



# Messenger

*Engaging Enthusiastic Followers of Jesus*

September 1, 2012

## **Celebration Sunday - September 9**

**Worship Times: 8:00, 9:00, & 10:30am**

**Sunday School is offered during both the 9:00 & 10:30 services**

**for children age 3 through Grade 6**

**Nursery childcare is provided for infants through 2 years of age**

**The inflatable slide and bouncer will be back for this Sunday!**

**Please join us as we celebrate a new year  
of growing in faith and love at FPLC.**

## **Fox Trot Interfaith 5K Fun Run—Saturday, September 8**



- ◆ Reminder that registration is 7:30-8:45am
- ◆ Please bike or walk to get to church if you can—**No parking in FPLC lot**
- ◆ Parking is available at St. Eugene's as well as North Shore Congregational
- ◆ Congregation Shalom has joined in the fun
- ◆ 10am—kids 1K, obstacle course, grilling and time to meet your neighbors!
- ◆ Sign up continues through day of the event

**See you there!**

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# Health Ministry

## Living Healthy Is A Prayer

### Yoga is Back!!!

We will be starting our new fall yoga classes again at FPLC!!! Classes will start Friday, September 7 and Monday, September 10. The class schedule is:

Monday eve. at 6:30pm  
Friday morn. at 5:30am

You may purchase any of these yoga packages:

Package 1 – 5 classes  
for \$60.00

Package 2 – 10 classes  
for \$100.00

Package 3 - 20 classes  
for \$190.00

**The first class is free for new participants.**

Yoga is a wonderful form of exercise. It strengthens and tones muscles, increases flexibility, promotes relaxation, and is fun! Classes are open to the community so invite a friend!

Please contact Joni, your parish nurse, at 352-8990, x 117 with any questions.



### Things We Know

***“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.” Romans 8:28***

We know... that there are so many things we do not know. We don't know if the economy will bounce back, if our job will be eliminated, or if the Packers will win the Super Bowl. We do not know what our spouse is thinking or how our kids will turn out. We sometimes don't even know what we should pray for. But according to Paul we can be absolutely certain about four things. We know:

God works. He is busy behind the scenes, when we sleep, and is often busy working right in front of our faces. He hasn't checked out or moved on.

He is tireless and relentless. He never stops working.

God works for the good. Not for our comfort, pleasure, entertainment, or fun but for our own good. We may not always see this at the time or when our prayers seem to go unanswered, but how could we expect anything less from Him? He is the ultimate good.

God works for the good of those who love him. What a blessing this is!

Believe in him and your life will have a happy ending. Salvation is yours.

God works in all things. Like “panoramic” or “pandemic.” All-inclusive.

God does not pick and choose a few things to work on, or just good things, or easy things. But in “all things” God works.

We are in the hands of an awesome, loving God. We may not know the answers to many things that happen in our lives but we can rest assured that God has a plan for each and every one of us. God's grace is all we need. We can trust him to do what He feels is best for us. We can find peace in God's promise ***“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” Jeremiah 29:11***

Peace, health, and healing in Christ,  
Joni Ledzian

### Fight The Flu

**Clinic at FPLC in the Pine Room— Sunday, October 7, 8:30-Noon**

A flu clinic provided by Wheaton Franciscan Home Health will be held on October 7. The cost of the flu vaccine will be \$30.00 (age 10 and up). A pneumonia vaccine will also be available (16 years and older) for \$80.00. All Medicare Part B and Medicare Advantage insurances will be accepted as payment. Your card(s) must be presented at the clinic in order to bill the insurance. Otherwise, payment by cash or check made out to WFHH&H will be accepted. Each vaccine recipient will receive a receipt for the payment made, which may be used for reimbursement purposes. Sign up will begin on Sunday, September 23. For questions, please call your parish nurse, Joni, at 352-8990 x 117.

# Fellowship

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## Knitters!

Fox Point's Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet in the Pine Room on Tuesday, September 11, from 7-8:30pm. Bring a pair of size 11 or 13 knitting needles and three skeins of Lion Brand Homespun Yarn. Patterns will be provided.

We meet the second Tuesday of the month so if you can't make it in September, feel free to join us in October or November. We always welcome new faces! Any questions, please call Sandy Lind at 262-242-8131.

