional Fees | 985.00 |
| 6800 · Printing | 3,411.48 |
| Total Expense | 160,996.35 |
| Net Ordinary Income | -2,911.43 |
| Other Income | |
| 52500 · Purchase Discounts | 465.80 |
| Net Income, Fiscal Year Oct. 2013/Sept. 2014 | <u>-2,445.63</u> |

Balances: Prudent Reserve:\$84,384.99, Savings:\$16,550.72, Checking:\$2,857.44

Secretary Meeting, October 14, 2014

Groups represented: I'm sorry if I have missed anyone that was in attendance.

Kathy S opened the meeting at 7pm

Bank balances on Sept. 30, 2014

Business Checking: \$2,857.44

Savings Account: \$16,550.72

Prudent Reserve CD's: \$84,384.99

New secretaries introduced themselves.

Groups 200 and 201 which met at 32 and Lapham (Anderson Hall) on Mondays and Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. has moved to Grace Chapel, 1601 S 33 St. (corner of 33rd and Lapham, downstairs) Also the Wednesday group now meets on Thursday at 7pm.

Renew Between-U's subscriptions now. \$9 yr. for 3 copies/mo. or \$18 yr. for 6 copies/mo. **NEW subscriptions welcome.** Subscriptions run to the END of DECEMBER. Look at the address label for a clue.

Jamboree Saturday, September 20, 2014 was a "break-even" success. We didn't lose money, but only made 4 or 5 dollars. The speaker was great and most people seemed to enjoy the new location.

Volunteer's needed to cover the hotline during hours when the Central Office is closed. 1 year sobriety, sponsor and home group required. Contact Kathy S at Central Office 414 -771-9119.

Gratitude Boxes, should have been picked up by the secretaries. The remaining boxes will be mailed to what every address we have on file at the end of October. Watch your mail or mail at the meeting location (ask around the church office or mailboxes).

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer at 7:25 p.m. The next meeting is Tuesday November 11, 2014, 7 pm.

AREA 75/Central Office EVENTS CALENDAR

1. Go to Area 75 website at: area75.org. 2. Look for the Area 75 Events Calendar on the right side of the page. 3. Events listed are color coded according to the area office that listed them. 4. Click on the small down arrow at the top right hand corner of the Events listing for the color "key" to the area's events. 5. Click on the small down arrow in the middle (next to the date) to view a specific date or just use the scroll button to move up and down through the days listed.

Deaf, Deaf/Blind and Hard of Hearing AA Meeting List, ASL Interpreter available

- Thursdays at 8:00 p. St John Vianney Parish 1755 N. Calhoun Rd, Brookfield WI. **Open AA Meeting for everyone—Third Thursday of Month,** Wheelchair entrance available.

Meetings are weekly closed AA meetings, except where otherwise noted. All meetings Non-Smoking. **ASL Interpreter available, \$\$**

Contact John R. through Voice Relay Service 800-973-8024 / 414 -546-3246 TTY/Voice.

E-mail at: johnreske9@yahoo.com
Contact George B. through Video Relay Service 866-483-1938 / 414-903-8905 TTY/VP

ORIENTATION for GSR'S

Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. prior to the secretary's meeting, at the Milwaukee Central Office.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

DISTRICT INFO ON THE WEB:

<http://www.area75.org/district.html>

1. JACKSON, LaCROSSE, MONROE, VERNON, & TREMPLEALEU; 2 & 18 GREEN LAKE & MARQUETTE CNTY'S & PART OF WAUSHARA; 8 & 30 ROCK ; 9. CRAWFORD, GRANT, IOWA and LAFAYETTE; 19 & 37. RICHLAND & SAUK; 20, 21 & 26 DANE; 31. COLUMBIA CNTY; 35. GREEN; 37. JUNEAU CNTY'S

(Check the web address above for meeting info.)

3. MANITOWOC & SHEBOYGAN CNTY'S 3rd Wed. of month, 6:30 p., Even numbered months at 1907 Club, 2908 N. 21st St., Sheboygan. Odd numbered months: Alano Club, 404 S 29 St Manitowoc

4. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 2nd Thr. of month, 6:00 p., Alano Club, 1521 N. Prospect Av.

6. WALWORTH CNTY 2nd Tue. 7:30 p. Feb. Apr. June. Aug. Oct. and Dec. only, Walworth Alano Club, 611 E. Walworth St., Delavan

7. KENOSHA CNTY 3rd Sun. of month, 4:00 p., Kenosha Alano Club, 630 56th St.

10. Spanish District, at large. Contact Ernesto N. at 414 645-8591. Meets every Tue. at 5:00 p., 1663 S. 6th Street, Milw.

11. JEFFERSON CNTY Meets last Wed. at 5:30 p.m. Moravian Church, 301 College St., Lake Mills,

12. WASHINGTON CNTY 1st Wed. of month, 6:00 p., Jansen Family Park, Schuster Dr. West Bend

13. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 1st Sun. of month, 1:00 p, St. Matthias Church, 111 E. Main, Waukesha

14. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 4th Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Milwaukee Central Office 7429 W Greenfield Ave., P.O. Box 13011, Wauwatosa WI 53226

15. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) Last Sunday of month, 5:30 p, Milwaukee Room 933 E. Center St. Milwaukee

16. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 1st Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Faith United Methodist Church, 400 S. 91st St.,

17. RACINE CNTY (1 of 2) 3rd Sun. of month, 1:00 p, Grove Club, 1037 Grove Ave., Racine

22. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 2nd Thr of month, 6:00 p, Alano Club, 1521 N. Prospect Ave.

23. DODGE CNTY 1st Wed of month at 7:00 p, Dodge Cnty Alano Club, 115 N. Lincoln, Beaver Dam, call to confirm 920-583-3142

24. OZAUKEE CNTY 3rd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Peltz Center for Jewish Life, 2233 W Mequon Rd. Mequon

25. FOND du LAC CNTY 2nd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St., Fond du Lac

27. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 3rd Sat. of month, 9:00 a.m. 12 Step Club, 4102 W. Townsend

28. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 3rd Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Bay View United Methodist 2772 S Kinnickinnic Ave. Bay View, WI 53207

29. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 1st Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Luther Memorial Church, 2840 S 84th St., West Allis, WI 53227

32. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 4th Tuesday of month, 6:30 p, Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, 470 Oak Crest Dr., Wales WI.

34. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 1st Tue. of month, 6:30 p, Northwest Alano Club, N88W17658 Christman Rd., Menomonee Falls

36. RACINE/KENOSHA (1 of 2) 2nd Tues. month 6:00 p.m., 12 & 12 Club, 724 N Pine St., Burlington

SEND ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO:
7429 W. Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI 53214,

dan@aamilwaukee.com

A Buck In The Basket... Really? Maybe it's time for a raise!



"Every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions."

Tradition Seven, Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions,

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CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

TAYCHEEDAH CORRECTIONAL,
Meetings are held every other Tuesday,
5:30 -7:30 p.m., Deb L-H. (920)238-7414

FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION,
P.O. Box 1085 Oxford, No Meeting!

FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL Satellite
Camp, New Path Group, P. O. Box 1085
Oxford, WI. Meetings Wed. at 1:30 p.m.

OAK HILL AA GROUP, OAK HILL WCI
5212 Hwy M, P.O. Box 140 Oregon, WI
53575 Meetings Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.
and Sunday at 6:30 p.m. Contact: Rick B.
(608) 235-5154

THOMPSON FARM, RT. 2 DEERFIELD,
WI., Closed meeting Tuesday at 8:00 p.m.
Contact: Tom Dickert, (608)764-5755

ROBERT ELLSWORTH CORRECTIONAL,
21425A Spring St., Union Grove, 53182 Call
for AA Meeting times: Contact Jennifer H.
262) 237-1294 or Cheryl P. (262) 914-3970.

KETTLE MORAIN CORR., Box 31, W9071
Forrest Dr., Plymouth, AA Thr. at 6:00 p.m.
Contact Mike L (920) 898-4782.

WAUPUN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION
AA Meeting Sat. , 8:00a.m.-9:30 a.m. Dale
C. 920-387-4229 after 5 p. clearance.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY HOUSE OF COR-
RECTION, 8885 S. 68th St. Franklin WI.
AA Women's Saturday 10:00 a.m. Kristin
L. 414-731-8572 or **AA Men's** on Sunday at
7:00 p.m. Dennis D. 414-372-8324

MILWAUKEE COUNTY JAIL 9th & State
Milwaukee WI. Clearance needed at both
facilities. **AA Women's** Sat. at 5:00 p.m.
Felisa C. (414) 672-6724. **AA Men's** Thr. at
7:00 p.m. John A. at (414) 915-9512

MILWAUKEE SECURE DETENTION CEN-
TER, 1015 N. 10th St. Milw. Sunday Nights
from 6:30 p. to 7:30 p., Men & Women, Call
Dave C. 414-xxx-xxxx for information

Milw Women's Correctional Ctr. 615 W
Keefe Ave. Milw. Contact: Karelyn P 414-
975-6701. Meetings on Monday & Friday.

FOX LAKE CORRECTIONAL, Box #147,
Fox Lake, WI 53933 Closed meetings Tue.
& Fri. from 6:00 -8:00 p.m.

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL 411 S. Center
St., Jefferson, WI, Mtng. held on Mon. at 7:00
p.m., Contact: Scott N. 920-397-0170

RACINE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION
for MEN Mtngs: Sun. 8:30 AM, Dane Rx Unit;
Wed. 7:00 p. and two meetings on Thursday
at 7:00 p. English and Spanish. Call Paul H.
(262) 537-2884

MILWAUKEE COUNTY CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE: Meets at 6:30 p. on the
3rd Wednesday of every other odd month at Faith United Methodist Church, 400 S. 91st
St (91st & Adler). All Milwaukee County Corrections donations should be sent to:
MCCC, PO Box 270544, Milwaukee WI 53227-0544. Call coordinator: Kris WL at 414—
731-8572, with questions. Treasurer Bill E. at 414-852-3815. Corrections volunteers
must go through the committee to get AA literature to take into the various facilities. Mil-
waukee Central Office no longer handles the funds.

Area 75, So. WI,
Calendar of Events 2015
Madison Senior Center (MSC), 330
W. Mifflin St., Madison, WI, except
where otherwise noted.

2015:

- Jan 18, Winter Service Assembly
- March 15, Delegates Workshop
- April 12, Pre-Conference Assembly
- June 21, Summer Service Assem-
bly
- Oct. 18, Fall Service Assembly

- Milwaukee Central Office:** 7429
W Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI
53214 dan@aamilwaukee.com
- Area 75 Treasurer:** PMB #167,
5464 N Port Washington Rd.,
Glendale WI 53217
- General Service Office:** G.S.O,
P O Box 459, Grand Central Sta-
tion, New York, N.Y. 10163
- Area 75 Corrections, Bridging
the Gap and Treatment write to:**
PMB # 170, 5464 N Port Washing-
ton Rd., Glendale WI 53217

JOIN the BIRTHDAY CLUB!

We celebrate birthdays, and we'd like to help you celebrate yours!
Send us a donation of \$1 for each year - or a gift of your choosing -
and we'll send you a copy of that month's Between-Us, and we'll
print your birthday. Include your Home Group, and we'll print that
too!

All request must be by the 10th of the previous month. Late arrivals
will appear the following month.

Just fill in the form below and mail, with your donation, to:

Payable to: "Greater Milwaukee Central Office"

Memo: Birthday Club
7429 W Greenfield Ave
West Allis WI 53214



\$ _____ enclosed.

I will have _____ years on _____ / _____ / _____ .

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: () _____ - _____

Email: _____

Home Group: _____



Happy Birthday November 2014

| Years | Name | Home Group |
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2014 Area 75 Archives Room

HOURS: Sunday's 12:00 to 3:30

CLOSED: All of January, July, August, December
March 16 / April 6 & 20 / May 11, 18 & 25 / Jun 15 & 22 / Oct 19

Call Nancy S. for an appointment to view the Archives the months we are closed (414) 339-3934 anancy@att.net

Located in the Lower Level of Holy Assumption School 7109 West Orchard St, West Allis, Wisconsin 53214 (1 block South of Greenfield)

Written for Us Newcomer's Meeting *An Insight to 'How it Works'*

An Orientation for Newcomers!

when:
Saturday's from **9:45 to 10:15am**

where:
Greater Milwaukee Central Office
7429 West Greenfield Avenue
West Allis, WI 53214
414.771.9119



Come JOIN US & learn more about Alcoholics Anonymous

(*"Thanksgiving" Continued from page 1*)

Will not the same principle hold true for AA as a whole? Isn't it also a fact that the alcoholic is in no greater peril than when he takes sobriety for granted? If vigilant practice of sound principle is a matter of life and death for him, why isn't that equally so for the AA group, and for our far-flung society itself?

