# THE WEEK THAT WAS

But the end is reconciliation; the end is redemption; the end is the creation of the beloved community. It is this type of spirit and this type of love that can transform opposers into friends. It is this love which will bring about miracles in the hearts of men. Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



## Winona State University Visits Wallyhouse

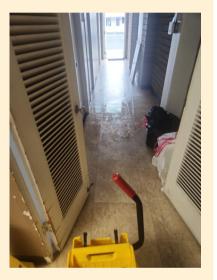
By Darsha Lee

This week, Wallyhouse was blessed with a visit from Health Sciences students from Minnesota's Winona State University. The students helped with packaging food bags, assisting Wallyhouse guests with needs, and serving hot lunch with the Chaminade University crew. Mahalo nui loa to all for this amazing collaboration!

# Monthly Vestry Meeting Sunday, May, 26

Vestry meeting Sunday, May, 26, all are welcome. We hope to elect a Junior Warden and follow up with ideas to reach out to members. The Search Committee reports that they will be conducting their last zoom meeting with Rector candidates that morning. Once all iterviews are completed and consensus is reached, the Search Committee will report to the Vestry its recommendations.

### Heavy Rains!



Last week's heavy rains reminded us that our 72 year old roof may need some TLC! David's Custom Roofing has completed St. E.'s roof repairs in the past, and they will be on site to inspect and provide an estimate on June 17. If you have a special interest or background in grounds and facilities maintenance. consider serving on the Grounds/Facilities Maintenance committee! It's truly an honor and a learning experience to tend to such a beautiful and historic church!

### Jamie Chock, Lifelong Servant to St. Elizabeth's



In 1980, Dr. Gifford was St. Elizabeth's Rector. That was the same year Jamie Chock started teaching Sunday School! The regular teacher had gone on maternity leave, and Fr. Gifford asked Miss Jamie if she could fill the spot! Miss Jamie discussed the matter with her father and turned down the offer after realizing she was the same age as the young people she would be teaching. But Fr. Gifford was persistent and convinced Miss lamie and her father that she would be perfect to teach the younger kids. Looking back on her years of teaching, Miss lamie says her favorite thing is "just to see their knowledge of what they know about Christ, their eagerness to hear all the stories." With the younger kids, Miss Jamie highlights church values by teaching stories about Jesus. "When I started to teach I had to do everything from scratch. A lot I had to do on my own, trial and error. To be with the kids, it's so rewarding just to see how they react to certain stories, when you get to know them, when they tell you what they do in school. They're just fascinated by the things they're learning about!" Thank you, Miss Jamie for your lifetime of service!





I pass out bags at Wallyhouse. I love to help people in need. The most rewarding thing is seeing people happy when they get their bags, so they're not starving. I know they're not hungry during the day, it's rewarding just helping.

-- Wallyhouse Volunteer, Char K.