

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, January 17, 2010

This Week at Hope:

Sun., 1/17	9:30 a.m.	Worship – Sanctuary
	9:40 a.m.	Children’s Sunday School – Upstairs Classroom
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship – Fellowship Hall
	11:00 a.m.	Faithlink Adult Sunday School – Choir Classroom Topic: Credit and Faith Next Week: Climate Change
Tues., 1/19	7:00 p.m.	Building Committee – Choir Classroom
	7:00 p.m.	Private Event in Fellowship Hall
Wed., 1/20	6:30 p.m.	Choir - Sanctuary
Thurs., 1/21	12:00 p.m.	Bag Ladies – Fellowship Hall
	7:00 p.m.	A.A. – Fellowship Hall
Sat., 1/23	8:30 a.m.	Aurora District Training Event – New Lenox UMC
	8:30 a.m.	United Methodist Men – Fellowship Hall

*If you are using the church but not attending the above A.A. meeting, please do not use the door to Fellowship Hall.



Health concerns: Doris Douglas, Nola Owen, Arlene Campagna, Marge Dernul, Joel Farish, Laura Megown and her family after the death of her father (friend of Joan Crotty), Bruce Mather (son-in-law of Carole Blackwell), Jack Breen (father of Trish Nash), Jay Zupancic, Ann Applebee (Aunt of Jacqui Slaughter and Becky Gilliam), Jack Danford, Carol Cawvey, Rhonda Schraer, George Gauden, Greg Konskey (friend of Annette Craven), Dorothy Overbey (sister of Joan Crotty), Vic Genge, Wayne Rife (cousin of Tracey Hunter), Reed Hupach, and Dennis Fletcher (friend of Greg Chapman.)

In the Military: Tim Halberg, Frankie Juarez, Mike Montello (son of Sharon Becker), Jamie Zupancic (grandson of Shirley Zupancic and nephew of Sue Wietlispach), Peter Knight (son of Wayne and Jana Knight, grandson of Jack Danford), Don Beahm (son-in-law of Carole Blackwell).

Please keep bringing your **aluminum cans** to church. Proceeds will be used to purchase material for the Bag Ladies. See **Linda Hess** with questions.

The **Joliet Cluster** is continuing to support the **Ridgewood United Community Pantry**, an outreach ministry of **Trinity United Methodist Church**. We need **canned goods and canned or bottled 100% juice (not juice drinks)**. Please place them in the blue bin in the narthex.

A **New Members Class** for those who have been attending worship and want to learn more about membership will meet in the front of the Sanctuary after worship on **January 17, 24, and 31**. Contact **Pastor Glenna** if you plan to attend.

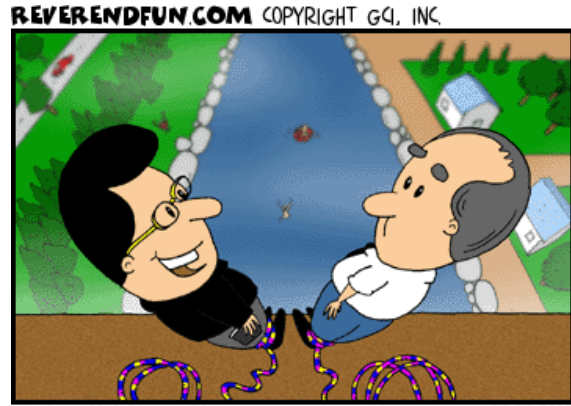
From Children’s Sunday School Teacher Ashley Allen - The children will be taken on one last trip before my leave. We are asking that the church joins us on **Sunday, February 7**, for a visit to **IHOP**. Please plan to wear your Hope United Methodist Church T-shirts. See me to RSVP.

There will be a church-wide **Spaghetti Dinner** on **Saturday, January 30, from 4-7 p.m.** This event is open to the public. Dinners are \$8 for adults, \$4 for children under 12. Carryout will be available. **See Roger or Linda Hess for tickets.**

Upcoming Events at Hope:

January 17, 24, 31	New Members Class – Sanctuary, following worship
January 23	Aurora District Leadership Training Event – New Lenox UMC
January 30	Spaghetti Dinner, 4-7 p.m.
February 2	Primary Election – Hope Church serves as a polling place
February 17	Ash Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.
February 21 – March 21	Lay Academy - Downers Grove First UMC (Sundays)

March 6	Corned Beef Dinner, Sponsored by United Methodist Men
March 14	Daylight Saving Time begins
March 28	Palm Sunday
April 1	Maundy Thursday
April 4	Easter Sunday



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