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KNOX NEWS

JANUARY 2012

One Community, One World, One Call:



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A letter from Rev. Clinton...

Dear Knox Members & Friends,

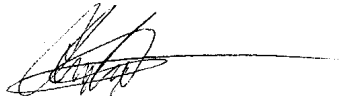
The Old Year is ending. This well-worn orb of rock and water we call our home is spinning its way around old Sol, now tipped outward into darkness. We are living on the razor-thin margin between earth and sky. Our lives are evanescent, passing like mist on the meadow or the afterglow of a wintry sunset, fading from gold to dusky red. The days of our life are spent one by one by one. They shine like stars at twilight, slowly opening in the sapphire sky above us—until only the starlight remains.

January is a time to remember:

- ☞ Our gratitude for friends and for family: for those who have loved us for love's sake alone...
- ☞ The beautiful things we have seen and heard and felt...
- ☞ The sorrow and distress which, like a whetstone, have honed our souls to a sharpened need for God...
- ☞ The dreams which still whisper their words of joy and hope to our hearts, like moonlight shining in through the windowpane and songs in the night...
- ☞ The presence of Christ who seeks and finds us in the desert places of our doubts, bringing us peace like a canteen of clear, cold water...
- ☞ The hands of God who holds our future as he does our past—in palms which have bled for us...

Friends, the New Year is beginning. Winter may reign for a time, but the light is growing--and the light will prevail. May your life be confirmed with new courage as you hold fast the promise of this brand new year. May you be blessed with the truth of Christ's love for you as you embrace—and expend--the time of your life.

With joy,



ADULT EDUCATION

SUNDAYS

Study Led by Brooks Reid 9:00 a.m. in the Sr. High Room (Basement)

The topic this month is TBD. Contact Brooks Reid with questions at gusreid@aol.com.

Confucius Study 10:30 a.m. Room 202 Leader: Jim Clinton

During Autumn and Advent the class has been watching the Jesus section of the video course "Confucius, Buddha, Jesus, and Muhammad." The class has decided to watch the presentations on the other three sages. In January we will begin Confucius.

1/1 No Class

1/8 A Quartet of Sages

1/15 Confucius' China

1/22 Becoming a Sage

1/29 A gentleman and a Scholar

TUESDAYS

Men's Study of The Gospel of John Leader: Frank Mayer

9:00 a.m. in Room 202

Study Led by Sue Curry 9:00 a.m. in Room 203

The topic for this month is TBD. Contact Sue Curry with questions at curry.sue21@gmail.com.

Christianity's Family Tree - What Other Christians Believe and Why

1:00-2:30 p.m. Led by Rev. Deb Roberts in her office

Another excellent study by Pastor Adam Hamilton, this book covers the main Christian traditions with which we are most familiar. Added to this study will be a look at the scriptures which undergird the traditions. We will also add a brief look at the other major world religions which are represented in our communities.

Tuesday Evening Bible Study Leader: Rev. Eric Heinekamp

We will continue our study of Genesis from *The Bible from Scratch* by Donald L. Griggs. 7:30 p.m. at Limestone Brewery, 12337 South Route 59. Please contact Rev. Eric with any questions at ejkamp@aol.com.

WEDNESDAYS

Women On Wednesdays Leaders: Margaret Lambka & Robin Kolar

9:15-11:15 a.m. with childcare and activities for infants and children through Kindergarten WOW begins again January 18 with a study of Philippians & Colossians - "That I May Know Him" by Kay Arthur and David Lawson. "Knowing Him, Knowing Joy" is the theme of Philippians and "Knowing Him, Knowing His Power" is the theme of Colossians. Join us as we study these letters from Paul and discover God's words of Truth and how we can have

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joy regardless of the circumstances of our lives. Questions? Contact Robin Kolar (630-369-4539) or Margaret Lambka (630-420-7885).

Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World Leader: Rev. Deb Roberts

7:00-8:30 p.m. in her office

Based on the story of two sisters from the gospel of John, this study has become a recent classic for women as it goes to the heart of life's time crunch and spiritual growth.

With a helpful study guide that pulls the reader deeper into scripture, the book seeks to help women find intimacy with God in the business of life.

THURSDAYS

Daybreakers Leader: Rev. Clinton Roberts

6:00 a.m. in the Coffee Bar

Thursday Morning Bible Study Leader: Rev. Cindy Karis

9:30-11:00 a.m. Room 202 (Child Care Provided). We will be using *What's so amazing about Grace?*, a fourteen-week study by Phillip Yancey concluding May 17. Please join us! Contact Rev. Cindy Karis at ckaris@knoxpres.org or 630-615-4308 if interested.

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CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

FAMILY FELLOWSHIP

Chicago Wolves
Faith and
Fellowship Night

Saturday, February 4
7:00 p.m. Game
Cost: \$14 per ticket
Deadline: January 23

RSVP to Jenny Hubbard
jhubbard@knoxpres.org
630-615-4318

Middle School Fellowship Lazer Tag

Date: Saturday, January 28
Time: 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Cost: \$15.00

(includes, 2 games lazer tag, pizza, pop
and \$4 game tokens)
Cyberspace, 24125 111th St.

Save the Date - Snow Tubing
Date: Saturday, February 11

RSVP to Jenny Hubbard
Jhubbard@knoxpres.org
630-615-4318

Wednesday Night Programs Resume January 11
5:00 to 7:30 p.m. (Dinner included)



Prime Time - Grades K, 1 & 2
J.A.M. - Grades 3, 4 & 5
G3 - Grades 6, 7 & 8

Registration Forms
at church and
on the web

Contacts: Jenny Hubbard (J.A.M. & G3) jhubbard@knoxpres.org
Jane Burkelman (Prime Time) jburkelman@knoxpres.org



The Sunday School Scoop



SS Mission Project - Feeding the Hungry

Thank you to all who brought food for Loaves & Fishes as your SS Offering.



On Nov 19, Loaves & Fishes welcomed a group of 41 adults and children. We toured their new facility and heard about all the services that they are able to bring to people.

- ◆ The children all stepped on their large scale - over 1000# of giggles
- ◆ The children also sorted 283 pounds of food which we had brought.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CALENDAR

January 1 - Sunday School will not meet.

Remember at Knox, children are always welcome in worship.

When SS doesn't meet, children up to PreK are also welcome in childcare.

January 8 - Sunday School resumes.

Contact: Jane Burkelman, Co-Director of Children's Ministries, jburkelman@knoxpres.org

CHILDREN'S DAY OUT

Children's Day Out - Fall 2012 registration begins in January for all classes. Our educational ministry is available to children age 15 months through 4 years by September 1. Children may attend up to 2 days per week from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Registration fees for church members are \$35 for the first child and \$10 per sibling. Daily tuition is \$20. Please look for our information at knoxpres.org or contact Beth Burner at 630-355-7544.

WAYS TO SERVE...

GO & SERVE FUNDRAISER

Dine at Limestone Brewery on the first Thursday of the month, January through June. Say you're with Go & Serve, and 10% will be donated back to Knox for the Go & Serve mission trip June 10-16, 2012!

HESED HOUSE



We are always in need of volunteers for both food donations and evening shifts on site. The next volunteer night is **Saturday, January 28**. Contact Doug or Jan Isley at 630-904-4496 if you can help. There is an ongoing need for bicycles by Hesed House guests. If you have a bike that is in very good working condition that you wish to donate, contact Joan Schaeffer at 630-416-1765.



WOULD YOU LIKE A ONE-TIME VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY? HOW ABOUT OFFERING TO PROVIDE A DINNER FOR TEENAGE MOMS (AND DADS) AND THEIR LITTLE ONES THIS NEW YEAR?



