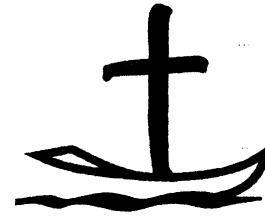


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# Charting the Course



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## PASTOR'S PAGE "Blessing"

## "God's Work, Our Hands"

What are you willing to put your name on or allow your name to be seen supporting?

- <sup>22</sup> The Lord spoke to Moses, saying:  
<sup>23</sup> Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the Israelites: You shall say to them,  
<sup>24</sup> **The Lord bless you and keep you;**  
<sup>25</sup> **the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you;**  
<sup>26</sup> **the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace.**  
<sup>27</sup> **So they shall put my name on the Israelites, and I will bless them.** Numbers 6:22-27

We hear the word blessing and blessed in religious and non-religious circumstances. There are many who believe to be blessed is an indication of the things, positions, and abilities that they have and feel they have in some way, with a little luck or a bit of God's doing, they deserve. For many blessing is about them and what they have.

This benediction from Numbers has been used as a blessing at the end of worship throughout history. It is one of the two I most often will use. Yet, there is something that has always been a little off about these words of God spoken to Moses to be given to Aaron and his sons who are to share it will all Israel. What was missing was the verse not often shared, <sup>27</sup> "So they shall put my name on the Israelites, and I will bless them."

God is again at work in these words to the people of Israel and to us. God is at work in blessing. God is the one that is the source and the doer for all that we are to be blessed. It is God whose name is to be upon us, to go with us, to be present with us. *"This blessing is designated for Israel's time of departure from Sinai, and was to be used daily throughout their journey. This is a blessing for a journey!"* (Dr. Terence E. Fretheim)

These are words for our journey from mountain to wilderness, from empty tomb to our time on our earthly journey. These are God's words and work for us and upon us. The "you" is singular in this scripture and yet includes all of us from the Israelites of Moses time to us today. These are words to where God is at work as God:

- ✦ Blesses us – "It signifies any divine gift (spiritual, earthly, and bodily) that directly or indirectly serves the life, health, and the well-being of individuals and communities. There are no conditions attached." (Terence Fretheim)
- ✦ Keeps us – what happens on the journey will not take us from God, God is with us through it all.
- ✦ Shines on us – through dark times or hard times the light of God shines through as "God smiles on us."
- ✦ Gives us peace – shalom. That gift of wholeness, ease of spirit, confidence that God is at work in all things.

Through it all it is God's name upon us. God is at work and God claims us forever.

Peace and Joy+  
Pastor Mark

## Worship News . . .

Please join us for worship each Sunday morning at 8:30 and 10:30am. Faith Generations 9:30am

### Feb.5 Fifth Sunday of Epiphany

Isaiah 40:21-31  
1 Corinthians 9:16-23  
Mark 1:29-39

### Feb.12 Sixth Sunday of Epiphany

2 Kings 5:1-14  
1 Corinthians 9:24-27  
Mark 1:40-45

### Feb.19 Transfiguration of Our Lord

2 Kings 2:1-12  
2 Corinthians 4:3-6  
Mark 9:2-9

Feb. 22 Ash Wednesday Worship 7:00pm  
Matthew 6:1-6,16-21

### Feb.26 First Sunday in Lent

Genesis 9:8-17  
1 Peter 3:18-22  
Mark 1:9-15



## Faith Gen. Adults . . .

Beginning Sunday, February 5, a new video based study will begin. The study will be on the book of Revelation. ***"Is This the Time? Interpreting the Mystery of Revelation"*** is the title. This study comes from the book, **Revelation and the End of All Things**, by Craig R. Koester (Grand Rapids: Erdmanns, 2001). Feel free to purchase the book although it will not be required. Leader is Pastor Mark Behrendt and the class meets in the Foyer by the offices.



