

Serving the Lord with Gladness

Ushers (8:00) Terry Haller Lynn Haller
John Hester Dolores Hester

(9:30) Mark Zobrist Dawn Zobrist
Madison Zobrist Danielle Zobrist

Layreaders (8:00) Betty Kamm (9:30) Alicia VerDuin

Acolytes (8:00) Trent Carriger Clint Reilson
(9:30) Lane Rinderer Nick Schmollinger

Attendance for December 5 - 301

Hearing Devices are available. Please ask the Head Usher, Casper Heichelbeck.

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EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
THE WEEKLY WORD

December 12, 2010

***Our Mission Statement:* Evangelical United Church of Christ is a Christian community called to share God’s love for all people through the Good News of Jesus Christ.**

Welcome to Evangelical United Church of Christ! We encourage you to return soon. Please stop at the visitors’ desk. Please sign the Friendship Pad and pass it to the outside aisle where an usher will pick it up.

Nursery care is available for infants and toddlers (**3 years old and under**) during worship. Today’s nursery volunteers (8:00) Betty Tschannen (9:30) Ruthie Shownes. The Nursery staff attendant is Brittany Smith.

Prayers, Concerns and Joys

Please include in your Prayers:

Janet Baumann, Steve Buescher, Nathan Campbell, Carolyn Crabtree, Erin Cunningham, Cleda Deibert, Geraldine Dennison, Sandy Dunlap, Richard Federer, Carol Hoffman, Irene Hood, Joe Hug, Clarence Iberg, Rich Iberg, Blanche Jantzen, Penny Kapp (Kay Wellen’s sister), Larry Kampwerth, Alvira Kunz, Betty LeGier, Dick LeGier, Paul Lyons (son of Tim and Lynn), Marion Marcus, Wayne Marcus, Glenn Meffert, Ruth Meffert, Henry Metzger, Richard Moser, Sandra Reinacher, Edna Riepshoff, John Riggs, Dale Rinderer, Flo Rose (Sandra Reinacher’s mother), Daryl Thrasher, J. Stirewalt, Amy Vogt (Elaine Fenton’s sister), Carladine Vulliet, Dan Warning, Dot Waymoth, Jamie Wilson and Reini Alexis Morgan (Florence Collmann’s granddaughter and great-granddaughter) and the family of Edward Miller. In Afghanistan - Shelley Gibbs (Rae Ellen Reece’s daughter) and Adam Hendricks.

Please join us for coffee, donuts and juice in our Fellowship Hall. This week’s host is the Women’s Guild. Next week’s host will be the Worship Board.

There will be no Sunday School on Sunday, Dec. 26th.

Adopt-a-Family – If you haven't already done so, please bring your wrapped gifts with tags attached by tomorrow, Dec. 13th to the church office.

Addition - We have added gift lists for Hoyleton's Hope House (CILA) Highland residents. As with the Adopt-a-Family, if you take a tag, please bring the gift back wrapped with the tag attached by tomorrow December 13th. Thank you.

Christmas Caroling - The Membership Board invites everyone for caroling Tonight, followed with chili, hot dogs, desserts and hot drinks. We will meet at the church at 6:00 p.m.

From the Caregivers: Please take note of our bulletin board located near the office. We have listed members' birthdays that reside in local nursing facilities and invite you to send a card wishing them well. Please feel free to send cards or notes at other times as well. Sincerely, *The Caregivers*

Help Wanted - Faith Countryside Apts. Is looking for kitchen volunteers to help serve lunches and clean-up after. Hours help is needed are from 10:30 – 2:00 each day. If you are available any day, please contact Jean Young at 654-2048 to be put on the schedule.

All who were willing, men and women alike, came and brought gold jewelry of all kinds: brooches, earrings, rings and ornaments. They all presented their gold as a wave offering to the LORD. Exodus 35:22

This Week's Schedule

Sunday: 6:00 pm Caroling
6:00 pm Sr. High Youth
7:00 pm AA

Monday: 7:00 am Quilters
10:00 am Highland Health Care Communion
5:00 pm Hope House (CILA) Open House

5:30 pm Dance Ministry practice
8:00 pm NA

Tuesday: 5:00 pm Tops
7:00 pm Worship Board
7:00 pm Personnel Committee
8:00 pm AA

Wednesday: 9:00 am Bible Study
6:00 pm Bell Choir
6:30 pm Confirmation/Jr. High
7:00 pm Choir
7:00 pm Stewardship Board
8:00 pm Praise Team

Thursday: 9:00 am Life Group
7:30 pm Consistory

Friday: 10:00 am Highland Home Communion
8:00 pm AA/AI-non

Up-Coming Events

Dec. 19 Christmas Cantata at 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. services
Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Services at 5:00, 7:30 and 11:00 p.m.

Worship Memorials and Honorariums to the Glory of God

The Radio Ministry is in honor of Betty Klaus and Ruth Steiner from Aleen H. Johnson.

The Bulletin Ministry is in memory of Bill Sackett from Joan Sackett.