## Men's Club Meeting

Second Thursday of the Month  
11:45-1:15 Program & Lunch  
The Town Club  
7950 N. Santa Monica Blvd., Fox Point  
Cost: \$15/ea.; pay at the door  
All men of the church are invited; guests are welcome to attend

Thursday, September 13

"Israel"

Dan Bice is an investigative reporter with the *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*. A member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Wauwatosa, he attended the spring trip to Israel with members of his church and ours. He will report on his feelings and observations of this religiously significant experience.

The 2011-12 "Livvy Award" winner also will be recognized.

For further information and reservations (in advance, please), contact either Ron Plietz (414-354-8596) or Paul Rosenheimer (262-241-9627).

## Holiday Elves!

Our first workshop for the holiday boutique is scheduled for Tuesday, September 11 at 9am. We will be downstairs in the Sunday School rooms. Come find us!

If you have not joined us before, no special talents are necessary. It's a chance for fellowship, crafting and giving back!

We will also have things that can be done at home if you can't make it to the meetings.

## Women's Club

Ramblin' 'Round Walker's Point  
Wednesday, September 12

First we'll head to 130 W. Bruce St. in Walker's Point to tour the Clock Shadow Creamery, one of only a few urban cheese factories in the U.S. Tour cost is \$3.00. The Creamery is located in the \$7 million Clock Shadow Building (just opened in April) which features sustainable technologies, recycled materials, and is not just "green" but is "radically green". The Creamery features excellent curds and quark but also ricotta, fresh Mexican styles, mozzarella, chevre, water buffalo, brie, and cheddar for sale. You'll learn the history of cheese making and sample fresh cheeses. Then we'll amble (by car) to the Horny Goat Hideaway, 2011 S. 1st St., for lunch off the menu at this old pumping station on the KK River. Menu includes typical pub food of burgers, pizza and more. After lunch we'll wander back for dessert to the same Clock Tower Bldg. which also houses the Purple Door Ice Cream, a super premium, small batch ice cream business.

Meet at 10:15am at church parking lot to car pool to tour which starts at 11:00am. **Sign up ends Sept. 9.** Call Gloria Mitchelson 262-387-1953 or Nancy Rosenheimer 262-241-9627 with any questions.

## Young at Heart

Thursday, September 6, 11:30am



All FPLC members are invited to attend our 9/11 remembrance meeting in Fellowship Hall.

Journalist and author Mike Nichols will be our guest speaker.

A nice lunch will be served with a cost of \$8.00.

We need an exact count of guests, so please remember to sign-up on the sheet in the Welcome Area on Sunday.

Don't miss this special event.

Questions, please call Judy Clemens, 262-242-1692.

# Small Groups for Fall

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## Jump In the Living Water!

Our Fall small group signup (at three levels) starts on September 2 through September 30 in the church narthex or online at [foxpointchurch.org](http://foxpointchurch.org). Here is a brief summary so you can get it on your calendar as some are starting early September. More details coming soon in a mailed brochure as well as available on the church website....

### Splashing around .....

1. **Women's Coffee—Proverbs 31 ministries devotion study** at the home of Brooke Talbot on Thursday mornings during October and November from 9:30-11:00am.
2. **"The Screwtape Letters" Performance --Saturday, October 6 - 8:00pm** at the Pabst Theater. Pastor Bruce has ordered 20 tickets for this wickedly funny and deeply inspiring theatrical adaptation of C.S. Lewis' brilliant novel. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first-serve basis at the group rate of \$53.59 (these are main floor seats rows A-S which are regularly \$80 tickets). After attending the performance there will be an opportunity for those who wish to gather afterwards for refreshments and discussion.
3. **NOOMA Faith Sessions offered 5:00pm** in Fellowship Hall with our NOOMA DVD and then the groups will either stay at church or will venture out for a theme dinner for discussion. Theme dinners will be Mexican, Italian, Grill and Chinese. We will have 3 different leaders for 20's and 30s, 40's and 50's, and 60 year olds on up.  
**NOOMA Video 1 "Luggage"—Saturday, October 6**  
**NOOMA Video 2: "Tomato"—Saturday, October 13**  
**NOOMA Video 3: "Dust"—Saturday, October 20**  
**NOOMA Video 4: "Noise"—Saturday, November 3**

### Wading in.....

1. **Love and Logic** parenting class offered by Tim Tahtinen at FPLC Fellowship Hall from 6:30-8pm on five Thursday evenings (October 4, 11, 18, and November 1, 8)
2. **Study of a Book of the Bible** led by Gardner Friedlander and Mark Chelmowski on Tuesday mornings 6:30am – 7:30 am at FPLC Fellowship Hall. New study to start October 1.

