

# THE WLC WEEKLY



SHARING THE LOVE AND GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST  
IN OUR HOMES, CHURCH, COMMUNITY AND WORLD

May 16-23, 2010

## PATHWAY CLASSES

### "Essential New Testament Words"

*Facilitator: Dean Nadasdy*

*Location: Sanctuary*

This spring our Sanctuary Bible Studies focus on "Essential New Testament Words." Each Sunday, 9:30-10:30 am, beginning March 7, participants will look at a key word in the New Testament, studying its background, Old Testament roots, partner words, and significance for our walk with Christ. Join us for this large group Bible study, and be sure to bring your Bible.

### "Young Adult Philippians Bible Study"

*Facilitator: Mark Koschmann & Emily Shudde*

*Location: Caribou Coffee*

Grab a cup of coffee, bring your Bible and join us as we study the book of Philippians.

### "Fireproof Your Marriage"

*Facilitator: Jane Dibbern*

*Location: Family Center*

Fireproof Your Marriage will challenge you to love better, to love first and to love for a lifetime! It is founded on Biblical principles for strong, God-centered, lifelong marriages. Engage in a 6-session study, using video clips from FIRE-PROOF, along with thought provoking discussion questions and individual and couple's devotionals. Sessions included: He Said/She Said, He First Loved Us, Love for a Lifetime, Breaking Free, Forgiveness, and A Better Way of Loving.

### Men's Bible Study, "When Worldviews Collide"

*Facilitators: John Blaisdell & Dave Nelson*

*Location: Ephesians Room*

Perhaps more than ever before, our culture is being influenced by non-Christian belief systems. Here's a new small-group study

written by a former Muslim designed to develop a Christian's theology and doctrine for the purpose of building confidence in personal evangelism and engaging their culture with absolute biblical truth. In addition, it helps adults identify ways false teachings make an impact on our society and to take actions that promote a biblical worldview. Other faiths covered include Muslim, Jewish, Hindu, and Buddhist.

### "New Member Class"

*Facilitator: Mary Lehman*

*Location: Fireside Room*

Interested in joining the family at Woodbury Lutheran Church? This class is your introduction to who we are, our values and what makes us, us. This is the only Sunday adult class requiring registration. Call Mary for more information or to register 651.739.5144 x201

### "Sunday Faith & Friends"

*Facilitator: Jeanne Dicke*

*Location: Joshua Room*

We meet on Sunday to talk about our faith in Jesus and spend time with friends.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Want to be CPR Certified?** The City of Woodbury is offering an American Heart Association CPR class (certification for professionals including health care professionals and teachers available) on Thursday, May 20, 6-10 p.m., through the Volunteer Emergency Response Team network. First priority goes to VERT members, but additional slots are likely to be available. Cost for the class is free; there is a \$4 fee if you need a certification card. To register, contact Vicki Strong, [strongv@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:strongv@woodburylutheran.org)

**Disability Ministry Refresher, Sunday, TODAY from 12:20-30pm in the Isaiah Room.** For all disability ministry servants, new and experienced. Join us for a time of fellowship, a sandwich lunch and a refresher course on topics of importance to our ministry. Please RSVP to Cheri Frost, 651-730-7052.

**Kris and Cole Bruesehoff** are participating in the JDRF 2010 Ride to Cure Diabetes and are holding two crop/craft nights on May 21 and July 16 to help raise funds for the cure. For more information on these events, please contact Kris at [kbcscraper@aol.com](mailto:kbcscraper@aol.com).

**Woodbury Lutheran is organizing a team for the South Washington County Relay for Life June 4-5, 2010, at East Ridge High.** If you're interested in joining the team (there is a fee and you're asked to raise pledges) contact Debbie at [debbie.grimmer@comcast.net](mailto:debbie.grimmer@comcast.net). Those who have or have had cancer and don't want to join the team but would like to walk the "Survivor Lap" should register online at: <https://secure3.convio.net/tacs/site/TRR/RelayForLife/RFLFY10MW/1586295566?pg=ptype&frid=23081> or contact Pastor Tim at 651-739-5144 to be added to our survivor roster.

