

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF MAHOMET

WEEKLY E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

July 10, 2013

LCM Website: lcofm.org

Phone: 217-586-4786

Pastor's Hours: .Pastor Emil Blobaum will be in the office this week, Tuesday, July 9 and Thursday, July 11.

Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Daily Devotionals: Daily Devotional Booklets for the months of July, August and September are available in the Narthex.

Support for Family Needed: Dia Nuesmeyer is asking for volunteers to provide some evening meals for Kelly Painter's family. Please contact Dia at 217-840-9846 or by e-mail to aglowinhim2009@hotmail.com to coordinate evening meals for the family while Kelly is recovering.

Acolytes Needed: We need to add young people to our acolyte schedule. If there is a young person in your family that you believe could and would acolyte, please let me know and I will arrange a training session for anyone interested. In the past, the biggest challenge for an acolyte is someone who is currently "vertically challenged"/short! We can practice so that that problem can be worked out. Call me or email me with any questions. We can work around busy schedules! Fran Koller tfkol@hotmail.com 586-4239 (no answer machine but we do have caller ID)

E-Mail Address Updates Requested: If you know of someone who hasn't been receiving the weekly e-mail newsletters and e-mail special alerts (and would like to), please send their email address to the church office at lcmoffice@lcofm.org with the subject "Add e-mail" or ask them to send it or to phone 217-586-4786. We are working hard to get the membership information updated and with Larry Gibson's cooperation, we hope to update our e-mail mailing list as well.

Helping Hands Pick-up Day: Saturday, July 13th is Mahomet Helping Hands Pick-up Day. Please put any clothing/household items or non-perishable food items in the Helping Hands basket in the narthex. Summer months are typically the season that has the least amount of giving. Items that are especially needed at Mahomet are, soaps, shampoos, deodorant, paper towels and boxed cereals. Any questions, call Amy McDonald @ 586-3944. Thank you.

LCM Booth at Sangamon River Music Festival: The Lutheran Church of Mahomet will have a booth in the vendor area at the Sangamon River Music Festival August 23rd and 24th in addition to volunteering at the Big Daddy Weave Concert. We will need volunteers for both. There will be a sign up sheet posted in the Narthex for our vendor booth. We have some LCM T-shirts left for volunteers to wear. We will also be handing out Flyers and Pens and inviting the community to join us for Worship and Fellowship at "The Church On The Hill." We will also have face painting and a bean bag toss at our booth. For more information or to sign up contact Pete Farm at 217-202-1199 or petertfarm@yahoo.com .

Spots Available for Mission Trip: Hello East Central Conference pals! CLC has four spots available for a mission trip NEXT WEEK (Mon-Thurs) to Moore, OK, and I wanted to offer these spaces to you or folks in your congregations (we had 3 people who were maybes but finally said last week that they can't go). We are delivering supplies collected from all around Piatt County to a distribution center in Moore on Monday, working in the fields to clean up tornado debris on Tuesday and Wednesday, then returning on Thursday.

All expenses will be covered by CLC. Ages 18 and up are welcome, as we just have adults going this time. If you or any of your congregation members would like to go, please let me know ASAP so we can get the paperwork completed for field placement.

Please give Pastor Micah of CLC in Monticello a call if you are interested in going on their mission trip next week to Moore, OK (tornado assistance). Contact the Rev. Micah Garnett Pastor, Christ Lutheran Church, Monticello, IL Office: (217) 762-5826 www.christlutheran-monticello.com Facebook: ChristLutheranChurch

VA Illiana Health Care Training: The VA Illiana Health Care System is offering a training on ways our church can help to meet the needs of Veterans in our community. The training will include information on Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, Mental Health, Suicide Prevention, Substance Abuse, and other subjects. In addition to these topics, information will be provided on eligibility for benefits, job opportunities and other programs offered through the VA. The training is free and will be held September 19, 2013 from 8-3 at Parkland College. If you are interested in attending the training, please contact Brenda Lindsey at htslindsey@mchsi.com.

