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many prayers of the steps leading up to Step Seven. It was explained to me that this word can be used as a **summary** of previous connected facts, e.g.:

In Step Three we asked to be relieved of the bondage of self, but we didn't know what that was. Not complete. **No Amen!**

In Step Four we only partially realize the nature of said bondage. Not complete. **No amen!**

In Step Five our sponsor may provide deeper insights of the bondage. Not complete. No Amen!

In Step Six we become willing to ask God to remove this bondage. Not complete. **No Amen!**

In Step Seven, not that we have a much better insight of our bondage and are willing to be rid of our defects and shortcomings we are now ready to ask God for help. We have completed the necessary prerequisites. The **summary** has been completed—consequently Bill adds the word, Amen.

So be it.

Bob S.

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## Notes on Step Seven

There was true humility and deep surrender by asking God to "take all of me," both the "good" and the "bad." This was an admission that I could not trust myself to differentiate between the two. I almost drank after five months sobriety before going into the 12-step process with my sponsor. He wisely pointed out the obvious fact that my mind lied to me—It was not to be trusted! I needed a higher power (God) to see the truth about myself. What an ego-shattering revelation! Yet, it was necessary to give up on myself and trust God to take over my recovery. Someone said: "Self cannot rid self of self with self."

I often hear long dissertations of what Bill W meant by "shortcomings" and "defects of character" in Step Seven. Though it may be impossible to overstate the importance of dictionaries, Bill W uses these words to mean the same thing. Let us look how he came about phrasing Steps Six and Seven:

Page 59, Step Seven: "Humbly asked Him to remove our "shortcomings."

Page 76, Step Seven: "I pray that you now remove from me every "defect of character" that stands in the way of my usefulness to you and my fellows." Consequently, it is easy to see that Bill meant for us to absorb these two words as "twins."

I wondered why the closing word "Amen" was not used in the

June 1982

## Language Is No Barrier

By: J. J. | Nedlands

NOT LONG AGO, I spent six weeks in West Germany. My son had been living there for some years and had continually asked me to visit him. But I have always been very frightened of air travel. I finally promised to make the trip when he was getting married.

Came the day--this was it! I became agitated, thinking of hijackers, loss of passport, being left in some ghastly place. As usual in times of stress, I did the Tenth Step. There I was, projecting myself into the future, with no thought of faith in my Higher Power or accepting His will in my life. Thanks to the Step and the Serenity Prayer, my agitation and fear disappeared. I realized my good fortune in being able to make this journey. Life flowed sweetly

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again, one day at a time.

I was looked after all the way. In the aircraft, I sat next to a couple who spoke German and English and were also going to Hamburg. With their aid, I had no trouble in making connections when changing planes.

After some amusing calls to various AA people in Hamburg (my German is very elementary), I found there was a meeting about ten minutes' walk from where I was staying. My son could not understand why I wanted to go to the meeting when I had been sober for over seventeen years--and couldn't speak German. But I had promised to bring back some AA literature in that language. In my part of Australia, we often encounter people who speak English but cannot read it; they speak and read German.

Outside the Hamburg meeting place, I met a lady who heard me speaking English to my son and said, "I speak English. I'll show you where to go." In the meeting, the person next to me was from Washington. She translated for me when necessary, but her help really just confirmed my own translation of the familiar expressions and gestures of the member speaking: the sad, dead look as the drinking story was told; the rejection of the truth--"Not me!"--sounding the same in any language; on the first contact with AA, hope and relief mixed with worry--"How will I face my world not drinking?" It was all there to read

for one who has been through it. Language is no barrier in AA.

The next week, I met an AA from California, and he and his wife visited me at my son's home. I was alone most days, as my son and his wife were both working, so these AA contacts made all the difference to me. The Californian and I had many dull hours to fill in while his German-born wife chatted with friends and relatives. I came in for quite a lot of that, too--my son's wife is German--so we could recognize our resentment and laugh away our frustration.

To have someone telephone, and be able to call people I could talk to, was wonderful. The lady who first spoke to me at the meeting was a newcomer, I learned. She was having the usual difficulties after being in the hospital for two years, and asked me to help her. I knew about the fears of a patient returning to the outside world, because most of my service in AA has been the effort to help people in our hospital for alcoholics.

The Altona-Hamburg group welcomed me with love and warm, friendly fellowship. Before AA, I had traveled all over the world, finding lonely, uncaring cities and towns. Since joining AA, I have found warmth and caring wherever I could contact a member of our Fellowship. It is in a spirit of sharing and gratitude that I write of these experiences--blessings that came my way through my Higher Power and my contented sobriety.

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## 12 STEP CLEAR-CUT DIRECTIONS ARE NOT ON THE WALL

Before studying the Big Book, I thought if I memorized the Twelve Steps from the clubhouse wall or from pages 59 and 60 and practiced them every day that mental obsession would finally disappear. It didn't work! After five months sobriety I marched into a bar with gin and tonic on my lips. I was in deep chicken fat trouble!

I didn't order that drink, thanks to God, but I was terrified!

Returning home, I immediately prayed to be shown the path to sobriety. God answered with a new sponsor who taught me the clear-cut directions **directly** out of the Big Book.

We read on page 29 that: "Further on Clear-cut directions are given showing how we have recovered." We then read the "outline" on pages 59 and 60. It was explained these are

**not** the clear-cut directions of recovery; the 12 Steps hanging from the meeting room walls are **also not** the program of recovery! Both these are simply a description of what the Big Book is going to explain further on.

Bill Wilson tells you what he is going to tell you (as above); then he tells you the directions on Pages 60 thru 103, then he tells you what he told you on page 164--3<sup>rd</sup> full paragraph.

Please notice how many directions exist in Step 3. Step 4 has more than I can count--Plus it shows how to face and be rid of our defects, etc. Step 10 has five directions.

I believe a newcomer is being short-shrumped when taught that the steps on the wall are sufficient for recovery. Here are a few important bits of information not found on the wall:

**Step Three:** The 3<sup>rd</sup> Step promises, the 3<sup>rd</sup> step Prayer, and who to do it with, or not. That Step 3 is only a be-

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ginning.

**Step Four:** When to begin Step 4. Why we need to do this step. How to face and be rid of resentment by using a spiritual tool and a logical tool. How to be rid of irrational fear. How to develop a new sex ideal.

**Step Five:** When to do this step and where it comes from. Whom to do it with. Precautions about sharing particulars. Why this step is so important. Discover the 5<sup>th</sup> Step promises.

**Step Six:** When to be convinced we are ready to allow God to remove defects blocking our sobriety. Suggested prayer for help.

**Step Seven:** A humble request for God to remove the "bondage of self, "now that we realize what they are.

**Step Eight:** Explains where our list comes from. Offers a prayer to help to complete this list.

**Step Nine:** When to begin making amends. Why to make amends. How to prepare how to present your amends. How to handle financial amends. How to avoid jail time for alimony. What amends are inappropriate. Forgiveness.

**Step Ten:** Explains this step is for a lifetime. *On the wall* and *page 59 and 60* there are only **two** directions, but on page 85 there are **five** clear-cut directions. We learn the important 10<sup>th</sup> Step promises.

**Step Eleven:** How to pray at night, morning and through the day. How to find forgiveness. 11<sup>th</sup> Step promises.

**Step Twelve:** Prerequisites for 12-stepping. Rewards for carrying **this** message. What message to carry. How to prepare before approaching a newcomer.

Bob S

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## Sobriety Cum Laude

By: G.S. | Burlington, Vermont

An AA meeting brought a new dimension to a college reunion

I RECENTLY attended another "best AA meeting ever." This one was truly special.

Some months ago, I received an invitation to the twentieth reunion of my university class. Although the activities sounded interesting, the events listed made it look as if I would be returning to the campus because I was thirsty--cocktail reception with the president, cash bar at the dance, sherry hour with the dean. Perhaps I exaggerate, but that is the way the invitation struck me.