## SUPER BOWL PARTY

**Sunday, February 5, 2012**

**Beginning at 5:00pm  
at the church**

**The Faith, Fellowship,  
and Fermentation group  
invites the entire family  
to  
watch the Super Bowl game  
on the BIG SCREEN!**

**Home brewed beer and  
Root Beer provided**

**Bring an Appetizer or Snack  
to share. Bring other  
beverages as you wish**

**Questions call Lorie Garcia  
or the church office.**



## CHURCH NEWS ... ✝

### LEADERSHIP COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS January 12, 2012

The Leadership Council discussed and developed a method to continue the double check/signatures for electronic payments made by the treasurer to the Synod and other entities. The treasurer makes the payment, and the following month 2 authorized signatures verify the bill against the electronic withdrawal on the bank statement.

On Monday, February 6 the Leadership Council will hold a Leadership Retreat/Workshop to include the structure of the ELCA and Southwestern Texas Synod. The news Council structure will be reviewed so that the Leadership Liaison will be able to facilitate their appropriate teams.

### WOMEN OF THE CHURCH



*Star Throwers* – Monday, February 13, 7:00pm  
Hostess: Janie Anderson, 9564 Waxwing Dr.  
Study Leader: Jeanette Zamzow

*Dorcas Circle* – Tuesday, February 14, 10:00am  
Hostess: Linda DeHaven & Ruth Vermace  
Study Leader: Pastor Mark Behrendt

G.A.L.S.– Wednesday, February 8, 10:30am  
Meet at the church for an Organizational meeting and then go to lunch afterwards.

### 2012 OFFERING ENVELOPE BOXES

Your 2012 Offering Envelope Boxes are available on the table in the Narthex. Please pick up your Envelopes for 2012 if you have not done so already.

### END OF YEAR FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Financial Contribution Statements have been mailed. If you have questions about your financial statement, please contact George Munroe at 779-6451 or email him at [gsmunroe@aol.com](mailto:gsmunroe@aol.com) by Sunday, February 5.

### 2012 FLOWER CHART

The 2012 Flower Chart is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway across from the kitchen. Questions call the church office.

### GALILEAN WOMEN'S RETREAT PLANNING MTG

The next Women's Retreat Planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 31, at 6:30pm at the church. The Women's Retreat is scheduled for September 8, 2012 at Mustang Island Conference Center. You are welcome to join the planning team!

### ASH WEDNESDAY – THE BEGINNING OF LENT

Lent begins at the Ash Wednesday worship, February 22, at 7:00pm with ashes placed on our foreheads. Our Mid-week Lenten gatherings begin on Wednesday, February 29 with supper at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Room and worship at 7:00pm in the Worship Center. Watch for more details.

### GET ORGANIZED, JOIN IN ON A TEAM

Are you a past, present, member of the property, education, worship, social ministry, congregational care, finance, outreach or other past committee or young families' design team member? Are you a offering teller, member of a group in the church and auxiliary, or simply interested in the new congregation structure and how it will work? JOIN in the Orientation sessions. Orientation for the Internal Team meets March 19, at 7:00pm. The External Team Orientation meets on March 26, at 7:00pm. JOIN in at either or both meetings as all are welcome. More information will be sent out by mail and email.

### MISSION: The Island

The Gulf Coast Conference (formerly the Coastal Bend Conference) is looking at a new worshipping community on Padre Island. The Rev. Tom Dietzel is gathering names and information. He can be found at the German Bakery on Thursday afternoons at 361-445-1029, or at [lifetogether@aol.com](mailto:lifetogether@aol.com) for more information.

### SIMPLY GIVING- ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

Simply Giving is when your contributions are automatically withdrawn from your checking/saving account like your mortgage payments. Your contributions continue even if you are not at worship. AND NOW you can make donations online using your credit or debit card with a one-time donation or a recurring transaction. Just go to the Galilean website at [www.galileanlutheran.org](http://www.galileanlutheran.org) and click the "DONATE" button and follow the instructions. For more information call the church office at 991-4593.