### Diving deep.....

1. **Beth Moore study on the Book of James TWO OFFERINGS:** 7:00-9:00 pm every other Wednesday for 8 sessions, led by Kathy Pederson, starting September 5 and held in the Pine Room at FPLC **OR** 1:00-3:00pm every Wednesday beginning October 3 led by Heidi Hanson held at the home of Laura Mullins.
2. **In Depth "Verse by Verse" Bible study** every other Sunday evening starting September 9 in the Pine Room at 5:15pm for sandwiches and cookies and 5:30-6:30 bible study led by Pastor Roger Drews and his wife, Sandy. Questions, please contact Kathy Pederson.
3. **Overcoming Life's Disappointments** led by Lorraine Buehler Monday mornings 10-11:15am in the Pine Room at FPLC. Dates: September 10, 24, and October 1, 8, 15.
4. **Study of the Apostle Paul and his epistles** —Men's evening bible study starting September 9 led by Dave Romoser on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm in the Pine Room.



**Mom to Mom** is a place to:

-gather as mothers, women, friends; -explore the purposes and promises God gives to parents; -share in the joy and challenges of motherhood.

We meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month, beginning October 4, from 9:30-11:30 am., and we would love for you to join us! Each meeting is broken into 3 segments: large group video presentation, fellowship time, and small group discussions. This year's theme is Heart Talk, an encouraging set of sessions that will encourage you as you learn from other moms and God's Word!

There is no registration for this program, just come and be a part! Childcare is provided. Study guides will be provided. For more information, visit our table outside on Celebration Sunday or call Mary Beth Scalise at 262-512-0789.

*Would you enjoy mentoring newer moms in a small group setting this year? Come join us once a month as a Leader Mom at Mom to Mom, beginning in October (Thursdays, 9:30 - 11:30am). If interested, contact Mary Beth Scalise at [marybethandboys@yahoo.com](mailto:marybethandboys@yahoo.com) or 262-512-0789.*

# Outreach

## FPLC Outreach \$\$\$ at Work

Seven students from our partner churches in Milwaukee received scholarship checks from FPLC in late July/early August. Students from Cross and Peace Lutheran Church and from All Peoples were invited to submit applications through their pastors by May 1, and the Outreach Committee awarded the scholarships based on the student applications (including an essay) and pastor recommendations.

Six members of the Outreach Committee went to the students' churches in teams of two on either July 31 or August 5 to present the checks. Each student received a check for \$750 to help defray college expenses. At All Peoples, Josiah Dean Williams (2nd year-Bradley U.), Laura Bolling (2nd year-Hamline U.), and Sojourner White (Bradley U.) received scholarships as did Mikaela Ferrill (2nd year-Georgetown U.) at Peace and Zachary Pegues (Hampton U.), Olivia Love (Florida A & M), and Jasmine Kendrick (2nd year-Valdosta State) at Cross.

The scholarship is renewable for one year, and as you can see, four of the seven students received the scholarship for the second year.

The money for scholarships comes from fundraisers like the Golf Classic and the Holiday Boutique. Be assured that your Outreach Committee takes very seriously the judicious disbursement of profits from these fundraisers.

We thank you for your support of both the Golf Classic and Holiday Boutique so that we can continue to help students like these realize their career goals.

## Fall Into Serving

As fall approaches--hard to believe in the midst of one of the hottest summers on record!--be aware of the service opportunities with dinner fellowship at Serenity Inn.

FPLC members take dinner to the Inn 3 evenings a month, preparing the food at home, taking it warm to the Inn at 2825 W. Brown, and sitting down for dinner and fellowship with the residents, 6-10 men in recovery from alcohol and/or drug abuse. Conversation over dinner provides a powerful anti-drug, anti-alcohol message.

Open dates in Sept. are Thursday the 13th; in Oct. Thurs. the 11th and Friday the 19th; in Nov., Thurs. the 8th and Wed. the 28th; and in Dec., all of our 3 assigned dates.. Sign up at the Outreach Kiosk where you will also find FAQs information, with Lorraine Buehler at [lcbuehler@cs.com](mailto:lcbuehler@cs.com) 414-964-8933 or online at [volunteerwiz.com/calendar/foxpointlutheran](http://volunteerwiz.com/calendar/foxpointlutheran)

Thank you for considering this rewarding service opportunity.