We would welcome anyone who would be interested in providing and serving a pre-planned meal to approximately 25 TPC young parents and their infants and toddlers on a Tuesday evening. There are many dates available from January through May for you to select. Meals need not be home cooked or complicated. Menu suggestions, instructions, reimbursement and personal support are available. Dinner is served at 6:30 p.m. allowing you to finish by 7:30 p.m.!


TPC (Teen Parent Connection) is a local nonprofit organization which provides programs and services related to teenage pregnancy and parenting. Knox Church has hosted and provided the facilities and family style meals as a vital mission and outreach program for over 20 years. To learn more about Teen Parent Connection please refer to their website: <http://www.teenparentconnection.org>.

Heidi Paulius at 630-548-4179 or hpaulius05@sbcglobal.net or Bonnie Olson at 630-355-4417 or bdolson@ntsource.com would be happy to answer any questions you may have about participating. Please consider choosing a date for you or your organization to help.

TPC participants continually express their gratitude for the wonderful meals, hospitality and love they receive from our congregation. We sincerely thank you for your past and continued support!

7th Annual
WORLD PEACE DAY INTER-FAITH PRAYER SERVICE
Sunday, January 1, 2:00 p.m.
Meiley-Swallow Hall Theater, 31 S. Ellsworth
North Central College, Naperville

One Community, One World, One Call:
Freedom, Compassion,
Justice & Equality



We enter this new year with apprehension about the future but full of hope in what is possible. We may not fully comprehend what this year will bring but we know we must stand ready to act as we look to the darkness of the eastern sky for the first rays of a new dawn. Join us in a time of prayer, song and reflection as one community, one world with one call.

LOAVES & FISHES



The next Hunger Sunday is **January 1**. We will continue to use the monthly list that is posted on the website. For January, the wish list specifies hot and cold cereal. Donations can be left in or near the Loaves & Fishes bin next to the Mission Council table. Thank you!! If you prefer to support the food pantry financially, envelopes can be found in the pews. With your \$10 donation, Loaves & Fishes can buy \$100 worth of goods. The coins collected in the yellow coin funnel are donated to Cents-Ability in support of their food and self-help programs for families in need.

COMMUNION SERVERS

Since 2006, Session approved the invitation to all adult members of Knox to serve Communion. We serve the first Sunday of every month at both services. The Worship Council handles this area. If you think you would be interested in finding out more information, please contact Bev Mayer at bmayer@knoxpres.org or 630-615-4325.



EVENTS & WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

HALL OF FAMERS LUNCHEON

January 5

Noon

Lehman Hall

Laura Marsh will present "Elegant Glassware" showcasing her Depression Glass originally sold by Sears. Laura is President of the National Imperial Glass Society. She has 1,200 pieces of Lace Edge which she inherited from her parents, Bill & Hazel Bonnema (charter members of Knox). A worship service at 11:30 a.m. in the Chapel will precede the luncheon. Please R.S.V.P. to Edna Shepherd 630-357-1067 by January 2.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

- **Mary/Martha Circle** will meet **Tuesday, January 10**, at 9:00 a.m. at the home of Sue Mortenson, 28W641 Leverenz Rd. All are welcome. Contact person is Ineke Pelella 630-357-3350.
- **Rachel-Rebekah Circle** will meet on **Tuesday, January 10**, at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Bonnie Poole, 804 Burning Tree Lane. Contact Rose Smilgys 630-851-4652 or rose.smilgys@gmail.com or Ruth Feightner 630-355-6451 or rafeightner@earthlink.net for more information.
- **Deborah Circle** Contact person is Donna Christopherson at 815-372-1424.
- **Ruth Circle** will meet on **Thursday, January 19**, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parlor. Contact persons are Pam Williams 630-470-5199 or Bev Mayer at 630-615-4325.

MEN'S MONTHLY BREAKFAST

January 14

8:00 a.m.

Fellowship Hall

Donation \$5. The program this month is TBD. Contact Frank Mayer, fjmayerxge@comcast.net.