### ATTENTION ALL MUSICIANS



The choir rehearses on Wednesday evenings from 7:00–8:30pm in the Worship Center. The choir is


# Fellowship . . .

## J.O.Y. LUNCHEONS (Just Older Youth)

The J.O.Y. group gathers for a New Year Luncheon on Wednesday, February 15, 2012 at Noon in the Fellowship Room. Watch for details on lunch when you receive a postcard by mail. The "Golden Harps" a Harmonica group will be our guest. Don't miss the Food, Fun, and Fellowship! Questions contact Elaine Brundrett or the church office at 991-4593.

## FAITH, FELLOWSHIP AND FERMENTATION

Date: Friday, March 16, 2012

Time: 7:00 – 8:30pm at the church 

The Faith, Fellowship, and Fermentation crew will not meet in February. They will meet again March 16. Please call Lorie Garcia (876-6596) with questions.

## "PEACE BY PIECE" QUILTERS

The "Peace By Piece" Quilters meet on Wednesdays from 10:00am–12:30pm in the Education Center. They invite anyone interested in helping put together the LWR quilts. Not interested in sewing? They also need help with cutting, pressing, pinning or just visiting! The Quilters are looking for used sheets, (any size), pillowcases, cotton fabric and thread. If you can't make it on Wednesdays, they appreciate outside help working on quilts at home. For more information please contact Earline Moody or the church office. The group also continues to make baptismal quilts for Galilean and friends.

Following is a thank you to the Peace By Piece Quilters from Pastor Charles R. Holm-Roeseler from Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Bastrop, Tx.

*Thank you for your generous gift of handmade quilts for babies, children and adults. Your commitment in helping the victims of the Bastrop fires Labor Day week 2011 in our community is sincerely appreciated. Thanks again for your generous support of our efforts to provide relief and assistance to the people of Bastrop County.*

## BUNKO GAME DAY

The Bunko group gathers to play Bunko on Sunday, February 19, from Noon – 2:00pm in the Fellowship Room. Bring your lunch so the group can get started playing Bunko after lunch. Questions call Rhonda Haller or Gayle Haller. Come and join the Fun! The group is always looking for more players to join them!

## ITALIAN DINNER NIGHT OUT

*hosted by the SURF and SPAM Youth*

**Friday, February 17, 2012**

**6:00 – 8:00pm**

Galilean Fellowship Room

**Cost: \$10.00 per person**

Proceeds to Galilean SURF group for  
"Citizens with the Saints"  
National Youth Gathering

Special entertainment provided!

Take your Valentine out for a delicious Italian dinner!

Get your tickets from any SURF or SPAM youth.

## GALILEAN MEN IN MISSION MEETING

The Galilean Men In Mission gather for their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 7 at 7:30pm at the church. They gather for a Bible Study, fellowship and refreshments. All men are invited and encouraged to attend! Questions call Chris Swanson.

## SOUTHWESTERN TEXAS SYNOD MEN IN MISSION ASSEMBLY

The Men In Mission Southwestern Texas Synod Assembly is Saturday, February 18, 2012 at the Mustang Island Conference Center in Port Aransas, Texas. *(This is the same place that the Women had their retreat!)* The day will be full of learning, fun, fellowship, breakfast & lunch. Guest speakers are Dr. Lon Seiger, Dr. Robert Moore with Moore's Compounding Pharmacy, and Dr. Nestor Praederio. Registration forms are available on the table in the narthex. Questions call Chris Swanson.

## MEN IN MISSION SHRED DAY

The Galilean Men In Mission is sponsoring a Shred Day at Galilean on Saturday, February 11 from 9:00am – Noon. Bring your boxes or bags of personal papers you have been keeping way too long on Saturday, which will be placed in secured bins and taken to the Goodwill shredding facility. If you are unable to bring your paper to be shredded to the church, the men can have someone pick it up for you. Please call Chris Swanson or the church office by Friday February 10. Mark your calendars!

