### THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF MAHOMET

## **WEEKLY E-MAIL NEWSLETTER**

July 3, 2013

LCM Website: Icofm.org Phone: 217-586-4786

<u>Pastor's Hours:</u> .Pastor Vic Baderschneider will be in the office this week, Tuesday, July 2 and Friday, July 5.

<u>Office Hours</u>: Tuesday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM. The office will be closed Thursday, July 4.

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

<u>Support for Family Needed</u>: 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 <u>aglowinhim2009@hotmail.com</u> 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)

<u>E-Mail Address Updates Requested</u>: 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 <a href="mailto:lcmoffice@lcofm.org">lcmoffice@lcofm.org</a> 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.

<u>Come Celebrate</u>! This Sunday, July 7 is a day to celebrate! Especially for Pastor Baderschneider! It is his baptism (75 years) and his ordination (50 years) anniversaries!

Join us for cake at a special fellowship following morning worship! We thank God for his years of service in this congregation and the previous three congregations!

<u>Helping Hands Pick-up Day</u>: Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup> 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.

Help Support LSSI 'Pedal for a Purpose' Cyclists: Join in the excitement of the first "Pedal for a Purpose" cross-state cycling journey from Quincy to Danville to raise money for Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI). About a dozen cyclists, led by two young pastors from Western Illinois, are doing the four day ride which covers 282 miles across Illinois. Riders are stopping each evening in Beardstown, Springfield, Champaign, and Danville. You can follow their journey from start to finish on their "Pedal for a Purpose" Facebook page.

The goal of the ride is to help raise money for two LSSI programs: Washington Place, a group home in Beardstown for adults with Prader-Willi syndrome, and the **Storybook Project**, a program offered in 16 correctional centers across the state that connects incarcerated parents and their children through reading.

**LSSI** is a not-for-profit social services agency of the **three Illinois synods** of the ELCA, including our Central/Southern Illinois Synod. It serves people of all faiths and walks of life, including children, families, and adults of all ages.

I had a chance to link up with the cyclists at Christ Lutheran in Monticello on Wednesday, June 27. Their passion for what they were doing was contagious! To help them meet their goal of raising \$13,000, we would like to do a special LCM offering for the LSSI "Pedal for a Purpose" fundraiser on **Sunday, July 7**. Please make checks payable to "Faith Lutheran Church" with "Pedal for a Purpose" in the memo line. You will receive a tax receipt by mail.

Thanks for your interest and support of this wonderful, meaningful effort on behalf of Lutheran Social Services of Illinois! Bill Moehring (312) 560-7044

#### **Youth News**

<u>Mission Trip</u>: Makayla Rosenbery-Hornbuckle, Alexis Rosenbery, Alicia Ekhoff, Zach Schnepper plus a friend left Sunday, June 30th for a Community Mission Trip to Cincinnati, OH. Words of encouragement can be emailed to the students during the trip by going to <a href="http://groupmissiontrips.com/email-a-camper/">http://groupmissiontrips.com/email-a-camper/</a>, choose Week of Hope then Cincinnati, OH. It is very important for the kids to know that the church is behind them during the week, so please send an email to encourage - thank you.

<u>VBS: Kingdom Rock!</u> 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."

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

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 3**

Wednesday, July 3 6:30 PM Bible Study

<u>Thursday, July 4</u> Church Office Closed

<u>Friday, July 5</u> Church Office Open

Sunday, July 7 9:00 AM Worship Service

10:00 AM Fellowship

Monday, July 8 WELCA Sew Day

6:00 PM Lions' Club

<u>Tuesday, July 9</u> 10:30 AM Staff Meeting



#### **WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS**

<u>July 7</u> <u>July 14</u>

ACOLYTES: Isabelle Farm Gretchen Sheele

BREADMAKER: Linda Hanslow Linda Hanslow

ALTAR GUILD Alicia Ekhoff Alicia Ekhoff

Kathy Tuggle Kathy Tuggle

ASSISTING MINISTER Kendyl Cummins Alex Paul

CELEBRATION LEADER - -

<u>COMMUNION ASST</u>: Tim Lindsey Dia Nuesmeyer

GREETERS: Bill Moehring Family Randy Beach Family

READER: Brenda Lindsey Theresa Edmonds

USHERS: Dave Robberstad Family Andy Scheele Family

SUNDAY SHEPHERD Stewart Ekhoff Larry Gibson

OFFERING COUNTERS: Stewart and Alicia Ekhoff Sherri Reifsteck

Dan and Cindy Erickson SharonYeakel

Susie Johnston

<u>FELLOWSHIP HOSTS</u>: Congregational Life Congregational Life

<u>Volunteer Guideline Revisions</u>: 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 <a href="lindasv101@gmail.com">lindasv101@gmail.com</a> 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 <a href="https://www.lcofm.org">www.lcofm.org</a>. 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

Beading Basketry

Glass Painting

Wood Burning

Wreaths

Music

The Joy of Chiming

Theatre

Improvisation Games

**Confectionary Arts** 

For more information, please contact Kat Downs, *Director of Worship, Music and Arts Ministries*, at 586-4786, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:musikat00@hotmail.com">musikat00@hotmail.com</a> Enrollment is limited.

### Held at

The Lutheran Church of Mahomet 410 E. Andover

Registration forms available online at <a href="https://www.lcofm.org">www.lcofm.org</a> or from the church office