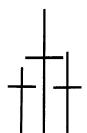
## March 2012 Newsletter



# Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

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### To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

With the dawn of modern medicine and the relative peace and prosperity of our age, our lives are ones of ease and comfort – from the world's standard. I know that our nation is currently at war. Lives are filled with tragedy, loss, abuse, cancer, and other ravages of sin which hit far too close to home. The stock market has seen better days. Yet, none of you worry about soldiers forcing you from your homes, sending you to refugee camps, or circumstances which lead to your starving out in the cold.

Diseases which once meant certain death are now sometimes even easily treated. Polio, measles, mumps, plague, and small pox have not threatened us for many years. Through most of time, mother's dying in childbirth or the dreaded ruptured appendix touched most every family. Since the Fall into sin, most generations have lived in a world in which disease and destruction were all too common. The early Church arose at a time when life expectancy was in the 30's and anyone over 60 was considered truly old. In the days of the apostles, over one-third of all people were slaves and in some areas it was as high as 60%.

In our nation, gone are the days when one bad crop meant the poor risked starvation or the threat of slavery. Our fear seems to be that we will eat too much. As many of you know, I am currently in a contest with Pastor Bender because we both are trying to lose 20 pounds. Advertisements for weight loss products fill the airwaves.

When I talk to the youth of our church – and even with many adults – their greatest fear is boredom – a sense of nothing to do. Fear that someone somewhere is having more fun than me and I am being left out.

Some of you are probably thinking, "I wish that I had time on my hands." You do have time on your hands. Every 24 hours of a given day, you choose to fill that time in some way.

Working long hours, playing sports, going to a movie, or watching "Biggest Loser" are not sinful activities in and of themselves. However, there was a time when reading Scripture and the Catechism in the home was a common daily activity among Christian families.

The modern complaint is that there is no extra time in the day. However, before modern technological advancement heated our homes, washed and dried our clothes, transported us to work, and preserved our food, families seemed to find the time for God's Word.

We tend to avoid what we fear. If boredom is the fear of modern man, then modern man's greatest desire would to be to find the time for every form of entertainment or activity and then schedule our lives around those seemingly endless events.

We see this kind of scheduling in the lives of people of all ages. Schedule some time for the Lord and you will understand what Jesus meant when He said, "Come to Me, all you who are wearied and burdened, and I will give you rest.

In Christ,

Pastor Eden

# Who's Who at Our Redeemer-

| President            | Larry Foster                          | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2012  |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Vice-President       | Bill Dicks                            | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2012  |
| Secretary            | Wanda Spohr                           | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2012  |
| Treasurer            | Donna Haire                           | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2012  |
| Financial Secretary  | Janett Mueller                        | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2012  |
|                      |                                       |                        |
| Education Board      | Becky Lunt                            | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013  |
|                      | Lisa Howerton                         | Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012  |
|                      | Hannah Ott, S. S. Supt., ex officio   | appointed              |
|                      | Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio | appointed              |
|                      |                                       |                        |
| Board of Elders      | Terry Morse                           | Oct. 2011 – Sept. 2013 |
|                      | Jerry Lunt                            | Oct. 2011 – Sept. 2013 |
|                      | ????                                  | Oct. 2011 - Sept. 2013 |
|                      | Chris Knapp                           | Oct. 2010 – Sept. 2012 |
|                      | Ryan Vaughn                           | Oct. 2010 - Sept. 2012 |
|                      | Ray Miklius                           | Oct. 2010 – Sept. 2012 |
|                      |                                       |                        |
| Evangelism Board     | Rosie Meyer                           | Nov. 2010 – Sep. 2012  |
|                      | Michelle Urbon                        | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013  |
|                      |                                       |                        |
| Property Board       | Steve Kaiser                          | Oct. 2011 – Sep. 2013  |
|                      | Bill Humphrey                         | Oct. 2010 - Sep. 2012  |
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| Stewardship Board    | Eldon Schoch                          | Oct. 2011 - Sep. 2013  |
|                      | Jim Howerton                          | Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012  |
| Youth Ministry Board | Heidi Schlipman                       | Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012  |
|                      | ????                                  |                        |

