



BETHANY COMMUNITY MOMENTS

February 13th & 14th

“Seeking to live by faith, to be known by love,
and to be a voice of hope”



Women's Ministry Friendship Circle News

Sister to Sister Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study

will meet on Wednesday, February 17th at 9:15a.m with the study entitled “Above and Beyond: Hearing God’s Call in Jonah and Ruth”. Questions, call Judie Meise @ 458-4429.

MOM's Group – will meet Tuesday February 23rd in the Lenter's Room. Any age mom who is busy raising a family is invited to join the group. We will be discussing Chapter 4 of “Life on Planet Mom”. No sign up necessary. For more information contact Amy Zumdahl at 458-5867.

Women's Ministry Annual Retreat Sign Up Begins ~ Ladies it's that time of year to enjoy a day with the Lord as well as a time to get to know other women in the Bethany family. This year's retreat will be held March 20th at the home church. It's an exciting new program that is entitled **Sweet Life Café**. **Sign up begins February 13th and will close March 7th**. There is a \$5 fee per person that is due at the time of registration. Sign up will be available at both the home church and Remedy locations. We have a limited number of seats so sign up early to guarantee your spot at the retreat. Look for the kiosks to sign up and save the date for a day of *Savoring* time with the Lord.

Let's go to the Movies - Ladies, mark your calendars for Thursday, February 18th at 6:30 PM. 'Let's go to the Movies' will be showing **'Julie and Julia'**. Carol Jerving will host the evening and will provide beverages. Please bring a small snack to share. Friends are welcome. Please sign up in the Women's Ministry Binder by Sunday, February 14th. You may also call Carol at 457-0710 or email at wescar1944@att.net. Amy Adams stars in this truth-inspired tale as Julie Powell, a disenchanted government secretary who decides to enliven her uneventful life by cooking all 524 recipes outlined in Julia Child's culinary classic *Mastering the Art of French Cooking*. This heartwarming dramedy also stars Meryl Streep as legendary chef Child. Streep is magical in her portrayal and will have you laughing and crying.

DETAILED INFORMATION ON ALL FRIENDSHIP CIRCLES, AS WELL AS SIGN-UP SHEETS (IF NECESSARY) CAN BE FOUND IN THE WOMEN'S MINISTRY BINDER AT THE WELCOME CENTER.



Contact: Lori Kramer
452-0051, ext 19 or
bethanychildmin@charterinternet.com

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Coin Drive for Haiti – Entire Month of February
- Feb 16 – 3rd/4th Graders help at New Day Meals

CAMP MANITOQUA forms are available at the Welcome Center or by the CM white board at the top of the step. Bethany will pay for ½ of your child's registration cost and ½ of one friend as well. This is a great opportunity for your children to grow in Christ.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN ED TEAM will meet Tues, March 2 at 6:30pm. Please contact Lori if you are interested in being a part of the team to plan out all CM activities.

Pine Haven Auxiliary Delegates are needed to replace Bev Foley and Dianne Staabs. If interested please call Bev at 458-5838 or Dianne at 458-7530.

DID YOU KNOW . . . our library has the books “Golden Filly”, Collections 1 & 2 – by Lauraine Snelling. This is a great teen fiction collection!



3-4-5yr Kindergarten Open House

Parents - Do you have a child who will be at least three years old this coming September 1? If you do, St. Paul's has a program for you! We offer pre-school for 3-yr olds and kindergarten for 4-5 year olds, in addition to a quality program for grades 1-8. St. Paul Lutheran on 13th and Lincoln is having an open house for Pre-School and Kindergarten on Tuesday February 16th from 10-11 am. Please join us!

SUPPORT OUR TROOP MINISTRY

Invitation to Our Military Families and Friends

Our main ministry goals are to continue in prayers for our troops and support by sending them letters and cards. You are invited to forward to us the name of your family member or friend who is serving in our American Armed Forces. They do not need to be a member of Bethany Reformed Church. We will send each one of them birthday and holiday cards; and we will continue to pray for them and their families. If you want to add a military person to our list, or have any questions, please contact:

Jean Daye 457-4639 or Carol Jerving 457-0701

We Salute and Support Our Military Troops

SIXTH ANNUAL UNITY MUSICAL FESTIVAL MARK THIS DATE!!!!

Saturday, April 10th 2010 At The Stephanie Weill Center of Performing Arts

Sponsor Cocktail Party at 5:00. P.M. Also silent/ live Auction/ viewing Live Auction Center Stage during the show. **(Auctioneer Daven Claerbout)**

Emcee -Dr. Donald Gore - Opening Act Our own Weill Center General Manager Randy Schwoerer & Son (Aaron) a Beatles duet. Michael Lee Ammons and the Water Street Hot Shots. This is the area's most popular traditional blues performers. Also performing will be Vaguely Familiar a highly respective barbershop quartet. The "Riva Divas" (from IC church) Dr. Max Haid, acoustic guitarist and pianist Drea Wagner, Soloists & a grand finale directed by Jason Sebranek Plymouth High School Jazz. This is a musical **Extravaganza you will not want to miss.**

All proceeds will stay in Sheboygan County thru, the Sheboygan County Cancer Care Fund to help your family, friends and neighbors of the community suffering financial hardships due to cancer. Sit back enjoy the show and just by buying a ticket you will be helping someone in your own community!!!!!!

Tickets: \$20.00 & donations will be accepted.

Tickets available in the church office, or Contact the Weill Center ticket office 208-3243 or by calling Rick & Mary Ann Waldbauer 467-3303.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY...Celebrate Recovery is looking for either a guitarist or a keyboard player to accompany our worship time on Monday evenings. This would include playing for our worship/teaching time (6:30-7:30 pm) and typically would be about 5 songs. Timeframe would be from approx 5:30 pm until about 7:45 pm Monday evenings. If you are interested in helping us out, please contact Deb Runge at 920-254-8616.

On Friday, February 26 a movie will be coming to the Sheboygan Theaters entitled "The Secrets of Jonathan Sperry". This movie compares to "Facing the Giants" and "Fireproof" in that it's nature is a great film with the gospel message presented. This movie will also challenge adults on how they can impact the lives of our children and teens. The movie deals with the issues of what it means to be a Christian as well as coping with bullying, an issue very relevant to teenagers today. Advance tickets are available by calling the Gibbssville Reformed Church at 920-564-3434.

Love Bowls will be held on Sunday, February 21 from 10:00 – 3:00pm in the Commons at Sheboygan South High School. Love Bowls is a fun, family oriented event where patrons buy a beautiful bowl for \$15 and sample as many soups as they wish. Over 50 local restaurants donate their signature soups. Local talent will entertain throughout the day. All proceeds from Love Bowls help Meals on Wheels continue its mission of serving the elderly, homebound and disabled in our community.

Bethany's Comic Corner

Little Johnny and his family were having Sunday dinner at his Grandmother's house. Everyone was seated around the table as the food was being served. When Little Johnny received his plate, he started eating right away. "Johnny! Please wait until we say our prayer," said his mother. "I don't need to," the boy replied. "Of course you do," his mother insisted. "We always say a prayer before eating at our house." "That's at our house," Johnny explained. "But this is Grandma's house and she knows how to cook!"