THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF MAHOMET

WEEKLY E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

October 23, 2013 LCM Website: Icofm.org Phone: 217-586-4786

<u>Pastor's Hours:</u> Pastor Emil Blobaum will be in the office this week, Tuesday, October 22 and Thursday, October 24. Both Pastor Vic Baderschneider and Pastor Emil Blobaum will be out of town next Monday, October 28 and Tuesday, October 29 to attend their class reunion. Please wish them a safe and happy trip.

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

Notice: Church entrance doors are locked while the Pre-School is in session. Please push the doorbell at the North Entrance to be admitted.

<u>Fall Ladies Night Out Adventure!</u> Ladies, please mark your calendars for Monday, October 28 beginning at 6:00 PM for the Fall Ladies Night Out Adventure! We will meet at the new Minneci's at the Crossing (Italian cuisine) located at 2501 Village Green, Champaign (217-366-9225). Minneci's at the Crossing is in the same business district as Billy Barooz's and Jupiter's Pizza. We will enjoy good food, good beverages, and good company. We will also discuss ideas for a holiday event! Please RSVP to Susie Johnston at johnstsu@champaignschools.org or Denise Dalton dldalton@illinois.edu so appropriate seating arrangements can be made. See you then!

New Book Study: We, Barb and Steve DeReus, are excited to again offer to host in our home "Sharing the Faith with Friends", a group which meets monthly to discuss Christianity books on Tuesday Nights which began on October 22. Let me know if you want to be added to our group (call Barb at 217-778-6546 or email at barbdereus@mchsi.com.) Time will be after dinner, 6:30 – 8:00 in our home in Mahomet. The first discussion will be on comparing/contrasting concepts of heaven and hell according to Pastor Rob Bell in his book, Love Wins (read first please) and Pastor Frances Chan and Dr. Preston Sprinkle's book Erasing Hell. These books should offer a lively discussion. Books are available at Barnes and Noble or through Amazon.

Revitalizing Your Congregation: Meeting will be held at LCM at 7:00 PM, Tuesday, October 29.

<u>3rd Annual Schumacher Shuffle 5K Run/Walk/1K Kids Fun Run in Philo</u>: On November 23, 2013, St. Thomas school is holding their annual Schumacher Shuffle. Please find registration forms for our 5K Run/Walk and 1K Kids Fun Run in Philo at <u>www.stthomasphilo.org</u>. Prizes will be awarded and race day registration and packet pick-up will take place from 7:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. n the St. Thomas School Gym, 311 East Madison Street, Philo, IL 61864. The pre-registration fee for adults is \$20 and children (14 and under) is \$15. Registration fees received after Friday, November 1st, will be \$25 for adults and \$20 for children (14 and under).

<u>Crisis Nursery Volunteers Needed</u>: 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 <a href="https://dx.nursery.nu

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<u>Thrivent Members:</u> The annual Thrivent Financial Election meeting and luncheon will be held at 1pm on Sunday, November 17th at the Hilton Garden Inn Conference Center located at 1501 South Neil Street in Champaign. Families are invited to this free meal to learn more about the projects Thrivent has sponsored in 2013. RSVP to Richard Craig, at 217-359-9230 or richard.craig@thrivent.com by November 8th. Registration begins at 12:30pm and the dinner begins at 1pm.

<u>Pasta Dinner</u>: Sunday, October 27 from 12-2pm Beta Sigma Psi Lutheran Fraternity at the U of I will host a \$5 pasta dinner with proceeds going to the "Center for Wounded Warriors in Higher Education". The dinner is located at the Beta Sigma Psi house located at 206 W Ohio St., Urbana.



LOGOS: Theme for, tonight Wednesday, October 23 at 5:15 PM will be "Backwards Night" – for Grades K – 6. The meal will be Josie Slop.

<u>Trunk or Treat</u>: LOGOS will be sponsoring a fun, community event: Trunk or Treat!! We will need 15-20 decorated cars. Please sign up in the narthex or call Kat Downs at 586-4786 today if you would be willing to help in any way: candy donations, kitchen help, decorating a vehicle, or help with traffic.

Confirmation Class: will meet at 5:45 PM. Wednesday, October 23



EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF OCOBER 23

Wednesday, October 23 5:15 PM LOGOS

5:45 PM Confirmation Class

Thursday, October 24 6:30 PM Evangelism Comm. Mtg.

6:30 PM Suite Inspirations 7:00 PM Chancel Choir

<u>Sunday, October 27</u> 9:00 AM Celebration Worship Service

Reformation Sunday 10:00 AM Fellowship 10:30 AM Sunday School

Monday, October 28 Monday Morning Ladies Sewing Day

6:00 PM Lion's Club

Tuesday, October 29 6:30 PM Cub Scouts

7:00 PM Revitalizing Your Congregation



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6:30-7:30 pm

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WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

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ACOLYTES: Gretchen Scheele To Be Announced

BREADMAKER: Karen Kibler Ruth Studley

ALTAR GUILD Barb LeGrant Donna Lea

Nancy Rosenbery Theresa Edmonds

ASSISTING MINISTER - Dia Nuesmeyer

CELEBRATION LEADER To Be Announced -

COMMUNION ASST: Fran Koller Mark Reifsteck

READER Kelly Strode Alicia Ekhoff

GREETERS Scott Kingry Family Jon LeGrant Family

USHERS: Jon Paul Family Chris Edmonds Family

SUNDAY SHEPHERD Cindy Erickson Brenda Lindsey

OFFERING COUNTERS: David Alderks, Scott Kingry Stewart and Alicia Ekhoff

Jon and Barb LeGrant Dan and Cindy Erickson

FELLOWSHIP HOSTS: Dalton Family Congregational Life Committee

Brian Dahlke

<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 $\frac{1 \text{indasv101@gmail.com}}{1 \text{lindasv101@gmail.com}}$ 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.

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