## **Remembering In Our Prayers**



REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES: Mark and Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Steve Clark, Aaron DeWerff, Cindy Flesner, Rick Flesner, Michael Goodwin, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Ryan Keller, Jason Klauser, Dan Meyer, John Miller, Jeremy Myers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Schmitt, Ryan Thruston, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, and Patrick Weppler.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Sean Burner, Chris Clevenger, Joann Durbin, Max Ellerbrock, Joseph Hoebing, Roger Hyer, Kim Long, Michael Morgan, Nancy O'Neal, Nancy Ott, Karen Lannerd Sams, Cole Schullian, Jenita Stephens, Kory Tournear, Janet Terwische, Jacob Weimer, Vicki Wemhoener and Judy Wessel.

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS: Norma Baird, Dolores Bruenger, Guye Dedert, Maxine Delven, Gloria Douglas, Barbara Ebel, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Paul Hagemann, Ruth Holt, Merle Kuntemeier, Florence & Dorothy Lavery, Jesse Leenerts, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Marilyn Newman, Dorothy Pflantz, Patricia Powers, Dora Rodefeld, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, Lucille Stuffing, Thea Sueltman, Ida Utterback, Robert Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen.

## **Keep Our Missionaries in Your Prayers**

Our Family in Turkey

Apple of His Eye Mission Society,

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Latvia,

The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Harlow, Essex, U.K.,

The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church in Germany,

Mrs. Alvina Federwitz in Liberia, West Africa,

Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz and their children in Papua New Guinea,

Danny and Becca DeLoach and their children in Pasadena, California (Studying for Doctorate) Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough.



## **Our Seminary Students**

Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN: Joel Brassfield, 143 Grafton Court, Kohler, WI 53044



### **Our Mission**

To the glory of God we are SHARING Our Redeemer by ...

CARING for one another in Christian love and compassion ENCOURAGING growth and outreach through worship and Bible study

## **Sunday School Staff**

Superintendents – Melissa Knapp & Hannah Ott

Kindergarten – Suzanne Troxel

Grades 3 & 4 – Haley Ott

Grades 7 & 8 - Cyndi Ott

Pre-school – Kim Mercurio & Susan Weiss

Grades 1 & 2 – Monica Foster

Grades 5 & 6 - Donna Haire

High School – Steve & Donna Schoch

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### **News & Notes**

### **Drawer Cart by the Office Steps**

Top Drawer: For Campbell's labels & General Mills box tops for education, HyVee UPCs, County Market brand UPCs, & Tyson A+ lablels. They benefit the St. James school library. They can't use the Betty Crocker or the Kool-Aid points though. Thanks!

2<sup>nd</sup> Drawer: For any type used greeting card fronts. Good Samaritan home uses them to make things.

3<sup>rd</sup> Drawer: For cancelled stamps for missions. They must be complete stamps.

**GREETING CARDS** (sponsored by the PLuS group) Be sure to check out the variety of assorted greeting cards. Each card is only \$ .50.

St. James Lutheran School Cookbooks for sale! These are hard-cover, 3 ring bound cookbooks listing hundreds of recipes submitted by LCMS churches and school families. The cost is \$20 per cookbook. They make great presents!! Checks should be made out to St. James Lutheran School PTL.

**March offerings** from Sunday School are going to the Banner Committee.

**Concordia Food Bank** If anyone is interested in mailing coupons to the Seminary Food Bank, the address is: Concordia Food Bank, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105.

**Sunday School Snacks**: Donations of snack items for the children are always welcome! Snack Cereal, cookies, breakfast bars, etc. are welcome treats. Thanks!

**SAVE THOSE LABELS & McDonald's Receipts!!!** – HyVee upcs, General Mills box tops, Campbell labels and Tyson A+ Project labels are turned in to help fund the St. James School Library.