As my alcoholism had caused me damage and pain during my college days, I thought an AA meeting as part of the reunion activities would be wonderful. I love to go to meetings when I'm out of town, and I thought this would be a good way to link with others who share my solution to alcoholic pain and who also share memories of our university.

More important, I thought a meeting for returning alumni/ae might help some old grad new in sobriety who could be overwhelmed by the memory of the fun found in drinking during college days, forgetting about or ignoring the subsequent pain, or who might return to the hallowed halls with the dangerous notion "Who would know?"

Those thoughts and others prompted me to contact a classmate who I knew was in the AA program. At the university, she had

spoken at a forum on alcoholism sponsored by a dean who has been active on campus in combating drug and substance abuse. He is also active in AA.

After I got the name and address of the dean, I wrote him. This was back in February or March, and the reunion wasn't until June. (I live one day at a time, but I can also make plans for the future in and through sobriety.) I wrote him of my idea, and he thought it was good and took it from there. He went to his home group at the university. Through the group conscience, the members agreed to put on an irregular meeting of the regular group.

During the reunion weekend, we met at midday on Saturday, and the meeting was magical. Among the people sharing was a young woman who had been thrown out of school in her freshman year because of alcohol and drugs. Thanks at least in part to her continuing sobriety, she was graduating *magna cum laude*, with seven As to her credit during her senior year. However, she was out of kilter that day, because her mother was on campus and was pushing her around. She was scared about the future, and she didn't think she was feeling what she was "supposed" to be feeling. Her perfectly normal reactions got sorted out somewhat during the meeting, and she went off to have another sober--if not totally serene--day.

Another woman, an alumna who lived in town, said she was truly grateful for the irregular meeting. She needed it because she had just been to the funeral of a woman who hadn't been able to get the program. She said she wasn't the first person to try to help the woman, but she was among the last. She was glad to be able to express her gratitude for her own sobriety

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and for the reminder that this program is a gift, though, unfortunately, not all of us who need it can accept it.

A man spoke about his twenty-fifth reunion. He said he couldn't remember any of it, because he had been drunk the entire time. The men with whom he had drunk then were not at this reunion. He said they were either dead, ill, or unable to make it. This man was returning for his fiftieth reunion with twenty-five years of sobriety under his belt, and he was grateful for the first meeting held in conjunction with a reunion.

The most wonderful part of the meeting came when two young people, husband and wife, shared for the first time that they knew they were alcoholics and wanted help. Perhaps their pain with active alcoholism is over, and their journey to recovery has begun.

Those are just a few of the reasons I am grateful that the idea for

a meeting given to me and that I was given the determination to follow through. I am also grateful because the regular members of the group indicated that the irregular meeting will most likely be continued at future reunions.

One funny aside: The dean told us that he looked for a convenient time for us to meet that would not conflict with other activities. Even though he has about ten years in AA, he didn't think about having a breakfast meeting, because so many people at reunions have hangovers and don't like to get up early. Ah, the benefits of sobriety!

What's a good way to have a meeting at *your* reunion? The dean suggested that the best way is to write the reunion office early, request a time and a space for an AA meeting, and ask that it be publicized in advance in the mailings that go out to alumni/ae. There is some risk involved, because you have to break your own anonymity with the reunion office; but trust me when I say it's worth it.

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June 1982

## PO Box 1980

By: ANONYMOUS | Milton, Ontario

At the turning point

I began to drink at age 12. By age 14, I was drinking whenever it was available. The summer between public school and high school found me drinking, smoking pot, and swallowing pills; needless to say, I failed my first year of high school.

I was arrested for the first time at 15 and charged with breaking and entering. I was summoned to appear in court on my 16th birthday, but the charges were dropped. At 17, I was a patient of the provincial mental hospital; at 18, I was sentenced to the prison reformatory; at 19, I got married and found a very good job in a factory; and at 21, I quit my job.

There was a series of attempts to stop drinking. At age 22, I moved to a small town, where I am still living, and enrolled in the local community college and upgraded my education to grade 10. I also went on to learn a trade. During this time, there were brief periods of sobriety, followed by worse relapses.

One night, I attended an AA meeting, and for the next six weeks, I heard the following: "We stood at the turning point. We asked His protection and care with complete abandon." I found this troublesome, because at this point in my life, I was agnostic. Six weeks sober and free of drugs, I came to my turning point. I "asked His protection care with complete abandon" and tried to apply the Steps to my life. That was over two years ago, and there has been no return to my former life. I have just finished another course at school, and with God's help, I hope to attend university. Thank you.

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June 1982

## Celebrating Our Beginning

By: D. K. | Sun City Center, Florida

WITH THE forty-seventh Founders Day celebration of this wonderful, God-given program of Alcoholics Anonymous coming up in Akron, Ohio, June 18-19-20, I like to take a trip down memory lane.

Never shall I forget my first Founders Day event in Akron, birthplace of AA. It was held in the Mayflower Hotel dining room. The date: June 10, 1945. I had been sober only three months. During my last binge, the country had changed Presidents, and I did not know it till my third day in the St. Thomas alcoholic ward, where they showed me a newspaper.

I spent six days in the ward, and there I had the opportunity to

meet Sister Ignatia and the beloved Dr. Bob, co-founder of AA. Dr. Bob was on the staff of the hospital. He would come in to see us twice a day. There were eight of us.

Most of the early members who came to our bedsides have gone to their reward. I was only thirty-four at the time. Dr. Bob and the other AAs took much time with me. Today, I am humbly grateful for the message of hope that was passed on to me. I shall always have a place in my heart and mind for the six days I spent there. It was there my real adult life began.

We are now living in Florida, like a lot of other old people, but we plan to be in Akron for Founders Day if it is the Lord's will. For us who are privileged to have this AA way of life, there is no better means of showing our grateful appreciation to the founders and other pioneers of this program of Alcoholics Anonymous. Looking forward to some great AA fellowship in June.

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## Fox Point Group 86: Reaching Out, Join Us on Zoom Monday Evenings.

We are doing a group inventory, looking at ways in which we can be more accessible.

Current members with a wide range of sobriety, join our weekly meetings to discuss topics that impact all people in recovery thus providing a healthy balance for all.

We warmly welcome all genders, sexual preferences, ethnicities, and ages.

We meet on-line with ZOOM Monday Nights at 8:00 and will do so until we resume our "live" meetings at the North Shore Congregational Church in Fox Point.

Stop on by! We open up around 7:45 and begin at 8:00. If you are shy about "Zooming," just come on in and listen. It's Alcoholics *Anony-mous*.

You will find a warm welcome to a lively and amiable group living one day at a time.

<https://zoom.us/j/8700953588>

Meeting ID **8700 953 588** no password but waiting room. By phone dial 312-626-6799

**NEW MEETING – BEGINNING FEB. 18, 2022**

## AA BASICS



**Fridays 6:00 p.m.**

**Come join us for our discussion meeting!**

Our focus is on the basics of AA from the two primary books in Alcoholics Anonymous, the **AA Big Book** and the **Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions**. All meeting topics are selected from these two books as they are the only books that contain the AA program in writing.

**Location: Midwest Detox**

**13850 W Capitol Drive  
Brookfield, WI 53005**

**Rear Entrance - Door Opens at 5:45 p.m.**



## DISTRICT 34 OPEN SPEAKER MEETING

**New Location:**  
Unity Lutheran Church  
Cross of Life Campus  
20700 W. North Ave.  
Brookfield, WI. 53045

**Hosting Group /  
Speakers**

**In-Person Only**  
**Doors open at 6:30**  
**Meeting at 7:00pm**

**July 9th, 2022**

**AA Speaker:**

**T.B.A.**

**Consider supporting the "District 34\* Open Meeting" in one of the following ways:**

- Share your group message by sponsoring the Open Speaker Meeting
- Contact your group GSR to volunteer
- Attend the District 34 meeting (1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month, 6:30pm, NW Alano Club)
- Get in touch with the Open Meeting Co-Chairs, Ashley M. (715-685-4141) or Tim R. (262-719-4389)

\*District 34 is the Northeast corner of Waukesha County

**...our primary purpose is to carry  
the message..."**



## DAYTIME DRY

10:30 am friday mornings

a new closed  
step/topic aa meeting

at

**the galano club**

7210 w greenfield ave  
west allis, wi  
(lower level)

plenty of parking  
behind the building

For phone meeting: Dial 1 (978) 990-5195 and enter code 1919178#. For video meeting: Download FREE CONFERENCE CALL app, use Meeting ID galano7210 and code 1919178#.