## Young Families News. . .



### PLAYGROUND STORY TIME AT GALILEAN

Playground Story Time continues to gather on Fridays and meeting outside (weather permitting) at the Playground at 10:30am. If they cannot meet at the Playground due to the weather, the group meets inside the Education Center. The group plans to meet on . . .

**Fridays, February 3, 19, 17, 24**

Members welcome! Come listen to stories, sing, dance, play, and picnic. All ages welcome! Bring your own lunch and join the picnic! If you can help read or have questions call Rhonda Schulze or the church office.

### YOUNG FAMILIES DESIGN PLANNING TEAM

The Young Family Design Planning Team will meet on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 6:30pm at the church. The group will discuss plans for 2012. Questions call the church office.

### KIDDIE ACTIVITY BAGS

Activity Bags for children who are 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and younger are available during worship located near the Ushers in the Worship Center. Please return your bags after worship.

### FAITH FIVE IN THE HOME

*A devotional plan to strengthen family ties.  
Five minutes at home daily throughout the week.*

1. **SHARE** your Highs and Lows for the Day.
2. **READ** a verse of God's Word from the Bible.
3. **TALK** about how the verse relates to your life.
4. **PRAY** for one another and the world.
5. **BLESS** one another.

## OTHER NEWS . . .

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY "Mercy Triumphs"

All women are invited to join this great Bible Study beginning Monday, February 13, 6:30–8:30pm in the Fellowship Room

James, Jesus' brother, started out as a skeptic. See how one glimpse of the resurrected Savior turned an unbeliever into a disciple with Beth Moore's 8-session study of the man and the *Book of James*.

Study books are \$15.00 each.  
Childcare is available.

If you are interested, please contact Laura Hilker at [lhilker@stx.rr.com](mailto:lhilker@stx.rr.com).

Sessions are scheduled for Mondays, Feb. 13, 20, 27, Mar. 5, 19, 26, April 2, 9, and 16.

### GALILEAN PRAYER NETWORK

The Prayer Network spreads the word about prayer requests to individuals by phone or email. The network also prays for those on the prayer list in the bulletin. If you are in need of prayer call the church office (991-4593) or Athalee Koehler, Gertie Johnson, or Barbara Agan. If you would like to be notified of prayer requests please call the church office.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO . . .

Mineman First Class Surface Warfare Susan Marie Lowder who is retiring after 20 years of faithful and honorable service from the United States Navy on February 17, 2012 at a ceremony at the Naval Air Station.

### HIRING TEMPORARY HELP

Edible Arrangements (*located on Holly between S. Staples and Airline*) is hiring temporary help Now until after Valentine's Day! They need Delivery Drivers, Customer Service help, and helpers to cut up Fruit. Contact Shannon Rachui (*Galilean member*) or

Monica at 992-3232. They make delicious edible Fruit Basket Arrangements! Check out their website [www.ediblearrangements.com](http://www.ediblearrangements.com).

will sing the last Sunday of February. Questions call Marcus or Shannon Sorenson.

# Children's News . . .

## Faith Generations!

Faith Generations is Galilean's education program for all children, parents, families, and adults! Everyone is invited to join the fun at 9:30am each Sunday morning in the Fellowship Room. Each week we focus on a Bible verse, learn the story, find the verse in the Bible, and emblazon the verse in our hearts and minds through song and sign language.

Don't forget to bring your offering each week, which goes toward God's Global Barnyard through the ELCA World Hunger program.

Bring your "Spark" Bible so you can highlight the Bible verse each week! If you forget your Bible, we have extras at the church that are available.

**SPAM (6-8<sup>th</sup> graders) goes straight to their classroom at 9:30am. They have their own curriculum.**

**SURF (high school) meets at 11:40am following the 10:30am worship in the SURF Room.**

### GRANDPARENT SUNDAY

Grandparent Sunday for Faith Gen classes is February 5, 2012. All grandparents are invited to attend their Faith Gen class. Class Prayer Support are also invited!

