

GAME NIGHT AT GRACE



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Wear your gear and come out to watch the game!

Projected on the big screen in Muyskens Hall!

Tuesday, June 28th

6:30 Dinner*

7:05 Game Time

Hot dogs, soft pretzels, and drinks will be provided.

Bring a side dish (A-M) or dessert (N-Z) to share.

RSVP by 6/22 to office@gracejerkintown.org

Let us know how many to expect and whether you will bring a side dish or dessert.

SERMONS – SUMMER 2011

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| 6/5 | “May Your Joy Be Complete” (John 17) | 7/17 | “Take the Next Step” (Ruth 2) |
| 6/12 | “The Amazing Church” (Acts 2) | 7/24 | “Commitment Matters” (Ruth 3) |
| 6/19 | Guest preacher: Rev. Bill Reinhold, Associate Executive Presbyterian for Missions and Urban Ministry | 7/31 | “God’s Good Plan” (Ruth 4) |
| 6/26 | Jim Eby to preach | 8/7 | “Where Is God?” (Esther 1-2) |
| 7/3 | “Hot Dogs & Heaven” (Philippians 3:17-21) | 8/14 | “For Such a Time as This” (Esther 3-4) |
| 7/10 | “Loyalty Personified” (Ruth 1) | 8/21 | “The God of Justice” (Esther 5-10) |
| | | 8/28 | Guest Preacher: Rev. Sherry Elliott, Chaplain, Rydal Park |

SANDY SPEAKS

- √ Sunscreen
- √ Sunglasses
- √ Sandals
- √ Sweater
- √ Swimsuit
- √ Bible

What better time than this summer could there be to begin the habit of daily Bible reading? Make sure your Bible is on your vacation packing list. What to read? Work your way through the Gospel of John, reading a

little each day, and mix things up every few days by reading one of the psalms. Pray that God will speak to you through what you read, and see what happens.

STORIES WANTED

Over the past few years, many Grace members have made significant decisions to start tithing or to embark on a plan to increase their giving over time to the level of the tithe. This involves, for many, faith and risk. If you are one of these people, the Stewardship Task Force (Jo-Anne LePiere, Andrew Barnett, Kurt Heiselmoyer, and Rob Sutton) would love to know what has happened – in your financial life, in your relationship with God – since you made that decision. You’re encouraged to send your story to office@gracejenkintown.org or by mail to the church office or to talk personally with any of the task force members.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

The Session has made an adjustment in the worship schedule for this summer. Through Pentecost (June 12) there will be two services, traditional at 9:30 a.m. and contemporary at 11:00

a.m. Starting June 19, there will be one service each Sunday, at 9:30 a.m. in the sanctuary. This will continue through Labor Day weekend.

Reports from Mission/Service Trips - Grace in Action

Mission Trip to Nashville

We broke from our Mission Trips to New Orleans for the past 6 years to send a group of eight people to Nashville to help with the rebuilding from the flood damage in May 2010.

The Mission Trip was coordinated with Samaritan's Purse (an organization founded by Franklin Graham for Disaster Relief). They provided great support and allowed us to maximize our efforts towards helping others.

We were there for the week beginning May 1 thru May 7 and were joined by church groups

from Michigan and Wisconsin. Our group worked on 4 different houses and we were able to make a real difference for the home owners. In one case, we were able to complete the end of the 4 month restoration project on their house and allow the family of 6 to move back into their house. Our impact was said best by another homeowner that told us that we were not rebuilding his house but that we were helping him put his life back together and for that he will be forever grateful.

This experience enriched our



lives and will be something we will remember forever.

We had a great time, accomplished a lot for others and got a lot in return.

CT French, Dave Becker, Klaus Fulleborn, John Van Buren, Rob Hudson, Beverly Thompson, Judy Pedorenko and Gioelle Lepore

Cornerstone Christian Academy

On April 16th a team of ten individuals from Grace had another successful trip to Cornerstone Christian Academy. Similar to our previous visits, there is always substantial, enjoyable work to be done at Cornerstone and their team is very receptive of the work we complete. We spent the morning both within the school pulling floor tiles, cleaning the facilities and working outside to enhance the landscape of the school. Similar to every visit, we all knew that we

barely scratched the surface of the work that needed to be completed.

