

**CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

SUN 1/24	8:00A	Holy Communion
	9:30A	Altar Guild Meeting
	9:30A	SS/Adult Ed./Catechism II
	10:45A	tenfortyfive
MON 1/25	9:30A	Pre-School
	6:30P	Celebration Ringers
TUE 1/26	9:30A	Pre-School
	10:00A	Women's Bible Study
	3:00P	Greek Class
	6:30P	tenfortyfive Practice
	7:00P	Language Exchange
	7:00P	VBS Planning Meeting
WED 1/27	9:30A	Pre-School
	5:00P	Catechism II
	5:45P	Mid-Week Meal
	6:30P	Classes/Choirs/WE
THUR 1/28	9:30A	Pre-School
	11:00A	tenfortyfive Planning Team
	6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
	7:00P	Women's Retreat Planning
	7:00P	Property Committee Meeting
	7:00P	tenfortyfive Worship Team
	7:30P	Adult Choir
FRI 1/29	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
	9:30A	Pre-School
SAT 1/30	7:00A	Men's Group
	9:00A	World Vision Food Sorting
	5:00P	Holy Communion Service

**CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

SUN 1/31	8:00A	Holy Communion
	9:30A	SS/Adult Ed./Catechism II
	10:45A	tenfortyfive
	11:45A	NYG & Mission Trips Parent Meeting
MON 2/1	9:30A	Pre-School
	6:30P	Chorus w Nick
TUE 2/2	9:30A	Pre-School
	10:00A	Women's Bible Study
	3:00P	Greek Class
WED 2/3	8:00A	JobSeekers
	9:30A	Pre-School
	5:45P	Mid-Week Meal
	6:30P	Classes/Choirs/CHAOS/Group
THUR 2/4	9:30A	Pre-School-In-service Day
	11:00A	tenfortyfive Plan Team
	6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
	7:30P	Adult Choir
FRI 2/5	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
	9:15A	MOPS
	9:30A	Pre-School
SAT 2/6	7:00A	Men's Bible Study
	5:00P	Holy Communion

**Members**

**Remembered in Our Prayers**

- Christian sympathy to the Urban family at the death of Kelly.
- Margaret Hinchey recovering from surgery
- Gerd Crandall recovering from knee replacement surgery
- Carol Carnahan for good test results

**Altar Flowers Jan. 24**

- Fiser Family in memory of Lena Schaefer



**Midweek Menu January 27.**  
 Beef & Broccoli over Rice, Salad, Dinner rolls, Dessert, and PBJ



## WEEKLY REMINDER

January 24, 2010

Lutheran Church www.OurFatherLutheran.net

### Crossroads Souper Servant Event

Formally the Big Game Commercial Party

To benefit *Guidance Behind The Walls*, a Denver based outreach group.  
<http://www.gbtwonline.org/4.html>  
 GBTW presents "Sunday Soup" every Sunday from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. serving soup to the hungry in the Five Points area.

**Please Bring to the Souper Servant Event:**  
 Plastic Ware, Sturdy paper plates, Napkins/Paper towel, Spoons and forks, Condiments (Salt, pepper, barbecue sauce), Food (Canned or fresh vegetables, soup bouillon or soup stock).

Place your donations in the box of either team playing in the "Big Game". The team with the most donations wins ultimate bragging rights.

Crossroads will provide the main dish so please bring an appetizer or dessert to share as well as your drink of choice.

*When: February 7th*  
*Soup's on at 3:00PM*

*Where: Our Father Community Room*      Questions: cgermeroth@mcrel.org

**Prayer Sisters Luncheon –**  
**Sunday, Feb. 7, Noon, Community Room**

Bring a salad or dessert to share. We will reveal our identity to our current Prayer Sister and draw a new Prayer Sister for the coming year. Prayer Sister Ministry is a one-year commitment to pray for our Prayer Sister, send little notes, remember birthdays, etc. Please sign up at the Reception Desk. A little gift will be given to all new Prayer Sisters who attend. Current Prayer Sister, please bring a gift to give your 2009 Prayer Sister and include your name. If you have questions, contact Diane Miller at 303-796-0796 or Linda Olsen at 303-779-1332.

## Music Ministry

### CELEBRATION RINGERS NEED NEW MEMBERS

Want the best way to keep your New Year's resolution to exercise? Join the Celebration Ringers....we promise music, fun, great people and an upper body workout for 1 ½ hours twice a month. AND you'll learn to play the handbells! You can't beat that deal. This one of a kind opportunity is open to our youth who have finished confirmation and all adults. We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of each month from 6:30-8pm. Their next rehearsal is tomorrow night, January 25. Call Shirley Pamp if interested.