**Food Bank** – Our Church still offers food to our families who need a helping hand. If you know of someone who needs some help, contact the church office @ 223-1769.



The Rada Cutlery is an ongoing fundraiser. Once we have enough orders that total around \$60 to \$70, we will place an order.

# IN STOCK RADA ITEMS AVAILABLE EVERYDAY in the OLD CHAPEL.

Just make your selections and leave your payment. NO TAX. NO SHIPPING.
If you would like to order any additional items, please fill out an order to submit with your payment.

Rada has a variety of products: cutlery, stoneware, soy wax candles, and quick mixes.

Catalogs are available. Feel free to take one. Sales to benefit Lutheran education!

Thank you to all of you who have placed orders.

We hope you are enjoying your items, and we appreciate your support!

**Are you missing a pan,** dish or just a plastic lid? A collection of items have been left in the kitchen from various church activities. Please check the kitchen counter for your lost item.

NAPKINS - There are a few packages of napkins left in stock for sale. They are now located by the greeting cards. All napkins are now "free will donation." The sale of greeting cards (and those few remaining napkins) support the PLuS group and Lutheran education. Thank you!



You are invited to Good Shepherd's Annual Soup Supper in Clayton, IL on Sat, Mar.3 @ 5 p.m. A free will offering will be taken.

There will be Chili & Oyster Soup, Hotdogs & Barbecue, Homemade Pies & Cakes.

### Children's Easter Egg Hunt- PLuS is



looking for wrapped candy donations for the Children's Easter Egg Hunt. Please

drop off your candy donations by Sunday, March 18th in the Easter basket under the table by the stairs. Page 4 All Thrivent Members: If you have "Choice Dollars" you were sent an important letter involving changes for 2012 & 2013. In order for ORLC to continue to receive Choice Dollars, member will have to return the tear-off slip at the bottom of the letter. A stamped, addressed envelope is provided to return the tear-off slip.

### Voter's Meeting Highlights -

- 1. Discussed Lutheran TV for Shutins.
- Discussed the Long Range Planning Committee Report. Reports available at the back of the church.
- Approved summer schedule. Normal Sat night service. One service @ 9:00 on Sunday morning and No Sunday School for children or adults. Schedule starts on June 10<sup>th</sup> and ends at the end of August.
- Approved a thank you script card for Bill Humphrey for installing the bell and kitchen outlets.
- 5. Next Meeting May 20, 1:00.
- 6. Create a remodeling committee.
- 7. Re-convene the technology committee.

**Domestic Abuse Re-lief** is begging for volunteer help. This new non-profit organization works much like Habitat for Humanity except they rehab old homes and provide them to victims of domestic abuse and their children. They are presently working on 505 Sycamore and 614 Elm. Call 217-653-4989 for more info.

Please join your fellow sisters in Christ for a Book Study! - This study will kick off on Sat., March 10<sup>th</sup> @ 10am in the Fellowship Hall. We will be meeting once a month to discuss chapter by chapter a book that is being selected with the help of Pastor Eden. We will be announcing it very soon so as to have them ready to distribute at the meeting. Since it's the first time we've done this, we will be learning a little as we go, but are looking for a very enjoyable way to get the most out of the book and at the same time, gather wonderful insight from each other! We look forward to seeing you there! Please call Michele Clevenger with any questions at 217.224.7881.

A new Newsletter from our family in Turkey is on the table in the Narthex. Please read it.



**14<sup>th</sup> Annual CID Day** at the Ballpark. As Spring Training rolls around, preparations are underway for Sat., July

21<sup>st</sup>, @ 3:15 p.m. Seats for this year's contest between the Cubs and Cardinals will be in the Infield Terrace sections - the same level as last year but behind home plate. Cost per ticket is \$40 (20% off of the premium game-day price of \$50). Order forms will be available later this spring. Get your groups together so you can order your tickets early. First day for orders will be May 29. For more info, see our webpage: <a href="http://www.grace-strasburg.com/cidday">http://www.grace-strasburg.com/cidday</a>.