Cornerstone provides a vital ministry to children from at-risk neighborhoods in southwest Philadelphia through their Christian education. The school serves students through the eighth grade and successfully prepares them, through their grounding in faith, for high school and college. The staff

gives 100% to the kids and they are very supportive of the volunteers like our team from Grace. This visit gave us all the opportunity to chat with Dick Ollinger, the President/CEO of Cornerstone. His leadership exemplifies what it means to be a Christian leader and servant leader.

Watch for upcoming opportunities to return to Cornerstone this summer or early fall!

Make Me Instrument- Opportunities to Serve and Give:

Pearl Conestoga Gardens: Come to the Garden

Summer is coming and with it the chance to partner with our friends at Pearl Conestoga Gardens in West Philadelphia. Grace has been there before and many of us are looking forward to returning again. Pearl Conestoga Gardens is an expanded community garden in West Philadelphia's Haddington section, and home of The Veg-

gie Kids program, where children offer their harvest to neighbors at \$1 a bag.

Work Dates are set up for the following Saturdays

June 4

July 2

August 6

We meet in the church parking lot at 8:15 and are back by noon!

Bring water, a snack and gloves. All tools are already at the Garden.

Look for signup sheets on the bulletin board, or call Kathryn Limmer with any questions at 215-886-6071.

Food Pantries:

Hunger doesn't take a vacation in the summer. Our local food pantries continue to see an increase in the number of our neighbors turning to them for food. School is out and the school lunch program is not available for the younger ones

in our community. Please remember to bring your donations to church during the summer months! Here are some ideas to get you started:

Canned meats/vegetable/beans

Peanut butter and jelly

Fruit cups

Small boxes of raisins

Tasty breakfast cereal

Breathing Room Foundation:

The Breathing Room Foundation offers amusement and recreational items for 60 families to support them as they fight cancer. The Summer Fun Packs include: amusement park or zoo passes, museum passes, movie tickets, Rita's, Barnes & Noble gift cards, Phillies or Ea-

gles pre-season if donated... if someone has last minute tickets we can pass them along to a family.

If anyone enjoys yard clean work, we do have a couple families who requested yard clean ups.



SUMMER FUN PROGRAM!

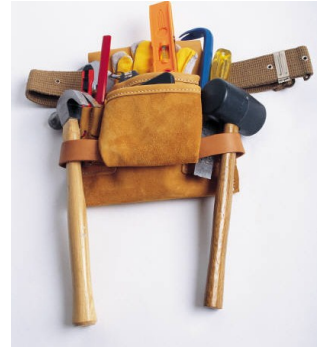
Please contact Eileen Carissimi, Volunteer Coordinator at 267-282-5844 to participate in this worthwhile program.

The Philadelphia Project:

The Mission Team is sponsoring a Tool Drive to support The Philadelphia Project- a Mission Partner of Grace Church.

The Philadelphia Project is based out of Mt. Airy Presbyterian Church and is committed to holistic development of the community in partnership with the church. We have received the following wish list from The Philadelphia Project:

There are many volunteer opportunities available as well. Check them out at: www.thephiladelphiaproject.com