[galanoclub.org](http://galanoclub.org)

The Galano Club is a 12-step recovery club that provides meeting space for AA and other 12-Step meetings. The Club also provides a place to socialize and enjoy the fellowship of others in recovery. While our membership is made up of primarily lesbian, gay, bi-sexual

### 3 Bucks In The Basket... Make it a Reality, not just a dream!



"Every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions." Tradition Seven, Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions,

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#### Hours:

**M - F 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

**Sat. 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

#### • Board of Directors

**Meeting**, Meeting virtually via Zoom. Wednesday following 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday (odd months) 6:30 p.

#### • A. A. Meetings, Sun. at 9 a., Mon.- Fri. at 12:15 p., Sat. 9:15 a., & 10:30 a.

#### • Dist. 14 monthly meeting, 4th Wed. at 7 p.m.

#### • Dist. 16, 1st Wed. at 6 p.m.

#### Spanish Speaking Meetings:

##### Meeting at English Speaking Clubs

- Pass It On Club, 6229 W. Forest Home Av, Milw. GRUPO 5 CONCEPTOS, 7:00 P.M. Saturdays, Upstairs. And Viajeros Wisconsin, 7:00 P.M. Saturdays, in lower level.
- 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

#### SAFETY CARD FOR A.A. GROUPS

(The General Service Office has made this optional statement available as an A.A. service piece for those groups who wish to use it.)

##### Suggested Statement on Safety

Our group endeavors to provide a safe meeting place for all attendees and encourages each person here to contribute to fostering a secure and welcoming environment in which our meetings can take place. As our Traditions remind us, the formation and operation of an A.A. group resides with the group conscience. Therefore, we ask that group members and others refrain from any behavior which might compromise another person's safety.

Also, please take the precautions you feel are necessary to ensure your own personal safety, for example, walking to your car in a group after a meeting. If a situation should arise where someone feels their safety is in jeopardy, or the situation breaches the law, the individuals involved should take appropriate action. Calling the proper authorities does not go against any A.A. Traditions and is recommended when someone may have broken the law or endangered the safety of another person.

Service Material from the General Service Office

All the groups listed in our meeting directory, should be contributing regularly to the support of your Central Office. We want to be here when anyone reaches out for help. A big thank you to everyone, for all you do.

Need to make a group or personal contribution?

Use our **CONTRIBUTE** button on our website: [aamilwaukee.com](http://aamilwaukee.com) or use our your **VENMO** app from your smartphone.



Dr. Bob

Bill W.

**Redemptorist Retreat Center**, 1800 N Timber Trail Lane, Oconomowoc, WI 53066, (262) 567-6900 Email: [rrc@redemptoristretreat.org](mailto:rrc@redemptoristretreat.org) Please call for information and schedule of retreats for recovering people. AA and Al-Anon, \$250 three nights. We discuss the 12 steps and related topics.

#### 2022 Weekend Retreats Jesuit Retreat House,

4800 Fahrwald Rd. Oshkosh, WI 54901, call 800-962-7330

[jesuitretreathouse.org](http://jesuitretreathouse.org)

#### Men and Women in AA, Al-Anon

Total cost: 4 days \$390.00. Send a \$75.00 deposit with requests for specific dates to retreat house or call for info.

The **Southern Wisconsin Deaf Access Committee** needs to rotate it's members. We are searching for two AA members to act as Co-Chairs, a treasure, and a liaison person to work with Members of AA Deaf community. They can email SWDAC at: [milwareadeafaccess@gmail.com](mailto:milwareadeafaccess@gmail.com)

#### Southern Wisconsin Deaf Access Committee (SWDAC) April 2022

Beginning Balance:	\$ 7,357.68
Contributions:	\$ 410.40
Interpreter:	\$ 720.00
Misc. Expenses	\$
Ending Balance:	\$ 7,048.08

The cost for an interpreter is \$50 for a zoom meeting and \$80 for an in-person meeting. Contact Kath W. with questions: [brylerandme@gmail.com](mailto:brylerandme@gmail.com)  
VENMO Contributions: [www.venmo.com/SWDAC](https://www.venmo.com/SWDAC)

#### Meeting Space Currently Available

- **Luther Memorial Church**, 2840 S 84th St. West Allis WI. Contact by email: [prviviane28@outlook.com](mailto:prviviane28@outlook.com)
- **St Peter's Episcopal Church**, 7929 W Lincoln Ave, West Allis, Contact: Steve 414-543-6040 or email: [christumc1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:christumc1@sbcglobal.net)
- **Anchor Covenant Church** 1229 Park Row, Lake Geneva WI 53147, contact Laura, [office@anchorcovenant.org](mailto:office@anchorcovenant.org)



# DISTRICT MEETINGS

COMPLETE DISTRICT INFORMATION ON THE WEB:

<https://www.area75.org/page/districtmeetings>

1. JACKSON, LaCROSSE, MONROE, VERNON, & TREMPLEAU; 2 & 18 GREEN LAKE & MARQUETTE CNTY'S & PART OF WAUSHARA; 7. KENOSHA, 17. RACINE CNTY ; 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
6. **WALWORTH CNTY**: 2nd Tue. 7:30 p. even numbered months only, Walworth Alano Club, 611 E. Walworth St., Delavan
10. **Spanish District**. Contact: Salvador G. at 414-446-0158. Meets 1st Sunday 5 p.m. 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., the Jackson Community Center N165W20330 Hickory Ln., Jackson, WI. 53037
13. **WAUKESHA CNTY**: 1st Sun. of month, 1:00 p, St. Matthias Church, 111 E. Main, Waukesha
14. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: 4th Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Milwaukee Central Office 7429 W Greenfield Ave., West Allis WI 53214
16. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: 1st Wed. of month, 6:00 p, Milw. Central Office, 7429 W Greenfield Ave. West Allis WI
23. **DODGE CNTY**: Last Sunday of month at 6:00 p, Dodge Cnty Alano Club, 115 N. Lincoln, Beaver Dam, call to confirm 920-582-3142
24. **OZAUKEE CNTY**: 3rd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Advent Lutheran Church, W63N642 Washington Ave, Cedarburg, WI 53012.
25. **FOND du LAC CNTY**: 2nd Tue. of month, 5:30 p., Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St., Fond du Lac, WI.
27. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: 3rd Wednesday of month, 7:00 P.M. Covenant Lutheran Church, 8121 W Hope Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53222
28. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: 2nd Thursday of month, 7:00 p, Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 4419 S Howell Ave, Milwaukee WI 53207.
29. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: 1st Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Luther Memorial Church, 2840 S 84th St., West Allis, WI 53227
32. & 33 **WAUKESHA CNTY**: 4th Tuesday of month, 6:30 p, Meeting ID: [881 8331 2739](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6870109941?pwd=YVI4SVQzU3FaSE1rc3dzVmtxdFM4QT09), Passcode: 071956
34. **WAUKESHA CNTY**: 1st Tue. of month, 6:30 p, Northwest Alano Club, N88W17658 Christman Rd., Menomonee Falls. Join online at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6870109941?pwd=YVI4SVQzU3FaSE1rc3dzVmtxdFM4QT09>
36. **RACINE/KENOSHA**: (1 of 2) 2nd Tues. month 6:00 p.m., 12 & 12 Club, 724 N Pine St., Burlington
38. **MILWAUKEE CNTY**: Last Sunday of month 4:00 p.m. All Saint Cathedral, 818 E Juneau Ave.

