

**THIS WEEK AT GSLC**  
**Aug. 12 – Aug. 19, 2007**  
**HOLY COMMUNION**

Tues. 4:30 Worship & Music  
 6:30 Christian Education Mtg.

Wed. 2:30 Social Ministry

Thurs. 5-7 Front Porch Pickup

Fri. Pastor's Day Off

Sat. Fellowship Hall in use

**NEXT SUNDAY**  
**MISSION SUNDAY**  
 (Bring items for food pantry  
 and Capital Campaign offering)

8:30 Contemporary Outdoor  
 Children's Craft Time

11:00 Traditional Worship  
 Nursery Available

**OFFERINGS BUDGETED**  
**EACH WEEK**

**Needed per week \$ 3,884.00**

Received July 29, 2007                      \$ 3,867.00

Received under budget                      -            17.00

Budget Year to Date

Behind in budget                              - \$17,340.87

Last Year at This Time

Behind in budget                              - \$ 7,073.76

**ATTENDANCE for July 29**

8:30 A.M.	<b>79</b>
11:00 A.M.	<b><u>81</u></b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>160</b>

**GSLC ANNOUNCEMENT**

**GUESTS AND MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO PLEASE PRINT YOUR INFORMATION on the WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP registration pad and please include your address. If you are taking communion, please check the box on the sheet. \*Let an usher know if you desire to receive communion in the pew.**

**MEMORIAL CANDLE** is presented to the Glory of God in Memory of **CHARLES AND ESTELLA GROW.**

**BULLETINS** are presented to the Glory of God in memory of **JIM DOWNING** given by Eric Downing.

Please notify the church office, 599-8908, if you or a member of your family is hospitalized. **A HOSPITAL VISITING TEAM** has been established from the Member Care Committee: Michelle Logan, Duffy Guthrie, Phyllis Waid, Jim Arcaro, Marne Gonzales, Tim Jackson, and Nancy Guthrie. One of the members will visit you in the hospital.

The **brown paper bags** in the gathering space are for you to take and fill with supplies for **school kits.** A list of supplies needed is included with each bag. Bags are due September 30.

Right Track Conneaut Human Resources Center **Back-To-School Distribution** is asking the congregation for **colored pencils** this year. Deadline for bringing pencils in is Sunday, Aug. 19. A box for the pencils is in the gathering space. Our goal is 500 boxes.

**Next Sunday is Mission Sunday.** Please bring your Capital Campaign offering and items for the food pantry.

Plan to attend the **Church Picnic and Rally Day on Sunday, August 26** following the 11:00 worship service. There will be food, games, and fun for the whole family. Everyone is asked to bring their own table service and a covered dish to share. Sign up sheet on the kiosk.

The next **Golf Outing** will be Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am. Please contact Mike Malys at 599-8308.

There will be a **Spaghetti Dinner** on Aug. 18 from 4-7. Donations to benefit the Youth Mission 2008.

**Sunday School co-teachers** are needed beginning Sept. 9. Contact Suzanne Malys at 599-8308 if you have any questions or wish to volunteer.

The **Cherub Choir** (ages 2 years to grade 1) and **Youth Choir** (grades 2 to 6) will begin practice in September. Practices are from 6-6:45 pm the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays of each month from September to May. On choir practice nights, homework help is available from 5 to 5:30 pm and dinner is served from 5:30 to 6 pm. The choirs sing on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.

**CAMA** is sponsoring a **FRONT PORCH PICK UP** food drive on **Thursday, August 9** from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm. Church volunteers will pick up bagged items from your porch. This drive is to benefit the Conneaut Food Pantry. Personal hygiene products such as laundry soap, body soap, paper products, etc. will also be gladly accepted.

Information on **Teen Serve** is available on the counter in the office for those volunteers contacting businesses

## COMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars.

Aug. 8	Fundraiser for Phase II Playground Program
Aug. 9	Front Porch Pick Up
<b>Aug. 12</b>	<b>MISSION SUNDAY</b>
<b>Aug. 14</b>	<b>Golf Outing</b>
Aug. 15	Family Fun Night at 1 <sup>st</sup> UM Church
<b>Aug. 16</b>	<b>Senior Program</b>
<b>Aug. 18</b>	<b>Spaghetti Dinner</b>
<b>Aug. 19</b>	<b>Deadline for colored pencils</b>
<b>Aug. 26</b>	<b>Church Picnic</b>
<b>Aug. 26</b>	<b>Sunday School Rally Day</b>
<b>Aug. 26</b>	<b>Confirmand Parents Meet</b>
<b>Sept. 5</b>	<b>Cherub &amp; Youth Choirs</b>
<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>MISSION SUNDAY</b>
<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>Sunday School Begins</b>
<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>Confirmation Begins</b>
Sept. 12	Grief Support Group
<b>Sept. 30</b>	<b>Grocery Bag School Kits due</b>

Check the bulletin, Echo, kiosk and/or church office for information on any of these events.

There will be a **fundraiser** for the Phase II playground program on **August 8 beginning at 9 am** at the Southeast Elementary main hall to benefit special need and handicapped children. There will be music, food, drinks, prizes, raffles, auction etc. Contact Manny Gonzales for further information @ 599-9829 or 812-1813.

Any questions, comments or concerns can be addressed to any member of the Mutual Ministry Committee: Faye Lampela, Susan Chapin, Rich Kantola, Julie Kantola, Pam Deemer, Pearl Ann Curtis, Michelle Logan, Tim Jackson or Manny Gonzales.

Hospice of the Western Reserve will present a **Circle of Hope Grief Support Group**, which will be held six Wednesdays from Sept. 12 to Oct. 17 from 2 pm to 3:30 pm. The Ashtabula office is hosting the meetings and registration is required. Call Mary McKernan-Gryzmala at 997-6619.