TOOL DRIVE

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| Large Black Contractor trash bags | Duct Tape (colored would be helpful) | Pipe Wrenches (4) |
| Blue Painters Tape. (We use a ton of this stuff) | Electrical tape | Pry bars (4) |
| Quality 2.5" Paint brushes (We probably will use about 150 this summer) | Pliers (5) | Hammers (16 oz.) (10) |
| Quality Paint roller covers (100) | Channel locks (5) | Clamps (all sizes, hand clamps, bar clamps, C clamps, etc) |
| Paint Rollers (50) | Needle nose pliers (2) | A few larger items on our list: |
| Paint Roller trays (10) | 8" adjustable wrench (4) | 18 or 19.2 volt cordless drills (any brand) (6) |
| Paint Brush Cleaners/combs (10) | 10" adjustable wrench (2) | Circular Saw (2) |
| Paint Roller Extension Polls (15) | 25' Tape Measures (10) | Ratchet set |
| Paint Cups (15) | Rolling tape measure (used for measuring fence lines, etc) | Short ladders/step stools (4' - 6') |
| 2" Drywall screws (We need about 20lbs for the summer) | Drywall "T" (5) | 5 Gallon Drink Coolers (3) |
| Utility knives (probably could use another 10) | Screw Drivers Philips & Straight (bunch) | Coolers (medium size) (2) |
| | Screw driver bits for a drill (3" long #2 bits) (10) | |

CHILDREN'S EDUCATION

Church School Offering Project

Many thanks to all the children and parents who remember to make this helpful habit a part of their routine each week. The children have given over \$426.00 to date toward our collection designated to go to the Philadelphia Project, a local non-profit organization committed to the holistic development of their northwest Philadelphia

neighborhood community in partnership with Mt. Airy Presbyterian Church.

The Philadelphia Project seeks to accomplish their mission through the creation of a vibrant, engaging, and safe community center as well as providing service opportunities caring for the homes of the elderly,

poor, single-parent and those plagued by hardships.



Reports from our Mission Partners

IN Network-Ghana

To read the latest newsletter from our partner, Walter Pimpong, director of IN Network in Ghana click on the link or visit our website: <http://www.gracejerkintown.org/INNGhanaReport1-11.pdf>

Emmanuel Hospital Association- India

We have received the following Praise and Prayer Concerns from our partners at EHA:

EHA hospitals are located in rural areas where blood for transfusion in emergency cases is not available. So far, our hospitals have drawn blood from relatives for transfusion. The Government of India has legislated that only blood from registered blood banks can be transfused. Establishing a blood bank is very expensive and permits are delayed by red tape. Recently one of our hospitals (known for maternity care for the last 75 years) had to turn patients away because they were reported to the authorities as having transfused blood drawn from a relative. Please pray that our hospitals will be able to build and register blood banks.

Herbertpur Christian Hospital has been trying to build a new in-patient facility for the last 3 years. There is a hold up in getting the permission to build. Please pray that the permission will be granted as soon as possible.

Praise God that 3 of our hospitals were able to renew their registration as a medical facility. This is often very difficult because of the demand for bribes to get the paperwork done.

Praise God that the Palliative Care service at HBM Hospital, Lalitpur is going well. 16 new patients have been registered, all of them suffering from cancer. The team now has one more nurse, a ward aide and a volunteer. Pray for two more nurses and a social worker. Pray for the team during the very hot and dry summer months when home visits are difficult and for the patients who struggle with the heat (most live in mud huts without power supply).

Duncan Hospital has a new maternity unit. This hospital has the highest number of deliveries with roughly half the women coming across the border from Nepal. Pray for the need for more staff to work in labor and delivery, and for the smooth functioning of the facility.

Pray for all the senior leaders in EHA who travel extensively, for protection and good health.

Upcoming Opportunities to Serve on a Mission Team: IN Network Ghana

We have received the following announcements of upcoming Mission Trips to Ghana in support of the ongoing work there by our mission partners at IN

Network: Work Teams and Medical Mission Teams are being formed now! Click on the link or visit our website at www.gracejerkintown.org.

<http://www.gracejerkintown.org/GhanaNon-MedicalMissionTripNovember2011.pdf>

Please Welcome to Grace Church

(The following people joined Grace Church in May.

Newcomer orientation meetings for visitors will be held again in early fall.)

Claire and Joe McHugh: Claire and Joe relocated to this area from England. They live in Jenkintown with their three children: Alicia 6, Alexander 8 and Matthew 9. Claire is from Northern Belfast, Ireland and Joe is from this area. For the past 10 years they have been living in England until Joe's recent transfer to the Philadelphia area. Joe works for SunGard and Claire is a stay at home mom.



