

News & Notes

May 30—June 5, 2010

Brooklyn Park Evangelical Free Church
763-391-6140

ALL-CHURCH CORNER

Childcare Help Needed on Tuesday Nights

We are looking for people to help with childcare on a rotating basis, during Support Group meetings, from 6:45—8:30 PM. Please contact Leanne Klein at the Office if you are available.

Memorial Service

Nicky Ward's brother was recently laid to rest after his violent death in March. There will be a memorial service for him held at BPEFC on Wednesday, June 2 at 6:30 PM. Everyone is invited.

Cheer For Our Softball Team!

Our guys play on Thursday nights at Noble Sports Park in Brooklyn Park (610 & Noble). This week's game: 7:20 PM.

Ship's Wheel Needed

The Kids' ZONE is hoping to borrow an authentic ship's wheel for the weeks of VBS (6/14—18) and Music Camp (8/15—22). Do you have one we could use? If so, please contact Leane Gondek or Leanne Klein at the Office.

Church Cookbooks On Sale

Need a wedding or graduation gift? Give a cookbook! Books are on sale at the Information Kiosk for \$10.

EFCA Conference June 17

If you are interested in being a delegate to the EFCA National Conference, please call the Church Office.

EFCA Night with the MN Twins

All EFCA North Central District Churches are invited for a night at Target Field on Monday, June 28, at 7:10 PM, Twins vs. Detroit Tigers. We have ordered some tickets. If you are interested in going, call the Church Office to pay for and reserve your ticket.

Camp Lebanon's 2nd Annual Scholarship Web Auction

Camp Lebanon recognizes that more and more families are looking for financial assistance so that their children can experience Camp Lebanon. Their official policy is that they will not refuse any camper on account of finances. Last year, 207 scholarship grants were awarded totaling over \$21,300 (even though they only had half the funds to cover them!). So far this year, the need looks greater than ever. To help fund these scholarships, they are promoting the **2nd Annual Scholarship Web Auction** which will run from May 17—31. If you're interested, check out the flier located at the Kids' ZONE Kiosk.

Church Bookstore

Take a moment to stop by the bookstore in the West Foyer. We might have just what you're looking for!

Congratulations to . . .

- John and Jenny Musokwa on the birth of a son, Aaron Jonah, born May 14, 2010.
- Luke and Joy Turner on the birth of a son, Josiah Mark, born May 18, 2010.

Our Sympathy to . . .

Jim and Kathy Sullivan on the Homegoing of Kathy's father.

Host a Japanese Student

Bethel University is looking for twelve families to host a Japanese student from August 2—24. There is transportation help and a stipend available. For more information, contact Deb at 763-522-5051.

Extra Offering Envelopes?

If you don't use the offering envelope found in the Bulletin, please drop it off in the basket on the Information Desk—we'll reuse it! Thanks.

Please Let Us Know

Please fill out a Prayer Card or notify someone in the Church Office if there is a birth/death in your family, if someone is hospitalized, or if someone is having surgery.



CARE MINISTRIES

Parish Nurse, Mary Van Der Werf
Ext. 30, maryv@bpefc.org

Grief Share Begins This Week

Join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 PM for summer sessions of *Grief Share*. Join others who understand what you are experiencing. Each lesson is self-contained, so even if you will not be here every week, the sessions will be very helpful.

Domestic Abuse Crisis Line

If you or someone you know is in an unsafe relationship, call this 24-hour crisis line: 1-866-223-1111.



WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Pastor David Durey, Ext. 13, 763-391-6140
Cheryl Southard, Team Leader
Laurel Jenson, Co-Leader

Kitchen Cleaning Circles

We are looking for ladies who will volunteer time, on a rotating basis, to help keep our kitchen extra clean. If you are interested, please contact Wanda Tutt: 763-420-1339 or wandatutt@gmail.com.



YOUNG ADULTS **(Ages 18—20-Something)**

Pastor Josh Major, Ext. 14

Young Marrieds and Young Adults ABF

Join us Sundays from 9:00—10:15 AM. Enjoy breakfast, fellowship, prayer and a study before the Celebration Service (Room 112/113).