**Join Us For a Women's Summer Bible Study called, "The Sacred Echo—Why is Prayer so Mysterious?", by Margaret Fienberg,** beginning Wednesday evening, June 2 through Wednesday, July 7 in the Fireside room from 6:30-8:30 pm. When God really wants to get your attention, he doesn't just whisper something once. He echoes. You've probably experienced it. The same theme, idea, impression or lesson will repeat itself in surprising and unexpected ways

until you realize that maybe, just maybe God is at work. As you learn to listen for the sacred echoes—God's persistent voice—in your life, you can walk more confidently and fully into all that he has for you. It's an invitation to spiritual awakening and a deeper relationship with God. This is a six part video driven Bible study. Cost is \$14.99 for your workbook and book. Register with Mary Lehman online.

**Summer Daytime Adult Bible Study!** Meet with Pastor Paul Pfothenauer to study the Book of Romans. Take a walk with Paul the Apostle through the pages of Romans. Class meets June 3 and June 17 from 10 am until noon in the Fireside Room. July and August dates to be determined. Questions, call Jude Scholz at 334-9041.

**Interested in joining Woodbury Lutheran?** One option is the Summer New Member Class. It meets on Saturday mornings from 9:00 - 11:30 am on June 5, 12 and 19. Attendance is mandatory for all 3 classes (for other Sunday morning classes, this is not the case). Contact Mary Lehman at 739-5144 x. 201 The next class Sunday morning New Member Class will begin September 19.

**The 5th Annual Robin's Nest Children's Home Benefit in honor of Jacob Anderson** is being held at Axel's @ Prestwick Golf Club on Thursday June 3. Golf Tournament 1pm, Silent Auction 5-8, Dinner 6pm & Entertainment 7pm. Please help us raise money to finish "Jake's House!" For more info or to register online visit [www.jacobandersonfoundation.org](http://www.jacobandersonfoundation.org) or contact Josh/Melanie Anderson 651.458.1116

**WLC Young Adult Group Outing !** Don't miss a chance to see the Dead Sea Scrolls on display at the Science Museum of Minnesota on **Saturday, June 12.**

Cost is \$24 and includes museum access, Dead Sea Scrolls exhibit access, and Omni Theater tickets.

Meet at WLC at 2 p.m. if you would like to car pool to the museum or simply meet us at the museum at 2:30 p.m. We will be heading to Patrick McGovern's Pub afterwards. To register, please complete the [Dead Sea Scrolls Registration Form](#) by June 1. Contact Vicar Mark ([mark.koschmann@gmail.com](mailto:mark.koschmann@gmail.com)) or Kimberlee Herr ([herr.kimberlee@hotmail.com](mailto:herr.kimberlee@hotmail.com)) if you have any questions.

**Attention Soaring Eagles! We have TWINS tickets!** Join us Tuesday, June 15 as we watch the Twins play the Colorado Rockies. Tickets are \$25.00. Sign up at the Welcome Center Desk. NOTE: tickets must be paid for using the marked envelopes in the Soaring Eagles RSVP notebook when you sign-up. Deadline is TODAY! Ticket sales will help the Rotary Club of Woodbury with the funding of the Jeff Hanson Twins Miracle Field in Woodbury. Questions? Contact, Jane Dibbern [dibbernj@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:dibbernj@woodburylutheran.org). or 651-739-5144x208.

#### FYI

**Many lives will be changed because of the 32,500 Bibles handed out in Malaysia during the April Bible Blitz.** We were able to visit hotels, clinics and hospitals in the morning and several schools in the afternoon. We witnessed several people give their life to Christ as scripture was shared. Thanks for your Prayers for our Gideon Team. Vince Setten

**Café 121 Spring Specials for May 16, 23 and 30!** BOGO—Buy One Get One Frappe or Latte ½ OFF!

**Attention Families and Gardeners!!** On Wednesday, May 5, folks met at the St. Croix campus and planted 12 rows of potatoes and 8 rows of onions for the Christian Cupboard Food shelf. On **Wednesday and Thursday, May 19 and 20**, we need more people to come to finish the rest

of the planting. Bring shovels, hoes and rakes if you have them or just come and be a part of this ministry! If you have questions please contact Mark Stutelberg in the office or Ted Bolles at 651.731.9436

**The Refugee Life Ministry Team** is looking for donations to furnish the apartment for a family that will be arriving in June. Items needed are: couch, kitchen table and chairs, TV, and microwave. If you are able to donate such as these please contact: Rick & Dena Petrich at 651-578-3062 or Kyle Engen at 612-210-0194