Reinhard and Doris Schulz: Reinhard and Doris live in Huntingdon Valley. They have 2 grown children. Their oldest son is a physician at University of Pennsylvania and their younger son is attending nursing school. They come to Grace from Gloria Dei and have enjoyed the warmth of the congregation, preaching and large number of children actively involved at Grace.



Now Forming...2011-2012 Coffee Hour Teams

Consider “serving” Grace through one of the Coffee Hour Teams

Several member of each team set up, serve and clean up Coffee Hour in the Palmer Room each Sunday following worship. Teams are assigned to work one Sunday per month for a year and are coordinated by a

Coffee Hour Team Leader. Individuals commit to helping when they are available.

Want to know more? Contact Jen Haley through the Church Office at 215-887-6117.





Vacation Bible School 2011 to Grace!

Monday, August 22 through Friday, August 26

9:15 AM – 12:00 Noon

**Save the dates and make plans to be here.
You won't want to miss the fun and excitement of...**

SonSurf Beach Bash

We're packing our bags and getting ready to vacation at the beach! Children ages 4 through 5th grade are invited to **SON-SURF BEACH BASH** Vacation Bible School – where we will Meet Up! with Jesus, Look Up! to Jesus, Join Up! with Jesus, Open Up! to Jesus, and Fire Up! for Jesus. Take a trip with us to Sandcastle Shore this summer! The fun **begins on Monday, August 22 and ends Friday, August 26** from **9:15 AM to 12:00 Noon at Grace**. Each day we'll ask a Big Question and look for the Big Answer through Bible stories on Bonfire Beach, Seaside Tunes music, snacks at Big D's Diner, Beach Bash games, Surf's Up crafts and Big Wave Bible games.

Sandcastle Shore Epic Assemblies –Beginning and ending assembly time where we'll introduce the daily Bible stories through skits and music.

Bonfire Beach – Present the daily Bible stories and explore life-application activities with our beach buddies.

Seaside Tunes – Share the scripture truths that come alive for singers and listeners.

Big D's Diner – Serve theme related snacks and make connections to the daily story.

Beach Bash Games – Play a fun variety of theme related recreational games..

Surf's Up Crafts – Create crafts that will help our beach buddies remember their fun-filled visit to Sandcastle Shore.

Big Wave Bible Games – Provide opportunities to review the Bible stories and apply the truths to everyday life through fun teamwork activities.

Online registration for SONSURF BEACH BASH is available now. Registration will be limited to 84 beach buddies.

Register online today!

<http://www.jotform.com/jhaley/VBS2011SonSurfBeachBash>

Please call or email if you have any questions. Save the dates, register today, and make plans to have fun in the Son with us this summer.

6th grade or older? Available and willing to volunteer?

Please use the online registration and indicate your availability in the last box of the registration form!

*We're looking for many volunteers to join our team this summer – **Lifeguards** to help in activity centers and **Beach Patrol** to help with our beach buddy groups as well as **Vacation Planners** who can help prepare, pray, shop for and/or donate supplies. Willing to join in on the adventure to the beach? Please let us know – contact Loey Weggel or Jen Haley.*

Family Faith: Play Together

(Excerpted from the book 99 Ways to Raise Spiritually Healthy Children by Kathleen Long Bostrom)

Bible Basic: Ecclesiastes 8.15

So I commend enjoyment, for there is nothing better for people under the sun than to eat, and drink, and enjoy themselves, for this will go with them in their toil through the days of life that God give them under the sun.

It is said that the family that prays together stays together, but that is just as true with the family that plays together. Fun and laughter can bring families together and ease tensions better than just about anything else.

Play is how children learn. Play is an important part of their development, as they experiment, use their imaginations, figure things out, and fine-tune their large and small motor skills. Play is work, but that doesn't mean it can't be fun.