### SUMMER CAMP IS COMING!

This year Summer Camp is scheduled for June 10-15, 2012 for all 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders in Kerrville, Texas. If you are interested in attending camp, please make a check to Galilean for an \$85.deposit, or please call the church office.

### DAY CAMP IS COMING!

Day Camp is being planned again for the Summer! All children who have completed Kindergarten thru 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited and welcome to attend right here at Galilean. The Camp Chrysalis Counselors come to Galilean and provide everything! This program takes the place of Vacation Bible School. So watch for upcoming plans and more details on the dates.

### ANGEL CHOIR PRACTICE

The Angel Choir practices during Faith Generations Sunday mornings at 9:30am. The children and youth

# Confirmation News...

## H2H THE RETURN OF CONFIRMATION 11-12

The Confirmation Ministry is for students who are in 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. They gather on Wednesdays at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Room with Pastor Mark Behrendt, as he uses the "Head to Heart" materials from Faith Inkubators. The schedule for February ...

February 1	Session 16
February 8	No class, Pastor out of town
February 15	Session 17
February 22	Ash Wednesday
February 29	Lenten Gatherings

**DURING LENT** the Confirmation students are expected to take part in the Wednesday Lenten worship to help with scripture reading, ushering, and collect offering. For more information and questions please contact Pastor Mark at the church office.



# Youth News . . .

## ITALIAN DINNER NIGHT OUT

The SPAM and SURF groups are helping with the Italian Dinner Night Out Fundraiser for the 2012 National Youth Gathering in July. The dinner is Friday, February 17 beginning at 6:00pm. Youth will be called to help! Or call Lisa Behrendt to help!

## FAITH GENERATIONS SUNDAY MORNING

The high school SURF meets at 11:40am on Sunday mornings following the 10:30am worship in the SURF Room. Lisa Behrendt is leader. Join the fun!

## Stewardship & Outreach

### OUR STEWARDSHIP TOGETHER:(thru 1/22/12)

Average attendance at worship in Jan. . . . . 147  
 Average Sunday School attendance . . . . . 35  
 \*Giving to Current Expenditures in Jan. . . \$17,413.  
**Needed monthly for General Fund . . . \$18,773.**  
 \*Giving to “Pay It Forward” in Jan. . . . . \$6,628.  
**Needed monthly for Pay It Forward . . . . \$7,072.**

Thank you for giving to support the ministry of Galilean. (\*does includes Simply Giving amount)

### SOAP DRIVE FOR LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

It’s that time again to start bringing your new wrapped SOAP to the church narthex to benefit Lutheran World Relief! Deadline to bring your SOAP is Palm Sunday, April 1, 2012. Make your calendars NOW! Remember last year we collected over 2000 lbs. of Soap! Can we do that again? Let’s get motivated! Let’s see what we can do! Questions call Elaine Brundrett.

### VOLUNTEERS AT LOAVES AND FISHES

Galilean volunteers serve a meal very Tuesday from 4:45-6:00pm at Loaves & Fishes. If you would like to help and need your Food Handler’s permit, please call Leroy DeHaven. The WONDERFUL teams are ...

Team 1	Janie Anderson, Lynn Corby, Nancy Schkade and Diana Carter
Team 2	Pastor Mark and Lisa Behrendt, and George Munroe & Donna Shurley
Team 3	Steve, Pam, Leah & Logan Osterloh and Kristi and Garrett Philbrick
Team 4	Rita and Chloe de Roche and Libby Bryars
Team 5	Pete and Marilyn Heffner, Nancy Schkade

**PLEASE NOTE:** The following people are Alternates...Raymond & Elaine Brundrett and Linda DeHaven, along with Pete and Marilyn Heffner and Nancy Schkade. Volunteers are still needed to help with clearing tables and folding plasticware in the napkins. (They need 500 per day!) No Food Handlers Permit required. **Also reading material is needed such as old Devotional Booklets or any other suitable reading material.** Bring it to the church or for questions please call Leroy DeHaven.