**ADJUST: To adapt or conform to new conditions...**Are you, or someone you know, having to **adjust** to any of these situations: a troubling medical diagnosis, a new baby, a grown child moving back home, financial loss, a seriously ill loved one, a best friend who has moved, a separation, a job loss, a death? Need some encouragement and support? Our **Stephen Ministers** are trained and available for listening to and helping people as they face changes in their lives. Strictly confidential. Contact: Tamara Karlstrand, Referral Coordinator, (651) 458-3775 or E-mail [tskarl@comcast.net](mailto:tskarl@comcast.net)

**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) Registration for Fall 2010!** If you are a mother of preschoolers (infant through kindergarten) and would like to join MOPS, register online [www.woodburylutheran.org/mops](http://www.woodburylutheran.org/mops). And also register your preschoolers online for the MOP-PETS childcare, which is offered during our MOPS meetings. MOPS meets twice a month at WLC on Monday mornings from 9-11am. Register early! For more information, contact Kim Hughes at 651-436-2585.

**Looking for a fun way to spend time with kids?** Join us by serving for Planet Zoom VBS for preschool and Kdgn.-age kids! It's flexible with a morning session or an afternoon session op-

tion...you can be a small group leader or help with crafts, snacks, or large group activities. Please contact Nancy Schubbe, [scshubben@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:scshubben@woodburylutheran.org) with your serving interests!

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**SEEKING SERVANTS** for SportsLife Camp, July 12-14. SportsLife camp is looking for adults/youth 18 years and older to serve with small groups of children in a sports-themed morning. High energy, fun and NO PREP! Please contact Nancy Schubbe, [scshubben@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:scshubben@woodburylutheran.org) with your serving interests!

#### "PLANET ZOOM"

*Where Bee-lievers...  
Zip, Zap & ZOOM for JESUS!*

This summer's Preschool and Kindergarten VBS for ages 3 years-current kindergarten (must be 3 years old by 9/1/2009) begins the week of June 21-24. Registration is open now!

Morning Session 9:30 am-Noon  
Afternoon Session 12:30-3:00

#### SportsLife Camp July 12-15, 2010

9:00-Noon  
For Kids grades 1st-5th  
(grade completed 6/10)

Choose your Main Event: Basketball, Street Hockey, Dance, Cheerleading, Ultimate Frisbee, Soccer or Arts Extravaganza. Cost is \$35.00 before June 1 and \$45 after June 1. Registration is open now! Check out the SportsLife Camps website to see what camp was like last year!

#### YOUTH MINISTRY

**Intro to Jr. High Meetings for those entering 7th grade in 2010 and at least one parent!** Our hope at this meeting is to explain Foundations, navigate our website and give the inside scoop on events for Jr. High students. Meetings are TODAY from 9:15-10:45am and Wednesday May

19, 6-7:30pm in the Family Center.

**Middle School (6-9th) Friday Night Frenzy, "Claymation Heroes Night"** on May 21 from 6-9pm. Come for a sweet Claymation movie (Chicken Run or a Wallace and Gromit flick) and some game time! The Video game room will be open from 6-7 pm and the rest of the night will be filled with games, a movie and hilarity! Cost \$5, friends always welcome.

**Mexico Mission Trip:** Our key project is to finish the roof. Dates are July 31-August 8, 2010. We have two transportation options: Option 1: \$525, travel by RV/SUV; Option 2: \$750 travel by Air to Laredo, TX (Aug. 1-7). (College age discount, \$125 off the price). Non-refundable deposit of \$150 is due by June 1.

**Birthday Night in the Bridge,** June 4, 6-9pm!! Come on up for some sweet music, pizza, yummy cake, video game time and a few birthday games! \$5 cover. 7-12th grades.

**Graduate Celebration is June 6,** 9:15-11am in the Bridge. Please turn in your grad bios and brunch #'s by May 19.

**Summer Stretch** is open to youth that will be in 7-10th grade in the '10-'11 school year. Summer Stretch meets on Thursdays 8:15-4:45 pm and includes time in God's word, service and fun. Pick up a registration form at the Bridge or go online to [www.wlc youth.org](http://www.wlc youth.org). Also, Sr.High leaders are needed!

**The Bridge is open** for all 7-12th graders on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays from 3-7pm.

#### JOYFUL GIVING

*(As of May 10, 2010)*

Year to Date Actual:	\$807,403.00
Year to Date Budget:	\$772,420.00
	\$ 34,983.00