EVENING BOOK CLUB

We decided not to meet in January due to busy Holiday schedules. Our next meeting will be on **February 14** at 7:30 p.m. when we will discuss *Little Bee* by Chris Cleave. Please feel free to drop in. Questions? Call Janice Wiles at 630-416-9537.

LADIES, SAVE A DATE IN FEBRUARY!

Reinvent your wardrobe! Are you looking for ways to spice up an outfit or want to know how to put different pieces together to get a trendy look? Come join us for a ladies night out and learn the answers to your burning wardrobe questions. Actual date TBD.

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EMPTY NESTERS JANUARY EVENT

January 14, 7:00 p.m.

January is Game Night at the home of Al & Cristi Musser, 1357 Green Trails Dr., Naperville . R.S.V.P. to Christi Musser 630-369-7345 or acjl@wideopenwest or Deb Roberts 630-615-4306 or droberts@knoxpres.org by January 11. Hope to see you there!

CHILIMANIA 2012

Sunday, January 22, after the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services



SAVE THE DATE! The Deacons of Knox invite you to one of the finest gastronomic experiences of your life: CHILIMANIA 2012. You will have the chance to sample over 30 wonderful chili recipes prepared by the Great Chili Chefs/Dacons of Knox.

OLD FASHIONED VALENTINE BAKE & CRAFT SALE

Like homemade cookies?, cakes?, cards? Please be sure to make it into Lehman Hall on **Sunday, February 5**, between services. **Attention bakers and crafters, donations are welcome!** Items such as homemade Valentine cards, jewelry, jars with Valentine candy, cakes, cupcakes, pies, brownies, cookies and breads will be big hits! Please drop off donations on Saturday, February 4, by 1:00 p.m. If you have any questions, contact Carolyn Lorenz at 630-898-4738.



PRESBYTERIAN PRAIRIE HOME COMPANION

The third annual Presbyterian Prairie Home Companion Radio hour will be held **February 19**. A pot luck dinner at 5:00 p.m. will be followed by the "radio broadcast," featuring a host of talents. We need YOUR talent!

Sign-ups for an audition time will be **January 15 and 22**. Auditions for vocal or instrumental talent will be held January 29 after the 10:30 a.m. service concludes. If you need an accompanist for your talent, please make those arrangements prior to your audition.



WINTER BLOOD DRIVE

Saturday, February 11

Support two great causes in one morning ~ donate blood during the Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast, 7:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Sign up on online at www.heartlandbc.org.

BOY SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Boy Scout Troop 505 will host their annual Pancake Breakfast on February 11, from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Net proceeds will be used to purchase and maintain troop supplies and camping equipment. Tickets are available in advance from any Troop 505 Scout. Tickets in advance: \$5.00 - Day of Breakfast at the door: \$6.00. There will be drawings, all you can eat pancakes and sausage, coffee, juice, milk and more for everyone.



KNOX SEASONED CITIZENS

Saturday, February 18

Meet at the Church, and we will drive over to Starved Rock at 9:30 a.m. for eagle watching and lunch. See these beautiful birds in their natural habitat. Dress warmly, and bring binoculars & cameras. R.S.V.P. by **February 1** to Rev. Cindy Karis at ckaris@knoxpres.org or 630-615-4308.



INDIAN PRAIRIE GREAT BANQUETS

The next set of Indian Prairie Great Banquets are quickly approaching. The men's banquet will take place **February 23-26**, and the women's banquet will be **March 1-4**. The Great Banquet is a ministry that provides a three-day spiritual renewal experience. The banquet offers an opportunity to step away for three days of worship, talks, discussion, table fellowship and sharing of life experiences. Each banquet weekend encourages attendees in their faith and in their relationship with the church. Everyone is welcome to attend, regardless of church affiliation. This is a non-denominational ministry representing and supported by more than a dozen churches in the Chicagoland area. Knox will be hosting the next set of weekends!