SEND ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO:

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[gmco@aamilwaukee.com](mailto:gmco@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 Station, New York, N.Y. 10163
  - Area 75 **Corrections**, or **Bridging the Gap** or **Treatment** write to: PMB # 170, 5464 N Port Washington Rd., Glendale WI 53217
  - **Southern Wisconsin Deaf Access Committee** : Email: [milwareadeafaccess@gmail.com](mailto:milwareadeafaccess@gmail.com); Mailto: Deaf Access Committee, P.O. Box 1982, Waukesha WI 53186

# CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

In-person meetings have started back up in the Area corrections facilities. Contact Michelle, Area Corrections Chair by email; [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org).

TAYCHEEDAH CORRECTIONAL, Gloria K. (920) 921-2395 for info.

OAK HILL AA GROUP, OAK HILL WCI 5212 Hwy M, P.O. Box 140 Oregon, WI 53575 Contact Michelle at [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org) for times and information

WAUPUN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION AA Meeting Contact Michelle at [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org) for times and information

Milwaukee Women's Correctional Ctr. 615 W Keefe Ave. Milwaukee. Contact Michelle at [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org) for times and information

FOX LAKE CORRECTIONAL, Box #147, Fox Lake, WI 53933 Contact Michelle at [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org) for times and information

RACINE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION for MEN Mtngs: Contact Michelle at [corrections@area75.org](mailto:corrections@area75.org) for times and information

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.

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.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION, 8885 S. 68th St. Franklin WI.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY JAIL 9th & State Milwaukee WI.

MILWAUKEE SECURE DETENTION, 1015 N. 10th St. Milwaukee

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

**MILWAUKEE COUNTY CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE: meets IN-PERSON** at 1:00 p.m. on the 3rd Sunday on odd numbered months, at Greater Milwaukee Central Office, 7429 W Greenfield Ave, West Allis WI 53214. Donation can be sent to: MCCC, PO Box 270544, Milwaukee WI 53227-0544. Contact coordinator: Kota at email: [mcccocoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:mcccocoordinator@gmail.com) with questions.

Corrections volunteers must go through the committee to get AA literature to take into the various facilities. Milwaukee Central Office no longer handles the funds.

## Area 75, Southern WI, Calendar of Events 2022

All meeting held virtually until further notice

- Zoom Meeting Contact Area Chair: Veronica O. [vodonnell52@gmail.com](mailto:vodonnell52@gmail.com)
- Sun Sep 11th 9:00 A.M. Pre Conference Assembly
- Fri Nov 4 - 6 2022 Area 75 Conference

