



Joy Lutheran Church

✚ SHARING OUR JOY ✚

February 5, 2012

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Today is Souper Bowl Sunday. Please place your donation in the special offering envelopes and put in the offering plate or in the cans in the narthex. A food donation is also welcome. Thank you for your continued support to help fight hunger.

Thank you to the boy scouts for serving at Joy today.

It's Spring Fling planning time again!! We're meeting on **Tuesday, February 7 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Joy Fireside Room to continue planning for the 3rd annual Joy Spring Fling. We are looking for people who have energy and ideas to continue to grow the potential for this all-church event. We are looking to get everyone involved this year! Craig Orf and Alan Klein will be co-leading this year's event so you can contact them with ideas as well. Please join us at the meeting if you can.

Automated External Defibrillator (AED) training at Joy will be on Wednesday, February 8, 1:00 p.m. Joy recently purchased and installed an AED in the narthex. A class is being offered to train interested members of the church and community on how to operate the device. This training will be about 2 hours long and is being offered free of charge by Prescott Emergency Medical Service. No prior medical, first aid, or CPR training is required. These machines are now installed in many public buildings in our community. This is great training for non-medical people to help in the event they encounter someone having a heart attack. An evening class will be held later in the month, date TBD. Any questions, contact Dan Olson at 715-262-4150.

Sweetheart Dinner on Sunday, February 12 at Prescott UCC. See the flyer on the entryway bulletin board.

ATTENTION KIDS OF ALL AGES!! Did you know Joy has a library? The books and movies aren't just for your parents and the old people. There are shelves filled with good reading for all ages. Truth Unplugged, Real Answers for the Tough Questions Teens Ask, Narnia, The Lion Witch and The Wardrobe - Lucy's Adventure, What Happens When I Talk to God? (The power of prayer for boys and girls), The Secret Arrow, Please Stop Laughing at Me. **Check out these books. Who knows, if the book is already out, you might find some other wonderful reading to enjoy.**

Prescott Fire Department All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast on Sundays, February 12, 19, 26, March 4, 11, 18, 25, and April 1. Cost is \$6.00 adults, \$5.00 seniors, \$4.00 kids under 12, and kids under 5 are free.

St. Paul's Lutheran's 8th Annual Sportmen's Banquet & Wild Game Feed is Sunday, February 12 at 5:00 p.m. More information on the entryway bulletin board.

Join Prescott area churches on **World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 2, 2012 at 11:00 a.m.** at St .John's UCC on County Road QQ. The program has been prepared by women of faith in Malaysia and will be shared among women of all faith communities around the world.

Winter Fun Day at Joy Lutheran, Sunday, February 12, 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Come for outdoor activities, crafts, games, hot cocoa. Invite your friends and neighbors. **We're still looking for volunteer supervisors for the events.** Will you help? Please contact Joy at 715-262-5800! **The Card Ministry will also be making cards that day.**

Sunday School Families - Faith, Family, and Food is here. You are invited to join your child in their Sunday School classrooms for the first 20 minutes of the 10:00 a.m. service (see dates). During this time, you will have an opportunity to meet other Sunday School families, learn about the curriculum, and participate in a short activity with your child. If you are interested in providing a snack for your child's class, please call Michelle Heinze at 715-262-4320 or e-mail michelle.heinze@juno.com. After the Faith, Family, and Food time, students will continue with their Sunday School class, and the parents will go to worship.

February 5 - 4K	February 12 - Kindergarten	February 26 - 2nd Grade
March 4 - 3rd Grade	March 18 - 4th Grade	March 25 - 5th Grade
April 1 - Shift 67	April 15 - 1st Grade	

If you have any questions about your giving statement, please e-mail Sue Hood at joybookkeeper@centurytel.net or call the office.

Reminder: During January and February, JW/ELCA is collecting items for Lutheran World Relief school kits. These kits may mean the difference between a child in a developing country getting an education or not, so please be generous in helping us collect items for these kits. Items that need to be donated are listed on the JW/ELCA Mission board in the Narthex and in the January newsletter. If you are a person who wants to sew a drawstring backpack, instruction sheets are in the JW/ELCA mailbox in the copy room. Monetary donations for sending the kits overseas will also be accepted. Thanks for your help!

Are you looking for a cake pan or bowl you may have left at Joy? These items are located on a table in the Fellowship Hall.

Help Us Beat Cancer! The American Cancer Society will bring a welcome touch of Spring during the week of March 12, 2012, the annual Daffodil Days celebration. Donna Most and Julie Fiedler from First National Bank, will be representing the distribution of the daffodils for the Prescott area. Order forms (**return by February 13**) and more information are posted on the entryway bulletin board.

If you donated a green LBW and/or blue WOV hymnal, they are now available for pickup in the Fireside Room.

February 5 - February 12, 2012

Sunday, February 5

SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY

- 8:15 a.m. Traditional Worship / Holy Communion
- 9:30 a.m. Shift 67
- 10:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship / Holy Communion
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. DI*

Monday, February 6

- 5:30 p.m. Sing4Joy practice
- 6:00 p.m. Joy Unlimited practice
- 7:00 p.m. Spirit of Joy practice
- 7:00 p.m. Joyful Bells practice

* Building use by outside groups # Meeting not at Joy Church

Tuesday, February 7

- 9:30 a.m. Conference Pastors#
- 6:00 p.m. Education Committee
- 7:00 p.m. Spring Fling meeting

Wednesday, February 8

- 7:30 - 8:20 a.m. PHS Small Group
- 1:00 p.m. AED Training
- 3:00 - 6:15 p.m. Piano Lessons in Music Room*
- 5:15 - 6:30 p.m. Dinner - Hamburger Rice Hot Dish
- 5:15 - 5:40 p.m. Kids Choir
- 5:30 - 6:00 p.m. The Way, the Truth, and the Life practice
- 5:30 p.m. Youth Committee meeting
- 5:45 - 6:15 p.m. High School Praise Band practice
- 6:15 p.m. Confirmation / Worship
- 7:00 p.m. Joy Choir practice

Thursday, February 9

- 10:30 a.m. Care Center Worship#
- 5:30 p.m. Worship & Music Committee meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts*

Sunday, February 12

- 8:15 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 9:30 a.m. Shift 67
- 10:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship / Berg, Bunn, & Norby Baptisms
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Winter Fun Day
- 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. DI*
- 5:00 p.m. St. Paul's Sportsmen's Banquet & Wild Game Feed#
- 5:00 p.m. Prescott UCC Sweetheart Dinner#

The monthly church calendar is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway.

Joy Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (M, T, Th, F)
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (W)

Alternative High School program: 8:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. (M-F)*

Early Childhood program: 8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. (T-F)*

Parent Organized Pre-school program: 8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. (T and Th)*