Children love it when the important adults in their lives take time to play. Children learn how to interact with adults. They learn that their parents care about their world. They learn that adults can be entertaining.

Plan some playtime: A game night that includes all the ages in your family. A special outing to the park for a game of basketball, wiffleball or frisbee. A craft extravaganza where supplies are piled on the table and everyone gets to use their imagination to create. Schedule it on the calendar.

Planning an intentional fun time is just part of the equation. Be willing to be interrupted, to set aside your own agenda now and then, because that speaks volumes to your child. Stop, drop and play when you can, because it won't be possible every time. It's okay for children to know you have things you need to get done, but be spontaneous every now and then even if it's for only a few minutes.

Have a playful spirit. It's contagious!

Reflection Question: What games did your parents (or other adults) take time to play with you?

BAPTISMS

May 22, 2011

Zoey Rose Rickers

Daughter of

MD & Tracy Rickers

May 22, 2011

Troy Everett Smith

Son of

Todd and Kimberly Smith

May 8, 2011

Addison Greenland

Daughter of

Austin & Joelle Greenland



CHURCH CALENDAR

The church calendar is now available online. All you need to do is just go on the church website, click on the following link and there you have it.



-  [Online Calendar - Click here to see what's happening at Grace!](#)

Nurture Kids' Faith: Taking God on Vacation

Families are the strongest faith influence in the lives of kids and teens! That's why Faith Alive developed this blog especially for busy parents and caregivers, or others who play an important role in kids' lives (like stepparents, grandparents, aunts, and uncles). It's full of fun, faith-building ideas, articles, and devotions to use at home!

Ahh, the family road trip. The bad news is that you'll have fights over the window seat, complaints about how long it's taking, constant reminders that somebody has to pee—and that's just the first hour! But the good news is that you have each other's undivided attention.

With that in mind, resist the temptation to "take a break" from God when you're on vacation. It's probably one of the best times to nurture faith because your family is relaxed and has all the time in the world to reflect and wonder together. Here are some tips for making the most of that time:

- **Make music.** While the silence that a van full of iPods provides may be priceless, don't miss the opportunity to listen—and sing!—together. Set aside some time to listen to music that glorifies God. Give everyone the opportunity to request both a silly song and a song from church that you can belt out together.
- **Point out the "God-prints" you find around you.** My husband is big on clouds and trees and sunsets. He points them out to the kids, saying, "How does God do that? It's amazing!" Sometimes the kids respond, sometimes they just roll their eyes, but that's okay—we're training them to be God-print seekers too.
- **Bring a story Bible.** Pack a story Bible and let your child pick favorite stories to read (David and Goliath five nights in a row is okay).
- **Make your own devotionals.** Get a dollar-store notebook. Set aside a page for each day and add a "God Connection," such as, "Things I saw today that reminded me of God," "Thank you God for . . .", "I'm so glad God gave us . . ." and so on. Look at that day's heading in the morning and set aside time at the end of the day to add pictures or words to the page. Tip: Insert completed devotional pages into a photo album of your trip so those connections become part of family history.

If you make an effort to take God with you on vacation, you'll find that the rewards are many, and the experiences are priceless.

Karen DeBoer is an early childhood educator and a curriculum editor who's been involved in children's ministry for more than 25 years. She and her husband, Ron, are the parents of four girls.