# MEETING ROOMS

<p><b>NEW DAY CLUB</b> 11936 N. Port Washington Rd Mequon, (262) 241-4673 <a href="http://www.newdayclub.org">www.newdayclub.org</a> A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</p> <p>Sun. 8:00 a. Topic 11:00 a. Topic 5:00 p. Young People 7:30 p. Topic</p> <p>Mon. 12:30 p. Tenth Step Gp 5:30 p. More about Alcoholism 8:15 p. Men's Gp</p> <p>Tue. 10:00 a. Topic 5:30 p. Big Book 7:00 p. Beginners Gp 8:00 p. Big Book Gp</p> <p>Wed. 10:00 a. Topic 2:00 p. Promises Meeting 5:30 p. Step Meeting 7:00 p. Women's Lifeline</p> <p>Thr. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting 1:00 p. Women's AA Gp 5:30 p. Topic Meeting</p> <p>Fri. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting 5:30 p. Step/Tradition 8:00 p.</p> <p>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)</p> <p>AL-ANON MEETINGS Monday 6:30 p. Al-Anon Tuesday 1:00 p. Al-Anon/ACOA Wednesday 7:00 p. ACOA Thursday 7:00 p. Al-Anon Contact club for information on other fellowships.</p>	<p><b>PASS IT ON CLUB</b> 6229 W. Forest Home Ave Milwaukee WI (414) 541-6923</p> <p>A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</p> <p>Sun. 8:00 a. Sun. Wake Up 9:30 a. Reliance Meeting 11:00 a. Today's choice 3:00 p. Gratitude Plus 7:00 p. Big Book Readers</p> <p>Mon. 7:30 a. Jump Start 10:30 a. First Step 4:00 p. Happy Hour Step Gp. 7:00 p. Open Introductory AA</p> <p>Tue. 7:30 a. Comin' Back Gp 10:30 a. Keep It Simple 4:00 p. Drop the Rock 6:00 p. Key To Sobriety Women's 7:30 p. Three Legacies 7:30 p. Double Trouble DD/O</p> <p>Wed. 7:30 a. Big Book Study 10:30 a. Pass It On 4:00 p. Happy Hr Promises 7:00 p. We, Us &amp; Ours 7:30 a. Welcome Back Gp</p> <p>Thr. 10:30 a. Made Decision 5:15 p. As Bill Sees It 7:00 p. Gateway Topic Gp 7:30 a. Honesty Gp.</p> <p>Fri. 10:30 a. Came To Believe 6:00 p. Women's Fri. Kickoff 6:30 p. Thoughts 4 Today 8:00 p. Broken Arrow</p> <p>Sat. 8:30 a. Early Bird 10:30 a. Happy Joyous Free 3:00 p. Twelve Promises 7:00 p. Vajeros Wisconsin lower level 8:00 p. 5 Concepts upstairs 8:00 p. Back to Basics 12x12</p>	<p><b>LAKE AREA CLUB</b> N60 W 35878 Lake Dr Oconomowoc, WI (262) 567-9912 <a href="http://www.lakeareacub.com">www.lakeareacub.com</a> A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</p> <p>Sun. 8:00 a. Early Bird 9:30 a. Literature Meeting 11:00 a. Friendship Gp 6:00 p. Big Book 8:00 p. Gopher Sunday 9:00 a. Positive Attitude 6:30 p. Otter Gp 8:00 p. Step/Tradition Study</p> <p>Tue. 1:00 p. 4:00 p. 7:00 p. Life House Beginners 8:00 a.</p> <p>Wed. 10:00 a. Back To Basics 2:00 p. Women's Meeting 6:00 p. 8:00 p.</p> <p>Thr. 10:00 a. 4:00 p. 5:00 p. Woman's Way 12 Steps 8:00 p. Grapevine Mtng</p> <p>Fri. 12:30 p. 4:00 p. 8:00 p. Old School House 8:30 a. 11th Step 10:00 a. Big Book</p> <p>Sat. 7:00 p. 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays (AA and/or Al-Anon Speakers)</p> <p>AL-ANON MEETINGS Mon. 7:00 p. Al-Anon Tue. 9:00 a. Al-Anon Wed. 7:00 p. Al-Anon &amp; Alateen</p>	<p><b>WAUKESHA ALANO CLUB</b> 318 W. Broadway Waukesha, WI, 262-549-6541 <b>A.A. MEETINGS.</b> (V)=Virtual, (IP)=In-person, (V &amp; IP)=Both</p> <p>Sun. 9:30 a. Sun Morn Sunlight (IP) 11:00 a. Sun Go-To-Mtng (V &amp; IP) Zoom: 868 6375 8565, PW: 135314 07:00 p. Big Book (IP)</p> <p>Mon. 12:00 p. (IP) 6:00 p. Beginners AA (V &amp; IP) Zoom: 818 7287 8662, PW: 740572 7:00 p. (12 &amp; 12) (IP)</p> <p>Tue. 6:00 a. Open Your Eyes... (IP) 12:00 p. Tuesday Nooners (V) Zoom: 847 2556 1155, PW: 163037</p> <p>Wed. 12:00 p. Wauk Wed Nooners (IP) 5:30 p. Topic Gp (V &amp; IP) Zoom: 818 9650 5286, PW: 677391</p> <p>Thr. 12:00 p. Nooners (IP) Fri. 12:00 p. T.G.I.F. Gp (V &amp; IP) Zoom: 839 0454 9230, PW: 830354</p> <p>Sat. 06:00 a. Early Morning (IP) 10:00 a. Gp 124 (V &amp; IP) Zoom: Contact Sher at 630-432-3585 for access.</p> <p>OPEN MEETINGS, DANCES &amp; EVENTS Call for information.</p>	<p><b>GALANO CLUB</b> - LGBT &amp; All in Recovery - 7210 W Greenfield Ave, Suite 1, Lower Level Milwaukee, WI 53214, 414-276-6936 <a href="http://www.galanoclub.org/">http://www.galanoclub.org/</a> <a href="mailto:galanoclub@gmail.com">galanoclub@gmail.com</a> (V)=Virtual, (IP)=In-person, (V &amp; IP)=Both In Person and Phone Meetings Phone/Video AA Meetings, Call (978) 990-5195 Meeting Id: galano7210 Code: 1919178#</p> <p><b>Sunday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 10:30 a.m. - AA - Step / Topic Meeting (In-person/phone/video) 10:30 a.m. - Al-Anon - Papillon Group. (In-person)</p> <p><b>Monday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 7:30 p.m. - AA "Came to Believe" 12 Spirituality. (In-person/phone/video)</p> <p><b>Tuesday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 6:00 p.m. - AA Over and Under 40 Group (In-person/phone/video)</p> <p><b>Thursday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 7:30 p.m. - AA - Living Sober One Day at A Time In-person &amp; Phone/video</p> <p><b>Friday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 10:30 a.m. AA Step &amp; Topic</p> <p><b>Saturday: (V &amp; IP)</b> 7:30 p.m. - AA - Big Book &amp; More. (In-person/Phone/video) The Galano Club is open one half hour before the scheduled meetings.</p>
<p><b>NORTHWEST ALANO CLUB*</b> N88 W17658 Christman Rd Menomonee Falls WI 53051 (No Phone)</p> <p><b>A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</b> (V)=Virtual, (IP)=In-person, (V &amp; IP)=Both</p> <p>Sun. 10:00 a. Big Book Rm 204/205 7:00 p. Sun Night Gp Rm 205</p> <p>Mon. 7:00 p. Just Do It Gp</p> <p>Tue. 10:00 a. Step 8:00 p. Topic</p> <p>Wed. 7:00 p. Step/Topic</p> <p>Thr. 10:00 a. Step 6:00 p. Women's</p> <p>Fri. 8:00 p. Step/Topic (V &amp; IP)</p> <p>Sat. 10:00 a. Sat Serenity Gp 11:15 a. Code 3 Mtng. 7:00 p. Simply Sober Gp</p> <p>AL-ANON MEETINGS Wed. 7:00 p. Al-Anon Fri. 7:30 p. Al-Anon</p> <p>*This Club is a Smoke-Free environment. We have ample meeting space available for 12 Step groups. Contact the Northwest Alano Club by mail.</p>	<p><b>WALWORTH COUNTY ALANO CLUB</b> 611 Walworth St. (Hwy. 50 &amp; 11) Delavan, WI 53115, (262) 740-1888</p> <p><b>Sunday AA</b> 10:00 a. Primitive Group 12:00 p. Open Speakers 6:30 p. Delavan Discussion</p> <p><b>Monday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. Delavan Step Meeting 6:30 p. Delavan Meeting</p> <p><b>Tuesday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. Delavan Noon Gp. 6:30 p. Delavan 12 Step Topic</p> <p><b>Wednesday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. As Bill Sees It Gp. 6:30 p. Delavan IT Meeting</p> <p><b>Thursday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. Delavan Noon Gp. 6:30 p. Delavan Big Book Gp.</p> <p><b>Friday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. Big Book Study 6:30 p. Delavan Discussion</p> <p><b>Saturday AA</b> 7:30 a. Sunny Side Up 12:00 p. Delavan Noon Gp. 6:30 p. Delavan Beginners Gp.</p>	<p><b>ALANO CLUB</b> 1521 N. Prospect Ave., Milwaukee, WI, 53202 (414) 278-9102 <a href="http://www.mkealanoclub.org/">http://www.mkealanoclub.org/</a></p> <p><b>A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</b></p> <p>Sun. 7:00 a. AA Meeting 10:00 a. Gp 17 Step</p> <p>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 7:30 p. We Agnostics</p> <p>Tue. 7:00 a. As Bill Sees It, 10:30 a. Gp 70 Step 12:15 p. Gp 76 7:00 p. Beginner's Meeting</p> <p>Wed. 7:00 a. AA 10:30 a. Gp 9, Step 12:15 p. Oasis Topic Gp 6:00 p. Chicks at Six Gp, women 7:30 p. We Agnostics</p> <p>Thr. 7:00 a. Big Book Meeting 10:30 a. Gp 97, Step 12:15 p. Here &amp; Now Gp 7:00 p. AA (LGBT) All Welcome</p> <p>Fri. 7:00 a. Daily Reflections 10:30 a. Gp 21, Step 12:15 p. Gp 65 6:30 p. Here &amp; Now 12:15 am. Second Shifters (Sat.)</p> <p>Sat. 7:00 a. AA Meeting 11:00 a. Gp 87 Step 7:30 p. Open AA Speaker Mtng</p> <p>AL-ANON MEETING Sunday 10:00 a. Al-Anon</p>	<p><b>H.O.W. TO CLUB</b> 8930 W. National Ave, West Allis, (414) 543-2448 <a href="http://howtoclub.info/">http://howtoclub.info/</a> M, W, F, Sat. 9 a. -11 p, Tue Thr 9a. - 9p., Sun 8a to 9p.</p> <p>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. Restore Us To Sanity 8:00 p. Sun. Sober &amp; Serene</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Tue. 11:00 a. Willingness Group 6:00 p. Tue Topic 6pm Gp 8:00 p. New Hope Meeting</p> <p>Wed. 10:00 a. Foundations Meeting 6:00 p. AA Beginners Gp. 7:00 p. Women's Freedom 8:00 p. Promises Group</p> <p>Thr. 10:00 a. But For Grace Of God 6:00 p. Here and Now 8:00 p. How To Get It Going</p> <p>Fri. 11:00 a. Priority Group 6:00 p. Big Book Friday 8:00 p. R.U.S. For Us 11:00 p. Candlelight Promises</p> <p>Sat. 9:15 a. Men's Topic 11:00 a. Pioneers Group 3:00 p. Spiritual Growth 6:00 p. 1st &amp; 12 Topic 8:00 p. Open Speaker 3rd Sat 8:00 p. HOW To Saturday</p>	<p><b>24 HOUR CLUB</b> 153 Green Bay Rd. Thiensville, WI <a href="http://www.howtoclub.info/">Web and Facebook Info</a></p> <p><b>A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE</b></p> <p>Sun. 8:00 a. Topic 10:00 a. Step/Topic 5:00 p. Step</p> <p>Mon. 6:30 a. Topic <del>10:00 a. Topic</del> 8:00 p. Men's</p> <p>Tue. 6:30 a. Topic <del>10:00 a. Step/Topic</del> 5:30 p. Big Book</p> <p>Wed. 6:30 a. Topic <del>10:00 a. Big Book</del></p> <p>Thr. 6:30 a. Topic <del>10:00 a. Topic</del> 5:30 p. Step/Topic/Trad 8:00 p. Men's 12 &amp; 12</p> <p>Fri. 6:30 a. Topic <del>10:00 a. Step/12 &amp; 12</del> 8:00 p. Step</p> <p>Sat. 6:30 a. Topic <del>8:30 a. Big Book/Steps</del> 10:00 a. Big Book 8:00 p. Open Speaker Mtng. (1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Only)</p>