Save the date and give yourself a chance to step away from the chaos of life, and devote a weekend to spiritual affirmation and renewal. If you are interested in learning more about the Great Banquet, please contact Pastors Deb Roberts, Clint Roberts, Cindy Karis or Robert Thomas Quiring. More information can also be found at www.ipgb.org.

CHURCH NEWS

ENOUGH: DISCOVERING JOY THROUGH SIMPLICITY & GENEROSITY

A heartfelt "Thank You!" goes out to all who helped make this year's stewardship effort so successful by turning in an estimate of giving commitment card. As of December 11, we have exceeded last year's total pledged support of Knox (with nearly sixty households who pledged last year from whom we have not yet heard). We received 55 new pledges and 165 households who increased their pledge.

Your giving commitment is important to God and to the work of our church. If you have not yet turned in your estimate of giving commitment card, it is not too late to do so. Our planning for ministry and support of our missions depend on it. This month, Knox's Session will be finalizing the 2012 Operating Budget which supports our ministry and missions, which will be presented at our Annual Meeting on February 12. You can pick up a card at the Welcome Desk, download one from our website at www.knoxpres.org or call in your commitment to Rita Eagleson at (630) 615-4301.

Thank you again for all you give to build up the Body of Christ!



COMING IN JANUARY! MORE FROM YOUR KNOX WEBSITE

Are you taking advantage of the Knox Website? We know that many of you already turn there for the “latest and greatest.” If you are not familiar with our website, there is a lot of information to be gained! You can find out about the latest happenings for youth, families, upcoming church events, Bible study groups and mission trips. There are the weekly sermons, mission opportunities, financial updates and links to knoxblog.org, the high school website, an online event calendar and links to each of our mission partners. You can contact any staff member by email as well.

For most mission trips, youth or adult, there is a daily blog with photos of the experience. If you have not read the blog from the trip to Joplin in November, look for the link under Events & Announcements. Watch for Robert Thomas Quiring's blog on the December

Also starting in January there will be these new features:

- ⇒ A New Years daily devotional will begin, entitled - 3D with Rev. Deb. That's short for Deb's Daily Devotional. With the help of staff and congregational members, daily encouragement and prayers will be posted. The theme will be getting and keeping fit in all aspects of life. Have you even had a moment to think about your New Year's resolutions?
- ⇒ A Young Families chat link will allow folks to ask questions and discuss important needs with one another.
- ⇒ Coming later in the new year, you will be able to register and pay for Knox events on line. Soooooo, go to www.knoxpres.org and see what a great resource it is!

LIBRARY CORNER

The Knox Library is moving forward. We're glad you stopped by in November. We hope you will check us out between services in January. Come and see the new books! Sign up to borrow books. Thank you to those of you who purchased books for the Library. Thanks to our Library Committee for their many efforts as well. We are always looking for new helpers to catalog books and re-shelve books or join the Library Committee. If you are interested please contact Rose Smilgys, our head Knox Librarian at rose.smilgys@gmail.com.

BOOK REVIEW

Good News From North Haven and *Leaving North Haven--The Adventures of a Small Town Pastor* are written by Michael L. Lindvall. With the same delightful flavor of the Father Tim series, these novels introduce us to congregational members and townsfolk of all ages, just like the ones we have known and loved and feared. Rev. Lindvall is the pastor at Brick Presbyterian Church in Manhattan.



KNOX F.T.E. GRANT FOR THE COLLEGE MENTORING PROGRAM UPDATE

F.T.E. stands for the Fund for Theological Education. Knox was awarded this grant last July. Our Fall kick off 'Serving from the Heart' was Phase I of this grant program. Phase 2 is underway with the College Mentorship Committee headed by Rudi Tanck and our new ministry intern, Katie Hartwell. The College Mentorship Committee is comprised of high school students (who are soon to be college students) and adult members from Knox. They are:

Youth: Jackie Trowbridge, Justin Van Blaricom, Rachel Nelson,
Adults: Kathy Vita, Bill Morgan, Lori Dickens
Pastoral Liaisons: Robert Quiring and Deb Roberts

This group is part of a small, cutting edge effort to develop relationships and programmatic ties that support college freshman and strengthen their ties to their home church and more importantly, to a life of faith. The committee is now preparing launch events in the New Year for our youth and potential adult mentors. Each month we will report on this exciting endeavor.