Wish a Member a Happy Birthday

<u>JUNE</u>									
		Joelle Greenland	6/21	Jeff L'Amoreaux	7/4	Morgan Equi	7/25	Will Gouveia	8/16
Christian Salem	6/1	Ty Waetjen	6/21	Meg Brandau	7/5	Jen Eyre	7/25	Mark Kissling	8/16
Laurel Kuhl	6/2	Bob MacFarland	6/22	Eleanor Conners	7/5	Maggie Ayres	7/26	Kellen Sharp	8/16
Lisa Willie	6/2	Lawson Munn	6/22	Lily Hart	7/5	John Eyre	7/27	Linda Beckmann	8/17
Michelle Adshead	6/3	Wayne Thompson Jr.	6/22	Dottie Crosson	7/6	Gabriella Kramer	7/27	Craig Weggel	8/17
Chase Baker	6/3	Tim Donato	6/23	Kia Butler	7/7	Jean Landis	7/27	Ray Mayers	8/18
Sarah Van Buren	6/3	Andrew Kuhl	6/23	Mike Farquharson	7/7	Matthew McHugh	7/29	Chelsea Quinn	8/18
Quentin White	6/3	Madeleine Sanders	6/23	Sue Smith	7/7	William Erwine	7/30	Fred Woll III	8/18
Vincent Willie	6/3	Calvin Zylstra	6/23	Isabella Di Dio	7/8	Denell Lewis	7/31	Joan Boulden	8/19
Andrew Barnett	6/4	Peter Davis	6/24	Dave Donaldson	7/8			Priscilla Di Dio	8/19
June Hinks	6/4	Dorothy Baxter	6/24	Jamie Hinks	7/8	<u>AUGUST</u>		Rachel Incollingo	8/19
James Nkrumah	6/4	Addison Greenland	6/24	Mary Lou Kuhl	7/8	Addie Bracy	8/1	Bethany Peterman	8/19
Philip Schweitzer	6/4	Chris Hoyler	6/24	Christian Peterman	7/8	Ann Foley	8/1	Danny Hayes	8/20
Mary Eby	6/5	Greg Jones	6/24	Matt Douglas	7/9	Kathleen Geer	8/1	Bunny Snyder	8/20
Megan Kane	6/6	Eric Berlinger	6/25	Robin Nagele	7/9	Michael Mailey	8/1	Remer Strong	8/20
Jeff Hinks	6/7	Stephen Higgins	6/25	Jane Boulden	7/10	Mim Murdock	8/1	Audrey Asher	8/21
John Van Buren	6/7	Sarah Hart	6/26	Joan Heiselmoeyer	7/10	Abigail Thomas	8/2	Kent Charlemagne	8/21
Tony DiGiulio	6/8	Holly Ritter	6/26	Andrew House	7/10	James Casper	8/3	Dan Donahue	8/21
John Rufibach	6/9	Emmaline Rivkin	6/26	Jordan House	7/10	Matt Leckman	8/4	Wayne Jefferson	8/21
Lynanne Schaeffer	6/9	Tom Erwine	6/27	Jeffrey Kramer	7/10	Maria Lorenz	8/5	Sue Kuhl	8/21
Dick Claffee	6/10	Richard Rivkin	6/27	John Leonard Jr.	7/10	Nathaniel Barnett	8/6	Debbie Butler	8/22
Henry Fuelleborn	6/10	Claire Van Buren	6/27	Beth House	7/11	Kevin Hull	8/6	Benjamin Junkin	8/22
Lauren Van Buren	6/10	Becky Schweitzer	6/28	Pam Hunter	7/11	Ann Troup	8/6	Charles Viola	8/24
Lily Auxter	6/11	John Bunting	6/29	Sue Erwine	7/12	Jean Kasten	8/7	Anna Maria Di Dio	8/25
Cathy Baxter	6/12	Jeff Cline	6/29	Peter Giammanco	7/12	Philip Kuhl	8/7	Pat House	8/25
Nikki Jefferson	6/12	Haviland Flickinger	6/29	Maggie Kuhl	7/12	Elsa Scherphorn	8/7	Kirsten MacFarland	8/25
Corey Landis	6/12	Tyler Leyden	6/29	Sue Hunter	7/13	Andy Van Buren Sr.	8/7	Madde Maxwell	8/25
Evan MacFarland	6/12	Kristin Ritter	6/29	Teresa Cooper	7/15	Milton Hartley	8/8	Emily Smith	8/25
Doris Motter	6/12	Edward Hinks	6/30	John Douglas	7/15	Rachel Jackson	8/8	Paul Becker	8/26
Taylor Munn Jr.	6/12			Bill Skyrn Sr.	7/15	Abby Kretschman	8/8	Judy Gordon	8/26
Rob Ritter	6/12	<u>JULY</u>		Bissie Miller	7/16	Audrey Kretschman	8/8	Sandi Spindler	8/26
Will Woll	6/12	Jim Baxter	7/1	Lisa Kurtz	7/16	Freddy Woll IV	8/9	Sally Butterworth	8/27
Tom Danilak	6/13	Beth Farquharson	7/1	Peter Giammanco	7/17	Laura DiGiulio	8/11	John Hyde Sr.	8/27
Suzy Kiefner	6/14	Jeanette Jackson	7/1	Lucy Smith	7/18	Nancy Huttlin	8/11	Lyn-dee Mattia	8/27
Jeff MacFarland	6/14	Jessica Spindler	7/1	Jack Milley	7/18	Donald Brennan	8/12	Wendy Browder	8/28
Susan Schaumburg	6/14	Susan Dorshimer	7/2	Maya Reeves	7/19	Nancy Gerhart	8/12	Mary Rodgers	8/28
Nancy Wright	6/14	Curt Equi	7/2	Zachary Schweitzer	7/21	Bob Hudson	8/12	Will Blankin	8/29
Cole Farquharson	6/15	Ann Miller	7/2	Lincoln Auxter	7/22	Krista Kane	8/12	Noah Incollingo	8/29
Brady Mattia	6/15	Amanda Schriver	7/2	Ann Wilson	7/22	Chris Junkin	8/13	Annika Kretschman	8/29
Haley Brennan	6/16	Robin Curry	7/3	Ben Cooper	7/23	Kimberly Smith	8/13	Emma Dillon	8/30
Connie Ebert	6/16	Cary Dillon	7/3	John Kiefner	7/23	Dottie Baldwin	8/15	Brenna Socki	8/30
Natalie Weiss	6/17	Sarah Dillon	7/3	Meredith Maxwell	7/23	Sandy Chopade	8/15	Mary Satterthwaite	8/31
David Rufibach	6/19	Drew Kremp	7/3	Reinhard Schulz	7/23	Zachary Cline	8/15		
Kent Charlemagne	6/20	Laura Kremp	7/3	Russ Starke	7/23	Michaela Donato	8/15		
Sydney Farquharson	6/21	Spencer Kuhl	7/3	Judy Alexander	7/25	McCord Fancher	8/15		
		Ginny Gray	7/4			Alison Gouveia	8/15		