Crisis Nursery Volunteers Needed: Volunteers are needed for the Crisis Nursery Ministry Team. Our team covers volunteer shifts at Crisis Nursery every Saturday from 4-8 pm. We have had difficulty covering all our shifts and a few more volunteers would give us flexibility to respond to the needs each week. Volunteering at the Nursery is fun and rewarding. Please consider serving God in this way. For more information, contact Brenda Lindsey at htslindsey@mchsi.com.

Youth News

VBS: Kingdom Rock! is August 4-8, 5:30-7:30. Opening Night is open to Families for a Medieval Fair with food, games, entertainment & registration. Suggested donation is \$5 per child.

VBS Preparation Meeting: There will be a VBS Preparation meeting for all volunteers, and those who want more information before the commit, on Sunday, July 14 after Fellowship. We will meet in the Preschool Classroom.

Summer Fine Arts Camps 2013: High School Camp will be held July 22 – 26. See Flyer attached to this e-mail

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 10

Wednesday, July 10

6:30 PM Bible Study

Thursday, July 4

7:00 PM Chancel Choir

Sunday, July 14

9:00 AM Worship Service

10:00 AM Fellowship

Monday, July 15

WELCA Sew Day

7:00 PM Council Meeting

7:15 PM Bible Study at Hilda Pfiester's

Tuesday, July 16

10:30 AM Staff Meeting

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

	<u>July 14</u>	<u>July 21</u>
<u>ACOLYTES:</u>	Gretchen Sheele	Kylie Fuoss
<u>BREADMAKER:</u>	Linda Hanslow	Linda Hanslow
<u>ALTAR GUILD</u>	Alicia Ekhoﬀ Kathy Tuggle	Alicia Ekhoﬀ Kathy Tuggle
<u>ASSISTING MINISTER</u>	Alex Paul	Mark Reifsteck
<u>CELEBRATION LEADER</u>	-	-
<u>COMMUNION ASST:</u>	Marty Vogel	LuAnn Robberstad
<u>GREETERS:</u>	Randy Beach Family	Pete Farm Family
<u>READER:</u>	Theresa Edmonds	Sheila Kingry
<u>USHERS:</u>	Andy Scheele Family	Cory Mitchell Family
<u>SUNDAY SHEPHERD</u>	Laura Bottorﬀ	Gene Rinkel
<u>OFFERING COUNTERS:</u>	Sherri Reifsteck Susie Johnston	Scott Kingry Chris and Theresa Edmonds
<u>FELLOWSHIP HOSTS:</u>	Congregational Life	Congregational Life

Volunteer Guideline Revisions: Please take a moment to make a note of the date you are assigned for the task of Greeter, Reader, Communion Assistant, Usher, Assisting Minister or Celebration Leader. An email reminder will be sent t weekly, along with a description of the volunteer task.

If you cannot perform your task on the designated time and date, please find a substitute and notify Linda or Marty Vogel at or lindasv101@gmail.com or by phone at 590-0093 not the Church Office. A list of individuals who perform these specific tasks can be found on the Volunteer List located on the quad board in the Narthex, or on the Church website at www.lcofm.org. Thank you for your assistance in performing these tasks by serving our Church.

Visit our website at www.lcofm.org





Summer Fine Arts Camp 2013

High School Camp – July 22-26

\$25 Registration

10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Classes are designed for exploration and are open to anyone regardless of experience. Campers are to bring a lunch Monday through Thursday. Friday's lunch and daily snacks will be provided.

Camp selections will include:

Visual Arts

Music

Theatre

Confectionary Arts

Beading

Basketry

Glass Painting

Wood Burning

Wreaths

The Joy of Chiming

Improvisation Games

For more information, please contact Kat Downs, *Director of Worship, Music and Arts Ministries*, at 586-4786, or by e-mail at musikat00@hotmail.com Enrollment is limited.

Held at
The Lutheran Church of Mahomet
410 E. Andover

Registration forms available online at www.lcofm.org
or from the church office