## In Person AA Groups Need Your Support

- **Sun. 7 p.m.** Butler Sunday Night, St. Agnes, 12801 W Fairmount St, Butler WI.
- **Mon. 7 p.m.** Unity Gp, 4600 Pilgrim Rd, Brookfield
- **Tues. 7 p.m.** Gp 43, Friendship Club, 2245 W Fond du Lac Ave Milwaukee WI.
- **Wed. 11am. Gp 10-17**, St Veronica's 353 E Norwich, Milw. 53207
- **Wed. 8:00 p.m.** Helping Hand (No Masks Required), Nativity Lutheran Church, 6905 W Bluemound Rd, Milwaukee WI 53213
- **Thur. 12:15 p.m.** Jeanette Burnett Gp, St John's Cathed-

ral Complex, 831 N Van Buren, Milwaukee WI 53202

- **Thurs. 8:00 p.m.** Grateful Gp. St Mark's Episcopal Church, 2618 N Hackett Ave. Milwaukee 53211
- **Thurs. 8:30 p.m.** Gp 22, Underwood Memorial Baptist, 1916 Wauwatosa Ave, 53213
- **Fri. at 7 p.m.** First Things First, St Margaret Mary, 3930 N 92nd St. Milw 53222
- **Fri. 9:30 p.m.** Big Book, Martin Luther Church 9235 W Bluemound Rd. Milw. 53226
- **Sat. 8 p.m.** Gp 18, St Luke's, 3200 S Herman, Bay View
- **Sat. 7 p.m.** 12 Step Club 4102 W Townsend St. Milw. WI 53216



# MEETING ROOMS

## UNITY CLUB

1715 Creek Rd  
West Bend, (262) 338-3500  
[unityclub1715@att.net](mailto:unityclub1715@att.net)  
[www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)

### 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  
5:00 p. Happy Hour Gp In-  
person & Zoom: 332602852, pw:  
123456  
8:15 p. Step Gp  
Thr. 10:00 a. Big Book  
7:00 p. EZ Dozen12x12  
Fri. 10:00 a. Step/Topic Gp  
6:00 p. Big Book  
Sat. 10:00 a. Here & Now  
6:00 p. Big Book Connection

### AL-ANON & ALATEEN MTNGS

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

• Open Mtng. 3rd Sunday of month

## FRIENDSHIP CLUB

2245 W. Fond du Lac Ave  
Milwaukee, WI  
(414) 931-7033

Email:

[friendshipinc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:friendshipinc@sbcglobal.net)

### AA 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  
10:30 a. Gp 112 Step

Call for information  
on other types of  
meetings.

Email:

[friendshipinc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:friendshipinc@sbcglobal.net)

## 12 STEP CLUB

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

### A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday:  
7:00 p. More About Alco-  
holism, Big Book Study

Thursday:  
10:30 a. Group 56

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

Saturday:  
10:00 a. Beginner's  
7:00 p. 12 Steps Gp

Call the club for information  
on Open Speaker AA  
meetings, meetings for oth-  
er fellowships and for special  
events.

## MILWAUKEE GROUP

933 E Center St, Milw WI 53212.

### A.A. MEETINGS

Sun. 10:00 a In-person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Mon. 5:30 p. In-Person  
7:00 p. In-Person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Tue. 7:00 p. In-Person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Wed. 5:30 p. Zoom  
<https://zoom.us/j/8974697046> pw:0  
7:00 p. In-Person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Thur. 7:00 p. In-Person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Fri. 7:00 p. In-Person  
8:30 p. In-Person  
Sat. 8:30 p. In-Person

### Milwaukee Central Office

7429 W Greenfield  
West Allis WI 414-771-9119

### A.A. MEETINGS

Sun. 9:00 a. Gp 10 Sunday  
Mon. 12:15 p.  
Tue. 12:15 p.  
Wed. 12:15 p.  
Thur. 12:15 p.  
Fri. 12:15 p.  
Sat. 9:15 a. 1st Step  
10:30 a.

We do not meet on  
major holidays.

## LIGHTHOUSE ON DEWEY

1220 Dewey Ave.  
Wauwatosa WI  
AA MEETINGS

Sunday  
6:00 p. Jim's First Step  
7:30 p. Gp 78 Great Room  
Monday  
7:30 p. Laughs/Leisure  
Tuesday  
6:00 p. 11th Step Meditation  
7:30 p. Professionals  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. Presidents Hall  
7:30 p. Women Mellows Lounge  
8:00 p. "RES-IPSA"  
Thursday  
7:00 p. Women's AA  
7:30 p. Alumni No 12  
Friday 7:15 p. Gp 74  
Saturday 10:00 a. Gp 59  
7:00 p. Great Room

### All Saint's Cathedral

818 E Juneau Ave. Milw 53202

Sun: 7:00 p.m. Bench Meeting  
Mon: 7:30 p.m. #08 Sane & Sober  
Tue: 10:30 a.m. Men's Gp.  
Wed: 7:30 p.m. Men's Gp.  
Fri: 7:30 p.m. Big Book Gp.  
Sat: 10:30 a.m. Men's Gp.

## JOIN the BIRTHDAY CLUB!

We celebrate birthdays, and we'd like to help you celebrate yours! Send us a contribution of **\$1 for each year of Sobriety**- or more if you choose- and we'll print your birthday in the Between-Us Newsletter. Include your Home Group, and we'll print that also!

Requests should be in by the 24th of the month prior to your sobriety date. Late arrivals will appear the following month.

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

Payable to: "Greater Milwaukee Central Office"

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



Payment/Contribution: using [VENMO](#) or from  
our website, using [Credit Card](#) or [PayPal](#).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed.

I will have \_\_\_\_\_ years on \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Group: \_\_\_\_\_



Years	Name	Home Group
35 (7/13)	Jackie J.	Ozaukee County Groups
38 (7/16)	Daniel B.	East Side Milwaukee
8 (7/15)	Michael F.	A Vision For You Group
47 (July)	Jeanne P.	Oconomowoc.



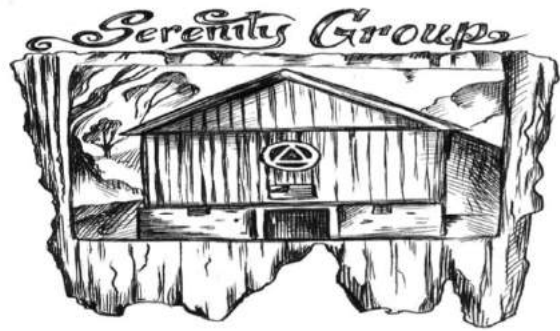
## Come Join Our Tuesday Nite Impaired Professional AA Meeting

Tuesday nights at 7:30  
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church  
11709 W. Cleveland Ave., Milwaukee



Not just for professionals but for anyone seeking sobriety and a better way of life by working the 12 steps and living well. Come share in the fellowship with us and start enjoying life again.

We meet in person and on Zoom. Meeting ID = 98178765495, Password = 071150.  
**Hope to see you there!!**



## Serenity Group

"The Barn"

Thursdays 7:00-8:00pm

St. Alban's Church  
W239 N6440 Maple Ave  
Sussex, WI. 53089

Come join us...

New location, same great format and fellowship

**\*\*February 3rd - new meeting start date\*\***

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It Happened To Alice





## Sunday Night Surrender's Potluck Picnic

Join us for SNS' annual BBQ on  
July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022, 11am - 4pm

AA Speaker: Chris K.