Yet many of us still take the basic unity of Alcoholics Anonymous for granted. We seem to forget that the whole of modern society is on a dangerous and contagious "dry bender." We evidently assume we are so different from other men and women, that disintegration can't hit us. Our unity appears as a gift of Heaven; something to be perpetually enjoyed by us AAs quite without effort.

Criticism is not intended, because our present attitude is natural enough. It stems from the fact that no society in its infancy has ever enjoyed more providential protection against temptation and untoward happenings than has ours. Minor troubles we have had, but none serious enough to test our adult strength. It's not strange that we are a bit complacent and self-satisfied. Surely there need be no counsel of fear, nor lack of faith in the prediction that a far greater time of trial may yet be ours. When we think our situation through, simple prudence and foresight will tell us that.

The 12 Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous are a distillate of our experience of living and working together. They apply the spirit of the

12 Recovery Steps to our group life and security. They deal with our relations with the world outside and with each other, they state our attitudes toward power and prestige, toward property and money. They would save us from tempting alliances and major controversies, they would elevate principles far above personal ambitions. And, as a token of this last, they request that we maintain personal anonymity before the open public as a protection to AA and as proof of the fact that our society intends to practice true humility.

For the information of the general public and for the instruction of new AA members, the 12 Traditions have just been released in a much condensed "short form" which we hope will be as widely read and understood as the 12 Steps of Recovery. Should this happen, our current growing pains will be lessened and we shall commence to lay up a great store of insurance for the years ahead.

What then could be more appropriate than to set aside Thanksgiving week for discussion of the practical and spiritual values to be discovered in our Tradition? We could thus reinforce our faith in the future by these prudent works; we could show that we deserve to go on receiving that priceless gift of "Oneness" which God in His wisdom has so freely given to us of Alcoholics Anonymous in the precious years of our infancy.

Bill W.

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A.A. 2015 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

JULY 2 - 5, 2015 ATLANTA, GEORGIA

3 WAYS TO REGISTER *Online: www.aa.org *Fax: (508) 743-3605 *Mail

REGISTRATION OPENS
SEPTEMBER 3, 2014

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS:
MAY 12, 2015

A. REGISTRATION (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

* No badge required for children 12 years and younger. * Both sides of this form may be duplicated. * See reverse side for cancellation policy.

MAIN ATTENDEE (All fields are requested)

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| LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | NICKNAME ON BADGE | | | |
| ADDRESS | | | | | |
| CITY | ST/PROV | ZIP/POSTAL CODE | COUNTRY | | |
| E-MAIL | | | | | |
| PREFERRED METHOD OF COMMUNICATION <input type="checkbox"/> E-MAIL <input type="checkbox"/> MAIL <input type="checkbox"/> PHONE: | | | | | |
| BADGE TYPE (CHECK ONE) 1. <input type="checkbox"/> AA 2. <input type="checkbox"/> AL-ANON 3. <input type="checkbox"/> ALATEEN 4. <input type="checkbox"/> FRIEND/SPOUSE | | | | | |
| SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETATION 1. <input type="checkbox"/> SPANISH 2. <input type="checkbox"/> FRENCH 3. <input type="checkbox"/> AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE 4. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____ | | | | | |
| FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 1. <input type="checkbox"/> YES 2. <input type="checkbox"/> NO | | | | | |
| YEARS OF A.A. MEMBERSHIP 1. <input type="checkbox"/> 1 YR. OR LESS 2. <input type="checkbox"/> 1-3 3. <input type="checkbox"/> 4-10 4. <input type="checkbox"/> 11-20 5. <input type="checkbox"/> OVER 20 | | | | | |
| AGE GROUP 1. <input type="checkbox"/> 13-15 2. <input type="checkbox"/> 16-25 3. <input type="checkbox"/> 26-39 4. <input type="checkbox"/> 40-55 5. <input type="checkbox"/> 56-65 6. <input type="checkbox"/> OVER 65 | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL ASSISTANCE ON-SITE <input type="checkbox"/> YES, PLEASE COMMUNICATE WITH ME ON SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT AVAILABLE | | | | | |
| EMERGENCY CONTACT TELEPHONE | | | | | |

ADDITIONAL ATTENDEE (All fields are requested)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL ASSISTANCE ON-SITE <input type="checkbox"/> YES, PLEASE COMMUNICATE WITH ME ON SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT AVAILABLE | | | | | |

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Preregistration Fee is:

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CARDHOLDER NAME CARDHOLDER SIGNATURE*

CARDHOLDER ADDRESS DAYTIME PHONE (please include country code)

Your signature authorizes your credit card to be charged for the total payment due. AA World Services Inc. reserves the right to charge the correct amount if different from the total listed above.

CHECK/MONEY ORDER (PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH)

I/We enclose the following total registration fees \$ _____ USD/CAD. Checks/Money Orders made payable to "General Service Board Convention."

International Checks/Money Orders (Except Canadian) must be in U.S. funds drawn on a U.S. bank. WE SUGGEST DUPLICATING BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM.

To mail completed form with payment, send to: 2015 International Convention, ICAA075 • c/o Convention Data Services • 107 Waterhouse Road • Bourne, MA 02532

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Persons visiting from countries outside of the United States must have a valid passport and may require other documentation such as visas. Check with the nearest U.S. Consulate well in advance of travel. For more information, please visit the U.S. State Department website: travel.state.gov/visa/visa_1750.html

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MEETING ROOMS

NEW DAY CLUB
11936 N. Port Washington
Mequon, (262) 241-4673
<http://www.newdayclub.org>

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Topic
11:00 a. Topic
5:00 p. Young People
7:30 p. Topic

Mon. 12:30 p. Tenth Step Gp
5:30 p. More about Alcoholism
7:00 p. Topic
8:15 p. Men's Gp

Tue. 10:00 a. Topic
5:30 p. Big Book
7:00 p. Beginners Gp
8:00 p. Big Book Gp

Wed. 10:00 a. Topic
2:00 p. Promises Meeting
5:30 p. Step Meeting
7:00 p. Women's Lifeline

Thr. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting
1:00 p. Women's Gp
5:30 p. Topic Mtng.

Fri. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting
5:30 p. Step/Tradition
8:00 p. Topic

Sat. 10:00 a. Step Meeting
5:00 p. Fellowship of Spirit
7:00 p. Feelings
10:00 p. Young People

8:00 p. Open Meeting (held on 3rd Saturday of month only)

AL-ANON MEETINGS
Monday 6:30 p. Al-Anon
Tuesday 1:00 p. Al-Anon/ACOA
Thursday 7:00 p. Al-Anon
Contact club for info on other fellowships.