## It's Not Too Early....To Donate to Operation Christmas Child!

We have already collected hundreds of shoeboxes and lots of items for these boxes that will be sent to needy children at Christmas. Lots of what we pack may be lying forgotten around your home...small toys, notepads, stuffed animals, pencils, pens, soap, hair ornaments, toothpaste, tooth brushes.

You can leave any donations downstairs at the entrance to Sunday school. Thanks for your support of this growing outreach!



## Forgotten Bikes?

For a number of years now, Buzz Althoen at Memorial Lutheran church in Glendale has been repairing and making "road ready" used bikes to give to inner city children. Most bikes are given through Hephatha Lutheran on 18th and Locust and Reformation Lutheran on 35th and Garfield in Milwaukee. 24", 26", 20" and 16" bikes especially are needed for the children, although all sizes are used. The larger 27" older bikes are usually given to adults or incoming foreign students at UW-M in fall. So, if you have children who have outgrown a bike, if you have a bike hanging in the garage and you do not know what to do with it, give Buzz a call at 414-228-9647 or (cell) 414-507-1526 and he can arrange to pick it up. You will help to make a child happy!

# Music Ministry/Youth Ministry

## Welcome, Jana Larson!

In the coming weeks at FPLC, you'll be hearing from our new handbell director, Jana Larson. Jana will be directing Joyful Noise, as well as singing with the chancel choir and worship team.

Originally from Florida, Jana Larson began making music at an early age with her parents and brother, all of whom are musicians. Looking for a change of scenery, she earned a BA in music from St. Olaf College in Northfield, MN where she enjoyed singing, ringing, and avoiding lutefisk. She moved to Milwaukee in 2008 to pursue church music and try out a new city. Handbells have been a part of her life for the past 16 years and will continue to be important as she works towards a Master in Church Music from Concordia University Wisconsin with an emphasis in handbells. When not playing bells, she loves spending time with her dog, Luther.

## Sunday School Help Needed For Celebration Sunday

We need teachers at both 9:00 and 10:30 for our first day of Sunday school, September 9, a day of simple ice-breaker games. Contact Julie at [foxpointchurch.org](http://foxpointchurch.org) if you would like to help.

## FPLC Children's Choir

Children's Choir for grades 1-6 begins rehearsals September 16. We sing together Sunday mornings from 10-10:30 and sing in worship services 4-6 times per year. Information forms are available on the Sunday School information table downstairs, or email Debra Bailey at [deb@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:deb@foxpointchurch.org).

Come sing with us!!

**First Sunday Night H.S. Youth Group  
September 9 at 7:00pm  
It's All About Breaking Records!**

## Serving

<u>September 2</u>	SERVING:	<u>September 9</u>
9:00 Julia Holmes 10:30 Michelle Kornitz	<b>Lectors</b>	8:00 Lorraine Buehler 9:00 Eric Nelson 10:30 Jim Jurack
9:00 Harms Team 10:30 Sullivan Davies Team	<b>Ushers</b>	8:00 Buehler Team 9:00 Quisler Team 10:30 Gepfert Team
9:00 Greg & Kathy Gebel 10:30 Joan Drapp	<b>Coffee Hour Hosts</b>	9:00 Tom & Sandy Dunst 10:30 Mark & Terri Chelmowski
Julia DeCicco	<b>Welcome Kiosk</b>	Sara Hansen
9:00 Andy Trattner, Dylan Weickardt 10:30 Kyle Brahm, Jared Kashou	<b>Acolytes</b>	9:00 TBD 10:30 TBD
Brenda Trier	<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Joanne Ginster
	<b>Super Greeters</b>	9:00 George Hinkens, June Bell 10:30 Andy & Lori Barrieau