LAKE PARK AREA 6

3233 E. Kenwood Blvd.,  
MKE, WI 53211



## "Monday Night Action Group"

of Alcoholics Anonymous  
is **MOVING !!!**

Starting Monday,  
**MARCH 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Open @ 7:00pm

Closed AA Mtg @ 7:30pm

😊 Bring a newcomer! 😊

## "Monday Night Action Group"

"New" MEETING location:

## "Holy Cross Lutheran Church"

W156 N8131 Pilgrim Road

Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

(Just south of Appleton Avenue)

• South Parking Lot Entrance



## WOMEN'S CANDLELIGHT MEETING



## CLOSED AA MEETING

SUNDAY EVENINGS AT 6 PM AT CHRIST OF SERVANT CHURCH  
2016 CENTER ROAD  
WAUKESHA, WI. 53189

Join us for a closed AA Women's Meeting  
Rotating Topics - Week 1 Step Meeting; Week 2  
Daily Reflections; Week 3 Basket Topic;  
Weeks 4 & 5 Open Topic

HYBRID - ZOOM 836 8197 2614  
PASSWORD 414973



## Friday Night Couples in Recovery

**We are Back - EVERY Friday!**

We welcome couples and singles interested in applying  
the 12 steps to both self and relationships!

We meet each Friday of the month beginning  
April 1st and would like couples or singles  
working any 12 step program to join us

At 7:30 pm



St. Pius Church  
2520 N. Wauwatosa Ave. (76<sup>th</sup> St. )

Just north of North Ave.

(Enter the building on Wauwatosa Ave. Turn Left & up the Stairs)



## Gifts of Sobriety

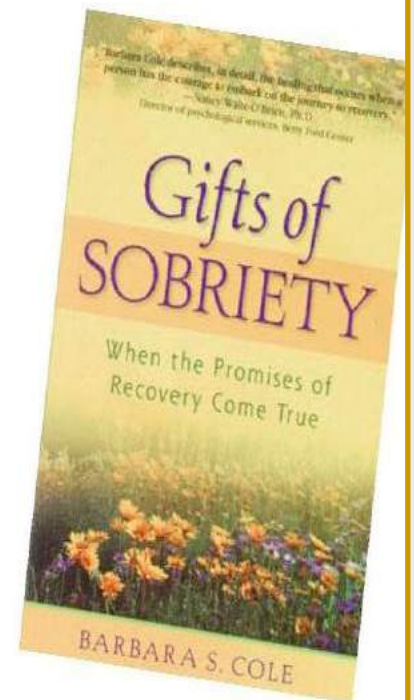
### When the Promises of Recovery Come True

"Why try?" we sometimes ask ourselves when faced with the uncertainties and hard work of recovery. But the answers are all around us, in the rich and spirited lives of those who have made the journey before us, each one a member of the joyful possibilities that await. These possibilities come alive in *Gifts of Sobriety*, a book that gives immediate meaning to the Big Book's promise: "We are going to know a new freedom and a new happiness."

Published 2000

The 12 Promises described Chapter by Chapter

\$15.95 Available at Milwaukee Central Office



## **ANNOUNCING NEW MEETING**

Join Curt and friends for:

**More About Alcoholism: a big book study,**  
**Wednesdays at 7:00 P.M.**

**12 Step Club, 4102 W Townsend St., Milwaukee WI 53216**  
**(Second floor meeting rooms)**

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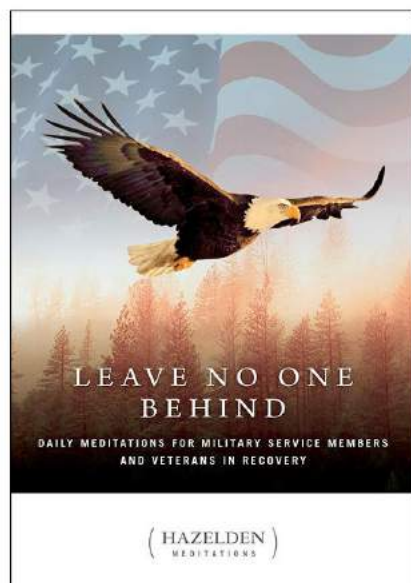
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## A New Meditation Book Dedicated to Service Members and Veterans

Service members and veterans who are in recovery share their words of healing and hope in daily meditations. These people are in a class of their own—they know what they experienced, they know how their recovery has been affected by their service, they know how to help themselves and they know how to help each other.



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### Behind Me

Weed. Booze. Beer. All of that. I used all of it. Then I came home and they gave me legal drugs. I don't feel at all. Or I feel high. Anything to not think. I don't want to think. Anything to stop my ears from ringing. To relax. To not have to talk to my family. To not have to talk to my buddy's wife. My buddy's gone. I can't look at her.

I don't think I've got PTSD, I think I was just having a tough time. A rough patch. A *really* rough patch.

I was there. Behind, I had been left. I left myself.

I have to want to not be back there. Every day, I have to not want to leave myself behind. I have to suit up and show up. I have to catch up and stay caught up. I have to ask for help. I have to help others. I have to show them how it's done. Because, if I don't, I'll leave myself behind again. It's on me. It's all up to me.

And I'll do it. Because I'm a warrior.

*Today, I'll suit up and show up for everything in front of me. I'm not going to leave myself behind again.*

*Josh O., U.S. Army, 2012-2018*

# AA WORKS

Come and get it!

Area 75

## Annual Conference of Alcoholics Anonymous

November 4-6, 2022  
Chula Vista Resort  
Wisconsin Dells

*Hosted by District 20*

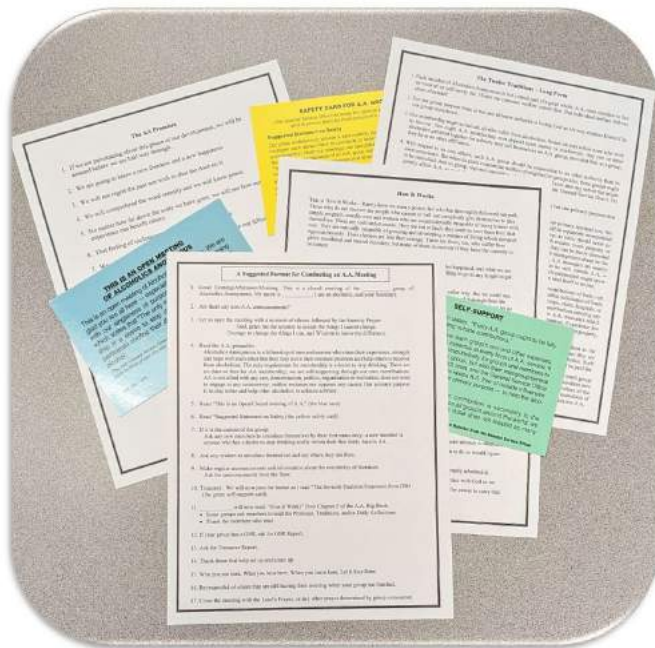
Let's begin  
District 14 GSR  
meeting with a  
moment of  
silence.



## DISTRICT 14 MONTHLY GSR MEETING!

**The regularly scheduled monthly GSR has resumed in-person. Meetings are held at the Greater Milwaukee Central Office at 7429 W Greenfield Ave in West Allis. Meetings start at 7 P.M. on the 4th Wednesday each month. Next meeting September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please try to attend.**

Now Available for purchase at Central Office: Meeting Starter Pack including a Suggested Meeting Format. All pages are Laminated.



### A Suggested Format for Conducting an A.A. Meeting

How It Works   The Promises

The Traditions – Long and Short Form

**All pages are Laminated**

Safety card, Self-Supporting card, and the Open / Closed AA Statement card are included

Special Price of only \$5.25



# WE HAVE A NEW HOME!!

**GROUP #63**

**MONDAY NIGHTS 7:00PM**

**Martin Luther Church  
9235 W Bluemound Rd**

Big Book topics, 12 steps discussions, and AA general topics

**COME ON OVER AND MEET NEW FRIENDS!**

**No mask required. This is a closed AA meeting.**

A Closed AA meeting is open to those who have a desire to quit drinking. If you think you may have a drinking problem, please join us.