Concordia Visitation Events: March 16, 2012, is for college students thinking about becoming pastors & Deaconesses. There is no registration fee. You can receive housing in the dorms and at the end of the day a dinner will be provided. For registration forms and a detailed schedule see the secretary. June 23-28, 2012 is Vocatio, a fun event for youth entering 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade. This has a fee of \$150, but it includes meals, housing and all the entertainment, including a ballgame or a musical at the Muny.

OAFC Events: Join us at our events for fun, fellowship and the joy of spreading the Good News of Jesus. Help us make the Central Illinois Area grow. If you have any questions contact Jamie Louderback at 1-217-430-4760 or <a href="mailto:jamieoafc@live.com">jamieoafc@live.com</a>. Here is an updated list of the 2012 weekends, so that you can plan to take the appropriate time off from work, etc. March 16-18 Christ, Peoria, IL April 20-22 Redeemer, Peru-Mission congregation)
May 18-20 Concordia, Geneseo, IL June
Jul. Training, Good Shephard, Collinsville(Nat.) August

October – November
December New Years TBA **Kohl's Cares -** Go to Kohlskids.com between
Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> and Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> to nominate a young
volunteer (ages 6-18) who is doing great work

September 21-23 Good Shepherd, Sherman, IL

Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> and Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> to nominate a young volunteer (ages 6-18) who is doing great work to benefit their community. They could win \$50.00 to a \$10,000 scholarship. See the poster & tear off pad for your reminder. It's on the table in the Narthex.

### PLuS THANK YOU OFFERING -

The Parents of Lutheran Students thank you for your continued support of Lutheran Education! In the past year, we have had another successful Very Merry Market, a t-shirt fundraiser, ongoing Rada sales, greeting card sales, various bake sales and a Thanksgiving Pie Sale.

A \$3600 thank you offering is being given to Our Redeemer for all the ways you have helped support Lutheran Education. THANK YOU!

**Volunteer Teacher of the Year** nominations are being taken by the CID now until March 12, 2012. Guidelines and forms are in the church office. Previous nominees may be entered again.

Mullin benefit on May 12. Mark your calendars and plan to attend this benefit for the Mullin family. Keith Mullin tragically died in October of 2011 and left his wife, Marlena, and two girls, Taylor and Carley. The funds from this benefit will help cover day to day living expenses for the family. There will be food, a silent and live auction, and music from the band Keith was part of Raised on Radio and other bands as well. The benefit will be held at the State Room, 434 South 8th Street, in Quincy, on Saturday, May 12, from 1 pm - 8 pm. Also, donations are needed for the auction! If you have something to donate for the live auction or would like to put a silent auction donation basket together, or contribute a monetary donation, please contact Jo Bender at the Lutheran Church of St. John. 222-8579.

## February Treasurer's Report January 2012

#### **PROFIT & LOSS**

|                  | January 2012 | Budget    | January 2012 | YTD Budget |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|------------|
| Total<br>Income  | 27,458.48    | 24,859.35 | 27,458.48    | 24,859.35  |
| Total<br>Expense | 17,766.05    | 29,083.60 | 17,766.05    | 29,083.60  |
| Net<br>Income    | 9,692.43     | -4,224.25 | 9,692.43     | -4,224.25  |

### **LENTEN SCHEDULE**

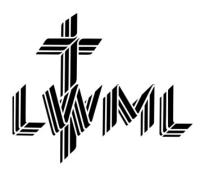
| March 7  | "Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread"   | Pastor Latzke  |
|--|--|----------------|
| March 14   | "Forgive Us Our Trespasses,<br>As We Forgive Those Who<br>Trespass Against Us" | Pastor Mueller |
| March 21   | "Hallowed Be Thy Name"   | Pastor Bender  |
| March 28 - Service of Corporate<br>Confession and Absolution | "Thy Kingdom Come"   | Pastor Eden    |
| April 5 - Maundy Thursday                                    | "Lead Us Not Into Temptation"  | Pastor Eden    |
| April 6 - Good Friday  | "But Deliver Us From Evil"   | Pastor Eden    |
| All services begin at 7:00 PM                                |  |                |

