

GRACE LUTHERAN WEEKLY

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT GRACE

Today: **MITE BOX SUNDAY**
Pastor's Bible Study – 8:45am
Worship Service – 10:00am
Coffee Fellowship – 11:00am

Tuesday: Worship Committee – 6:00pm
Campus Ministry Board – 7:00pm

Wednesday: Breakfast Bible Study – 6:30am
Women's Bible Study – 10:00am

Thursday: *(Oregon Tuba Ensemble – 7:00pm)*

Saturday: *(E.A.R.S. – 10:00am)*

Next Sunday: Pastor's Bible Study – 8:45am
Worship Service – 10:00am
Coffee Fellowship – 11:00am

Those activities in () indicate outside groups meeting in the building.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER...



+ Betty Kirtley, Paul Reffstrup, Jovita Hunt, Ralph & Alice Boring, Bob Sylwester, Judy Rust, Michelle Murphy, Evelyn Jones, Robert Koester (father of Mick Koester)

+ Shut-ins: Jeannine Brauner, Walter & Mary Krumdieck, Frances Bradshaw, Ann Porisch, Margie Murphree, Dorothy Beikman, Evelyn Moore, LaNelda Watts, Kay Johnson, Myrtle Larson, Dorothy Ostermiller

Dear Friends at Grace... Thank you for your prayers, cards and love during my extended time at home. My church family is God's special gift to me. Betty Kirtley

I would like to thank all of you who have asked about my Dad and prayed for him. He went through several months of cancer treatment and chemotherapy, then finally had surgery on July 9th. He is still recovering, it will take a while, but the first tests have shown him to be cancer free. He appreciates the prayers as all of us in my family do. Thank you, Kari Hovet

If you have an emergency please call the Church Office – Monday through Friday at 541.342.4844. On the weekends, Saturday/Sunday, please call Bert Wheeler at 541.747.1442.

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

- * **Breakfast Bible Study – Wednesday, August 25 at 6:30am**
- * **Women's Bible Study – Wednesday, August 25 at 10:00am**

A NOTE FROM THE LAY MINISTERS – As you sign the booklet in each pew, please include your email address. This is to notify church members faster when there is an emergency that involves the church or its members. This would include notice of hospital stay and those who have passed on. Even recording your phone would be helpful in getting information out in a timely manner.

WANTED – A GOOD HOME.... For a black miniature poodle, 10 years old, lively. The dog belonged to Anita Colcord, Rose Krumdieck's mother. If you would like more information, contact Rick or Rose Krumdieck at 541.688.9406.

FOUND... in the garbage in the men's bathroom – a pair of wire-rimmed silver glasses with the right lens having a crack in the lens. If these are your glasses, please see the church office.

REMINDER: BULLETIN/WEEKLY DEADLINE – If you would like something in the bulletin or Weekly (blue notes) – please have your information to the church office by **10:00am on Wednesdays!**

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS: Children's Sunday school classes will not be meeting during the summer, but our monthly support of Hendrik, our Compassion child (\$38 per month), and Terry & Janet Borchard with Lutheran Bible Translators in Papua New Guinea (any amount above the \$38 each month), will continue. Please remember to bring donations during the summer to support Hendrik and the Borchards' ministry. There will be a box in the narthex for your cash and check donations. Thank you!! Paula Walker.

PORTALS OF PRAYER is a quarterly booklet that contains daily devotions and prayers. The **July-September** is available on the table in the narthex. Take one home for your daily devotions.

WANTED – USED INK CARTRIDGES! To earn store credit to buy school supplies, we are collecting ALL TYPES of used computer ink cartridges to take to Staples. We can get \$3.00 store credit for EACH cartridge collected and turned in. Store credit will be used to purchase sale school supplies to fill SCHOOL BAGS this Fall. Please put ink cartridges in a SEALED PLASTIC BAGGY and place in the box in the narthex. THANK YOU! Questions? See Jean Harsch.

FROM THE SOCIAL MINISTRY BOARD

If you or someone you know needs a ride to church, please let call Brenda Miller at 541-344-5755.

Recycle your newspapers or magazines in the red Mission boxes around town. By recycling in these boxes it keeps about 100 men from the Mission busy each week.

Summer Food Collection*****Summer Food Collection!!