### THANK YOU...

*Thank you all for your thoughts, prayers, cards, and calls during my mother’s illness. Special thanks to Pastor Mark for all his prayers, and visits. Also, thanks to the ladies who provided food for the reception following my mother’s funeral. Galilean is a blessing to me. -- Blessings, Charla Hemerly*

## Thank you to . . .

- All who helped and brought goodies for the Love Feast Celebration on New Year’s Sunday! Yum Yum! *Thank you!*
- All those who helped and participated in the Festival of Light this year... and to all those who attended! Special thanks to all those who stayed and helped clean up afterwards and helped take down the Christmas tree and all the decorations! What an awesome evening! *Bravo!*
- All the Galilean church “Office Angels” who helped with all the extra things happening in December and January! You are the BEST! *Yeah!*
- Pastor Mark Behrendt for leading the Dorcas Circle Bible Study this year! *Special Thanks!*
- All those who donated their old cell phones which are given to the Women’s Shelter and old eye glasses which are given to Lens Crafters for those in need. *Thank You!*
- Donna Shurley and George Munroe for their power point presentation of their travels to Tanzania in Africa at the J.O.Y. Luncheon in January. Special thanks to Donna Shurley for donating door prizes for the luncheons. *Wonderful! Bravo!*
- Chris Swanson (another “Office Angel”) for hanging banners and pictures in the conference room and replacing lights in the office. *Hip Hip Hooray!*



**THANK YOU...**

*Thank you for the staff Christmas gift from my awesome church family! Your thoughtfulness is appreciated.*

*-- Blessings, Donna Boyd*

**Our Thoughts & Prayers...**

**† In Our Thoughts †  
and Prayers**

Please remember to continue to Pray for , , ,

**Galilean Members:**

*Calvin & Delia Lorfing, Floyd Logue, Elnora Slanina, Jenna Schulze, Irene Heider, Susan Lunde, Joyce Graumann, Joyce Rice, Mary Sue Scheible, Esther Getz, Don Lunde, Diane Martin, Dot Underwood, Rodney Popejoy, Connie Westley, Cathryn Smith, Areyna Garcia, Trevor Schulze*

**Friends and Family Members:**

*Linette Farris, Glen and Elizabeth Rotzler, Debbie Fels, Herbert Thiem, Barbara Sullivan, Lauren Lind, Marie Johnson, Helen Guzman, Marian Erickson, Gene Eubank, Shelby Poorman Arthur Rachui, Ruth Brundrett, Kathy, Eva, Ed Schwing, Larry Vaughn, Kirk Decker, Dee Poorman, Ivan Crawford, Margie Dieringer, A. G. Miller, Betty Jones, Linda Witt, Will Spiekerman, Linda Cortez*

Our Leaders, Military, and our Nation



**MEMORIAL GIFT . . .**

A memorial gift was received in memory of Jesse Westley from Lee Allen.

**THANK YOU....**

*Thank you to everyone for your prayers, cards, visits, and calls at the death of my son Jesse and also during my illness. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated.*

*– God’s Blessings, Connie Westley*

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**♥ Happy Valentine’s Day to all!**

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**More News . . .**

**February Nurses Article  Scoliosis**

Recently several adults have talked to me about scoliosis, concerned that they didn’t know people "my age" could suffer from Scoliosis. Scoliosis has been thought of a disorder in children only. Often, adults complain of back pain, which could be caused by sprains, strains, or spasms, or any number of things that could be causing the pain.

Often overlooked is curvature of the spine or "Scoliosis." In research done at John Hopkins, an estimated 6% of Americans over age 50 have some degree of scoliosis, about 15% of those over age 60 have low back pain, and the numbers are likely to be even higher as the condition frequently goes undetected in adults.