9:37 AM 01/17/12 Accrual Basis

# **Our Redeemer Lutheran Church** Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison As of December 31, 2011

|                                    | Dec 31, 11 | Dec 31, 10                              | \$ Change  | % Change    |
|------------------------------------|------------|---|------------|-------------|
| ASSETS                             | -          |   |            | 70 -114.130 |
| Current Assets                     |            |   |            |             |
| Checking/Savings                   |            |   |            |             |
| 102 · Building 71384               | 5,000.00   | 5,000.00                                | 0.00       | 0.0%        |
| 103 · Building 71526               | 9,775.00   | 10,000.00                               | -225.00    | -2.3%       |
| 104 · Building 73112               | 10,000.00  | 10,000.00                               | 0.00       | 0.0%        |
| 105 · Building 80381               | 5,000.00   | 5,000.00                                | 0.00       | 0.0%        |
| 106 · Building 80469               | 0.00       | 5,000.00                                | -5,000.00  | -100.0%     |
| 107 · Building Fund MMF 1384114    | 2,070.01   | 4,314.82                                | -2,244.81  | -52.0%      |
| 108 · Endowment Fund-B 71527       | 9,775.00   | 10,000.00                               | -225.00    | -2.3%       |
| 109 · Endowment Fund A 70309       | 14,775.00  | 15,000.00                               | -225.00    | -1.5%       |
| 110 · Endowment Fund A Svg 2144954 | 1,003.65   | 552.52                                  | 451.13     | 81.7%       |
| 111 · Endowment Fund B Svg 2122638 | 1,003.00   | 551.87                                  | 451.13     | 81.8%       |
| 112 · General Fund Checking        | 8,696.68   | 17,212.97                               | -8.516.29  | -49.5%      |
| 113 · Kleinsorge 83643             | 46,662.47  | 45,060.37                               | 1,602.10   | 3.6%        |
| 115 · Kleinsorge Income 1597285    | 24,062.67  | 20,469.08                               | 3,593.59   | 17.6%       |
| 116 · Memorial 71523               | 1,427.61   | 1,365.48                                | 62.13      | 4.6%        |
| 117 · Memorial 71524               | 1,427.61   | 1,365.48                                | 62.13      | 4.6%        |
| 118 · Memorial 71525               | 1,603.10   | 1,640.00                                | -36.90     | -2.3%       |
| 119.1 · Memorial 71314             | 10,781.50  | 10.781.50                               | 0.00       | 0.0%        |
| 120 · Memorial Fund MMF 1385939    | 16,285.88  | 9,540.78                                | 6,745.10   | 70.7%       |
| Total Checking/Savings             | 169,349.18 | 172,854.87                              | -3,505.69  | -2.0%       |
| Other Current Assets               |            |   |            |             |
| 20000 · Pastor Eden Loan           | 31,217.89  | 32,613.13                               | -1,395.24  | -4.3%       |
| 20100 · PLUS Scrip Program Loan    | 2,100.00   | 3,600.00                                | -1,500.00  | -41.7%      |
| Total Other Current Assets         | 33,317.89  |   | -          |             |
| Total other ourrent Assets         |            | 36,213.13                               | -2,895.24  | -8.0%       |
| Total Current Assets               | 202,667.07 | 209,068.00                              | -6,400.93  | -3.1%       |
| TOTAL ASSETS                       | 202,667.07 | 209,068.00                              | -6,400.93  | -3.1%       |
| LIABILITIES & EQUITY               |            | *************************************** |            |             |
| Liabilities                        |            |   |            |             |
| Current Liabilities                |            |   |            |             |
| Accounts Payable                   | 050.00     |   |            |             |
| 25000 · Accounts Payable           | 250.00     | 8,662.00                                | -8,412.00  | -97.1%      |
| Total Accounts Payable             | 250.00     | 8,662.00                                | -8,412.00  | -97.1%      |
| Total Current Liabilities          | 250.00     | 8,662.00                                | -8,412.00  | -97.1%      |
| Total Liabilities                  | 250.00     | 8,662.00                                | -8,412.00  | -97.1%      |
| Equity                             |            |   |            |             |
| 30000 · Opening Balance Equity     | 278,491.21 | 278,491.21                              | 0.00       | 0.0%        |
| 32000 · Retained Earnings          | -78,085.21 | -30,845.18                              | -47,240.03 | -153.2%     |
| Net Income                         | 2,011.07   | -47,240.03                              | 49,251.10  | 104.3%      |
|                                    |            | -                                       |            |             |
| Total Equity                       | 202,417.07 | 200,406.00                              | 2,011.07   | 1.0%        |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY         | 202,667.07 | 209,068.00                              | -6,400.93  | -3.1%       |