LIVING PROOF

Student Ministries

Pastor Jena Pietari, Ext. 15

Weekly Events

- **Youth Worship Service**
Sundays, 10:30 AM, Youth Room
- **Check Calendar for Wednesday Summer Events**

Upcoming

- 6/2 Small Group Celebration Night:** 6:30—8:00 PM, Food, games and fun!
- 6/9 Challenge Team Mtg:** 7:00—8:30 PM, YR
- 6/13 Parent Mtg:** 10:30 AM, Room 108/Salt ABF, Parents of 7—12 Grade students are encouraged to attend and learn about summer opportunities.

Host Homes Needed For Summer Parties

We are looking for three homes for parties on June 16, July 14 and August 25. Contact Jena if you can help.

Schwann's Truckload Sale Fundraiser

Schwann's will be here on Friday, June 18, 11:00 AM — 3:00 PM. If you would like an order form, pick up one at the L.P. Café and turn it in by June 6.

Graduation Open House Information

- **Dayna Eberhart:** Sunday, May 30, 2:00—5:00 PM
9665 Thomas Avenue N, Brooklyn Park
- **Mara Frankenfield:** Saturday, June 5, 12:00—4:00 PM
13276 Owatonna Court N, Blaine
- **Jake Johnson:** Saturday, June 5, 2:00—6:00 PM
10582 — 49th St NE, Albertville
- **Ashley Grinager:** Saturday, June 12, 1:00—4:00 PM
8508 78th Ave. N, Brooklyn Park
- **Kevin Markin:** Saturday, June 12, 1:00—5:00 PM,
12072 87th Pl. N, Maple Grove
- **Lauren Sutherland:** Sunday, June 13, 1:00—4:00 PM,
13131 Jonquil Ln, Dayton

For the current Youth Events, see a Calendar or www.BrooklynParkChurch.org/youth.



Pastor Leane Gondek, Ext. 27

Leanne Klein

Assistant Director, Ext. 38

Come Share the Love of Jesus!

In Matthew 28:19 & 20, Jesus commands us to "Go and make disciples...and teach them to obey everything I have commanded" That pertains to teaching our children, too! Serve the Lord by signing up to work one or two Sundays (only one service!) this summer with our pre-school. They deserve the very best we have, to ensure they learn about the love of Jesus! Remember, we supply everything you'll need; you just come with a willing spirit (and willingness to have FUN!). See Leanne Klein to sign up for a teaching slot or sign up by the Kids' ZONE Kiosk.

Pre-School Parents Alert

Our prayer and desire is to have all classes filled for the summer. However, if no one comes forward to teach a particular class, we will need to close that class. We'd appreciate your prayers and help in teaching!

Join us for June Activities!

- Vacation Bible School: June 14—18
 - Soccer Camp: June 23—25
 - Totally Tubular Tuesday: June 29
- See the Kids' ZONE Kiosk for details and registration forms, or check us out on the web.

Music Camp Tryouts

If you are interested in a singing or speaking part for the August Music Camp, *Good News Cruise*, try-outs will be held on June 8, from 4:00—8:00 PM. Sign up for a time slot and pick up a packet of info at the Kids' Kiosk.

"When you pass through the waters,
I will be with you;
when you pass through the rivers,
they will not sweep over you.
When you walk through the fire,
you will not be burned;
the flames will not set you ablaze.
For I am the Lord, your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior..."

Isaiah 43:1—3



ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS

Looking for a place to belong? Check out an ABF on Sunday mornings.

Young Marrieds & Young Adults: Meets at 9:00 AM, Room 112/113.

Mosaic: Multi-ethnic, multi-generational, for singles and couples. Meets at 9:00 AM, Room 108/109.

Salt: Those raising elementary-age children and students Grades 7—12. Meets at 10:30 AM, Room 108/109.

In-Betweeners: Singles and couples, 50's and up. Meets at 10:30 AM, Room 112/113.

Prime Timers: Senior adults. Meets at 10:30 AM, Room 114.



BPEFC Staff Phone Extensions:

Amanda Fluth	VM 32	Joyce Vagle	35
Carol Carlson	28	Judy Kadlac	23
Connie Hafar	24	Leane Gondek	27
Dan Carlson	12	Leanne Klein	38
David Durey	13	Luke Turner	37
David Myles	29	Mary Van Der Werf	30
Jeff Gagnon	22	Receptionist	10
Jena Pietari	15	Rick Ensrud	11
Josh Major	14	Shannon Trunk	VM 31
		Theron Fraser	26