PASS IT ON CLUB
6229 W. Forest Home Ave
Milwaukee WI (414) 541-6923
passitonclub.com

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Sun. Wake Up
9:30 a. Reliance Open Disc.
11:00 a. Today choice
3:00 p. Gratitude Plus
7:00 p. Big Book Readers
7:30 a. Jump Start

Mon. 10:30 a. First Step
4:00 p. HappyHour Step Gp.
7:00 p. Mon. Freedom
7:00 p. Open IntroductoryAA
7:30 a. Comin' Back Gp
10:30 a. Keep It Simple
4:00 p. Drop the Rock
6:00 p. Women's Step
7:30 p. Three Legacies
7:30 p. Double Trouble DD/O

Tue. 7:30 a. Big Book
8:00 p. Beginners Gp
8:00 p. Big Book Gp

Wed. 7:30 a. Big Book Study
10:30 a. Pass It On
4:00 p. Happy Hr Promises
7:00 p. We, Us & Ours
7:30 a. Welcome Back Gp
10:30 a. Made Decision
5:15 p. As Bill Sees It
7:00 p. Gateway Topic Gp
7:30 a. Honesty Gp.

Thr. 10:30 a. Came To Believe
6:00 p. Women's Fri. Kickoff
6:30 p. Thoughts 4 Today
8:00 p. Broken Arrow
8:00 p. Spanish Speaking
8:30 a. Early Bird
10:30 a. Happy Joyous Free
3:00 p. Twelve Promises
8:00 p. Back to Basics 12x12

Fri. 7:30 a. Honesty Gp.

Sat. 10:30 a. Came To Believe
6:00 p. Women's Fri. Kickoff
6:30 p. Thoughts 4 Today
8:00 p. Broken Arrow
8:00 p. Spanish Speaking
8:30 a. Early Bird
10:30 a. Happy Joyous Free
3:00 p. Twelve Promises
8:00 p. Back to Basics 12x12

AL-ANON MEETINGS
Sun. 11:00 a. (Alateen)
Wed. 7:00 p. Fri. 7:30 p.
Thr. 7:00 p. Sat. 10:30 a.

LAKE AREA CLUB
N60 W 35878 Lake Dr
Oconomowoc, WI
(262) 567-9912
www.lakeareaclub.com

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a.
11:00 a.
6:00 p. Big Book
8:00 p.

Mon. 9:00 a. Positive Attitude
6:30 p.
8:00 p. Step/Tradition Stdy

Tue. 1:00 p.
4:00 p.
8:00 p. Back To Basics

Wed. 8:00 a.
10:00 a.
6:00 p.
8:00 p.

Thr. 10:00 a.
4:00 p.
6:00 p. Women's Group
8:00 p.

Fri. 12:30 p.
4:00 p.
6:00 p. Non-smoking
7:00 p.
8:00 p.

Sat. 8:30 a.
10:00 a. Big Book

AL-ANON MEETINGS
Mon. 8:00 p. Al-Anon
Tue. 9:00 a. Al-Anon
Wed. 7:00 p. Al-Anon

OPEN SPEAKER MEETING
Sat. 7:00 p. 2nd & 4th Saturdays
(AA and/or Al-Anon Speakers)

WAUKESHA ALANO CLUB
318 W. Broadway
Waukesha, WI
(262) 549-6541

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 9:30 a. Sun Morn Sunlite
11:00 a. Sun Go-To-Mtng
(Open speaker 2nd Sunday & Breakfast)
7:00 p. (Open Step Gp)

Mon. 12:00 Noon
6:00 p. Beginners AA
7:00 p. (12 & 12)

Tue. 12:00 Noon

Wed. 12:00 Noon
5:30 p. Topic Gp

Thr. 12:00 Noon
8:00 p.

Fri. 12:00 Noon T.G.I.F. Gp

Sat. 10:00 a. Gp 124
7:00 p. Closed Meeting

**OPEN MEETINGS,
DANCES & EVENTS
Call for information.**

UNITY CLUB
1715 Creek Drive
West Bend, (262) 338-3500
unityclub1715@att.net

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:30 a. ** Gratitude Gp.
8:00 p. Candlelight Gp.

Mon. 10:00 a. Monday A.M.
7:00 p. Men's
7:00 p. Women's

Tue. 10:00 a. Tuesday A.M.
7:30 p. Beginner's
8:00 p. Step Gp

Wed. 10:00 a. Promises
1:00 p. Steps/Promises
8:15 p. * Step Gp

Thr. 10:00 a. Big Book
7:00 p. EZ Dozen12x12

Fri. 10:00 a. Step/Topic Gp
8:00 p. Step Gp.

Sat. 10:00 a. Here & Now
7:00 p. Big Book

AL-ANON & ALATEEN MTNGS

Saturday 9:00 a. Al-Anon
Thursday 7:15 p. Al-Anon

* Open Mtng. 3rd Wed. of month
** Open Mtng. 3rd Sunday of month (a.m.)

Serenity Club is CLOSED
serenityclub.info

AA Meetings formerly at club have moved to:

Sun. 10:00 a. St Luke's South Shore 5900 S Lake Dr. Cudahy
7:00 p. Sheridan Park Lagoon 4800 S Lake Dr Cudahy

Mon. 10:00 a. Methodist Church 5865 S Lake Dr. Cudahy

Tue. 10:00 a. Nativity of Lord School, 3658 E Plankinton Ave Cudahy
8:00 p. St Luke's Episcopal 3200 S Herman, Bay View

Wed. 10:00 a. Methodist Church 5865 S Lake Dr Cudahy
5:30 P. Pass it On 6229 W Forest Home Ave Milwaukee
8:00 p. First Congregational Church 1111 N Chicago Ave South Milwaukee

Fri. Gp 41: Disbanded

Sat. 10:00 a. Nativity of Lord School, 3658 E Plankinton Ave Cudahy 7:00 p. Methodist Church 5865 S Lake Dr. Cudahy

MEETING ROOMS

WALWORTH COUNTY ALANO CLUB
611 Walworth St.
(Hwy. 50 & 11)
Delavan, WI 53115,
(262) 740-1888

Sunday AA

10:00 a. Primitive Group
12:00 Noon Open Speakers
6:30 p. Delavan Discussion

Monday AA

7:30 a. Delavan Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Delavan Step Meeting
6:30 p. Former Miss Americas
(Women's Step Group)

6:30 p. Delavan Men's Meeting

Tuesday AA

7:30 a. Delavan Sunrise Tue
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan 12 Step Topic

Wednesday AA

7:30 a. Delavan Sunrise Wed.
12:00 Noon As Bill Sees It Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan IT Meeting

Thursday AA

7:30 a. Delavan Sunrise Thr.
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
5:30 p. Step Sisters Women
6:30 p. Delavan Big Book Gp.