## **Evening Ladies Aid**



This month's meeting was held on Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, which if you didn't already know is the day of Candlemas. So we celebrated Candlemas with a meeting full of candles! We tried to have it completely by candlelight, but no way did we have that many candles!

The meeting was opened with a little history about the celebrating of Candlemas and how it came to be. Very interesting...you'll have to 'Google' it! Our hostesses for the evening were Connie Louderback and Shelia McElfresh serving some yummy desserts and a Candlemas favorite, hot chocolate!

**For unfinished business**...the 'Soup and Bread' event fundraiser details were finalized, which by the way, was a wonderful success thanks to all who purchased. Your generosity is always so very much appreciated. We've heard much great feedback on how tasty the soup was! Thanks again!

**New business discussed**...an event chairperson signup sheet was passed around to get started on our 2012 agenda. Mission projects for the first quarter and second quarter were voted on and a dessert signup for Ash Wednesday was also filled out. Sharon Reinberg, our newest member (Welcome, Sharon!) requested help in making phone calls to gather names for offices that need filled for the coming year in our Quincy Zone. Eleanor agreed to help get names to form the calling committee.

Also discussed were some book options for our Book Study, which will kick-off on March 10<sup>th</sup>. Be looking for more info in the Sunday to Sunday. A couple of other ideas were brought up that were tabled to next month's meeting.

Quarterlies and Clarions were handed out and thank you notes were read.

Our next meeting is March 1<sup>st</sup> with Donna and Suzanne Troxel hosting.

Any of you ladies who are thinking you might like to be a part of our group; we hope to see you at a meeting soon to check us out! Our group is so blessed with the many gifts, talents and resources of all the ladies and we welcome you to join us in "serving the Lord with gladness"!

If you would like more information about our Evening Ladies Aid Society, please contact any LWML member, Michele Clevenger at 217-224-7881 or <a href="mailto:m.l.clevenger@comcast.net">m.l.clevenger@comcast.net</a> or check out the LWML on the World Wide Web at <a href="www.lwmlcid.org">www.lwmlcid.org</a> or <a href="www.lwmlcid.org">www.lwmlcid.org</a>.

March Puzzle Page Answer: page 12 - James 4:6-8 "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble. Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. Come near to God and He will come near to you."

