

The Mountain Top **Messenger**

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Greetings to you in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you have not already heard, Pastor Harste has returned the call so the vacancy will continue. The Call Committee will be meeting soon to re-evaluate and continue with the process. Please keep Pastor Harste and his family in your prayers along with the members of the Call Committee. I will continue to serve the vacancy and plans are in place to have mid-week Advent Service and a Thanksgiving Eve Service.

November is the month when we realize how much we need to get done around the house before the snow flies. It also marks the fifth season of the year, Deer Season! But, Thanksgiving Day is not forgotten. We should always remember to give thanks to God for all of the blessings we receive from Him, family, friends, our homes, food, clothing, medical care and most importantly the spiritual gifts we receive through Jesus Christ, His Word, and the blessed sacraments.

To know Jesus as our Savior is the most important part of our life. Do we really know Him as we should? Here is your test. What is the most important doctrine (teaching) in the Christian religion? Unfortunately many have forgotten the answer. I'm sure it was taught in Confirmation Class and will continue to be taught until the second coming of Christ, but sometimes we forget. An Adult Instruction class or classes will be starting in November and I invite all members to participate. If you know anyone that does not have a church home I would ask that you would inform them of this opportunity when the dates and times are finalized. *By the way, the answer to the question is in Luther's Small Catechism.*

I look forward to continue serving the vacancy and again I thank everyone who has helped me in so many ways. As the church year is coming to a close, we look forward to the Advent Season that prepares our hearts and minds to celebrate the birth of Jesus at Christmas and to look forward to His second advent. "Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tell me so!" God's peace to all.

Your servant in Christ,

Pastor Hyvonen



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 Little Friends of Jesus Child Care Center
 715 - 682 - 5185
 President, Nick Jarvela.....715 - 682 - 0385
 Elder Chairman, Darryl Warren.....715 - 492 - 0488

NEED A PRAYER?



Zion Lutheran Church has two active prayer chains—a daytime and an evening chain. If you would like to have the chain activated to pray for a specific need, please call Marge Douglas at 682-2160.

If you reach the answering machine, please leave a message, but then call the church office at 682-6075 and give the request to the church secretary and the chain will be activated. The Prayer Chain members are asked to keep all prayer requests confidential and not discuss them with others, but caller discretion is advised.

Stewardship Thoughts

In the Third Commandment Christian Stewards are reminded that we have the privilege and responsibility of managing God's word. Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

What does this mean? We should fear and love God so that we do not despise preaching and His word, but hold it sacred and gladly hear and learn it.

Following this commandment is the Christian Steward's joy and delight. To devote the first fruits and the best of our time in worship and service to our Creator and Redeemer is an essential part of God's guide for giving.

Martin Luther writes, "All your days are spent in the devil's territory and he rests neither day nor night. Therefore you must at all times have the Word of God in your heart, on your lips, and in your ears."

From your Stewardship Committee

HELP WANTED:

Are you interested in being a positive influence in the life of a child? Little Friends of Jesus Child Care Center is accepting applications for a Assistant Child Care Teacher (20 hours per week). To discuss position, please call Karyn at 715-682-6075. For an application and more information, please visit our website at lfoj.org Old applicants, please re-apply! Resume with references can be emailed to lfoj@zionashland.com.

As of September 29, Thrivent policy holders designated their Choice Dollars as follows:

	2010	2011
Zion Lutheran	1,280.10	4930.00
LFOJ	0	474.00

Thank you for choosing Zion or LFOJ. If you hold a Thrivent policy and have not named an organization to receive Choice Dollars, please consider one of the above. For further information you may contact Don Pocernich at 373-5174.



MEN'S BIBLE BREAKFAST –

Has been postponed until further notice.



WEBSITE -

www.zionashland.org
Please visit our website. The newsletter is online. The **calendar** is separate from the newsletter on the website. On the Website front page, on the right hand side, there is a box "calendar" that you go to for the monthly calendars.

BELL TOWER - there will be a meeting after the service on Sunday November 6th, for those interested in being on a Committee to make recommendations for work to be done to repair/replace the Bell Tower.

