

THIS WEEK AT GSLC

Sept. 23 – Sept. 30

NEW MEMBERS & HOLY BAPTISM

Today 9:45 Acolyte training

Mon. 5:30 Bell Choir
6:30 Chancel Choir
7:00 Boy Scouts

Tues. 9:00 Cover Girls Ministry

Wed. 1-6 Red Cross Bloodmobile

Fri. Pastor's Day Off

Sat. Youth Group

NEXT SUNDAY

HOLY COMMUNION

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN BEGINS

8:30 Contemporary Worship

9:45 Sunday School – Confirmation

11:00 Traditional Worship
Nursery Available

Noon Youth grades 6-12 & parents meet
TeenServe Volunteers meet

OFFERINGS BUDGETED

EACH WEEK

Needed per week \$ 3,884.00

Received Sept. 16, 2007 \$ 2,454.00

Received over budget - 1,430.00

Budget Year to Date

Behind in budget - \$15,417.15

Last Year at This Time

Behind in budget - \$ 5,847.34

ATTENDANCE for Sept. 16, 2007

8:30 A.M. 49
11:00 A.M. 127
Total 176

GSLC ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to those being received into membership this morning at the 11:00 service:

AMANDA SUSAN SANFORD

AMELIA SUSAN SANFORD

GUESTS AND MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO PLEASE PRINT YOUR INFORMATION on the **WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP** registration pad and please include your address.

MEMORIAL CANDLE is presented to the Glory of God in Memory of **PARENTS, JOHN and VILMA PERALA**, given by Martha Catrow and family.

ALTAR FLOWERS are presented to the Glory of God in Honor of the **BAPTISM of AMELIA SUSAN SANFORD**, given by Justin and Amanda (Tan) Sanford.

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 to be returned by next Sunday, 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: 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 **GSLC Video Library on Wheels** will be available in the gathering space to check out videos after the 8:30 service and before and after the 11:00 service. Stephanie Mischka is our Library Check-out Coordinator.

Sunday, September 30, **Youth grades 6-12 and parents** will meet in the fellowship hall at Noon. Discussion will be on TeenServe and Youth Gatherings.

Also on September 30 at Noon, there will be an **Important Meeting for TeenServe Volunteers**.

There are **OPPORTUNITIES TO VOLUNTEER** each week. Sign up sheets are located in the Entranceway or on the kiosk for: **YOUTH READERS, USHERS, HOSPITALITY, NURSERY ATTENDANTS**. Please sign up for any that you feel best able to serve God's church.

Blanket Sunday is October 7. A barrel is in the gathering space to place your donations of new or gently used blankets or quilts. These items will benefit our local community.

A **Pulled Pork Sandwich Lunch**/coleslaw and potato chips will be held on Sunday, October 14. Take-outs will be available. (Beverage is not included in take-out.) Tickets are available from members of the youth group: \$5.00 donation. **Youth please sign up to work at the lunch.**

Tuesday, October 9, **All Committees** will meet at 6 pm followed by supper at 7 pm.

COMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars!

- Sept. 23** Acolyte Training
- Sept. 26** Red Cross Bloodmobile
- Sept. 29** Youth Group Air-Soft
- Sept. 30** TeenServe Volunteers Meet
- Sept. 30** Youth Grades 6-12 Meet
- Sept. 30** Stewardship Campaign Begins
- Sept. 30** Grocery Bag School Kits due
- Oct. 7** Blanket Sunday
- Oct. 9** Combined Meetings
- Oct. 14** Bible Sunday for 3rd graders
- Oct. 14** Congregational Meeting
- Oct. 14** Pulled Pork Sandwich Lunch
- Nov. 3** Fish Fry

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

Any questions, comments or concerns can be addressed to any member of the **Mutual Ministry Committee**.

The **Lighthouse Dixieland Jazz Band** will perform at the Conneaut Community Center on Sunday, Sept. 30 at 3:00 pm. \$5.00 donation accepted at the door. Includes: a dessert bar, assorted coffees and teas.

The **Erie Heights Brass Ensemble** will be playing Railroad Songs at the 1st Congregational UCC on Sunday, Sept. 30 at 7 pm. The \$6.00 concert benefits the Bell Fund. A lunchbox lunch will begin at 6 pm.

A **Congregational meeting** will be held after the 11:00 service on Sunday, October 14, to elect new council members.