THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF MAHOMET

WEEKLY E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

June 26, 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, June 25 and Thursday, June 27.

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

<u>Volunteers Needed</u>: LCM is participating in the church-wide Free Summer Lunch Program at Candlewood Estates again this year. Our week will July 22 to July 26th. Last year we served approximately 35 children and senior citizens each lunch hour. This year we need help from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Monday through Friday. Please call Amy McDonald at 586-3944 if you could help on these days and attend a brief organizational meeting.

<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)

What in the WORLD is a food drive without cans? Well, for every \$10 donated, SALT & LIGHT can buy about \$100 in groceries from the Eastern Illinois Food Bank. So, instead of collecting cans of corn and beans, we are partnering to provide financial support. During the month of June, a Salt & Light collection can will be at the Lutheran Church of Mahomet and it's YOUR chance to be part of the help that gives hope.

Did you know that our county has a poverty rate over 20%? The need is great. SALT & LIGHT provide food for Almost 400 families each week.

Be a part of the solution to fight poverty.

<u>Guy's Night Out</u> will be Monday, July 1st at 6:30PM. Guy's Night Out will be held at JT Walkers on Main Street in Mahomet. Theology and Beer will be the topics. All are welcome to join us at JT Walkers. This event is open to the entire community. For more information contact Pete Farm at 217-202-1199

<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 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.

Youth News

<u>Free Will Offering Requested:</u> Makayla Rosenbery-Hornbuckle, Alexis Rosenbery, Alicia Ekhoff, Zach Schnepper plus a friend will leave Sunday, June 30th for a Community Mission Trip to Cincinnati, OH following a Commissioning Ceremony at the 9am Worship Service. We are asked to purchase and bring items to be donated to those in need; so the students will take up a Free Will offering at the start of the service. Please share what you can so that others may be blessed.

Words of encouragement can be emailed to the students during the trip by going to http://groupmissiontrips.com/email-a-camper/, 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>: Registration forms for Summer Fine Arts Camps are available online at lcofm.org or can be obtained at the Church Office. **High School Camp** will be held July 22 – 26. See Flyer attached to this e-mail.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 26

Wednesday, June 26 6:30 PM Bible Study

Thursday, June 27 7:00 PM Chancel Choir

Sunday, June 30 9:00 AM Celebration Worship Service

10:00 AM Fellowship

Monday, July 1 WELCA Sew Day

High School Fine Arts Camp Registrations Due

7:15 PM Bible Study at Hilda Pfiester's

Tuesday, July 2 10:30 AM Staff Meeting

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

June 30 July 7

ACOLYTES: Seth Buchanan To Be Announced

BREADMAKER: Alicia Ekhoff Linda Hanslow

ALTAR GUILD Pat Moehring Alicia Ekhoff

Amy McDonald Kathy Tuggle

ASSISTING MINISTER - Kendyl Cummins

<u>CELEBRATION LEADER</u> Marty Vogel -

<u>COMMUNION ASST</u>: Mark Reifsteck Dia Nuesmeyer

GREETERS: Jon LeGrant Family Bill Moehring Family

READER: Pam Atwood Kelly Strode

USHERS: Tim Koller Family Dave Robberstad Family

SUNDAY SHEPHERD Stewart Ekhoff

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

Jon and Barb LeGrant Dan and Cindy Erickson

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

CONGREGATIONAL INTERCESSIONS

Prayer List Guidelines: A prayer list's purpose is to rally special attention to particular people in need of prayer. The list will be divided into acute (immediate) or long term concerns.

Because this is a public list, you must ask permission before placing someone's name on the list (privacy law compliance). To be added, removed, or moved from one list to the other, contact the church office at 586-4786.

- · Please provide first and last names.
- · Death and birth announcements and praises of thanksgiving will be removed after 2 weeks.

Notices on the acute list will be removed after 4 weeks unless there is a request to continue. Prayer lists are updated on Wednesdays, sent in the Wednesday email newsletters and posted on the guad board.

Acute Prayer Needs

Linda Vogel Comfort and healing while recovering at

Dennis Nuesmeyer Successful treatment, guidance for physicians and relief from pain

Kelly Strode Comfort and healing while recovering at home

Paul Reynolds Continued healing, strength and recovery from broken bones

suffered from an accident Kelly Painter (Daughter of Georgia and Larry Isaacs)

Guidance for her neurosurgeons, peace and patience peace and for her husband and children

Eric Hommema (Son-in-Law of Karen and Allen Prayers for healing and recovery

Brucker)

Joyce Hesse (Mother of Lona Oostdyk) Comfort and peace for the family on the passing of their

loved one

Long-Term Prayer Concerns

Connie Kaiser (relative of Tim & Brenda Lindsey)

Bonnie Thompson (Wife of Don Thompson/ mother of Karen Kibler) Jennifer Sweeney (Cousin of Karen Kibler) David Brandenburg (Nephew of Nancy King)

Ann Sanchse (Wife of Cousin of Dennis

Nuesmeyer)

healing and awareness of the presence of God for Ms. Kaiser and her family

for comfort and healing for healing, strength, and peace. for correct and successful treatment. prayers for comfort and peace





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 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