THANK YOU'S



THANK YOU FROM OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you to all who brought in Operation Christmas Child boxes and donations. With your donations and the Middle School Service Crews extra work to put together boxes, we were able to donate 81 boxes! With their new tracking system, we know that some of our boxes went to the Dem. Republic of the Congo.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S SILENT AUCTION & RAFFLE

Presbyterian Women would like to thank the congregation for their support and donations to the Silent Auction and Raffle. We raised \$5,750.00 for local charities.

CHRISTMAS ANGELS

We delivered 186 gifts this year. There have not been this many requests for coats & boots in the years since I have been involved. We are blessed to be able to help the people in Sisseton experience the miracle of Christmas. For everyone that participated, we thank you for your warm generous hearts. Thank you to Rose Smilgys, Ineka Pelela, Doug & Sally Hansen, Michal Baker, Cindy Darling and Patty Reed for helping us get everything ready to be loaded on the truck under the tutelage of Robert Thomas Quiring and Mat Hacker.

-Julie Milldrum

Aurora families who received the gifts from Knox were overwhelmed with gratitude. Tears, smiles and hugs were expressed by children who live near. Your acts of service showed love for children in need by letting the love of Jesus shine through you.

-Amy Kendryna





2011 KNOX CHRISTMAS CARD FUND

Thanks to the following persons who contributed to the Knox Christmas Card Fund in lieu of sending cards to Knox members:

John Bergesen	Fran McCormick
Alma Lou Bonham	Larry & Carol McCoy
Carol Boals	Gary & Alice McGregor
Jerry & Corrine Borg	Barbara Miller
Richard & Liz Bradley	Ron & Dotty Mobley
Helen Brassington	Shirlee Moore
Sam & Ginny Burton	Dick & Maggie Nelson
Bob & Jean Casper	Mary Ellen Neumeister
Bob & Diane Charles & Jonathan	Blanche Pettit & Family
Dick & Kay Cline	Gale & Lyn Pewitt
Marshall & Betty Cornell	Bonnie Poole
Bunny Cox	Marshall & Carol Price
Derek & Tammy Dusenberry & Family	Rev. Robert Thomas Quiring
Gerald & Eileen Engstrom	Pat Real
Ruth Feightner	Revs. Clinton & Deb Roberts
Larry & Linda Gerner	Lillian Robinson
Pat Gislain	Russ & Jo Ann Sault
Mark & Pam Guth and Bob Coffey	Helene Schaefer
Michael & Jan Gravel & Family	Linda Mast & Bard Schatzman
Charlie & Dot Hall	Bill & Anne Sherren
"Mildred Hasner" Allan Hins	Awad & Rhoda Sifri
Rich & Betty Hemmeter	Chuck & Rose Smilgys
John & Helen Hocking	Jim & Alice Snelgrove
Richard & Sandi Hurford	Helen Souta
John & Connie Janke	Joan Stempel
Jeff & Jill Johnson	John & Judy Stone
Jerry & Char Johnson	Bob & June Swanson
Randy Johnson, Diane Heintz & Family	John Thompson
Rev. Dave Bebb & Ann Beran Jones	The Ullestad Family
Rev. Cindy Karis, Harold & Jackie Bullard	Doug, Daryl & Jeanine Varney
Walt & Mary Ellen Kelly	Erich & Vicki Wachendorf
Mike & Christy Krumholz	Doris Walker
Rev. Ken Lehman	Bob and Carol White
Peg Little	Ben & Nancy Whitmer
Bryon & Kim Lynn	Rhoda Wilson
Frank & Bev Mayer	Rick & Pat Warren

Donations made to the Fund supported the following missions:

Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry	Scott Moreau Fund
Hesed House	Lehman Foundation Fund
Sherren Scholarship Fund	



CARE MINISTRIES

Nursing Home/Home Bound:

Pick up a weekly prayer concerns card in the Commons for a list of our members who are in nursing homes & home bound.