Friday AA

7:30 a. Delavan Sunrise Fri.
12:00 Noon Big Book Study
6:30 p. Delavan Discussion

Saturday AA

12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan Beginners Gp.

ALANO CLUB 1521 N. Prospect Ave.
Milwaukee, WI (414) 278-9102
<http://www.alanofoundation.com>

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:00 a. Gp 17 Step

4:30 p. Step Gp

7:30 p. Gp 19 Step

10:00 p. Topic Gp

Mon. 7:00 a. Early Morning

10:30 a. Gp 72 Topic

12:15 p. Big Book Meeting

6:30 p. Gp 40 Big Book

8:00 p. Gp 20 Topic

10:30 p. Living Sober Step/Topic

7:00 a. As Bill Sees It,

10:30 a. Gp 70 Step

12:15 p. Gp 76

Tue. 7:00 a. Men's Step

10:30 a. Gp 9, Step

12:10 p. Oasis Topic Gp

6:00 p. Gp 91 Women's

8:00 p. Gp 3, Step/Topic

10:30 p. Step/Topic Gp

7:00 a. Big Book Meeting

10:30 a. Gp 97, Step

12:15 p. Here & Now Gp

7:00 p. LGBT Big Book

7:30 p. Gp 26 12x12

10:30 p. Peanut Gallery Step Mtng

Fri. 7:00 a. Daily Reflections

10:30 a. Gp 21, Step

12:15 p. Gp 65

6:30 p. Here & Now

8:30 p. Gp30 Tub Topic

11:30 p. Step/Topic

12:15 a. Second Shifters

Sat. 11:00 a. Gp 87 Step

3:00 p. Spiritual Growth

7:30 p. Open Speaker

9:00 p. Here and Now

11:30 p. Tub-Topic

AL-ANON MEETING Sunday 10:00 a.

Club is smoke free. Many meetings

break outdoors for smoking.

H.O.W. TO CLUB
8930 W. National Ave,
West Allis, (414) 543-2448

<http://howtoclub.info/>
Sun. 8 a.-11 p., Mon - Thr. 9
a. -11 p, Fri - Sat. 9 a. - 1 a.

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Eye Opener AA Gp.

10:00 a. Grass Roots (Steps)

4:30 p. Drop the Rock 6/7 Step

6:00 p. AA Topic Group

8:00 p. Sun. Sober & Serene

Mon. 11:00 a. Winner's Circle

5:45 p. Gp 132, Women's Gp

7:00 p. Big Book Gp.

8:00 p. New Hope Gp.

11:15 p. Nighthawk Gp.

Tue. 11:00 a. Willingness Group

6:00 p. Tuesday Non-Smok

8:00 p. 12 & 12 AA Meeting

Wed. 10:00 a. Foundations Meeting

6:00 p. AA Beginners Gp.

7:00 p. Women's Freedom

8:00 p. Promises Group

11:15 p. After Hours Gp.

Thr. 10:00 a. But For Grace Of God

6:00 p. 6 PM Here and Now

8:00 p. How To Get It Going

Fri. 11:00 a. Priority Group

6:00 p. Big Book Group

8:00 p. R.U.S. For Us

11:15 p. Candlelight Promises

Sat. 9:15 a. Men's Topic

11:00 a. Pioneers Group

3:00 p. HOW IT WORKS GP

6:00 p. 1st & 12 Topic

8:00 p. HOW To Saturday*

*(Open meeting on 3rd Saturday)

10:30 p. Candlelight Gratitude

MEETING ROOMS

12 STEP CLUB

4102 W Townsend St.
Milwaukee, WI 53216
(414) 871-0610

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Tues. 6:45 p. Gp 79

Wed. 11:00 a. Gp. 27

Fri. 11:00 a. Gp. 61 (12x12)

Sat. 10:00 a. Beginners Gp.
7:00 p. Gp 6

CALL THE CLUB FOR INFORMATION ON OPEN A.A. MEETINGS, MEETINGS FOR OTHER FELLOWSHIPS and SPECIAL EVENTS.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

2245 W. Fond du Lac
Milwaukee, WI
414. 931.7033

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sunday:

10:00 a. Friendship
11:00 a. Third Sunday
Open Meeting

Monday:

10:30 a. Step Gp

Tuesday:

7:00 p. Gp 43 Big
Book

Saturday:

10:00 a. Gp 112 Step
Call for information
on other types
of meetings.

Greater Milwaukee Central Office

7429 W Greenfield
Ave.
West Allis WI 53214,
414-771-9119

amilwaukee.com

A.A. MEETINGS

Mon. 12:15 p.

4:00 p.

Tue. 12:15 p.

4:00 p.

Wed. 12:15 p.

4:00 p.

Thur. 12:15 p.

4:00 p.

Fri. 12:15 p.

4:00 p.

Sat. 9:45 a. Newcomer

10:30 a.

3:00 p.

Directory Changes

Milwaukee Group
933 E Center St,
(River West)
Milwaukee WI 53212

A.A. MEETINGS

Sun. 10:00 a Open (Disc.)
8:30 p. Big Book

Mon. 5:30 p. Big Book
7:00 p. Open (1st Step)
8:30 p. Topic

Tue. 7:00 p. Open (Topic)
8:30 p. Open (Big Book)

Wed. 7:00 p. Open (Big Book)
8:30 p. Topic

Thur. 6:30 p. Open (Topic)
8:30 p. Step

Fri. 7:00 p. Beginner's
8:30 p. Open (Big Book)

11:30 p. Topic

Sat. 8:30 p. Topic
11:30 p. Topic

NEW MEETINGS
Monday Night 7:pm,
Chabad-Lubavitch,
3109 N Lake Dr (corner
of Lake Dr and Ken-
wood Blvd)

Tuesdays 6:30 p. Pre-
pared Healthcare Pro-
fessionals, Rogers Me-
morial, 34700 W Valley
Rd, Oconomowoc.