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Save the Date! Rally Day 2011 Fellowship & Fun!



Mark your calendars. Sunday, September 11th is Rally Day and Grace is having a Block Party to help kick off the new program year with food, fellowship, and lots of fun! It will follow the 10:30 worship service, right outside on Vista Road. Dress casually, plan to stay and bring a friend! Everyone is invited, so keep a look out for more information on the event and ways you can participate.

8:30 AM	Worship in the Chapel
9:15 AM	Children's Choirs begin and Teacher Support Meeting
10:30 AM	Worship in the Sanctuary – Including Bible presentation to 3 rd grade children
11:30 AM	BBQ along Vista Road

Willing to provide a grill? Help set up? Share your grilling talents?
Help clean up?

Contact Jen Haley through the Church Office to volunteer!

COMMUNICATIONS

The church staff has been thinking about how to make our church's communications both effective and cost-efficient. So we are going to try an experiment this summer, leaning more heavily on e-mail and using less paper. Here are the basic elements of the summer experiment:

- * A more extensive weekly e-mail newsletter will replace the current e-mail blast. This will be the main form communicating church news.
- * The bulletin at the 9:30 a.m. traditional service will not contain the same volume of announcements as in the past, but a hard copy of the weekly newsletter will be available on Sundays for those who don't use e-mail.
- * There will be one Vista covering June through August (this is it).

As the summer progresses, the staff would be happy to receive any feedback you would like to offer.