Illness/Health Concerns:

Helen Aiken
Roger Bergland (Joan Tanck's cousin)
Cindy & Bessie (co-workers of Norm Canfield)
Helen Brassington
Katie Bryan (daughter of Steve & Cheri Tompkins)
Marshall Cornell (Cathy Lemke's father)
Neels de Coning
Star Downs (friend of Jo Banta)
Samilana Dragan (Larisa Vujic's aunt)
Evelyn Engelking
Viki Fareno (Jeanne & Max Adams' daughter)
Pearl Foote (Shirley McDonald's mother)
Jadon Fry (Alan & Nancy Fry's grandson)
Ryan Geers
Colleen Horek (Mary Horek's sister-in-law)
Phil Houston
Evelyn Ireland (Sheri Berk's mother)
Paul Jones
Wayne Kozlowski (friend of Marilee Slick)
Sara Laker (friend of Rita Eagleson)
Patty Legaspi (Judy Ancona's friend)
Ross Lorenz
Jerry Marshall
Doris Moss
Dave Omerod (brother of Tim)
Stewart Pattison (friend of Janet Hyde)
Doral Pavlicek
Maura Rego (Pat Real's daughter)
Doug Riley (neighbor of Barcheskis)
Carol Schaible (Anne Mair's friend)
Bob Sleep (Tim's father)
Marilee Slick
Helen Souta
Justin Souta (Helen's grandson)
Andrew Stormer (Mary Horek's brother)

Andrew Tihlarik
Daisy Trimnell
Ann Vanderschaff (Ellen Dickinson's sister)
Jenn Visser
Phyllis Walker (Merle Ann Moore's cousin)
Alan Winslow

Grieving:

The Bailey family on the death of John on December 9.

The Eagleson family on the death of Rita's cousin, Jim Teders, on November 27.

The Hasner family on the death of Mildred on November 27.

The Haworth family on the death of Carl on November 17.

The Jones family on the death of Star on December 13.

A YEAR WITH THE BIBLE - 2012

A Year With The Bible 2012 booklets are now available on the Prayer Table for a donation of \$1.00.



REMINDER TO MEDICATE BENEFICIARIES

Knox offers free one-on-one assistance to older adults on Medicare. Need help choosing a Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Plan? Confused about Medicare Supplements? Call the Church Office to make an appointment, or contact Isabella Holden at 630-369-0632 or i_holden@comcast.net.



SEEKING EMPLOYMENT

Success: Marilyn McCormick and Joy Hudson

Those still looking: Don Clouston, Tim Cox, Eun Crowcroft, Harry Crowcroft, Lynne Jelle, Becky Kedzie, Matt Kelly, Merrill Miller, Rick Skinner, Davida Smith, Joe Sova, Anne Swanson, Steve Tompkins.

GLUTEN FREE COMMUNION TRAY

There is a **gluten free communion tray at the 10:30 a.m. service**. The gluten free bread will always be served at the right rear position. If you have gluten sensitivity/allergy, check with the server to make sure you go to the correct tray. (Even though the bread is prepared in an offsite gluten-free kitchen, we cannot be responsible for any cross contamination that might occur.)



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January	1	Hunger Sunday/Communion Sunday World Peace Day Inter-Faith Prayer Service (offsite) CDO Fall 2012 Registration begins
January	5	Hall of Famers Go & Serve Fundraiser (offsite)
January	8	Sunday School Resumes
January	11	Wednesday Night Programs Resume
January	14	Men's Monthly Breakfast Empty Nesters (offsite)
January	22	Chilimania
January	28	Middle School Fellowship Lazer Tag (offsite) Hesed House (offsite)



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