## 59TH INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

DALLAS, TEXAS

**FEBRUARY 16-19, 2023**  
RENAISSANCE HOTEL ADDISON/DALLAS  
[InternationalWomensConference.org](http://InternationalWomensConference.org)

**TO JOIN THE VOLUNTEERS OR PROVIDE SILENT AUCTION OR SCHOLARSHIP CONTRIBUTIONS, CONTACT:**

**VOLUNTEERS**  
✉ [VOLUNTEERS59IWC.DALLAS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:VOLUNTEERS59IWC.DALLAS@GMAIL.COM)

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**INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**

CHAIR: TERRI O. [CHAIR59IWC.DALLAS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:CHAIR59IWC.DALLAS@GMAIL.COM)

Living Word Lutheran Church  
2240 LIVING WORD LANE JACKSON, WI 53037

## DISTRICT 12 MONTHLY OPEN MEETING

**SATURDAY 6:30 FELLOWSHIP**  
**AUGUST 6 2022 7PM OPEN MEETING**

HOSTED BY: The Tuesday 6:30pm First 164 Group  
5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Methodist Church, West Bend WI

**AL-ANON: Steve G., Wauwatosa, WI**  
**AA: Corey T., West Bend, WI**

**A SNACK OR DISH TO PASS IS APPRECIATED**

**ZOOM LIVE**  
1.646.558.8656 DIAL  
89577573640 MEETINGID  
1212 PASSWORD  
#0 PARTICIPANT ID

**SUPPORT DISTRICT 12**

- Share your group message – host an Open Meeting
- Join the committee – become a GSR or chairperson
- Attend the District 12 monthly meeting – 1st Wed. of the month – 6pm, Jackson Community Center
- Questions, contact Ken S., Open Meeting Chair 262-389-4159

(Parking and entrance in the rear of the church)  
Next meeting 10-01-2022   See you at the District 12 Picnic 9-17-2022



## NEW WOMEN'S AA MEETING

"The Key to Sobriety Women's Book Study"

We will be alternating reading and sharing from  
the Big Book and 12x12

**When/Date:** Tuesdays

**Time:** 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

**Where:** Pass It On Club  
6226 W Forest Home Ave  
Milwaukee, WI 53220

Help support this new meeting and share with  
others the foundation of recovery

Please bring your own books if you have them

If you have any questions, please contact Lynn @  
414-688-7164 or gaber.lynn@gmail.com

## HAND OF AA TUESDAYS 7 PM

"I am responsible.. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the  
hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that: I am responsible."  
-AA Responsibility Statement

The Hand of AA Group meets in person and online  
Tuesdays at 7 PM CT. It is a literature meeting where  
a topic is taken from either conference approved  
literature or the AA Grapevine.

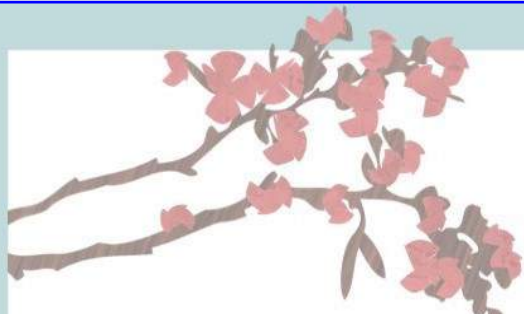
1st Week: Step  
2nd Week: Open  
3rd Week: Tradition  
Other weeks: Topic



To join us in  
person: We meet at  
Mount Zion Lutheran  
Church 12012 W North Ave.  
Wauwatosa WI 53226.  
Parking and the entrance  
are behind the church  
off 120th St.

For Zoom:  
Meeting ID "544 131 1866"  
Password: 414

Or use the QR code to see the web  
page and a direct Zoom link



## PRIMARY PURPOSE GROUP (PPG) OF WAUKESHA

A STUDY OF THE BIG BOOK AS THE  
FIRST 100 EXPERIENCED IT!!

**WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM**

**LOCATION**

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH  
(LOWER LEVEL)  
121 WISCONSIN AVENUE  
WAUKESHA, WI



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-AA RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

MORE INFORMATION: CONTACT JENNI K (262-215-4037) OR REY H (262-424-7376)

## 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Wolf River – Nicolet AA Camping Trip

**August 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> 2022**

Saturday Night Speaker  
Jess W. – McHenry

### Where:

Bear Paw Outdoor Adventure  
Resort & Campground  
N3494 Hwy 55, White Lake, WI  
54491

CALL BEAR PAW AT 715-882-3502  
TO RESERVE A CAMPSITE/CABIN  
AND MENTION THIS TRIP AS  
SITES ARE BLOCKED OFF FOR  
OUR GROUP

More info and lodging details at  
[www.bearpawoutdoors.com](http://www.bearpawoutdoors.com) Call to  
reserve as units are on hold!

-Campsites \$25 Per Site (~6  
People) Per Night

-Cabins from \$90 Per Night

**Friends/Family are welcome!**  
Many great activities - Rafting,  
Hiking Trails, Volleyball, Hot  
Showers/Bathrooms on site

For more info contact:

Casey R. @ 847-409-8197 or  
Noah W. @ 317-361-0384

Saturday night open speaker and  
bonfire!

42nd

# Green Lake Round-Up

42nd

**August 19, 20, 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022**

Green Lake Conference Center – [www.glcc.org](http://www.glcc.org)  
W2511 State Road 23 Green Lake, WI 54941

**Open AA Meetings**

Friday 8 PM Scott S., PA  
Saturday 8 PM Tina A., CA  
Sunday 10 AM Pete K., WI

**Closed AA Meetings**
**ALKATHONS**

Pillsbury Robley Room: Fri 10 PM – Sat 9 AM  
Sat 10 PM – Sun 9 AM

Sat 10 AM, Famous "Meeting in the Field" (field between the tennis courts and play area)

**Open AI-Anon Meeting**

Saturday 6 PM Angie M., WI

**Closed AI-Anon Meeting**

Saturday 10 AM at the "Tea House"

**Bring the whole family! There's something for everyone!!**

(Camping, biking, swimming, boating, hiking, golf, volleyball, fishing, fellowship...)

**Saturday Special Activities**

"Amy S." 5K Fun Run/Walk  
Saturday 7:45 AM, race starts at 8 AM  
Register at Pillsbury Hall

Volleyball Games-All day Saturday  
At the sand courts...  
Show up and ask to play!

**- Event Registration: \$15.00 per person -**

Bill W. tickets available – please reach out to Dianna G. (414) 943-3342

All proceeds are split according to the 7<sup>th</sup> tradition to carry our AA message (less conference expenses).

Accommodations are separate from the event registration.

**Pre-Registration:**

Make checks payable to:  
"Green Lake Round-Up"

Mail payment and registration form to:  
Green Lake Round-Up  
P.O. Box 684  
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

**Event Contacts:**

Dianna G. (414) 943-3342

Scott M. (414) 444-8713

[greenlakeroundupwi@gmail.com](mailto:greenlakeroundupwi@gmail.com)

Event sponsored by:

**"Monday Night Action Group" - Mondays 7:30 PM**

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

W156N8131 Pilgrim Rd. - Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

**On-site registration Friday**

**3 PM to 5 PM**

**Country Store**

**On-site registration Friday & Saturday**

**6 PM to 8 PM**

**Pillsbury Hall**

Note: We will not send confirmations prior to the Round-Up. Pre-registrations can be picked up at the On-site registration locations.

**Pre-registration helps us with up front expenditures we incur. Please mail it in NOW!**

..... *Detach along line and mail in bottom portion.* .....

Green Lake Round-Up registration form. One Person per Form please!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

(Registration is \$15 per person) Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Willing to be of service? (circle one): *Alkathons*

*Clean-Up Greeting Registration Set-Up Misc.*

Please print your name (with city and state)

as you'd like it to appear on your name tag.

**Applies only to those pre-registered.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_