

In His Footsteps February 2012

I would like to thank everyone for their kind expressions of sympathy. The beautiful cards I received were so thoughtful. I would also like to thank everyone that helped prepare the lovely lunch after Clara's funeral service. It was much appreciated by both the Smith and Frey families,

Sincerely, *Margaret Frey*

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your contribution to Lutheran World Relief, received through Lower Susquehanna Synod. Your gift to LWR brings help to some of the world's most impoverished families in 35 countries worldwide.



Buying the grocery cards can help to balance our budget. We are given a 5% discount on every card we purchase to sell. The cards cost you nothing if you purchase a \$100 card it is worth \$100 at your grocery store. The store sells it to the church for \$95.00 giving us a \$5.00 profit. That doesn't sound like much but if **we ALL** purchased the grocery cards it would be a larger amount. See Linda Fritz before or after, worship to purchase cards for Giant, Weis, or Jerry's food stores.



Church Envelopes are on the back table.

When using the pew envelopes and cash please don't forget to put your **name** on the envelope.

There is a **LOG BOOK** lying on the counter in the office. This is to be used for you to write the date and any concerns / repairs / items that need to be attended to. You do not have to put your name in the log book just what you think needs attention.



The Dance Class is again being held at Saint James, on Saturday evenings 7 to 9 PM. We do have several singles to partner up with. Practice sessions are held on Wednesday evenings. During lent practice is held on Tuesday evenings.

New Missionary:

Saint James is sponsoring a new missionary located in Tanzania, our companion synod, Dr. Derrick Matthews and Dr. Dorothy M. Brewster-Lee. There is a profile of this couple posted on the bulletin board in the back of the church.

Starting in February every 3rd Wednesday through October, the Dallastown Nursing Center is **offering an education series about Dementia**. It is hard for families to understand the different types and what to expect from the future. This is FREE; the public is invited to attend. Presentations will begin at 7 for about one hour. Contact Ann Lucille Kollasch 244-9574 annlucille@dallastownnursingcenter.com.

We are sponsoring a new missionary starting this January 2012 as Viking Dietrich is now located in the United States. Our new missionary is Dr. Derrick Matthews and Dr. Dorothy M. Brewster-Lee located in Tanzania. There is an information sheet in today *In His Footsteps*.

Lent Worship Schedule:

Feb. 22-Ash Wednesday- St. Luke

Feb. 29-Bishop Hoover – St. Paul

March 7- Psalms of Sacred History-St. James

March 14-Psalms of Trust – St. Luke

March 21-Psalms of Lament – St. Paul

March 28- Psalms of Praise – St. James

We will have a free dinner of soup and sandwich to begin each Wednesday evening at 6:15 PM
Worship will be held at 7:30 PM

Can you be a greeter

before church begins or a lector? Please sign up on the sheet on the back table.

Would you help collect our offering?

Council meeting: Held Tuesday, January 10th
Welcomed new members Bob Eveler, George Hake
and Richard Konkel.

New officers of our council:

President: Jim Foresman
V. P. Richard Konkel
Sec. Sandy Miller
Treasurer Penny Posey

These new officers will be placed on the
People's Bank checking account as signers.

Jim Eveler and Penny Posey will be checking into
Getting a new insurance carrier.

Ash Wednesday will be held at St. Luke, the
bishop will attend the second lent worship at St.
Paul, the third Wednesday will be held at St.
James. Pastor Ferra will be asked about the
theme and if he wants to do every Wednesday's
sermon. Holy Week has not been discussed yet.

The roof on the back side of the mower shed needs
repair and the picnic building bathrooms need
repairs.

There will be a meeting after worship for all
members on Sunday, Feb. 5th. This meeting will be
to help encourage members to participate in our
three committees and to make decisions on the yard
sale/ toy give away.

The changes the Synod made and were approved by
the congregation were made to our constitution and
a copy will be sent to our synod.

Richard Konkel will do the devotions at the
February 14th meeting.



Daffodils are now on sale. The
money from the sale of the daffodils
is used for cancer patients in York
County. Sandy Miller is our
chairperson and order forms are on the back table.
Please make any checks payable to American
Cancer Society.

Nancy Shaul has volunteered to be our
representative chairperson for the Auxiliary drive
for the Shrewsbury Lutheran Home. The \$2 yearly
fee is used for the welfare of the village residents.
Please see Nancy after Sunday worship.

God is like.
Chevrolet. . . .the heart beat of America

God is like
Maxwell House.
Good to the very last drop

God is like.
DIAL SOAP
*Aren't you glad you have Him? Don't you wish
everybody did?*