The Food Pantry available for members of Grace is being restocked. Items being collected at this time are commercially canned fruits and hearty soups and chili. If you are able to donate items, please leave them beside the coat rack in the narthex or against the Food Pantry cupboard inside the Nursery door. Thanks. The Social Ministry Board

LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

Phone: 342-5433

Email: office@lifeschool.us

Website: www.lifeschool.us

LIFE! Lutheran School's Enrollment... If you are interested OR know of someone who is interested in enrolling children at LIFE! Lutheran School, please contact the school office at 541-342-5433 to request the school information packet. We have classes for Pre-3/Pre-4 through Grade 8. Pre-enrollment is very important to us as we prepare for the 2010-2011 school year. Take time to view the website at www.lifeschool.us.



ATTENTION ALL DUCK FANS!!!! The 2010 football season is fast approaching. If you are interested in working in the booth at Autzen Stadium or want more information please contact Rob Wiesert at 541-915-7070 or mesuperclean@yahoo.com. Sign-up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board by the LIFE School office.

The Lutheran Hour Broadcast

Sunday Mornings – 8:00am ---- on KKNX – 840 AM

Rev. Ken Klaus delivers the messages.

August 29 – “Does God Care?” (Psalm 73: 11-14) Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Lawrence Acker. The troubles and trials that seem to surround us are not punishments from God but rather a chastening of the Lord. This classic Lutheran Hour message by Rev. Acker was originally broadcast in June, 1951.

The Lutheran Hour can also be heard on the internet or downloaded onto an MP3 player at www.lutheranhour.org. If you would like to listen to The Lutheran Hour message and need assistance with the above options, please call Barb Ronne at 343-0327.

Job/Ministry Position at Lane Pregnancy Support Center: LPSC's Stop-and-Think Program presents middle and high school students around Lane County with abstinence-based sex education. Currently, another person is needed to visit classrooms, present the material, and interact with students. For more information about Stop-and-Think, go to <http://www.stopthink.net/>. For a description of the position itself and the application, go to <http://www.lanepregnancy.org>; click “Get Involved” and scroll down to Employment Opportunity.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL KITS

WE HAVE COME UP WITH AN IDEA SOME OF YOU MIGHT PREFER... WHAT IS IT? LWML is asking for your help in collecting items for the school kits. We need supplies for 500 school bags! If you would prefer to give a donation rather than shop for supplies we would be happy to do the shopping for you! ALSO we are accepting donations to cover the cost of postage (which is @ \$250.00). If you would like us to do the shopping or you would like to contribute to the postage....please **make out your check to Grace Lutheran LWML** with a notation for school supplies or postage. Below are the items needed for the school kits. There will be a box in the narthex to collect the supplies. If you have any questions, contact Jean Harsch or Dave and Lennie Tritt.

Items needed for each school kit:

- * 2 or 3 – Padded or spiral notebooks of ruled paper (approx. 8½” x 11” totaling 150-200 sheets) – please NO loose-leaf paper
- * 1 – Blunt Scissors
- * 1 – 30-centimeter Ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other
- * Pencil sharpener
- * 6 – new, unsharpened #2 Pencils with erasers; secure together with a rubber band (no colored pencils and all one color, preferably yellow)
- * 1 – Eraser approximately 2-1/2” long
- * 12 Sheets of construction paper in assorted colors
- * 1 – Box of 16 or 24 Crayons

CAMP SERENE – 43rd Annual Labor Day Weekend – September 3,4,5 & 6. An excellent opportunity for fun, fellowship and relaxation. Join us Labor Day weekend for our annual barbeque fundraiser. Sunday dinner served at 4:30 includes hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken, corn on the cob, baked beans and dessert. Suggested meal donation of \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12. Come and camp (cabins, RV's, tent) with us. All other meals are served potluck style. 10am Sunday Church Service officiated by Pastor Elmer Steenbock. See flyer on bulletin board.

1st Annual Thrivent Lutheran Night

(Slow pitch Softball Game)

When: Sunday, September 12th from 1:30pm to 5:00pm
Where: Amazon Park Ball Field – North of 24th & Amazon Parkway
Who: ALL Thrivent Members and their guests
What Supplied: Ball Cap (for first 100 to RSVP) – Ball Field – Umpire –
Bats and Balls – Drinks – Desserts

What you want to bring: Softball Mitt(s) – Yourself & Guests – Lawn Chairs
- Your Picnic Food & Condiments & Dishes

Please RSVP and let me know how many in your party will attend. Also consider inviting you Church Youth Group as your guest.

To RSVP or for more information please contact:

Randy van Ronne
randy@wlct.info
(541) 343-0327

**Hosted by members of the West Lane County Thrivent Chapter
of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans**

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