Sewing Circle—Quilters

The Sewing Circle (Quilters) wants to thank those that have donated sheets and material. Mary Koosmann has sewn 72 tops for us but we still need liners and bottoms (material, batting, old thin blanket/comforters, sheets, sometimes old drapes). In July, 70 quilts were shipped out via the Orphan Grain train to needy people in the United States and other countries. Your donations can be brought to the church and will much appreciated. If you have a question please contact Bonnie Friske at 682-6054.



JOIN the **QUILTERS** NOW ! They meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month at 1:00pm in the church basement. Extra hands are always needed!

Scrapbooking Friday, November 18th 5:30-10:00pm

If you need space, time, or inspiration to get caught up on organizing photos, getting your photos in albums, scrapbooking or cardmaking, come join us in the church basement, Friday night. You will have plenty of space to spread out to work. You will also have the opportunity to see what others do with their pictures to give you ideas. Soda, water and punch are provided. Please bring a snack to share. There is a \$5fee. Please RSVP to Jodi Truchon if you are interested in coming. (jbtruchon@yahoo.com)

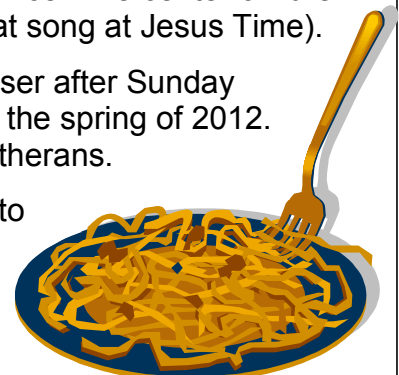
Sunday, Nov.13th has been designated as Little Friends of Jesus Sunday at Zion.

LFOJ staff and board will be recognized during the 9:00 a.m. worship service. The center children will sing, "God Gave Me My Church" (children should begin practicing that song at Jesus Time).

Along with Staff Recognition, there will also be a Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser after Sunday School at 11:00am. This fundraiser is for the playground renovations for the spring of 2012. They will also be receiving matching funds from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans.

A list of needed items will be in the Narthex to sign up. Items need to be to the Church/Center by Friday, 11/11/11. They also need extra hands to help before, during and after the Spaghetti Feed.

Any assistance is greatly appreciated!



Adult Instruction Class

Future Members

Current Members Review

SUNDAYS - Starting November 13th

10:15am (following worship service)

Whether you are someone looking at joining us at Zion or already a member and could use a refresher, come and join us for Adult Instruction Class. Pastor Hyvonen will be leading the class after the morning service at about 10:15am. If you know anyone that does not have a church home please inform them of this opportunity. This is also a great opportunity for a “refresher” for members. You’ll always learn something new or something that was forgotten.

Zion Lutheran Church
P.O. Box 31
Ashland, WI 54806-0031

Dear Members and Fellow Redeemed of Zion Lutheran Church,

I am always in awe of our gracious God who gives us all things and honors us not only with his very presence through His Son Jesus, but also with his continued preservation in our daily lives. I was honored at your election and request that I become your Pastor and at a God who permits such unworthy servants as I to be bestowed with such high honor.

Joanne and I immediately fell in love with all of you when we visited earlier this month. Your hearts’ desire to see your church be all God intended it to be was clearly evident. The fact that Zion has so many wonderful and dedicated people and has established a powerful ministry presence in the Ashland community clearly added to my struggle.

After seeking the Holy Spirit earnestly in prayer and seeking the wisdom of others wiser than I, I feel led by the Holy Spirit to turn down your call as Pastor. This was a very difficult decision, for God has not yet fully revealed his future for my life. My decision is in no way due to anything negative on your part as a congregation, indeed, it is my perception that God has used Zion Lutheran Church to impact the lives and hearts of many and after meeting and talking with you as a congregation, it is apparent that you are poised to continue to make an tremendous kingdom difference in the Ashland area.

Joanne and I will continue to pray for you, lifting up your need for a Pastor to shepherd, lead, and guide you into His future for you.

