

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, January 29th - 9:00 am- Sunday School
10:00 am- Worship service

There will be an Education committee meeting TODAY during Coffee Fellowship. It will be held in one of the classrooms (probably the PKD room). The Youth group will be available to entertain the younger children during the meeting. Rhonda will hand out the agenda ahead of time so everyone will know what will be discussed.

Wednesday, February 1st - 10:00 am - Prayer & Bible Study

January Mission Project was Heifer International
If you forgot to bring your offerings last Sunday,
please bring them when you can.

February 25th ! Circle the date! Watch your mailbox and bulletins for more information. Plan for an exciting evening of fun and fellowship with friends!

Sunday, March 11th, 2012 - Lunch after Worship with Church Council Meeting following ..(instead of Monday evening, March 12th.)

REMINDER: APRIL 27TH & 28TH- ANNUAL GARAGE SALE
FUNDRAISER – See Insert today.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE:

Help is needed on the lists in Fellowship Hall for Nursery Attendants, Snow Removal, and Coffee Fellowship servers. Please consider signing up to help in one of these areas.
Thank you.

Also help is needed to help teach the children's Sunday morning puppet ministry class. Please see Rhonda Brown if you can help!

Thank you to everyone for using the green list sheets for announcing all Joys and Concerns during the Worship service. It is difficult to hear all the details of each joy or request so they can be prayed for and also listed in the next Sunday's bulletin unless they are read from the pulpit.

On Wednesday, April 11th-9:00 am – 12:00 pm, the Rockford Rescue Mission is sponsoring their 4th Annual Domestic Violence Community forum. It offers free training in the Dynamics of Family violence, Toxic Stress Early in Life, and Adolescent Dating: “Risky Relationships”. There are several great speakers including the Honorable Judge Rosemary Collins, chairperson for the 17th Judicial Circuit Court and Family Violence Coordinating Council, as well as other informed speakers. RSVP if possible to Debbie Colvin (815) 316-4153.

The Hope Life Center is looking for a Registered Nurse to perform STD testing and ultrasounds. Training will be provided. If you are interested, contact Debbie at the Hope Life Center at (815) 625-5300 for more information.

ALSO - Please be sure to read the insert for Volunteer Opportunities in today's bulletin from the Hope Life Center. Sign-up for training is due by February 9th by calling (815) 625-5376.

NEW ADDRESS:

Harold Cheeseman - Room #302
Franklin Grove Living & Rehabilitation Center
502 North State Street
Franklin Grove, IL 61031

CLUSTER NEWS:

Volunteers are needed for the Cluster Annual Fund Raiser to be held at the Ashton UMC on **Saturday, February 4th, 2012**. A sign- up sheet is on the bulletin board. Bar Cookies and Special Fancy Desserts are needed also. **Please sign up if you can help.** Thank you