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DO YOU



YOUR CREDIT UNION?

Calling for Board Volunteers *Striving for Diversity*

Are you passionate about how the credit union serves your faith community? Nominations for IFCU Board of Directors begin October 1st and runs through November. Interfaith FCU strives to increase board diversity, encouraging women, young professionals, and persons of color to submit their nomination. You can serve from any region of the country through Zoom meetings and occasional travel paid by IFCU. Your nomination should include details as to what inspires your passions, along with the relevant skills and experience you would bring to the position. Submit your nomination to memberservices@InterfaithFCU.org no later than November 30, 2023.

75

YEARS

*of Service
Celebrating You, the Members!*

Interfaith FCU dedicates this 75th Diamond Jubilee year to you, our members. You inspire our staff every single day when you share your stories. This financial institution stands out as different because of you and what you do in the world. *Thank You!*

One way IFCU wants to thank you is by lowering the minimum membership share savings balance to \$5.00. Existing members now have more funds available, and membership is more accessible to new members.

IFCU wants to hear your stories. What does it mean to you to participate in a financial community of faith? How many generations of your family have utilized the credit union during these decades of transition? Please email your stories to memberservices@InterfaithFCU.org



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Ministry in Action

Circle of Friends - Inclusive fellowship expands community connection

Circle of Friends, a fellowship of Open Heart UMC of Rapid City, SD serves the goal to create community while deepening relationships with each other and Christ. This group celebrates human diversity, recognizing the sacred worth and dignity of all people. Their ministry of inclusion creates a safe and loving space for adults across a full spectrum of cognitive abilities. The entire church becomes enriched and connected on a deeper level through the presence, participation, and loving example displayed by Circle of Friends.

Their frequent gatherings include games, singing, and having fun as they learn from each other. During the COVID 19 pandemic "Muffin Mondays" began, a ministry spreading goodwill and good cheer through gifting homemade muffins to people who could not leave their homes. Muffins are now being baked each Monday for a nearby low-income middle school. Connection, transforming relationships, and spreading loving kindness motivates these contributions to community.

As the church strives to become more handicap accessible, remodeling funds are needed for bathroom and kitchen spaces as well as the addition of a sensory room. Providing a temporary-stay respite home is also a dream for the future. Open Heart UMC wants families to know their loved ones are welcome, socially embraced, and valued in this caring church.

To learn more about Circle of Friends go to <https://openheartumc.org/circle-of-friends-about>. Supportive donations can be made at <https://openheartumc.org/give> (choose Circle of Friends from the drop-down menu).

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Thank You for making celebrating 75 years so much fun!

Appreciation goes out to all who joined IFCU staff in celebrating our official 75th birthday on September 15th. Hand colored birthday cards added to the festivities. Congratulations to the coloring contest winners:



Ava B. Cameron L. Erica M.

Blessed to Contribute



The credit union and its members were blessed to contribute \$5,000 to the Lahaina Relief Fund.

CEO, Ramon Noperi and Director of Strategic Partnerships, Wayne Young were honored to deliver the check to California Pacific UMC Conference Bishop Dottie Escobedo-Frank.

IFCU Staff Giving Back



Relay for LIFE

The passionate 20-year involvement of Colette, our Accounting Manager, inspired IFCU staff, friends, and family to participate in Relay for Life. This annual event raises money for cancer research. The IFCU group raised total of \$1,605 this year. Looking forward to expanding participation in 2024!

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HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Indigenous People's Day
Monday, October 9, 2023

Veterans Day (observed)
Friday, November 10, 2023

Thanksgiving
Thursday, November 23, 2023
Friday, November 24, 2023

Christmas Eve (observed)
Noon closure
Friday, December 22, 2023

Christmas
Monday, December 25, 2023

New Year's Eve (observed)
Noon closure
Friday, December 29, 2023

New Year's Day
Monday, January 1, 2024

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