

CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES

MAY 9	SUN	8:00A	Holy Communion
		9:30A	SS/Adult Education
		10:45A	tenfortyfive
MAY 10	MON	9:30A	Preschool
		6:30P	Celebration Ringer
MAY 11	TUE	9:30A	Preschool
		10:00A	Bible Study
		7:00P	Language Exchange
		7:00P	Worship Committee
MAY 12	WED	8:00A	JobSeekers
		9:30A	Preschool
		5:45P	Midweek Meal
		6:30P	Classes/Choirs/WE
MAY 13	THUR	9:30A	Preschool
		11:00A	tenfortyfive Plan Team
		3:00P	Benevolence Meeting
		6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
		7:00P	Finance Committee
		7:30P	Adult Choir
MAY 14	FRI	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
		9:30A	Preschool
MAY 15	SAT	7:00A	Men's Group
		11:00A	Hinchey Scholarship Meeting
		3:00P	Praise Band Practice
		5:00P	Holy Communion/Praise Band

CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES

MAY 16	SUN	8:00a	Service of the Word
		9:30A	SS/Adult Education
		10:45A	Holy Communion/Praise Band
MAY 17	MON	9:30A	Preschool
		7:00P	Book Club
		7:00P	Transition Team
MAY 18	TUE	9:30A	Preschool
		10:00A	Bible Study
		12:00P	Preschool Graduation
		5:30P	Personnel Committee
		6:30P	tenfortyfive Practice
		7:00P	Parish Council
		7:00P	Language Exchange
MAY 19	WED	8:00A	JobSeekers
		9:30A	Preschool
		12:00P	Preschool Graduation
		5:45P	Midweek Meal
		6:30P	Classes/Choirs/CHAOS/Group
MAY 20	THUR	9:30A	Preschool
		11:00A	tenfortyfive Plan Team
		6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
		7:30P	Adult Choir
MAY 21	FRI	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
		9:30A	Preschool
		10:00A	Preschool Graduation
		12:00P	Preschool Graduation
MAY 22	SAT	7:00A	Men's Group
		5:00P	Holy Communion

**Members Remembered
in Our Prayers**

- Tami Backstrom and family at the death of her brother
- Former member, Lynn Parkinson-Martin seriously injured in automobile accident
- Jan Meyer recovering from surgery
- Flo Brungard suffering from severe pain
- Rich Carnahan undergoing tests
- Dan Pond preparing for surgery
- Ted Eickhoff, hospitalized
- Rejoicing with the Olson and Kotzker families at the baptisms of Andrew and Emma Olson and Elijah Kotzker



**Menu for May 12
DINE & DASH
EAT & EDUCATE**
Wednesday 5:45-6:30 PM
French Dip Sandwiches,
Relish Tray, Salad, Chips, Dessert,
PB&J

**MARRIAGE MINI-RETREAT
POSTPONED**

The Marriage Mini-retreat has been postponed until this coming fall. Please, watch ourfatherlutheran.net or the newsletter for further information.



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WEEKLY CONNECTION



It's Picture Directory Time!!

- Olan Mills will be here at the church on:
- Tuesday – Friday, July 6 - 9 at 2:00 - 9:20 PM
 - Saturday, July 10 at 9:30 – 5:10 AM
 - Tuesday – Friday, August 3 – 5 at 2:00 – 9:20 PM
 - Saturday, August 7 at 9:30 AM – 5:10 PM

Everyone who signs up receives a free 8 x 10 picture and a free photo directory. Starting Monday, May 10 you may sign up by either calling Olan Mills at 1-800-866-2263 and give them our zip code 80121 or you may also go to the following website:

www.signup.olanmills.com

and enter our phone number (303)779-1332 to sign up. We will start sign ups at church on Sunday, May 30. Thank you for your participation. Please call Jan Burmeister (303-688-9877), or Karen Kennedy (303-773-9207) if you have any questions.



**RANSELLS ACCEPT CALL TO
MICHIGAN**

In worship on May 1 and 2, Pastor CJ Ransdell announced that he has accepted the call to Faith Lutheran Church in Port Huron, Michigan, to serve as their senior pastor. Pastor Ransdell will be preaching his final sermons at Our Father on May 29 and 30. A reception for the Ransdell family will be held in the Fellowship Hall at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday, May 30, as we give thanks for their 5 plus years of ministry among us.

**KANTOREI SPRING CONCERT
FEATURES WORLD-RENOWNED
CONDUCTOR**

The Kantorei of Denver, who make their home at Our Father, will hold their final spring concert on Sunday night, May 16, at 7:30 p.m. at Our Father Lutheran Church. A highlight of the evening will be the work of guest conductor, Simon Carrington, who is the founding director of the Kings Singers of England. Two Our Father members sing with the Kantorei, Sarah Fincham and Martina Link. Tickets are available on line or at the door. Go to www.kantorei.org.