Lutheran Women in Mission



## March Birthdays

| 1 | Donna | Mach | adder |
|---|-------|------|-------|
|   |       |      |       |

- 3 Matthew Kemp
- 3 Evie Ott
- 3 Richard Schaller
- 5 Robert McGartland
- 6 David Bent
- 6 Kara Vahle
- 7 Darrell Drescher
- 8 Rachel Boerema
- 8 Christopher Schnack
- 9 Alex Doran
- 9 Brandon Hufendick
- 9 Erin Humphrey
- 9 Chad Manton
- 9 Brett Scharnhorst
- 11 Pamela Church
- 11 Logan Frink
- 12 Deanna Hibbert
- 12 Elaine Hyer

- 12 Jared Lunt
- 12 Savannah O'Dell
- 13 Joshua Weisenburger
- 14 Charles Church
- 14 Jessica Scharnhorst
- 14 Zachariah Schweitzer
- 14 Mary Tipton
- 17 Thyssen Church
- 17 Dorothy Hagemann
- 17 Ellen Hines
- 17 Mary Morse
- 17 Katie Voepel
- 17 Jeffrey Wolfmeyer
- 18 Ella Ehmen
- 18 Erin Fischer
- 20 Ciera Clevenger
- 20 Connor Clevenger
- 21 Aaron Boerema
- 22 Michele Austin

- 22 Donald Blattner
- 22 Tiffany Hines
- 22 Lauryn Sharrow
- 23 Joel Brassfield
- 23 Clayton Hibbert
- 24 Anna Ehmen
- 24 Robert Wemhoener
- 26 Kristin Humphrey
- 26 Glenna Nicholson
- 26 Richard Reichert
- 27 Jerry Manton
- 27 Mark Voepel
- 28 Eleanor Schlegl
- 29 Andrew Fodor
- 29 Julia Troxel
- 30 James Holtman
- 31 Kimberly Spohr



### **March Anniversaries**

- 17 Raymond & Kathleen Miklius
- 17 Michael & Susan Weiss

- 18 Kevin & Barbara Glasscock
- 28 Allen & Miliss Ebel

# BAPTISM

## March Baptisms

- 1 Alex Doran
- 1 Reva Ehmen
- 1 Barbara Glasscock
- 1 Brooke Gooding
- 1 Maggie Nixon
- 8 Doreetha Elliott
- 8 Rebecca Lunt
- 8 Jerry Manton
- 9 Ruth Hall
- 9 Brandon Hufendick
- 9 Gary O'Dell
- 9 Ellen Stockhecke
- 10 Jeremy Holtman
- 10 Joshua Holtman
- 10 Randy Wolfmeyer
- 11 Danielle Fleming
- 11 Florence Lavery

- 13 Robert Edwards
- 15 Amanda Creely
- 15 David Pellman
- 16 Elizabeth Burner
- 16 Gretchen Kemp
- 17 Emily Drescher
- 17 Martha Otto
- 17 Chad Purcell
- 17 Jeffrey Wolfmeyer
- 18 Amy Buss
- 18 Janett Mueller
- 19 Donna Haire
- 20 Roger Hyer
- 20 Jessica Scharnhorst
- 21 Richelle Anderson
- 21 Phillip Baker

- 21 Marcus Chezem
- 21 Megan Chezem
- 21 Katherine Koenig
- 23 David Bent
- 24 Isabelle Hillerts
- 25 Ryne Lubben
- 26 Donald Baker
- 26 Joseph Cleaves
- 27 Keelan Crawford
- 27 Matthew Weppler
- 28 Ella Ehmen
- 29 Andrew Fodor
- 29 Bonnie Hallerberg
- 30 Zachariah Schweitzer
- 31 Jane Howlett
- 31 William Schanbacher

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## **Assignments for March 2012**

#### Communion Assistants:

| Sat., March 3 at 5:00 p.m.   | Bill Haire    |                |
|------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Sun., March 4 at 8:00 a.m.   | Bill Dicks    | Brad Ehmen     |
| Sun., March 4 at 10:15 a.m.  | Steve Kaiser  | Ryan Vaughn    |
| Sat., March 10 at 5:00 p.m.  | Bill Haire    |                |
| Sun., March 11 at 8:00 a.m.  | Chris Knapp   | Bob Frink      |
| Sun., March 11 at 10:15 a.m. | Ryan Vaughn   | Joe Cleaves    |
| Sat., March 17 at 5:00 p.m.  | Bill Haire    |                |
| Sun., March 18 at 8:00 a.m.  | Clint Gooding | Larry Foster   |
| Sun., March 18 at 10:15 a.m. | Chet Vahle    | Terry Morse    |
| Sat., March 24 at 5:00 p.m.  | Bill Haire    |                |
| Sun., March 25 at 8:00 a.m.  | Gary Hyer     | Bob Jording    |
| Sun., March 25 at 10:15 a.m. | Stan Yelton   | Jeff Wolfmeyer |
| Sat., March 31, at 5:00 p.m. | Bill Haire    |                |