Together in Christ,
Pastor Ken Harste

CALL COMMITTEE met briefly Wednesday (26th) night to begin the call process once again. They should have the list of pastors from the district by the end of the month. They will be meeting frequently to go through names. If anyone has any additional name to submit, please contact the office by November 2nd.

Come to the Table of Thanksgiving



November may be regarded as a month of loss. Barren trees, gray skies, no birdsongs, loss of warmth, loss of daylight. Nature has surrendered her lush summer dress to expose stripped-down bare bones. My morning walks along Chequamegon Bay are helping me to understand that this no-frills season opens a fresh space to ponder and pray.

To ponder the gifts of life. To ponder our relationships with each other and with God. To ponder our role as caretakers and caregivers. To ponder opportunities to welcome others. To pray for hands of service. To pray for acts of generosity. To pray for attitudes of thanksgiving. For we are a people not defined by loss or frills. Songs or silence. Blue or gray skies. Warm or cold temps. Daylight or darkness. Loss or gain. For our identity was redeemed and restored on a cross where Jesus proclaimed that we are heirs of things greater than the events of this earth.

Yes, we miss the songs of birds, the green of leaves, and the long hours of daylight. But in this month of loss, God invites us to enter His landscape of hope. How good and fitting it is to celebrate Thanksgiving in November. God has set the table, prepared the feast, and signed the eternal invitation with the name of Jesus.

Come. The table is ready. Everyone is welcome. Happy Thanksgiving to you and all those you love.



Board Members (present and future)— It's getting closer to the start of another calendar year and that sometimes can mean change. The Nomination Committee (Ethel, Chuck, Lynn) is working on filling all expired positions for the various boards for Zion. Someone may be contacting you to see if you are interested in continuing your service for another term, or to become a new member. Please consider their request. It is a small way of helping out Zion and bestowing your service to the Lord.

Zion Lutheran Church

Council Minutes

October 17, 2011

The October 17, 2011 meeting of the Church Council was called to order by President, Nick Jarvela. Elder Darryl Warren opened the meeting with a prayer.

ROLL CALL: President – Nick Jarvela, Elder – Darryl Warren, Trustee – Jim Johnson, Financial Secretary – Mary Koosmann, Treasurer – Karen Wahl, Education – Dawn Reardon, Secretary – Becky Sapper, Stewardship – Penny Mattson, LFOJ – Cheri Tamke.

MINUTES: Motion by Warren, second by Wahl, to approve the minutes of the September 19, 2011 Council meetings as printed. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Motion by Warren, second by Johnson, to approve the Treasurer's Report as printed. The year-to-date balance as of 9/31/2011 was \$10,910.13. Motion carried.

AGENDA: Motion by Warren, second by Mattson, to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

BOARD REPORTS:

Motion by Warren, second by Koosmann, to accept the Board Reports as given.

Elders: LFOJ has requested a date to recognize LFOJ staff and have children sing during a service. November 13th is the tentative date.

Trustees: Continued preventative maintenance, painted exterior window frames, and purchased a new vacuum cleaner.

Financial Secretary: Removed 17 offering envelopes that had not been taken from individual mailboxes. New envelopes for 2012 will be ordered shortly.

LFOJ: Continues to deal with high staff turnover. Amy and Karyn have been filling in at the Center frequently.

OFFICIAL ACTS: No official acts.

NEW BUSINESS:

A. December 4th was set as the Annual meeting. Currently the agenda includes the 2012 Budget and election of officers and board members.

B. Jarvela, Wahl, Koosmann and Warren agreed to serve on the 2012 Budget Committee.

C. A nomination committee will be formed. Johnson and Jarvela will be asking a few individuals to help serve on this committee and let them know which positions need filled.

D. Council agreed to nominate Pastor Baumiester to continue to serve as the Northern District Circuit Counselor.

E. LFOJ requested advice on how to handle unauthorized use of fenced areas during off hours. Kids have been damaging gates, fencing, toys, shed and equipment. People have also been seen using the area as a dog park. Council made a few suggestions for them to consider.