Thursdays 6:30 p. St
Matthias Church, 9306
W Beloit Rd, Milwaukee

Thursdays 9:15 a.m.
All Saints, 818 E Jun-

eau Ave, Milwaukee.
Thur 7:00 p.m. Stoney
Hills Presbyterian,
N112 W17655 Mequon
Rd, Germantown,

Friday 7: pm. Ash-
tanga Circle Yoga Cen-
ter, 3805 N Oakland
Ave, Shorewood

Saturday 8: a.m. Res-
urrection Lutheran,
12400 W Cold Spring
Rd, New Berlin WI

DISBANDED GROUPS
Gp 41, met at Nativity

24 HOUR CLUB
153 Green Bay Rd.
Thiensville, WI
(262) 242-9999

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/Topic
5:00 p. Step

Mon. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Topic
12:00 p. Women's
8:00 p. Men's

Tue. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/Topic
5:30 p. Big Book

Wed. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Big Book
5:15 p. Women's

Thr. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Topic
5:30 p. Step/Topic/Trad
8:00 p. Men's 12 & 12

Fri. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/12 & 12
5:30 p. Principles
8:00 p. Step

Sat. 6:30 a. Topic
8:30 a. Living Sober
10:00 a. Big Book

8:00 p. Open Speaker Mtng.
(1st Saturday Only)

GALANO CLUB
- LGBT Friendly -

7210 W Greenfield Ave
Suite 1, Lower Level
Milwaukee, WI 53214
(414) 276-6936

<http://www.galanoclub.org/>
mail@galanoclub.org

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:30 a. Step Topic
6:00 p. Big Book Study

Mon. 7:30 p. Came To Believe

Tue. 5:30 p. 40+ Topic

Wed. 7:00 p. 12 x 12

Thr. 5:30 p. Living Sober

Fri. 7:00 p. Step/Topic

Sat. 7:30 p. Topic

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Sun. 10:30 a.m. (Co-ed.) .

Meeting Space Available
See website for Club Events.
www.galanoclub.org

NORTHWEST ALANO CLUB*

N88 W17658 Christman Rd
Menomonee Falls WI
53051 (No Phone)

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 7:30 p.

Mon. 7:00 p. Just Do It Gp
8:00 p. Action Gp

Tue. 10:00 a. Step
8:00 p. Topic

Wed. 8:00 p. Step/Topic

Thr. 10:00 a. Step
6:00 p. Women's

Fri. 8:00 p. Step/Topic

Sat. 10:00 a. Step
7:00 p. Simply Sober Gp

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Wed. 8:00 p. Al-Anon

Fri. 8:00 p. Al-Anon

*This Club is a Smoke-Free
environment. We have ample
meeting space available for 12 Step
groups. Contact the Northwest Alano

School, 3658 E Plankinton Ave,
Cudahy on Fridays at 10 a.m.

OTHER CHANGES

Gp 10 Sunday at 9 am, formerly at 72nd and Orchard, **NOW** meets at Lamplight Inn, 7400 W Greenfield Ave. West Allis WI 53214.

Gp 200 and 201, formerly at 3213 W Lapham. **Now** meet at 1601 S 33rd St. on Monday and Thursday at 7 p.m

Jewish Recovery, formerly at 1300 N Jackson St, **now meets** at Shul-East, 3030 E Kenwood Blvd, Milwaukee Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

ARO Tue Night previously at Aro Counseling, **NOW** meets at St Mark's Lutheran, 424 Hyde Park Ave. Waukesha Tue at 8:00 PM

Gratitude Gp. Tuesday at 8 p.m. formerly at Serenity Club **now meets** at St Luke's Episcopal 3200 S Herman St in Bay View.

Fireside, formerly at Brookfield Presbyterian, 1485 N Brookfield Rd, **now meets at Brookfield Lutheran, 18580 W Burleigh Rd on Wednesdays at 8pm.**

Gp 23 Wednesday at 8pm, formerly at 72nd and Orchard, **NOW** meets at 1st Lutheran Church, 7400 W Lapham St. West Allis WI 53214 still at 8 p. on Wednesday.

Thursday Simply Sober 7:00p, formerly at Stoney Hills Presbyterian on Mequon Rd. **NOW** meets at Living Christ Church W156N10660 Pilgrim Rd in Germantown.

Gp 67 Elm Grove, meets on Thursday at 8 p. moved to Community United Methodist, 14700 Watertown Plk Rd Elm Grove.

Gp 10 Friday at 7:30 pm, formerly at 72nd and Orchard, **NOW** meets at Lamplight Inn, 7400 W Greenfield Ave. West Allis WI 53214.

OPEN SPEAKER

**Weekly & monthly open speaker meetings listed in July 2014
When & Where**

aamilwaukee.com/directory.html

Sundays at 10 a. Milwaukee Gp. 933 E Center St, Milw 53212

Sundays at 6:30 p. VA Hospital 5000 W National Ave 3rd Fl Unit 3A

Every Friday 7:00 p. Christ the King, 1600 N Genesee Rd Delafield

1st Monday at 1:30 p. Bethesda Seniors Community Center Open Meeting, 2845 W Fond du Lac Ave

Wednesdays at 7:00 p. Salem United Methodist Church, 541 Hwy. 59, Waukesha,

1st Friday only 8:00 p. St. Lukes Church, 300 Carroll St., Waukesha

1st Saturday 7:00 p. Dist. 15 Open Meeting at Milwaukee Group 933 E Center St. Milwaukee 53212

1st Saturday 8:00 p. 24 Hour Club Open Meeting, 153 Green Bay Rd, Thiensville,

2nd Saturday at 7:00 p. Dist 12, Living Word Lutheran Church, 2240 Living Word Ln., Jackson WI 53037

2nd Saturday at 7:00 p. Dist 34, St. Francis Episcopal Church, N84 W16525 Menomonee Ave

2nd Sunday at 11:00 a. Alano Club 318 W. Broadway, Waukesha,

3rd Sunday at 11:00 a. Friendship Club 2245 W. Fond du Lac Ave. Milwaukee, WI

3rd Saturday 8:00 p. HOW To Club 8930 W. National Ave, W.Allis

3rd Saturday 8:00 p. New Day Club 11936 N. Port Washington Rd, Mequon, WI

Last Wednesday 8:00 p. 1st Lutheran Church, 7400 W Lapham St,

Saturdays 7:30 p. Alano Club 1521 N. Prospect, Milwaukee

Contact the Central Office via email: dan@aamilwaukee.com, before the 12th of the month prior to your meeting so that it can be listed here under the special Open Meetings.

Looking for a **NO Nonsense STEP Meeting**, Look no further.

Come check out our
**TUESDAY NIGHT
STEP MEETING**

at **St Jude Day Care Center**
in Wauwatosa

Tuesday Nights at 7:00 pm
822 Glenview Ave
Wauwatosa, WI 53213

Enter in **BACK** of
Daycare Building.
Meeting is **Upstairs**.