Music Ministry

ADULT CHOIR AND JUBILATE RINGERS PREPARE FOR FAREWELL FOR HINCHEYS

Members of the Jubilate Ringers (6:30 p.m.) and Adult Choir (7:30 p.m.) are reminded that we have regular rehearsal times on Thursdays through June 10. We will be working on music for special end of the year worship in connection with the Hinceys' farewell on June 13.

CHILDREN'S CHOIRS MEET ON WEDNESDAYS THROUGH MAY 26

Our Father's Kids and SonShine Singers have just three rehearsals left for this year! We hope that you will all join us for these last important rehearsals as we prepare music for worship. We need parents to sign up for treats for the last few rehearsals.

FLUTE CHOIR REHEARSALS

We are planning for a couple more rehearsals for Flute Choir before the end of the year. Please watch your e-mails for future rehearsal times.

Wedding Celebration

Pastor Donald and Margaret Hinchey invite members and friends of Our Father to join in the celebration of the marriage of Susan Hinchey to Steve Johnson on Saturday, June 5, at 1:30 p.m. at Our Father. A cake reception will follow on the front patio of the church.

Graduation Clarinet Recital

The congregation is invited to hear Matt Darling & Phillip Strom, Wed., May 19, 7:45 PM at OFLC. Reception to follow.

Youth Ministry



SAVE THE DATE!!

Ride the River fund raiser will be on **June 19, 2010**. Please keep this date open to enjoy a ride along the South Platte and enjoy food and entertainment.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE HAS IMPORTANT PLANNING MEETING

The Worship and Arts Committee of Our Father will have an important planning meeting on Tuesday, May 11, at 7 p.m. We will be discussing the distribution of staff responsibilities and other important items. Please let Barb Pond know if you are a member and cannot be present. We also welcome new members who would like to be involved in worship to join us.

Thanks for Supporting the MS Walk!

More than a dozen members of Our Father participated in the Denver MS Walk on May 1, and many others supported the event. Donations raised by the Colorado Chapter of the National MS Society fund medical research and Colorado support services. Donations are still being collected. Checks made payable to the National MS Society may be given or mailed to Greg and Mary Ann Foster or Mary Fox. On-line donations may be made at <http://main.nationalmssociety.org/goto/MovingForward2010>. Thanks to everyone who supported this event!

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

Becoming a Member of the Our Father Family – Leaders: Linda Olsen & Team in Rooms 300-301

Encountering the Risen Christ – Leader: Pr. Don Hinchey in the Fellowship Hall

Creation vs. Chaos – Leader: Pastor Werner Boos in Room 303

See Through the Scriptures – Part II – Leader: Jack Weaver in Room 302

Community – Leader: Pr. CJ Ransdell in the Community Room

Bible Discovery for Children 9:30-10:30 Check locations on stairway.

SPARK! During late service, children—3's - Fifth Grade

Vacation Bible School Date Set

Enrollment continues for this June 21-25 children's ministry! See the display in the narthex. Food needs are shown. Please take a tag for what you can bring.

InterFaith Feed the Need

Gather food for InterFaith through local grocery stores, eat lunch together at InterFaith, then sort the food in their food bank on Sat., May 22, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Indicate on the Yellow Sheet or call Jean Trester at 303-770-3999.

ATTENTION GRADUATES - YOUR IMMEDIATE RESPONSE IS REQUIRED

In the June large newsletter, we will be recognizing both high school and college graduates. We would greatly appreciate your completing the following information and returning it to the office by **Sunday, MAY 23**:

Name _____
School you are graduating from: _____
Degree you will be receiving: _____
School you will be attending in the fall: _____
Plans for the future: _____

Wednesday Adult Education Opportunities

See Through the Scriptures – Leader: Linda Olsen in Room 302
Making Children Mind without Losing Yours—Room 300 - 301

New Member Orientation Continues

We have five gatherings at 9:30 on Sunday mornings to help people become more acquainted with our people and our ministry. New Member Sunday is May 23 at the 8 AM service, followed by the last session.

Women's Retreat – Please turn in your evaluation if not done at the retreat.

Meals on Wheels

There are multiple openings for drivers in our area on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday. This is a late morning activity in which you pick up warm meals and take them to residents in this area. It takes about 1-1 ½ hour. Check on the Yellow Sheet or talk to Linda Olsen at 303-779-1332, if you need more information.

Habitat for Humanity

People are needed to work for Habitat on Friday May 21, and/or Saturday, May 22. Indicate on the Yellow Sheet or call Sandra Madrid at 303-995-5901 if interested.