

## 2011 STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

A total of **\$3,545.00** per week is needed to maintain the day to day ministry of our parish.

Date Rec'd	Attendance	Envelope Offerings	Year-to-Date
05/08	207	\$4,355	\$(8,370)
05/15	122	\$2,170	\$(9,745)
05/22	128	\$6,576	\$(6,714)
05/29	115	\$2,551	\$(7,708)

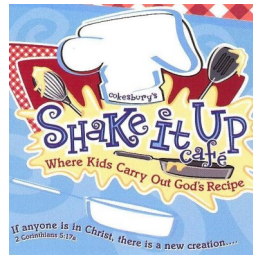
**2011 Parish Pledge to Bread of Life Lutheran Church:** \$1,000.00  
 Noisy Offering Rec'd to date: \$398.69  
 Balance to be raised: (\$601.31)

**2011 Building Fund Debt** (as of 05/23):  
 Total cost of projects: \$174,348  
 Total amount borrowed: \$ 92,600 (incl. interest)  
 Amount received to date (to pay off loans): \$ 58.856

### PARISH STAFF

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Mark your calendar for our  
**2011 Vacation Bible School**  
**June 20-24, 5:00-7:30 pm.**  
 (Dinner served nightly.)



The Parish Office will be open  
**Monday-Thursday from 8:30 am-2:30 pm**  
 throughout the summer months.

## Congratulations to our 2011-12 Scholarship Award Winners

### MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP:

Suzanne Cressell  
 Alison Renee Livengood  
 Norman Marek  
 Alex Jay Skinner  
 David Tuka

### EMANUEL AND SAHLMARK SCHOLARSHIPS:

David Buskirk  
 Kristin Heinrich  
 Laura Heinrich  
 Katherine McCann  
 Kailey Patterson  
 Kaylin Petzak

*We will continue to keep you in prayer  
 as you pursue your educational goals.*

Why be ordinary?  
 Come out to donate blood this month and you could win a \$500 Best Buy gift card.

**Be Extraordinary.**  
 Donate Blood.  
 redcrossblood.org | 1-800-RED CROSS

### BLOOD DRIVE

**Tuesday, June 21, 2011**  
**11:30 am - 5:15 pm**  
**Ludington Knights of Columbus**  
 301 Jebavy Drive

To schedule an appointment, log onto [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org), sponsor code: **KofCLudington.**

### Keep Saving Your Pennies!

From now until the Relay for Life event on June 11-12 at Oriole Field, Emanuel will be collecting pennies in the "Penny Challenge" jar on the half-shelf. Proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society. So, save your pennies, and bring them with you when you come to service on Sunday.

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## June 5, 2011

*"Celebrating and faithfully sharing God's love within and beyond the walls of our church."*

PLEASE NOTE: Beginning today  
 Worship will begin at 9:30 am throughout the year.

### At Emanuel This Week

<b>Sunday</b> 9:30 AM*	<b>June 5--Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> Word & Sacrament (*Note earlier time) --Traditional Service
10:30 AM 8:00 PM	Bake Sale after service AA Meeting Downstairs
<b>Monday</b> 9:30 AM 10:00 AM 5:15 PM	<b>June 6</b> Staff Meeting WEW Outreach Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b> 7:30 AM 8:00 PM	<b>June 7</b> "Cone Club" AA Meeting Downstairs
<b>Wednesday</b> 11:00 AM	<b>June 8</b> Prayer Group
<b>Thursday</b> 7:00 PM 8:00 PM	<b>June 9</b> Choir Rehearsal AA Meeting Downstairs

### Upcoming Events

<b>Sunday</b> 9:30 AM*	<b>June 12--Feast of Pentecost</b> Word & Sacrament (*Note earlier time) --Contemporary Service --Noisy Offering
8:00 PM	AA Meeting Downstairs
<b>Monday</b> 9:30 AM 10:00 AM 7:00 PM	<b>June 13</b> Staff Meeting WEW Council

Please join us for fellowship & hospitality each week in Luther Hall immediately following the Sunday service.



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**THE ROSE ON THE ALTAR** is offered to the glory of God in thanksgiving for the birth of **Nora Clair Wellman**, daughter of Joshua & Emily Wellman, and granddaughter of Pastor and Norma Friesner, born on Thursday, May 26, 2011.



**THE SANCTUARY LIGHT** is offered to the glory of God in thanksgiving for our 2011-12 Scholarship Award winners.

**Parish members in need:** Robert Conrad, Alice Fugere, Marshall Mattis, Arthur Moberg, Melvin Walker, Vernice Walker, Kay Williams.

**Friends in need:** Celeste Balogh, Serena Beaver, Dietrich Bidwell, Alex Branch, Karen Friesner, Shannon Grey, Jack Heglund, John Hemmer, John Killabrew, Karen Klegon, Karl & Lee Landgrebe, Karen Lock, Keila Lonkton, Ryan Mynnaar, Anna Nappo, Carrie Smith Roe, Patty Scatena, Jessica Stoner and Baby Stoner, Christy Sundholm.