### ADULT CHOIR REMINDER

Adult Choir rehearses each Thursday evening from 7:30-9 p.m. until Ash Wednesday when we meet after the Ash Wednesday service. Join us as we begin to prepare for Lent and Easter. Contact Margaret Hinchey at [mhinchey@oflc.net](mailto:mhinchey@oflc.net) with questions.

### CHILDREN'S CHOIRS WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Our Father's Kids (Grades 3-6) and SonShine Singers (Kindergarten – Grade 2) are rehearsing Wednesday nights from 6:30-8 p.m. with choirs and handbells and treats! New members are welcome—this is a great time to get started with either

## Student Activities

• NYG and Mission Trip Parent Informational Meeting will be on January 31 at 11:45 am in the Senior High Youth Room. We will discuss specific details. NYG Coordinator —Cathy Kjellsen; contact Cathy at [ckjellsen@msn.com](mailto:ckjellsen@msn.com) with any questions!

## Women's Ministry

### Women's Retreat 2010– “Wonder Women of the Word”

Put the date on your calendar now! **May 7-8** with Sarah Bjornebo as our guest speaker at the Franciscan Center in Colorado Springs.

Women's Banquet – Thanks to the many helpers, servers, and organizers who made this such a wonderful event for our women!



### MOPS – Mothers of Preschoolers

For ALL preschool (under age 5) mothers even if you can only come part time or for the Girls' Nights Out...If you can come on Fridays, the group meets on the first and third Friday mornings, **9:15-11:30 a.m.** Bring children to the nursery; moms meet in Room 300 at the top of the stairs. **Topic for Feb. 5: “Sharing Resources” – Children's Focus: “Jesus' Baptism and Who He Is”**

### MOPS Helpers Needed

As a way of cutting our expenses MOPS is looking for one or more people who might be willing to provide the child care while the moms are having their own program. If you would be willing to give this gift to our young moms.

### E-MAIL ADDRESSES

Since we no longer print weekly newsletters, we would like to collect email addresses of people who would like our church communication coming to you electronically. Please sign on the Yellow Sheet and give us your current email address, **(if you did not do so already)**. (Large once/month newsletters will still be in your mailboxes.)

## Sunday Education Opportunities (9:30-10:30 a.m.)

### Note changes in locations!

**Great Beginnings** – Any members NOT in small groups are invited to experience topics similar to what might be discussed in a home small group. **Leaders: Elaine Hamburger & Linda Olsen in Rooms 303**

**God's Gift of the Bible: How the Bible Came to Be** - How did we get this written form of God's Word? When? By whom? For what purpose? **Leader: Pr. Werner Boos in the Fellowship Hall**

**Key Questions about the Bible** – Explore some questions that were raised as people read the Bible. Take time to dig deeper into Scripture. **Leader: Sarah Bjornebo in Room 300-301**

**Youth Culture 101** – Understand the values, beliefs and practices of today's youth. **Leader: Micah Steiner in Room 302**

**Community** – Bring topics of interest to **Pr. CJ Ransdell in the Community Room**

### Bible Discovery for Children 9:30-10:30 Check listing on stairway

**SPARK!** During late service, children—3's - Fifth Grade—leave worship for an educational experience after the children's talk and return by 11:45.

### Follow Up for the Bible in 90 Days

**Last day** to check out the display with potential books that you could use to spend more time in God's Word and grow in your relationship with God. We will order these books for you as soon as possible.

## Commitment to Our 2010 Ministry

Please pray about your financial and service involvements for 2010, fill out your pledge and your time and talent forms, and bring to church to deposit into the box in the back of our sanctuary soon. Extra forms are available on the box, if you need them. Thanks to you **171 people** (including Simply Giving folks) who have returned “Expected Giving” forms and you **91 members** who have returned Time & Talent Forms.

### World Vision Service Opportunity– Sat. Jan. 30, 9AM-Noon

**Mark your calendars.** World Vision volunteers (16 and above, children 11-15 accompanied by adult) help sort, count, and package Gifts-in-kind (GIK) and also help with other lifting warehouse activities. GIK products are used by World Vision both domestically and internationally to benefit children and families in need as a result of disaster or chronic poverty. Meet at church at 8:15 - 8:30 to carpool. Sign up at the reception desk or call Linda Olsen, 303-779-1332 for information.



The new Habitat Build began in January with new ways to sign up. Go to the Habitat web site if you are willing to help with this big home project. Our new date is Feb. 5. Sandy Madrid can be reached at 303-954-9449 with questions.

**Book Club** –Monday, February 15, 7:00 p.m., The Buernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society by Shaffer & Barrows, Conference Room