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February 25, 2010

This Coming Week

Feb. 27 - Mar. 5

Saturday

- Youth Winter Ski Retreat at Camp Forest Springs
- Worship

Sunday

- Worship 8:15 & 10:45 am
- Christian Ed. at 9:30 am
- Youth return from Winter Retreat

Monday

- No scheduled activities

Tuesday

- Family Ministry Team at 7 pm
- Celebration Ringers at 7 pm
- Families Anon & Non-smoking AA at 7:30 pm

Wednesday

- Men's Breakfast at 7 am
- Noon Bible Study
- High School Bible Study at 3:30 pm
- FOCUS, Worship at 6:45 pm

Thursday

- Quilters at 9 am
- MOM's Bible Study at 6:15 pm

Friday

- Al Anon at noon
- Israel Tour Group returns

New Mother's Group

Join MAC (Moms Are Cool), a new group for moms beginning on Thurs., March 11 from 10-11 am. Whether your kids are getting ready to graduate from high school or diapers, this caring group will encourage and support you as a mom. Learn how to be a positive influence in your family through Jesus's love as you meet new friends.

We will meet in the youth room. Childcare provided. If you have questions or cannot make the first session, but are interested, call Elizabeth Ziemann at 696-4319.

Luther Manor Cookies

Through March 8, we will continue to accept cookie donations for the Luther Manor Cookie Cart. Homemade or purchased cookies may be brought to the church kitchen anytime from now through the end of March. Please mark containers with the amount, type, and if they contain nuts. There are ice cream tubs available in the kitchen to pack the cookies. Donations of additional (clean & dry) ice cream tubs or similar

Passing of John Snyder

On Sunday, February 21, John "Jack" Snyder, husband of Calvary member Barb Snyder, passed away.



The funeral will be held on Saturday, February 27 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Waukesha with a visitation beginning at 9 am and service at noon.

Wednesday Lenten Series

Join us on Wednesday FOCUS nights as we continue our worship Lenten series featuring monologues by several Biblical characters.

FOCUS/Lenten suppers begin at 6 pm and worship is at 6:45 pm.

Focus on Luke

Join Pastor Mark on Wednesday evening, from 5-6 pm, for another week as he presents a "crash course" on this year's lectionary gospel, the book of Luke.

BRING YOUR BIBLE and dig in to the Gospel of Luke together!

Fireproof Your Marriage

All married couples are invited to join us for a study based around the movie "Fireproof" during the Lenten season. This five week study (which started February 24 from 5-6 pm) will help couples that have been married for five months or fifty years take a look at the commitment they made to each other, and what God has called them to in the covenant of marriage. Our journey together will include video clips, lively discussion and study of scripture.



Even if you missed the first week, you may still join. Cost is \$6.00. Sign up in the Narthex or by [e-mail](#). Questions? Talk to [Dave Dringenburg](#).

Lenten Neighborhood Walks

Many of us walked the neighborhood every Saturday morning during Lent last year, inviting our neighbors to attend church at Calvary for the Wednesday Lenten and weekend services. We passed out postcards with days and times of our services and also explained our excellent youth and music programs. For those who were not home, we left a door hanger explaining the days and times of our services during Lent. We were able to talk to many wonderful people and if they were not already attending a church, we encouraged them to worship, even if it was not at Calvary Lutheran Church.

The neighborhood walks are on again this Lent! Please join Terry and Sue Wussow for walks in the Brookfield neighborhoods as often as you can every Saturday in March. We will not be walking the last two weeks in February, even though these Saturdays are part of Lent, mostly due to the possibility of winter weather.

We will meet in Fellowship Hall, starting Saturday, March 6th, at 9:00AM for juice, coffee, devotion and prayer. Walk the neighborhood until 11:00AM and return to Calvary for feedback and closing prayer. You will be on your way home by noon. Young and old are invited to ring a few door bells and share God's love with our neighbors, encouraging them to attend worship.

Host Families Needed

We are in need of families to host 2 or more students from Wartburg college on the evening of April 27, 2010. Host families will attend the concert at 7:00pm on April 27, and then bring the students home that evening to stay the night. Please offer a snack that evening, towels, beds with bedding, and breakfast the following morning. Host families will transport the students back to Calvary the next morning, Wednesday, April 28.

As the tour approaches, Calvary will receive information about the students so host families can prepare for food allergies, and so we know to not put students that are allergic to pets in pet house holds.

Sign up sheets will be available in the narthex if you're interested in helping in hosting this ministry or you may click [here](#).

Art & Music Event - Spring

Calvary's looking into having another evening of a music recital and art exhibit this spring. After enjoying this event last summer, we're hoping to experiment with when might be an optimal time during the year for Calvary to look at consistently hosting an event like this.

Please let [Sarah](#) know if this is of interest to you, with the evening of Friday, March 19 at 6:00pm being the tentative time and date. Ideas for the recital could be poetry reading, juggling, dancing, and vocal & instrumental music selections. Items for the art exhibit could include knitting, quilting, painting, drawings, sculptures, woodworking, and art from art classes in school. All ages and abilities are invited to participate! Please consider what talents might be fun to add to this evening!

Spring Musical Sign Ups

Please sign up on the music bulletin board for our Spring Musical on Sunday May 2nd. All students 3 years - high school are invited to join! You don't have to currently be in a music ensemble either. Rehearsal info is found on the sign up sheet. Join us this spring!!!

containers are also appreciated.

Luther Manor Auxilliary memberships are still a bargain at only \$2! See Ruby Hauch if interested.

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MOM's Bible Study

On March 4 the *Ministry of Mothers* (MOMs) will meet at 6:15 pm and be discussing, "Raising Children Who Will Be a Delight to Your Soul" by Dee Brestin. (DVD)

Learn from Dee and her journey from an overwhelmed mother to a mother who delighted in her children and knew how to respond to them. You will learn valuable lessons to help you in your profession of motherhood.

All mothers are welcome and encouraged to join us at any time!

Summer Outdoor Worship Set Up and Tear Down

We are in need of groups of members to help assist in our summer outdoor worship set up and tear down. We're looking for groups of at least 5 that can help move out the chairs and assist in moving the music equipment. The commitment on a Sunday is from 8:30am - 9:30am for set up, and then immediately following worship at around 11:00am to help return all the items back inside the building.

Please Contact [Sarah](#) to sign up for a weekend or click [here](#) for complete details and the summer schedule! Thanks for your help in our ministry!

Israel Tour

Please continue to pray for the 27 men & women traveling through the Holy Land. Check out Calvary's blog throughout the week for updates from Pastor Phil. Click on the blog icon to go directly there.



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