

THIS WEEK AT GSLC

Sept. 30 – Oct. 7

HOLY COMMUNION STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Today

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

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

Tues. 9:00 Cover Girls Ministry
Noon Capital Campaign Mtg.
6:00 Girl Scouts

Wed. 5:45 Snack/Cherub & Youth
6:00 Cherub/Youth Choirs
6:00 Mom's Group

Thurs. 9:30 GSLC Senior Program
6:00 Conneaut Quilters Guild

Fri. Pastor's Day Off

Sat. 9:00 Men's Breakfast

OFFERINGS BUDGETED EACH WEEK

Needed per week \$ 3,884.00

Received Sept. 23, 2007 \$ 3,388.50
Received under budget - 495.50

Budget Year to Date
Behind in budget - \$15,912.65

Last Year at This Time
Behind in budget - \$ 5,777.09

ATTENDANCE for Sept. 23, 2007

8:30 A.M. 59
11:00 A.M. 195
Total 254

Sunday School 67

NEXT SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION

Blanket & School Kits Dedication
8:30 Contemporary Worship

9:45 Sunday School – Confirmation

11:00 Traditional Worship
Nursery Available

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 **PARENTS, JOHN and VILMA PERALA**, given by Martha Catrow and family.

Did you know that **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. Please notify the church office, 599-8908, if you or a member of your family is hospitalized.

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.

Today Youth grades 6-12 and parents will meet in the fellowship hall at Noon. Discussion will be on TeenServe and Youth Gatherings.

Also, today at Noon, there will be an **Important Meeting for TeenServe Volunteers.**

On October 4, Sister Barbara from St. Frances/St. Mary's Church will lead the devotions for the **GSLC COMMUNITY SENIORS PROGRAM**. The program presented by Betty Morrison will be on the Ashtabula County Covered Bridges and Festival. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Volunteers are always welcome to help with the program.

Blanket Sunday is next Sunday, 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.

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

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.**

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

There will be a **Fish Fry** dinner on November 3 from 4-7 pm at the church to benefit the Youth Mission.

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.

COMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars!

- 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. 4 GSLC Seniors Program**
- Oct. 6 Men's Breakfast**
- Oct. 7 Blanket Sunday**
- Oct. 9 Combined Meetings**
- Oct. 11 Community Teen Serve Mtg.**
- Oct. 13 Window Washing at GSLC**
- Oct. 14 Bible Sunday for 3rd graders**
- Oct. 14 Congregational Meeting**
- Oct. 14 Pulled Pork Sandwich Lunch**
- Oct. 18 GSLC Senior Program**
- Nov. 3 Fish Fry**

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

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

and

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

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) or 1-800-235-1010.