



Our Mission: to be and make disciples for Christ

Inviting All

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January 22, 2012

Call the church office if you have questions about any of Apostles' ministries.

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

Psalm 62:5-12

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

Mark 1:14-20

Attendance

Jan. 15, 2012

9:00 AM 10:30 AM

104 141

Children's Education

30

Faith Commitments

Week of January 15, 2012

Needed for Budget: \$ 7,742

Actual Giving : \$6,132

Weekly Difference: (\$1,610)

YTD vs. Budget: (\$ 30,394)

Study on the Book of Psalms

SueAnn Collinge facilitates a study on the book of Psalms every Thursday morning at 10:00 AM in N. Theisz.

All are welcome; bring your friends and family. This is a new study and the perfect time to start!

Tickets for Apostles 50th Anniversary Celebration Dinner are on sale this morning outside the Narthex.

Ticket sales will continue through the month of January.

Adult price is \$15.00; child (12 & under) is \$7.50.

Apostles 50th Anniversary Update

- ♥ As part of Apostles' 50th Anniversary Celebration two of our former pastors, as well as Bishop Benoway will be here to celebrate with us: Tim & Sue Gamelin on February 5th ; and Bishop Benoway on February 12th. Tim & Mary Caniff-Kuhn were scheduled to be here March 4th but are moving to a new house that weekend. Hopefully they will be able to reschedule. We will have "visiting time" with the Gamelin's .
- ♥ The 50th Anniversary Crosses are beautiful. They make great Christmas ornaments, book marks or simply a lovely keepsake. They are \$5.00 each and make great gifts. See Liz or SueAnn in the office if you would like to purchase any Keepsake Crosses.
- ♥ Sunday, February 12 at 5:00 PM is our Anniversary Dinner at Brandon Elks. Dinner will be a buffet, and includes salad, bread and dessert. Tickets for the dinner will be \$15.00 for adults, \$7.50 per child, age 12 and under. Tickets will be on sale today through January 29. Look for the table in the Garden area outside the Narthex.

Esther's Circle New Time

Esther's Circle begins a new day tomorrow, Monday, Jan. 23rd at 10:30 AM in the Garden Room. All ladies of Apostles and their friends are welcome. Come, bring a devotion or a favorite Scripture to share, and spend a lovely time of fellowship. Call Shirley Hanke at 689-0682 for more info.

Health and Wellness

"A Stewardship of Life"

Get the most out of your New Year's resolution to lose a few pounds. Be sure to check the ingredient list and nutrition facts on the labels of all your foods.

A recent study has shown that those who read nutrition labels are more likely to lose weight than those who don't read them. Nutrition labels list a number of ingredients we should limit, such as: calories per serving; serving size; sugars/carbohydrates; fats; and sodium.

Be smart. Read labels. Eat healthy.



ADA American Dental Association®

Free dental care for kids!

Date: Friday, February 3, 2011

Time: Begins at 8:00a.m. until ?

Place: Suncoast Community Health

Ruskin Health Center
 2814 14th Ave. SE
 Ruskin, FL 33570

- Children must be accompanied by parent or legal guardian

- Please bring proof of financial eligibility/income

Tony Jackson's Dental Clinic will be offering free dental care for children, on a one-time basis, that have no Medicaid or any other insurance.

Children must be accompanied by their parent or legal guardian and bring proof of financial eligibility and income.

This free clinic will be held at the Ruskin Health Center, Friday, Feb.3 from 8:00 AM-???. Several area pedodontists will be providing their services. There will be Spanish speakers available to assist if needed.

Thank you, Tony, and all the other dentists that are providing this valuable service.

This week at Apostles...

Sunday, January 22, 2012

Unity Worship, 10:00 AM
Children's Education at 10:00 AM (TH)
6th Grade class, 10:00 AM (GR)
Confirmation, 8:45 AM (NT)
Annual Congregational Meeting immediately following Worship (TH)

Monday, January 23:

Esther Circle, 10:30 AM (GR)
Cub Scout Pack 110, 7:00 PM (TH)

Tuesday, January 24:

Meals on Wheels, 9:00 AM (TH)
Principles of Fasting, 7:00 PM (SR)
BSA Troop 110, 7:30 PM (TH)
Ichthus Rehearsal, 7:30 PM (WC)

Wednesday, January 25:

Hallelujah Quilters, 9:30 AM (TH)
Strings Practice, 5:00 PM (WC)
Confirmation, 6:30 PM (TH)
Good News Ringers, 7:30 PM (WC)

Thursday, January 26:

Book of Psalms Study, 10:00 AM (NT)
Rebecca's Circle, 1:00 PM (TH)
GS #346, 6:30 PM (TH)
Gloria Dei Choir, 7:00 PM (WC)

Saturday, January 28:

Apostles Fitness, 10AM (TH)

Sunday, January 29, 2012

Worship at 9:00 & 10:30 AM
Children's Education at 9:00 & 10:30 AM (TH)
Children's Choir, 10:00 AM (Theisz C)
6th Grade class, 10:25 AM (GR)
Canticum Novum, 11:00 AM (HR)
Apostles Brass, 11:45 AM (WC)
Confirmation, 9:15 & 10:30 AM (NT)
New Member Brunch, 11:30 AM (SR & HR)



SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

On Sunday, February 5th, nearly 100 million Americans are expected to tune in to watch the Super Bowl. Many of them will be hosting or attending parties with abundant food, friends & fellowship.

At the same time, **nearly 1 billion people around the world will be hungry**---some worrying about staying warm, finding shelter and securing their next meal. **We can do something about that!**

The Youth Ministry at Apostles is once again participating in the *Souper Bowl of Caring!* This is a youth-led, ecumenical, grassroots movement that unites youth under a single cause: **to end hunger.**

Last year this movement raised \$10.2 million for hunger-related charities! Apostles' Youth are once again raising money for *God's Global Barnyard* and our money will go towards purchasing goats for people living in poverty. Goats are very hardy animals, they can survive in extreme climates. They contribute milk for drinking and fertilizer for crops. And any baby goats can be given to another family in need.

Come enjoy the tailgate party on February 5th, taste some festive foods and place your donation in the soup pot for your favorite team! Let's see which team collects the most money! Consider cutting back on your festivities and giving that money to buy goats.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION & BRUNCH—JANUARY 29

Pastor V and SueAnn will host an Orientation Brunch, in the Café & Harmony rooms, on **Sun. January 29**, immediately following 10:30 AM Worship. This time together will allow them to know you better and also to answer questions regarding Apostles' and Apostles' ministries and discover how we can help you find joy in serving. If you would like to meet with Pastor Vige to have him answer any questions you may have regarding the ELCA church or the Lutheran faith, Pastor is very eager to meet with you - call the church office to arrange a time.

New members will be received during Worship on Sunday, February 5.

If you as an individual, couple or family desire membership at Apostles, please fill in the form below and place it in the offering plate or contact Liz Jimenez or SueAnn Collinge in the church office (689-2571).

I/We are interested in membership at Apostles.

Name(s): _____

Address _____

Phone(s): _____

Email(s): _____

Will Attend Orientation Lunch? Yes or No If yes, how many attending? _____ Nursery Needed? (to age 4) _____

School age children? _____

Do you request transfer from former parish? If so, please print name and city of parish. _____