

News & Notes

GIFTS FOR SHUT-INS

November is here and Christmas is fast approaching. Each year Women of the E.L.C.A. collect a variety of items to take to our Shut-ins for Christmas to let them know they are not forgotten. Please consider donating one or more of the following suggested items. Bring the items to church and place in the basket on the table near the elevator.

Toothbrush/Paste
Hand Lotion
Paper/Pens
Slippers/Slipper Sox
Combs/Brushes
Hand Sanitizer
Winter Scarves
Cologne/Aftershave
Facial Tissue
Stamps/Stationary
Hats/Mittens
Perfume/Nail Polish
Emery Boards
Playing Cards
Puzzle-Adult & Child
Greeting Cards
Men's Socks
Lg. Print Crossword

Money for Special Needs (Place in envelope marked "Shut-in Gifts")

We will be gathering in the parlor on **Thursday, Dec. 8 at 6:00 PM** to wrap the gifts for distribution. We'll have an appetizer potluck for the meal and share a good time. We invite & WELCOME you to join us at any time!!!!

QUILTERS SAY THANK YOU AND ASK FOR CONTINUED

HELP: Each Tuesday morning, approximately ten women meet to work on quilts for Lutheran World Relief. This year we sent 238 quilts! We are most grateful for everyone's help to get that many done, but help is once again needed. We are always close to being out of sewn quilt tops. If you can sew a straight seam you can do a quilt top. Instructions are on the packets in the basket on the table by the elevator. Thank you for your prayers and support.

CAN'T COME TO CHURCH? CHURCH WILL COME TO YOU!

Our Lay Eucharist Ministers are trained and willing to bring the Eucharist to those who are sick, shut in, or unable to come to church. If you would like Communion brought to you or someone you know, please contact the office at 922-0020.

WE COME TOGETHER TO RECEIVE AND CELEBRATE
THE GOOD NEWS OF GOD IN CHRIST
THROUGH WORSHIP AND LEARNING
SO THAT WE GROW IN FAITH AND ARE SENT TO SERVE.

(Mission Statement of Church of Our Saviour)

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Church of Our Saviour Ev. Lutheran
Fond du Lac WI
December 4, 2011

PHONE: 920-922-0020

OFFICE HOURS: 8:30-3:30 M-Th,
8:30-12:30 Fri

WEB-SITE: www.oursavioursfdl.org

PASTOR: Rev. Robert Rosenberg

ORGANIST/CONTEMPORARY

MUSIC: Kim Jodarski

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Sandy Albano

HANDBELL DIRECTOR: Diana
Jewson

In Sympathy...

We extend our sympathy to Nancy Waala and the family of Larry Zentner on his death Tuesday, November 29. His funeral was Friday, December 2 at Uecker-Witt.

In the Hospital...

Don Klahn was transferred to UW Madison Hospital where he will undergo treatment for about a month.

Remember him and others you may know in your prayers.

Ruth Hendricks and Leland Lerch went home this past week.

THOSE WHO SERVE AT WORSHIP:

Sunday, December 4, 8:00 am

Assisting Minister: Sydney

Schibbelhut

Lector: Linda Lepien

Acolyte: Jerod Boettcher

Ushers: Dennis Mertens, Ken Bengel

Greeters: Pat Wallender

Sunday, December 4, 10:30 am

Assisting Minister: Jason Gremminger

Lector: Laura Franke

Acolyte: Alyssa Jodarski

Ushers: Dave & Dolly Stuebs

Greeters: Patrick Schuppe

Sunday, December 11, 8:00 am

Assisting Minister: Sydney

Schibbelhut

Lector: Kathleen Rasmussen

Acolyte: Andrew Lepien

Ushers: Marjorie & Jerry Gordon

Greeters: Dave & Dolly Stuebs

Sunday, December 11, 10:30 am

Assisting Minister: Marcia Synder

Lector: Ruth Duquaine

Acolyte: Devin Emmer

Ushers: Bob & Bonnie Bosin

Greeters: Betty Kettler

Altar Set-up: Fran Hamilton

Norma Lynch

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LAST SUNDAY:

The offering was **\$3258.00**, which includes "Simply Giving". We need \$4,399.00 each week. Thank You! Keep up the good work. (This new figure is based upon the 2011 budget minus our income from the daycare and based on a median figure for a Pastor.)

Worship	Total Attendance
11/27/2011 8:00 am	50
11/27/2011 10:30 am	37

MEN'S DARTBALL: Come and join in on the good fellowship, fun, and camaraderie. Teams are chosen every Thursday evening, so, regular attendance is not necessary. So, please come whenever it is convenient for you. The games usually last between 1½- 2 hours. Everyone is invited- need not be a member of COOS.

Assistant Ministers: We are in desperate need for more Assistant Ministers. We will train! Call Dolly Stuebs at 922-2104 if interested.

2011 CONTRIBUTIONS:

All 2011 contributions must be received by the church **NO LATER** than December 31st, 2011 to be included in your 2011 giving statement.

THIS WEEK AT COOS:

MONDAY-December 5

Bible Study	12:00 pm
Kids-B-Fit Zumba	5:30 pm
WELCA Board	7:00 pm

TUESDAY- December 6

Quilters	9:00-1:00
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WEDNESDAY-December 7

"Living the Questions" Study	1:00-2:30 pm
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No Confirmation	
Saviour Bells	5:45-6:30 pm
Adult Choir	6:45-8:00 pm

THURSDAY-December 8

Kids B Fit	5:00-5:45 pm
Gift Wrapping/Potluck	6:00 pm
Dartball	7:00 pm

SUNDAY- December 11

Worship Service	8:00 am
Adult Forum	9:15 am
Sunday School	9:15 am
Worship Service	10:30 am

We are in desperate need of

Ushers. If you are interested in ushering please call the office or leave a note on Kay's desk. Dave Stuebs will lead an "Usher Training Class" for those willing to learn and will schedule it when it is most convenient for those volunteering.

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You are invited to attend midweek Advent Services

At Immanuel-Trinity on Wednesdays either at 10:30 am or 6:30 pm.

The Nominating Committee

will be starting their search soon for council replacements and church delegates to the various annual meetings. If you are at all interested in serving, see Pastor or a committee member.

At "In Touch" (our Adult Study time) today we will be continuing our series on "Living the Question." Join us! You'll be glad you did. Today we will learn about Paul, the Apostle.

On Wednesday, 1:00 pm, we will talk about the New Reformation.

2012 OFFERING ENVELOPES

2012 offering envelopes will be available soon. Please do not begin using the new envelopes until Sunday, January 1, 2012. You may have a new envelope number for 2012.

CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE

The Call Committee has met 4 times and is working on completing the Ministry Site Profile for our church. The profile has 21 sections to complete about our church and our needs. Once we finish the profile we will submit it to the council to review and hope to bring it to the congregation in January. We will keep you updated on the process.

Char Bohnsack, Chair; Bruce Nyberg, Don Jarvey, Lynne Schibbelhut, Patty Shippee, Natalie Wilburn

FIRST FOOTSTEPS IN FAITH

children will be gathering items, until December 4th, to donate to local schools. There is a box in the narthex (for placing the items) for anyone willing to donate slightly used kid's coats, clothes, school supplies or old books. You may also contact Debbie Greuel at 920-266-3780.

Volleyball at Immanuel-Trinity

Thursday nights, 6:30 pm. Show up and teams are chosen.

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Completed Committee reports for the Annual Report will be due in the office by Wednesday December 14th.