Based on a recommendation by the Memorial Committee to address the bell tower issue, a Bell Tower Committee will be formed to consider solutions to the deterioration of the bricks on the bell tower. Anyone interested in serving on this committee should attend a meeting on November 6th following the service.

ADJOURN: Motion by Warren, second by Johnson to adjourn. Motion carried. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

CAMP LUTHER BREEZE—NOVEMBER

FALL COTTAGE RETREATS--Plan your individual or family two-night fall getaway at Camp Luther. Cottages are available this fall for just half off the regular rate per night (for a two-night minimum stay). Hike our trails, fish the chain, bike the Three-Eagle Trail, hunt the Nicolet Forest, or just sit back and enjoy a colorful autumn view from your cottage porch. Offer good Labor Day through December 15. Book your family or individual retreat getaway by contacting Camp Luther at 1-877-264-CAMP.

DO YOU SHOP ONLINE?? WOULD YOU LOVE TO HELP CAMP LUTHER FINANCIALLY?? Go to www.goodsearch.com and join both Good Shop and Good Search, so that whether you are searching or shopping, you will be giving to Camp Luther. Add Camp Luther as your charity and that's it. Just by using Good Search after that, you will be giving to Camp Luther. It's a win-win. There are coupons for you too!!

CAMP LUTHER 2012 CALENDAR – ORDER NOW!! The 2012 Camp Luther calendar will contain twelve gorgeous photos of Camp Luther taken by photographers competing in our second annual photo contest. Calendars will be available in November. The cost is \$10 each, plus \$2 for shipping and handling. Send your \$12 check to 1889 Koubenec Road, Three Lakes, WI 54562 or order online at www.campluther.com. Quantities are limited, so order today. Thank you to everyone who contributed photos.

CHOOSE CAMP LUTHER WITH YOUR THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS!! It's easy and it benefits Camp Luther and Every Kid to Camp! Log on to www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice or call 800-THRIVENT (800-847-4836) and get started TODAY!! Eligibility is established by Thrivent and by your premiums, account values and volunteer leadership! You simply go online and they do the rest. THANK YOU for giving to Camp Luther!!

JOIN US ON FACEBOOK!! We now have over 1650 likes on Facebook, so join us there to hear what's happening at Camp, to share memories and to spread the word about the ministry and joy that is Camp Luther.

FAMILY FLURRY RETREAT—February 3-5!! Bundle up the family for an exciting weekend of winter activities and growing together in faith at Camp Luther. The schedule and choices abound for activities with the group or for you as a family. Choose from tubing, broomball and much more, or just relax together away from it all. A guest pastor will lead adult/family Bible study, while camp staff will lead youth and children in age-appropriate studies as well.

YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES COMING THIS WINTER!! Check out the dates and ages below! These events are great group builders and include devotions, bonfires, broomball, and other cool winter activities. Let our staff bring life to your winter youth group planning. Go to www.campluther.com to learn more. **Jr. High Big Chill—January 27-29. Sr. High Sub Zero—January 13-15. Jr./Sr. High Deep Freeze—January 20-22**

Camp Luther is a ministry of the North Wisconsin District-LCMS. Our mission is to build up the Body of Christ for service to the church and witness to the world.

FAITH IN ACTION is having a Variety Concert on Sunday, November 6th, from 12:30-4:00pm. A great line-up of musicians will grace the stage at the Northern Great Lakes Visitors Center. A \$7 donation will be taken at the door. Delicious hot beef sandwiches, along with coleslaw, chips, and homemade desserts will be sold starting at 12:30. The music will start at 1:00. The Rod Mattson Trio from Duluth will play polka and old time music. Kaia Dushane and Ben Masterson will play old-time string music and ballads. To top it all off, the Flambeau Rambler Barbershop Chorus will bring their distinctive harmonies to the program. Get out and support Faith in Action and enjoy an afternoon of great music. For more information, call 715-682-4414, ext. 3 or email fiavolunteer@ashlandaging.org.



YOUTH GROUP BIBLE STUDY is meeting on Wednesdays, 6-8pm, going through the Truth Project. It is a very interesting series. Please plan on attending.

