



Happynings

June 20, 2008

This Week's Readings

June 22, Sixth Sunday after Pentecost: Jeremiah 20:7-13; Psalm 69; Romans 6:1b-11; Matthew 10:24-39

The newsletter and calendar for Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (ELCA) Rochester • Minnesota



MISSION TRIP SEND-OFF WORSHIP

Join us tonight (Friday, June 20) at 8:00pm for a brief mission trip send-off worship service. The following morning, 11 youth and 3 adults from Good Shepherd will be on their way

to Chicago to lend a hand in programs such as volunteering at a summer camp, helping with city beautification and assisting at a school for children with special needs.

ROCHESTER AREA HABITAT FOR HUMANITY IS LOOKING FOR YOU!

Rochester Area Habitat is currently hiring an Americorps VISTA to start in August. We are looking for a recent graduate who wants to give back to the community before they start their career; a retired person looking for a meaningful experience; or a person who simply wants a new direction in their life.

Do you believe that it is important for faith communities to work together? Rochester Habitat for Humanity is offering an exciting opportunity to put your beliefs and talents into practice. Your work will directly improve the lives of people by mobilizing the diverse groups in the faith community to work together to address the community problem of affordable housing. The InterFaith VISTA position will challenge, test, and strengthen the person's organizational skills, communication skills, and creative spirit. The main focus is on forming a cooperative group representing diverse faith communities and empowering them to get involved with Habitat for Humanity, other churches, and the community. It sounds exciting because it is an exciting position. Leave a legacy. Be a VISTA in Rochester. VISTAs receive a monthly stipend as well as an education or cash award at the end of their service year.

If interested, please contact Patricia at (507) 252-0849, ext. 4 or volmgr@rahh.org for more information. Thanks!

This Week at Good Shepherd

Friday, June 20

9-11:30am Vacation Bible School
8:00pm Mission Trip Send-Off Worship Service

Saturday, June 21

HS Mission Trip to Chicago (June 21-27)
8:00am Faith in Motion
9:00am Quilters (Room A)
5:30pm Worship

Sunday, June 22

8:00am Outdoor Worship
9:30am Worship (Sanctuary)

Monday, June 23

10:30am Staff Meeting
7:00pm Council Meeting

Tuesday, June 24

7:30am Men's Coffee
9:30am Stay and Play (Nursery)

Wednesday, June 25

7:00pm REMIX (Youth Room)

Thursday, June 26

7:00am Bible Study (Conf. Room)
7:00pm Sisters in Faith (Conf. Room)

Saturday, June 28

8:00am Faith in Motion
3:00pm Lange/Johnson Wedding
5:30pm Worship

PRAYERS

For all members of Good Shepherd, especially: Gerry & Dawn Brossart (Garrett, Lexa), Jeff & Jackie Brown (Jacob, Abby), Kent & Becky Bruinsma (Tyler, Aaron, Eric).

June 22nd — 6th Sunday after Pentecost:

For all congregations in the Southeastern Minnesota Synod, including: Holden Lutheran in Kenyon, Our Savior Lutheran in Owatonna, Greenfield Lutheran in Harmony, Marshall Lutheran in Adams, Ilongero Lutheran in Tanzania, Mijuhu Lutheran in Tanzania.



DOROTHY DAY HOUSE

The Dorothy Day Hospitality House is looking for men who are willing to carry out overnight duties at the homeless shelter in exchange for free room and board at a house next door. Duties are shared in rotation among four people. The location is close to the Mayo Clinic complex, and the position is ideal for medical students. For more information please call Marcy at 288-2988.

HIGH ADVENTURE CANOEING

Several Good Shepherd High School youth are joining with youth from People of Hope Church for a high adventure whitewater canoe trip through an ELCA camp in Northern Wisconsin on August 3-8. **We are looking for 2 more adventure-seeking youth to fill up our trip.** Contact Ellen Herder at 289-5723 or Janet Youngers at 289-1748. Cost is \$335 per youth.

MAY FINANCIAL SUMMARY

May Income	\$47,236
May Expenses	\$39,683
May Net Income	\$7,553
Year-to-date Income	\$233,626
Year-to-date Expenses	\$207,835
Year-to-date Net Income	\$25,791
Total Deficit	(\$38,585)

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 20th Linda Galloway, Charlie Geer, Cole Jensen, Alivia Taylor
- 21st Kris Ellefson, Lonnie Fynskov, Keith Lindor, Kathy Orth, Tayler Titus
- 22nd Conrad Brekke, Donna Caflisch
- 23rd Alayna Castro, Christian Fiksdal, Jessica Seide
- 24th Becky Krueger
- 25th Brandan Davick, Bethany Gibson, Eric Gibson, Sean Gibson, Maxine Sims
- 27th Jay McLaren, Mark Poppe

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Worship Services (with Holy Communion)
Saturday 5:30 PM; Sunday 8:00 (outdoor) & 9:30 AM

Staff

Dave Berg.....Lead Pastor
Jack Friedli.....Pastoral Assistant
Cynthia McLaren.....Education & Music Director
Janet Youngers.....Youth Coordinator
Mike Thilges.....Office Administrator
Vicky Mulvihill.....Volunteer Coordinator
Ellen Herder, Roger Harty.....Custodians

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