SERVICE MANUAL STUDY

**Meets 2nd Thursday each
month at 6:00 p.m.**

Milwaukee Central Office
7429 W Greenfield Ave
West Allis WI

Find out more about the AA Service Manual. Study group is open to any AA member whether currently active in AA service work, or not.

Contact: Nancy H at 414-801-5184 with questions.

Spanish Speaking Meetings: Meeting at English Speaking Clubs

- GRUPO 5 CONCEPTOS, Pass It On Club, 6229 W. Forest Home Av, Milw, on Friday at 8:00 p.
- GRUPO NUEVO AMANECER, Tri-County Unity Club, 104 N. First St, Watertown, on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:00 PM and on Sunday at 11:00 AM
- GRUPO FE Y ESPRONZA, Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St. Fond du Lac WI on Wednesday at 7:00 PM and Sundays at 4:00 PM

2014 Weekend Retreats
Jesuit Retreat House,
4800 Fahrwald Rd. Oshkosh,
WI 54901, call 800-962-7330
jesuitretreathouse.org

Men and Women members of
AA, Al-Anon

Total cost: 4 days \$325.00. Send a \$50.00 deposit with requests for specific dates to retreat house or call for information.

WOMEN: Nov. 13-16th & Nov. 20-23rd

MEN: Dec. 4 - 7th

Redemptorist Retreat Center, 1800
North Timber Trail Lane, Oconomowoc,
WI 53066, (262) 567-6900 Email:
rrc@redemptoristretreat.org Please
call 262-567-6900 for reservations.
Nov 21-23, Retreat for AA and Al-Anon
Members. \$200. per person. (2 nights,
6 meals)

MILWAUKEE CENTRAL OFFICE

- **E-mail Director Dan F. at:** dan@aamilwaukee.com
- **Hours: M-F 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**
- **G.S.R. Orientation, 2nd**
Tuesday 6:30 p.
- **Secretary Meeting, 2nd**
Tuesday 7:00 p.
- **Board of Directors Meeting, Wednesday**
following Secretaries Meeting, (odd numbered months) 6:30 p.
- **A. A. Meetings, Mon - Fri**
at 12:15 p. and 4:00 p.
- **A. A. Meetings Saturday**
9:45 a., 10:30 a. and 3:00 p.
- www.aamilwaukee.com

FABULOUS GROUP 44

Announces Our 49th Annual Open AA Meeting!!



SPEAKERS

HOUSTON S. and RICHARD G.

AA's Messages of Experience,
Strength and Hope



Wednesday December 3rd, 2014 @ 7:00pm • Our Saviors Lutheran Church
3022 W. Wisconsin Avenue Milwaukee, WI 53208 (Enter rear parking-lot on Wells Street)

FOOD & REFRESHMENTS

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS TO CENTRAL OFFICE in SEPTEMBER

66 Groups Contributed, 709 DID NOT Contribute.

| Date | Amount | Group Name | Group ID |
|------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------|
| 09/02/2014 | \$5.00 | #027, Twelve Step Club | 114301 |
| 09/02/2014 | \$20.00 | #054 Humilitas | 138055 |
| 09/02/2014 | \$108.00 | #059 Dewey Center | 117184 |
| 09/02/2014 | \$60.00 | #060, Jackson Park Lutheran | 114323 |
| 09/02/2014 | \$5.00 | #079 | 133431 |
| 09/03/2014 | \$150.00 | #125, Northwest Alano Club | 145828 |
| 09/03/2014 | \$80.00 | 12 Step Couples in Recovery | MIL-FA |
| 09/03/2014 | \$156.00 | 164 and More, Peltz Center | 707675 |
| 09/04/2014 | \$360.00 | 24 Hour Club Groups | |
| 09/04/2014 | \$4.00 | Anonymous | XXXX |
| 09/04/2014 | \$90.00 | ARO Tue Night, | 667103 |
| 09/05/2014 | \$60.00 | Brown Deer Mon AA | 140227 |
| 09/05/2014 | \$60.00 | Comin' Back, Pass It On Club | 683006 |
| 09/05/2014 | \$400.00 | Common Solution, | 704515 |
| 09/05/2014 | \$25.00 | Cross Roads Gp, | 119518 |
| 09/06/2014 | \$331.38 | Daily Reprieve Men's, Salvation | 645055 |
| 09/06/2014 | \$10.00 | Each Day A New Beginning | 147336 |
| 09/06/2014 | \$36.94 | Early Bird Rogers Memorial | 624742 |
| 09/08/2014 | \$60.00 | Early Bird, Pass It On Club | 613662 |
| 09/08/2014 | \$60.00 | Father Mac's Family Open Steps | 123465 |
| 09/08/2014 | \$53.00 | Fellowship of the Spirit Gp Steps | 687104 |
| 09/08/2014 | \$60.00 | First Step, Pass It On Club | 635840 |
| 09/08/2014 | \$0.83 | Fri Night Pocket of Enthusiasm | 707574 |
| 09/09/2014 | \$100.92 | Fri Noon 12 & 12 | MIL-FB |
| 09/10/2014 | \$30.00 | Friendship House Jewish Recvry | MIL-TJ |
| 09/10/2014 | \$15.00 | Get A Life | MIL-WM |
| 09/11/2014 | \$27.18 | Grapevine Topic Fri 4 p.m. | MIL-FM |
| 09/12/2014 | \$120.00 | Hales Corners Tue Night, | 177353 |
| 09/12/2014 | \$60.00 | Honesty Plus, Pass It On Club | 638093 |
| 09/12/2014 | \$20.00 | How It Works, St Luke's Church | 145640 |
| 09/12/2014 | \$60.00 | Keep It Simple | 611725 |
| 09/12/2014 | \$40.00 | Keep It Super Simple Big Book | 679397 |
| 09/13/2014 | \$60.00 | Keep Passing It On, | 630882 |
| 09/13/2014 | \$162.10 | Lake Area Tue Afternoon | WAK-T1 |
| 09/13/2014 | \$50.00 | Lake Geneva Keep It Simple | WAL-M4 |
| 09/13/2014 | \$25.00 | Lake Geneva Kitchen Table | 125465 |
| 09/15/2014 | \$60.00 | Love and Tolerance Big Book | 643730 |
| 09/15/2014 | \$95.00 | Mon Independence | MIL-MH |
| 09/16/2014 | \$905.72 | Mon Night Action | 138020 |
| 09/17/2014 | \$120.00 | New Berlin Big Book Tue 8 p.m. | 667045 |
| 09/17/2014 | \$50.00 | Oak Creek Fri | 114112 |
| 09/17/2014 | \$60.00 | Oak Creek Tue 10 a.m. Step | 144522 |
| 09/18/2014 | \$20.00 | Promises Gp 2 PM | 641518 |