THE BRICK MINISTRIES **September--October 2011**

Update from Linda S. Barnes, Director

The BRICK Ministries needs your financial help. Since 2008, the numbers of families needing emergency food and financial assistance has grown 127%. This is a sign of the deepening recession. Many residents are facing reductions in work hours, elimination of their unemployment benefits, and a diminishing job market. The following numbers tell the story:

Numbers of Families and Individuals Receiving Emergency Food

	Families Per Year	Average Families/Mo	Total People Benefitting	Average People/Mo
2008	3715	310	8624	719
2009	4929	411	12,613	1051
2010	6341	528	15,185	1265
Jan-Aug 2011	5194	705	13,414	1669

The Needs Have Increased Rapidly

From 2008 to the end of August, 2011, the average number of households coming to The BRICK's Food Shelves each month increased by **127%**. The average number of people benefitting from The BRICK's food services grew by **132%**.

From July of 2010 through May of 2011, volunteers from the South Shore, Mellen, and Cable partnered with The BRICK Ministries and opened three new food shelves. Now, residents of Ashland and Bayfield counties have much greater access to emergency supplies of nutritious food.

The Food Shelf staff and volunteers strive to keep monthly food costs below \$5,000 each month. However, faced with rising food prices while we supply food for as many as 2,000 people some months, that is becoming a great challenge.

In addition to providing food, The BRICK also disperses over \$90,000 in benevolence aid each year for families facing evictions, utility disconnections, homelessness, and other financial emergencies. This money comes from the Make a Difference Fund, the Salvation Army, and church benevolence donations. 100% goes directly to the families; none is used for administrative costs.

We are careful stewards of your donations

The BRICK Ministries exists because of the tremendous work of over 100 volunteers. As the need for its services has grown, so too has the need for professional staff, which now consists of five part-time employees.

2010 financial records show administrative expenses were only 12% of the total cost of operating The BRICK Ministries. Help us keep helping.

Over 1,660 People a Month Need Your Help

We are experiencing the longest recession since the 1930s. During the 1930s, those who were working reached out to help their unemployed neighbors. Even with his paycheck cut, my grandfather felt fortunate to have a job while many of his friends did not. He gave generously, as much as he could, so that other families could eat.

I heard a minister recently state that we give out of gratitude for what we have. I pray you will find it in your hearts to help.

You may mail checks to: **The BRICK Ministries, 420 Ellis Ave, Ashland, WI 54806.** Or give online, at our website: www.thebrickministries.com (*Your donation is tax deductible.*)

Together, your contributions of \$100, \$50, or \$25 will ensure The BRICK Ministries has the resources to help our neighbors in need.

LITTLE FRIENDS OF JESUS

Website: lfoj.org

Email: lfoj@zionashland.com

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Tid-bits from Administration

Finally!

After what has seemed like many weeks of vacancy, we are very pleased to welcome Carolyn Ylitalo as the Lead Learner Teacher. Many of you may recognized Carolyn, as she worked for many years at Willow Animal Hospital. Carolyn is a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Marengo, and enjoys teaching Sunday School there.

Thank you so much to our current staff for working longer shifts, and extra days. And thank you to our families for your patience and understanding as we worked through the hiring process.

Due to numbers increasing in our Learner Room, we have also welcomed back Hannah Chatterton on a permanent basis. Ms. Hannah has been spending a few hours each week at the center volunteering, hoping and praying we gain more clients. We're so glad to have that wish granted as well!

LFOJ Picture Day

We are excited to be working with one of our childcare clients, Michaela Wickman, who will be photographing the center children. We have scheduled pictures for the following groups:

Monday, 10/24: 9:15 a.m. 4/5 Yr. Old PS
10:15a.m. Infants/Toddlers
Tuesday, 10/25: 9:15 a.m. 3 Yr. Old PS.

The center purchases a 5x7 group photo as a Christmas gift for the children. Individual pictures will also be available. More information regarding individual pricing will be coming.

If your child is not scheduled for care on the day of the group pictures, please consider bringing them to the church to be included.



Totville News

Fall is here! What a beautiful time of the year. We will be very busy in the Infant/Toddler room this month. We will be doing lots of fun projects with apples, leaves and pumpkins.

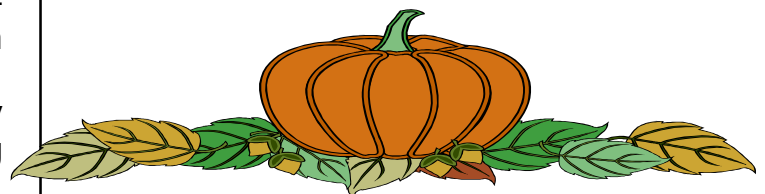
We will be welcoming a new friend to our room this month. **Landon** is five months old, and will be joining us starting October 10th.

We have three birthdays this month! **Blake P.** turns two on Oct. 3. **Peyton G.** turns two on Oct. 15th. **Malone M.** will be one on Oct. 18th. Happy birthday kids!

Our Jesus time stories for this month are: *Stairs to Heaven, The Boy Who Went Away, Follow the Star, The Best Gift Ever, and Jesus in My House.*

Just a reminder, please make sure your child brings warm clothes to daycare each day (jacket, hat, tennis shoes/boots), as we like to enjoy time outside every day.

Cassie



Learner Lane

The changing seasons are also bringing a welcomed change to our Learner room. Welcome to Ms. Carolyn who is the new lead teacher. If you haven't met her already, please introduce yourself. More information about Carolyn is posted on the stairway door.

We are excited to be introducing reward charts to the children who are potty training. The children get to pick out their own reward chart (fire fighters, flowers, Dora, etc). Every time a child is dry, and uses the potty, they earn a sticker for their chart. When the chart is full, the children will receive a reward from the Learner staff. We hope this positive encouragement will help further the progress.

For the month of October, our themes and Bible stories will be:

Oct. 3 I Have a Home To Grow In (Houses)

Rahab shares her house (Joshua 2)

Oct. 10 I Grow Knowing God is With Me All

The Time (Seasons)

Elisha's servant see God's army (2 Kings)

Oct. 17 I Grow Knowing God is With Me Where

Ever I Go (Transportation)

Phillip and the Ethiopian (Acts)

Oct. 24 I Grow Trusting God to Help Me (Tools)

David and Goliath (1 Samuel)

Also, a birthday wish to **Zariah V.**, who turns four years old this month!

Happy Fall Ya'll!

SCHOOL AGE SCOOP

Our school-age group has shrunk from our summer program. We have an average group of nine to ten children afterschool each day (two girls, and the rest are boys). As you can imagine, these children come off the bus full of energy, as they have spent the day focused in on their schooling. We have needed to do quite a bit of redirecting as to keeping hands to ourselves, and appropriate ways to talk to friends.

Our school-age staff provide a small, nutritious snack, followed by a brief devotion each day. I'm very surprised by how many of the boys enjoy choosing a song to sing as we begin Jesus time. Their favorites include *The Surfing Song* and *Who's The King Of The Jungle*.

We'll be having our first full day off from school on October 10th. Children are welcome to bring toys from home, but please limit the number to three or less.

Preschool News

It is my favorite time of year! We have been so blessed with beautiful foliage and beautiful weather. We hope all our families are taking advantage of their autumn blessings as well.

Our preschoolers have been enjoying their time outside. Our three year olds keep us running, playing tag on the playground. The four/five year olds are loving a game we call "Crocodile River". There are some amazing jumpers!

Thank you to all of our families for the yummy treats you send each star day. And what a wonderful turn-out for our grandparents' day programs. The kids were superstars! Thank you to all who joined us!

October finds us settling into our preschool routines. Our Bible stories for this month focus on how God gives us good friends. Our 4/5 year olds will enjoy their first Chapel visit for the year, with Pastor H., who is the interim minister at Zion. Pastor H. is only in Ashland on Mondays, so we are looking for another church leader who could do Chapel for our 3 year old class on a Tuesday or Thursday.

The new month is filled with a number of fun themes...many of which are children favorites. We'll begin with our Dinosaur thematic unit. We'll talk about the different dinosaurs, where they lived and what they ate. We'll also learn big "college" words like extinct, prehistoric and fossils.

With the change of seasons, the children have noticed pumpkins everywhere. That flows perfectly with our "Pumpkins Galore" theme. We'll learn the growing cycle of a pumpkin, and talk about what it means to harvest. Later in the month, we'll be having another Halloween theme of Bats.

Our third unit for the month is Fire Safety. Our 4/5 year olds will be taking one of the few transported fieldtrips we go on. We will be going to the Ashland Fire Station on Mon. 10/17. I've had a few parents volunteer already, but if anyone else would like to join us, please let us know!

On October 31st and November 1st, the children are invited to wear costumes for our class Halloween party. As a reminder, it is our center's policy that children will not wear masks (as they may frighten others), or bring weapons of any kind. We focus on the "cute and fun" aspect of the holiday, instead of the spooky and scary.

In Christ,
Ms. Amy and Ms. Julie

November Servers for Worship Services

Our Servers for our Worship Service are very important. We ask that if you are unable to serve on your designated date, please find someone else to take your place. We really appreciate your help in this matter!!

ELDERS

Nov. 6 Doug Warren & Chuck Chronis
 Nov. 13 Rick Williams & Don Pocernich
 Nov. 20 Chuck Chronis & Darryl Warren
 Wed. Nov. 23 Rick Williams
 Nov. 27 John Pruss & Doug Warren
 Wed. Nov. 30 Darryl Warren

GREETERS FOR NOVEMBER

Nov. 6 Francis & Alice Balmer
 Nov. 13 Nick & Julie Jarvela
 Nov. 20 Scott & Tammi Thimm
 Wed. Nov. 23 Rick & Sandy Nutt
 Nov. 27 Linda Klobucher & Linda Stenroos
 Wed. Nov. 30 Janet Houle & June Williams

NOVEMBER Acolytes

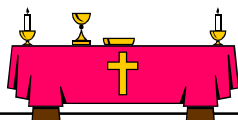
Nov. 6 Jordan Thimm & Briana Klobucher
 Nov. 13 Annie Ylitalo & Tiffany Houle
 Nov. 20 Kathryn Draeger & Maggie Reardon
 Wed. Nov. 23 Kaitlyn Thimm & Jacob Pruss
 Nov. 27 Ciera Maday & Michael Wittling
 Wed. Nov. 30 Ben Cashman & Alexis Warren

NOVEMBER Ushers

Nov. 6 Tim Bauer & Matt Draeger
 Nov. 13 Gerald Frisco & Jim Hebert
 Nov. 20 Wendell Friske & Ken Philaja
 Wed. Nov. 23 Roger Stenroos & Herb Ellis
 Nov. 27 Scott Thimm & Randy Spangle
 Wed. Nov. 30 Mike Cashman & Paul Osmak

NOVEMBER ALTAR GUILD

Ingrid Pocernich 373-5174
 Gail Anderson 682-3196
 Daniela Maday 682-6594
 Ciera Maday



Our Prayer Concerns NOVEMBER

Mission

Zion Lutheran Church
 Little Friends of Jesus Childcare Center

Thanksgiving

To all of you who have worked faithfully and joyfully to serve our Lord by serving others and often go unnoticed by all but our Heavenly Father.



Nursing Home & Assisted Living Resident

Roger Basina
 Ed Torkko
 Ed Engelmann
 Agnes Schutte
 Corrine Tolliver

Illness
 Marianne Vyskocil

Shut—ins

Gordon & Mariann Vyskocil
 Ron Nevala
 Walt Schutte
 Clarence Houle
 Gloria Mills
 Otto & Dorothy Rusch
 Lois Hein

Local & US Concerns

(fulltime and/or deployed military)



Steve Sorenson, son of Dave & June Sorenson, U.S. Navy, stationed in San Diego, CA

Aaron Aschenbrenner, son-in-law of Lynn & Chuck Ladd, stationed in Chippewa Falls, WI