# September 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>2</b> Holy Communion 9 & 10:30 am Worship Services 5pm Young/Wierschem Wedding	<b>3</b> <b>Labor Day</b> <b>Office closed</b>	<b>4</b> 6:30am Eye- Opener Bible Study 8:30am Senior Exercise 9:30am Good Grief Support	<b>5</b> 7pm Women's Bible Study	<b>6</b> 7am TOP Meeting 8:30am Senior Exercise 11:30am Young at Heart 6pm Joyful Noise 7pm Chancel Choir	<b>7</b> 5:30am Yoga	<b>8</b> 9:00am Fox Trot 9:00am Meru Meeting at St Matthew's
<b>9</b> Celebration Sunday 8, 9, & 10:30am Worship Services 9 & 10:30am Sunday School 7pm High School Youth Group	<b>10</b> 6:30pm Yoga 7pm Book Club	<b>11</b> 6:30am Eye- Opener Bible Study 8:30am Senior Exercise 9am Boutique Workshop 9:30am Good Grief Support 7pm Knit Wits 7:30pm Men's Bible Study	<b>12</b> 7:00am Outreach 11:00am Women's Club	<b>13</b> 8:30am Senior Exercise 10am Luther Manor Communion Service 11:45am Men's Club 6pm Joyful Noise 7pm Chancel Choir Serenity Inn	<b>14</b> 5:30am Yoga 5pm Wedding Rehearsal	<b>15</b> 2pm Behm/ Glaser Wedding
<b>16</b> Holy Communion 8, 9, & 10:30am Worship Services 9 & 10:30am Sunday School 10am Children's Choir 4pm Chancel Choir 7pm High School Youth Group	<b>17</b> 1pm Embroidery Group 6:30pm Yoga	<b>18</b> 6:30am Eye- Opener Bible Study 8:30am Senior Exercise 9am Boutique Workshop 9am Piecemakers 9:30am Good Grief Support 6pm AAUW 7:30pm Men's Bible Study	<b>19</b> 4pm Meru Farm Project Meeting 7pm Confirmation Orientation 7pm Women's Bible Study	<b>20</b> 7am TOP Meeting 8:30am Senior Exercise 6pm Joyful Noise 7pm Chancel Choir	<b>21</b> 5:30am Yoga Serenity Inn	<b>22</b>
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## All in the Family



*We encourage you to keep these people in your prayers during the week.  
Please contact the church office to add or remove a loved one's name from the prayer list.*

### Prayer List

Steve Heronemus (brother of L. Barrieau)  
Anne  
Bob Lynch  
Kim  
Stretch Luedeman  
Sheila Dlugi  
Deb  
Deborah  
Nikki Etheridge  
Verlie Keehn  
Clarence Plagens  
Pam Fuhry  
Sue Hansen  
Charlie Burton  
Shirlee Rosendahl  
John  
Kate  
Audrey  
Julie Burger  
Holly Beard (sister of Wendy Randazzo)  
Jim  
Judy  
Herold Praefke  
Jason  
Claudine Hammarlund  
Dan Jones  
Sam & Ben Wolfert  
Anthony  
Eleanor  
Diane Richards  
Sally

Jack  
Tatum  
Chloe Orvis  
Marion Pohlmann  
Andrea  
Lee Nelson  
Marysa  
Lisa Imbert  
Ellen  
Marcia Kaye  
Jim Krause  
Glenn Buzzard  
John Burns  
Kee Fitzgerald  
(sister of Thor Christensen)  
Jack DeMunck  
Elaine Zarse  
Edward  
Ellen  
Wayne  
Mary Schroeder  
Barbara Klausen

Our heartfelt sympathy and prayers to Kathy Schwartz and children, Christine and Joe, on the death of her father, Jack Klippel, August 14.

Our heartfelt sympathy and prayers to Elizabeth Katona and children, Nic, Christopher and Emilie, on the death of her mother, Grace Salzawedel.

May God's peace and blessings be with Joan Troutman and family on the death of her daughter Jean Marie Troutman, who passed away August 17. A service to celebrate her life was held at FPLC, Friday, August 24.

Our heartfelt sympathy and prayers go out to Sonya Benson and the Murphy family, Sandy, Alan, Harrison, Britt-Marie and Emma-Lisa, on the death of Karl-Eric Benson, husband, father and grandfather.

### Military

Samantha  
Ben  
Parker  
David

### Congratulations

Isaac Allen Silverson, son of Scott & Emily Silverson, was baptized August 19.

*In case of urgent pastoral care, call the church office at 414-352-8990.*

*Pastors' cell phone numbers  
Pr. Knapp 414-704-7070  
Pr. Cheever 414-573-4138*