#### Ushers:

| Saturday at 5:00 p.m. | Gary McElfresh  |
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| Sunday at 8:00 a.m.   | Gary Cramlett, Bob Jording, Terry Lannerd, Larry Post |
| Sunday at 10:15 a.m.  | Bill Schlipman, Ray, Kathy & Maddie Miklius           |
| Wednesdays at 7 p.m.  | The Miklius Family                                    |

Parish Nurse: Donna Troxel

Registration Slips: Ruth Essington

Altar Care: Donna Troxel, Kriss Frink, Chris Schaller & Carolyn Cramlett

Counters: Mary Lazzeri & Barb Ellerbrock

Drivers: Roger & Steve Hyer

If you wish to help in one of these areas, please contact the church office at 223-1769 or by email: Secretary@OurRedeemerQuincy.org or one of the following people:

Greeters: Early Service - Sandy Callahan

Ushers: Early - Jerry Lunt Late Service -- Ruth Hall Late - Terry Morse

Saturdays - Chris Knapp Communion Assistants -- Ryan Vaughn

Altar Care – Ryan Vaughn Special Services - Ray Miklius

### Pastoral Report

(January 1 – January 31, 2012)

**Official Acts** 

**Baptisms** 

Ava Langan January 11, 2012 Scott Garner January 23, 2012 Chris Knapp January 28, 2012

**Funerals** 

Betty Sue Patton January 1, 2012

**Youth Confirmations:** 

**Adult Confirmations:** 

Weddings:

Membership Changes

**Gains** [+3B, +2C]

**Infant Baptisms** [+1B, +0C]

Ava Langan January 11, 2012

Affirmation of Faith [+0B, +0C]

Confirmations [+0B, +0C]

**Adult Confirmations** [+0B, +0C]

Transfers In [+2B, +2C]

Sharon Reinberg January 6, 2012 Donna Eisenbeiss January 27, 2012

**Losses** [-4B, -4C]

**Death** [-3B, -3C]

Betty Sue Patton

Karla Jefferson

January 1, 2012

January 2, 2012

Gene Meyer

January 19, 2012

Transfers Out [-1B, -1C]

Matt Dyer January 25, 2012

**Self-Exclusion and Excommunication** [-0B, -0C]

Statistical Adjustment [+/-0B, +/-0C]

| Membership | Jan. 1, 2012 | Gains | Losses | Jan. 31, 2012 |
|------------|--------------|-------|--------|---------------|
| Baptized   | 589          | +3    | -4     | 588           |
| Confirmed  | 455          | +2    | -4     | 453           |

### **PUZZLE PAGE**

### **CHOICES**

### by William Schlegl

We have many choices to make in our earthly lives. What great choice should we make in our spiritual lives? Solve the problems to learn how the Bible helps you make the right choice.

### Multiply each number by 2:

| A  | В  | C  | D  | E  | F  | G  | H  | Ι  | J  | K  | L  | M  |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 | 45 | 39 | 28 | 49 | 41 | 25 | 37 | 48 | 30 | 12 | 19 | 33 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

### Divide each number by 2:

| N  | 0  | P         | Q  | R  | S  | T  | U  | V  | W  | X  | Y  | Z  |
|----|----|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 92 | 54 | <b>78</b> | 24 | 98 | 36 | 64 | 90 | 42 | 74 | 58 | 30 | 62 |
|    |    |           |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |