# Faith In Action

November 2013



#### **NEW CHURCH EMAIL**

Family of Faith, please update your email contacts as follows: *DELETE:* 

Office Email: faithumc@kdsi.net Children & Youth (Cassy) Email: cjheuertz@gmail.com *ADD:* 

Office Email: office@kearneyfaith.org Children & Youth (Cassy) Email: kids@kearneyfaith.org As of December 1, 2013

only the new emails will be utilized for correspondence

#### **BULLETIN BOARD GO-TO**

Remember, we have a BRAND NEW 4x8 foot bulletin board in the Overflow Room!

There you will find sign-ups, church happenings, community events, and more.

#### SPOTLIGHT ON FAITH

Larry and Sherri Peterson have been members of Faith United Methodist Church since September 1995, previously members of First U.M.C.—Kearney and North Platte Methodist Church. Sherri was baptized and a member of the Overton Methodist Church where Larry and Sherri were married.

They are proud parents of two daughters Penny Larsen, of Kearney, and Jane Tiff of Texas and five grandchildren. Grace, a Senior at U.N.K.; Megan, a 2013 graduate of Texas A&M and is the account manager for Dallas Rangers Baseball team; Jordan, a sophomore at Texas A&M; Sarah a pre-med. Major at K.U., Lawrence; and Seth, who is a junior at Kearney High School.

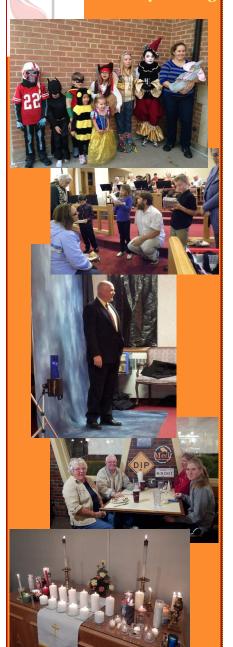
Both Larry and Sherri have served on various boards at Faith—presently Larry is on the Finance Team and Sherri is on S.P.R.C. They enjoy the 8:45 a.m. service and Larry helped establish the Faith Community Garden. Sherri attends the Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Study.

Larry and Sherri are retired from U.N.K.—Larry was a Professor in the Art & Art History Department and Sherri was a secretary in Family Studies and Interior Design Department in the College of Business and Technology. Larry is an active board member at the Museum of Nebraska Art (MONA) and Sherri is an active art reach docent at MONA.

They enjoy traveling to Texas to see the family and to their cottage at Branson, MO. The couple will celebrate their 55th Wedding Anniversary on December 21!

# Faith United Methodist Church

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#### WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

#### **17**—

8:45 a.m.

Ushers: Bill & Alta Crapson, Dan & Jason

Odens

Scripture: Kathy Larson

11 a.m.

Ushers: Tony & Kerri Miller Family, Jon McBride, Mike & Linda

Johnson

Scripture: Linda John-

son

#### 24—

8:45 a.m.

Ushers: Rachel Brown & Family, Mark Gifford Scripture: Suzann Christensen 11 a.m.

Ushers: Pat Slack, Scripture: Pat Slack

## Dec. 1—

8:45 a.m.

Ushers: Steve & Suzann Christensen, Marie Danburg, Kathy Larson Scripture: Penny Buett-

11 a.m.
Ushers:
Scripture:

Able to step-up and serve?! Contact Cassy at the office to help fill-in the holes of Worship Assistants!

#### **NOV. 2013**

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For the sake of space, this calendar is ONLY church functions, a FULL calendar of building use is available online.

#### **CELEBRATIONS**

- 11—Helen George, Sherri Peterson, Jason Odens
- 12— Richard Chism
- 15—Cody Steuhm
- **16**—Lucille Schweitzer
- **17**—Evelyn Anderson
- 18—Barbara Clark, Samantha Shultz-Ramer
- **20**—Terry Korb, Dean Dahlke
- **21**—Averie Evans
- 22—Breanna Obermiller
- **23**—Brian Hegert, Larry Nansel, Roberta Nansel, Mary Rishel, Trista Tennant, Tyler Hanson
- 24—Neil Miller
- 27—Emma Brewer
- 28—Dick Larson, Noah Feese
- 29—Mary Garrison, Jayne Samp
- **30**—Linday Johnson, Rick Tighe, John Beatty

- **10**—Mike & Linda Johnson
- 15—Ron & Pam Blessing
- **20**—Roger & Sandy Townsend
- 27—Bret & Sarah Stubbs

#### FAITH CONNECT!

# Wednesday Activities

C.C.F.

Kindergarten—4th Grades Upstairs from 3:30—5:30 p.m.

#### Confirmation

8th Grade Middle School Classroom Upstairs from 5:30—6:30 p.m.

**B**'Tween

5th—7th Grades High School Classroom Upstairs from 5:30—6:30 p.m.

#### **Youth of the Kingdom**

9th—12th Grades from 6:30—8:30 p.m. with supper!

Choir

Adult choir rehearsal at 7 p.m.—contact Fran Wilson with questions

## Sunday School 10-10:45 a.m.

**Wee-Ones:** Pre-K & K in Nursery

<u>Kids of the Kingdom</u>: 1st—5th Grades Upstairs

<u>Tweens of the Kingdom</u>: 6th—7th Grades Upstairs

<u>Youth of the Kingdom</u>: 9th—12th Grades Upstairs

**Breakfast Club:** Adults in Fellowship Hall **Footprints:** Adults in Basement Sun. School Room

# Community Meal— Sun., Nov. 24@ 12 p.m.

Faith's monthly FREE community meal potluck!

# Hanging of the Greens— Sun., Nov. 24@ 3:30 p.m.

Annual celebration of Hanging the Greens for our Advent season. Join Nurture Team in transforming our church! Contact Dayla Rhodus for information.

## Truit Sales - Breakfast Club Sun. School Fundraiser

Contact any member of the Breakfast Club Sunday School class for details! Orders are accepted until Sunday, November 17 (NOTE DATE CHANGE). Proceeds will be donated towards a non-profit outreach organization to be determined in the near future.

# Nativity Parade & Youth Skit— Sun., Dec. 8 @ 10:30 a.m.

Join the children and youth of Faith in celebrating the Advent and Christmas season. The children will be putting a twist on the popular Nativity Parade and the youth will be contributing a special music skit.

Christian Education will be hosting a small brunch after the service!

# Something to Think About from Parish Nurse

Go to any zoo in the country and you will find cages protecting the public from the wildlife that inhabits the zoo. Cages are commonplace and everyone understands that what is locked inside the cage is often dangerous to your health or even lethal. No sane individual would go into the lion's cage!

Last week I was shopping in Costco when it occurred to me that Costco cages its supply of cigarettes. While Costco's motive is probably to cut down on theft, the message should be clear. Danger, entering this cage could lead to loss of life or limb! No sane individual should enter Costco's fenced-in tobacco refuge.

from: lifewellthy.org/2012/11/24/a-caged-animal.aspx

## NOTES OF THANKS

Family of Faith—
THANK YOU for your attendance and full support of the annual Faith Family Fall Festival. It was an absolute hit for not only church goers but our neighborhood!

In Christ's Love, Cassy Heuertz & Christian Education Team

Thanks everyone again for their support for the Prime Festival that was held Oct. 11th. We appreciated all the donations of food items, homemade pies, seed money and all those who worked so hard that day to make it successful. After all the expenses the profit from Prime is \$2,592.62. We are grateful to the Kearney Hub for the opportunity to serve this community project these past 13 years and also for their added contribution to our profit this year.

Thank You, Renovations Team

Thank you for your support of our annual Waffleman Fund-

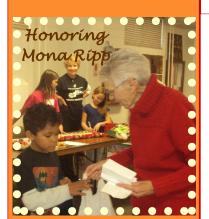
United Campus Ministry

Dear Friends in Christ,
I cannot thank you enough for
the beautiful prayer blanket. I
have used it countless times
these past few weeks, and it
always gives me a special feeling. The warmth of your
prayers and good wishes is present in this blanket, and I am
extremely grateful to have it!
Sincerely, Sheri Ericksen

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#### **NOVEMBER MISSIONS**

## Mona's Store

Faith's 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Christmas gift store for Bryant and Crossroads Mission children is just around the corner. Please bring gifts, of all sorts for children to give to their parents/guardians, of \$5 or under value, to the Mission Cart in the Overflow Room.

## S.A.C.K.

Faith's newest mission—Small Acts of Christian Kindness—of meal bags for transients and those of our community in need of a meal has had a tremendous response! The needs of this mission are:

Tuna/Chicken Helpers OR Complete Meals
CANNED Tuna OR Chicken — CAN/CUP Fruit AND Veggie
CUP Pudding OR Jell-O — EASY-OPEN Soup

