

**THIS WEEK AT GSLC**  
**Aug. 19 – Aug. 26, 2007**  
**HOLY COMMUNION**

Fri. Pastor's Day Off

**NEXT SUNDAY**  
**HOLY COMMUNION**

**NEW MEMBER & BAPTISM**

8:30 Contemporary Outdoor  
 Children's Craft Time

9:30 Confirmation Parents Mtg

11:00 Traditional Worship  
 Nursery Available

**CHURCH PICNIC**  
 &  
**RALLY DAY**

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

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

Received Aug. 12, 2007           \$ 3,994.00  
 Received over budget   +       110.00

Budget Year to Date  
 Behind in budget           - \$14,726.36

Last Year at This Time  
 Behind in budget           - \$ 5,611.71

**ATTENDANCE for Aug. 12, 2007**

8:30 A.M.	<b>85</b>
11:00 A.M.	<b><u>66</u></b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>151</b>

**GSLC ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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 **BRUNO PLOSILA** given by Melanie Olivarez.

**Change of dates:** The Executive Committee will meet Tuesday, Aug. 28 at 5:30 pm followed immediately by the Church Council Meeting at 6:30 pm.

Plan to attend the **Church Picnic and Rally Day next 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 a covered dish to share. Sign up sheet on the kiosk.

**HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS**

**NEEDED.** If you cannot help set up, donations of cookies and juice are greatly appreciated.

**WANTED!!!!!!!! USHERS!!!!!!!!**

Ushers are needed for both the 8:30 and 11:00 services. Please! Sign up on the sheets in the entranceway.

## CONGRATULATIONS to Ben

**Betteridge** on being crowned 4-H Jr. Fair Prince and to **Becky Betteridge** for winning 4-H Super Showman and Grand Champion in the miniature horse competition.

**Parents of Confirmation students** are asked to meet next Sunday, Aug. 26, at 9:30 am.

**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 **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.

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.

**Chancel Choir** will begin on Sunday, Sept. 9 with a short rehearsal at 10:25 am. Regular rehearsals will be on Mondays at 6:30 pm beginning September 10. Everyone welcome to join – See you there.

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.

## COMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars.

- Aug. 26 Church Picnic/Rally Day**
- Aug. 26 Confirmand Parents Meet**
- Sept. 6 Senior Program**
- Sept. 8 Men's Breakfast/Bible Study**
- Sept. 9 MISSION SUNDAY**
- Sept. 9 Sunday School Begins**
- Sept. 9 Confirmation Begins**
- Sept. 12 Hospice Grief Support Group
- Sept. 15 Finnish Am. Heritage trip
- Sept. 15 D-Day Re-enactment  
(Youth Mission Fundraiser)
  
- Sept. 20 Senior Program**
- Sept. 26 Red Cross Bloodmobile
- Sept. 30 Grocery Bag School Kits due**  
Check the bulletin, Echo, kiosk and/or church office for information on any of these events.

The **Finnish American Heritage Assn.** of Ashtabula Co is planning a trip to Pittsburgh on Sat. Sept. 15. Cost is \$29. Anyone interested in further information please contact Linda Riddell at 964-2519 or e-mail [LLJQR1@windstream.net](mailto:LLJQR1@windstream.net).

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.

FALL'S COMING. "FALL" IN LOVE WITH YOUR SPOUSE OVER AND OVER AGAIN! on a **Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend!** If you value your marriage, you'll love a Marriage Encounter Weekend – coming Oct. 12-14 at the Holiday Inn Express, Richfield, or Nov. 9-11 at the Commodore Perry Inn, Port Clinton. For details, contact John & Robin Legan (330-425-2176, [thelegans@excite.com](mailto:thelegans@excite.com)) or 1-800-235-1010.