**Pray for those at home:** Pat Aden, Marguerite Anderson, Robert & Helen Bahr, Mary Gwen Barrington, Leah Cutler, Loraine Emms, Charles Goff, Charles & Betty Hargreaves, Ardith Johnson, Clara Johnson, Wilma Keson, Bruce & Helen Nelson, John & Lorraine Quinn, Evelyn Rohmoser, Jonah Schmidt, Sandy Vielmo, & Arlene Whitenight, Zachery Willis.

**Pray for those in care facilities:** Marguerite Andersen, Al Bloomer, Mamie Hansen.

**Pray for our Armed Forces, especially our members:** Navy - Anna Peterson, James Boomgaard, II; Army - Tad Reed, Ezra Swan, Dale Wheeler, Christian Boomgaard; **National Guard** - Jordan Martz

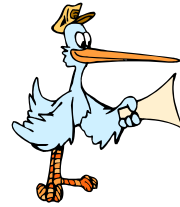
**Pray for our Veterans**, especially those suffering from the wounds of war.

**Pray for our parish family:** our area churches and our Synod, as well as churches throughout the United States and the world and especially Immanuel Lutheran Church in Mt. Pleasant, MI and Pastor Matthew Deames.



**PRAYER REQUESTS:** To submit a prayer request, please call the Parish office at 843-3686 or fill out a prayer request card during Sunday worship. Your intention will be held in prayer for 30 days. (Please provide the office with an update if prayers for your intention need to be extended beyond 30 days.) **For immediate prayers in a crisis situation, you may activate the Emanuel Prayer Chain by calling Stephanie Sundholm at 845-8320.**

### *Congratulations and Welcome!*



The Emanuel parish family is proud to announce the birth of **Nora Clair Wellman**, daughter of Emily & Joshua Wellman, who was born on Thursday, May 26, 2011. Nora is welcomed by her big sister, Hannah, and big brother, Jarod, as well as proud grandparents, Pr. Jim & Norma Friesner. **Welcome Nora!**

*A very special thank you to the following people who helped plant flowers in the Memorial Garden and near the west entrance last week: Priscilla Burns, Tom Coleman, Dee Falk, Ken & Judy Haus, Lyn Kolb and Sandy Nelson. Your efforts make our space beautiful.*

*Memorial Garden Chairpeople, Dick Falk & Eleanor Anderson.*



### **MEN'S GROUP FORMING**

We are starting a rather informal men's small-group ministry called **"Coffee and Conversation"**, which will consist of a weekly opportunity to get together. For information, see Steve Mertz after church, or just come to the first "meeting" on Wednesday, June 22, 9 am, at Brenda's Harbor Cafe, 316 S. James Street. After all, it's rather informal...

*Pastor & Church Council Members,*

*Thank you so much for your donation & support for M.O.T.H.E.R. So many exciting things have evolved since we spoke. The concept is well-received in the community and I'm confident we will have support next year. Getting funded so quickly this year would have been impossible in time for the pilot. Without your check and my personal funds the filing fee would not have been met on time. The cost went from \$750 to \$850. Airfare was funded by my parents and Art Center rental from friends & family. Everything is falling in place. You will see a newspaper article on the camp running the first week of June. You gave me happy tears the other week. ☺ Mine are just the first of many that will fall from M.O.T.H.E.R. starting. Thank you, thank you, thank you!*



--Lois Janish



**This Sunday: June 5, 2011**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**  
*(Traditional Service)*

Acolytes: Abby Millspaugh, Emily Millspaugh  
Altar Guild: Tamara Brand, Jenny Grey  
Altar Servers: \*Eleanor Anderson, Art & Mary Hoffman  
Bible Bearer: Caleb Eastway  
Coffee Hour: Terri & Jim Boomgaard, Linda Rogers  
Crucifer: Zack Eastway  
Greeters: Anna & Bill Anderson  
Lector: Diane Shank  
Offering Counters: Larry Rees, Linda Rogers  
Usher Captains: Bill Anderson, Andy Nelson, Sandy Nelson  
Taper: Sandy Nelson

**Next Sunday: June 12, 2011**  
**Feast of Pentecost**  
*(Contemporary Service)*

Altar Guild: Barb Dixon, Linda Rogers  
Altar Servers: \*Priscilla & Mike Burns, Terri Boomgaard  
Coffee Hour: Ken & Cathy Iteen  
Greeters: Patsy & Cindy Jarvie  
Lector: Linda Ochs  
Offering Counters: Cindy Jarvie, Jerry Welton  
Usher Captains: Bill Anderson, Andy Nelson, Sandy Nelson  
Taper: Dick Falk

**Please note: The office is no longer sending reminder postcards. You will receive a phone call early in the week to remind you of your scheduled commitment. MONTHLY SCHEDULES ARE AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE. Thank you for your continued service to Emanuel.**



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