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| Date | Amount | Group Name | Group ID |
|--------------|----------|---------------------------------|----------|
| 09/18/2014 | \$15.00 | Sat 3 p.m. Big Book Study | 178043 |
| 09/19/2014 | \$61.00 | Sat Morn Gp 10 AM | 138045 |
| 09/19/2014 | \$60.00 | Sat Morning / St Luke's, St Luk | 161562 |
| 09/19/2014 | \$27.75 | Seeds of Recovery/Steps | MIL-MM |
| 09/19/2014 | \$80.00 | Serenity at the Vineyard | 655426 |
| 09/20/2014 | \$7.00 | Service Manual Study Gp | |
| 09/20/2014 | \$50.00 | Simply Sober, NW Alano | WAK-A7 |
| 09/20/2014 | \$29.16 | Sisters of Sobriety | Grafton |
| 09/22/2014 | \$119.46 | Solutions Intergroup | 652829 |
| 09/22/2014 | \$25.00 | Step Into Promises | 600006 |
| 09/22/2014 | \$50.00 | Sun Morning Wake Up | 617656 |
| 09/22/2014 | \$30.00 | Thank God It's Mon (TGIM) | OZK-M2 |
| 09/22/2014 | \$100.00 | Thr Night AA/St Anskar | 117644 |
| 09/22/2014 | \$101.00 | Thr Success Step | MIL-RB |
| 09/23/2014 | \$36.00 | Traditions 101 | MIL-TM |
| 09/24/2014 | \$80.00 | Tue Night Hales Corners Step | 690183 |
| 09/24/2014 | \$145.25 | Tue Reflections | MIL-TH |
| 09/25/2014 | \$23.00 | Twelve Promises Disc Thr | MIL-RM |
| 09/26/2014 | \$40.00 | Watertown Wed Night | 137708 |
| 09/27/2014 | \$84.00 | Wed Night Men's Meeting | 663905 |
| 09/27/2014 | \$96.00 | Wed Noon Lunch Bunch | 690831 |
| 09/29/2014 | \$100.00 | Women's Big Book | 697839 |
| 09/29/2014 | \$40.00 | Written For Us | MIL-A5 |
| TOTAL | | \$5,675.69 | |

All the groups listed in your When and Where should be contributing regularly to the support of your Central Office. We want to be here when you need us.

Ready for a different kind of meeting?

Join the open discussion format meeting at the Charlie Stone Group. Cross Talk is encouraged, and we invite discussions on any topic related to alcoholism.

Mondays - 8:00 PM
(one hour in length)
First Congregational Church
1511 Church Street
Wauwatosa, WI 53213
Enter from the North side parking lot

**Group 22 Annual
Candlelight Gratitude Meeting**

Wednesday Nov. 26th 2014 8:00 p.m.

**Underwood Memorial
Baptist Church**
1916 Wauwatosa Ave.

(76th St. & Hillcrest Ave, Wauwatosa)

**Fun, food and Fellowship. Please join
us in this Thanksgiving Gathering.**

Tradition Week Meeting Suggestions from some who observed Tradition Week last year

Although our group is small, we observed Tradition Week at Thanksgiving. We had no speakers that night but each one of the members discussed one of the Traditions. It was interesting to note that some of our group confused the 12 Steps of Recovery with the 12 Traditions. We feel that this meeting helped to clear up some of the confusion and brought about a better understanding.

J.S.
Concord, CA

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THE 2014/15 HOLIDAY ALKATHON NEEDS HELP!

Encourage your group to volunteer to support an AA meeting during a two-hour time slot.

Details: Around-the-Clock Holiday AA Meetings
At Bay View United Methodist Church
Dec. 24th noon through Dec. 25th midnight
& New Year's Eve noon through New Year's Day midnight

To Participate: Groups should submit the group's name & location and a contact person's name, e-mail & phone number to alkathon@wi.rr.com.
Or call Jeanne P. at (414) 755-9095 or Mark V. at (414) 588-8049 with the info.

Time Slot Drawing: In fairness, a drawing is held to assign random time slots to groups. We encourage each group to have a representative present during the drawing.

It is during the District 29 GSR meeting on Dec 1st, at 7:00 PM Luther Memorial Church (Enter in the back of the church) 2840 S. 84th St. West Allis, WI 53227



NOVEMBER and DECEMBER

“A SEASON of GRATITUDE and GIVING”

Dear AA Member,

November and December marks a season of Gratitude and a time of giving back. Recovering Alcoholics have much to be grateful for, with our new way of living and thinking of others. The Milwaukee Central Office distributes “Gratitude Boxes” each November/December to be passed at each meeting during **November and December**. The money collected enables your Central Office to continue carrying the message of hope and recovery to the still suffering alcoholic.

Please give generously at all meetings you attend during November and December. Remember what AA and sobriety have given you. Help by “giving something back”. Help to keep your Central Office strong. The money collected is a huge part of the Central Office’s operating income. It will all go towards the smooth running of the office and will enable us to keep helping others.

“When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there” For that we are all responsible.

REMEMBER OTHERS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!

AA Groups Need Your Support

- **Jim's Sun Night 1st Step**, Roger's Hospital, 11101 W Lincoln Ave West Allis Sun at 6pm
- **Women's 12 x 12 Gp**, Mondays at 6:00 p. Grace Bible Church, 2643 S 117th St West Allis WI 53227
- **All Welcome Gp, Mondays & Thursday at 1:30 p.** Bethesda Community Center, 2845 W Fond du Lac Ave, Milwaukee WI 53210
- **Gp 10-17, Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m.**, St Veronica's School, 353 E Norwich, Milwaukee 53207
- **New Hope Brookfield, Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m.** Trinity UCC, 4435 N Calhoun Rd Brookfield 53005
- **Chicks at Six, 6:00 p.m. Wednesday**, Alano Club 1521 N Prospect Ave Milwaukee, WI 53202 **CHILD CARE available.**
- **Thursday at 12:15 pm. and Wednesday 5:30 pm. Topic at St. John's Cathedral Complex, 831 N. Van Buren St. Milwaukee 53202**
- **Friday Night Candlelight, 8:00 pm.** St Anskar Episcopal, N48W31340 Hill Rd Hartland WI 53029 (Hwy's 16 & 83)
- **When All Else Fails, Saturday at 7:00 pm.** St Matthias Church, 111 E. Main St. Waukesha 53186