Degenerative changes to the spine including osteoporosis, vertebral compression fractures, degenerative disk disease and spinal stenosis usually result in scoliosis in people over age 40. These conditions cause the spine to lose its structural stability, increasing the risk of spinal curvature.

Scoliosis in adults typically remains stable over time, but may worsen in severe cases causing considerable pain and difficulty standing, sitting or walking. There may be some nerve damage or lung problems caused by restriction and pressure by the spine.

Treatment for scoliosis varies with the degree of curvature and severity of pain, usually adult scoliosis needs only regular monitoring for progression of the curve. Physical therapy may be helpful to ease the pain and improve mobility.

Most adults with scoliosis do not require surgery:

- It may be considered if the spinal curvature is great than 50 degrees.
- If curvature progresses 5 degrees or more within one year or the curve is greater than 40 to 45 degrees.

- Pain is persistent and severe
- Lung function is impaired because of spinal curvature.

Mary Ida Lobaugh, R. N., M.S.

Surgery for adult scoliosis is usually considered only after all other options have been exhausted.

## WHO'S DOING WHAT AND WHEN

### 8:30am WORSHIP TEAMS for February:

### 10:30am WORSHIP TEAMS for February:

**Feb. 5 & 12:** Chris Novosad & Charla Hemerly  
**Altar Guild:** Jenny Quick

**Ushers:** Leroy DeHaven, John Compton, Larry Schwing,  
 Jerry Vaughn

**Altar Guild:** Lynn Corby, Nancy Schkade, Pam Osterloh

**Feb.19 & 26:** Bob & Margaret Jochims

**Altar Guild:** Margaret Jochims

**Greeters:** Kathryn Blaylock, Beth Terry, Karl Vermace,  
 Cindy Schwing

	February 5	February 12	February 19	February 26
<b>Acolyte 10:30am</b>	Griffin Greene	Logan Osterloh	Hunter Smith	Drew Threatt
<b>Reader 8:30am 10:30am</b>	Karl Schuler Phyllis Vaughn	Dean Quick Barbara Agan	Jenny Quick Michelle Smith	Janene Whitham Elaine Brundrett
<b>Communion Assistant 10:30am</b>	Phyllis Vaughn	Lynn Corby	Michelle Smith	Elaine Brundrett
<b>Nursery Staff</b>	Sarah Smith	Sarah Smith	Sarah Smith	Sarah Smith
<b>Fellowship Host 10:30am</b>	Price and Sarah Tuley	Tom and Yvonne Scott	Craig and Nancy Schkade	Kay Sasara
<b>Altar Flowers</b>	Diane Jackson	Rita de Roche	Open	Open
<b>Offering Tellers</b>	Marilyn Doughty & Rex Halsey	Marilyn Doughty & Rex Halsey	Phyllis Vaughn & Elaine Brundrett	Phyllis Vaughn & Elaine Brundrett

### LEADERSHIP COUNCIL WORKSHOP

Monday, February 6, 2012, 7:00pm  
 at the church



### February Birthdays:

1-Ron Boyd, Sharron Bennett; 3-Cloe Weathers; 6-Ken Jackson; 7-Linda DeHaven; 9-John Gravell, Anna Simank; 10-Kay Johnson; 11-Jerry Hilker; 13-McKennah Rachui; 14-Barbara Lucas; 15-Michael Mullins; 17-Kathrin Kraus, Hunter Smith, Shannon Sorenson; 19-Payton Threatt; 20-Liz Ferguson, Rebecca Grosse; 23-Whitney Shockome; 2/24 Augustus Bartosh; 26-Liza Corby Wolfe, Leah Osterloh, Kyle Threatt; 27-Linnea Balderson

### February Baptismal Anniversaries:

2/? Emilee & Katie Grosse, Leslie Sowles 2/1 Dustin Grosse 2/2 LauraBell Hagseth 2/3 Zach Smith 2/5 Pastor Mark Behrendt, Jason Simank 2/8 Sandra Gravell 2/14 Morgan DeHaven 2/16 Lynn Corby, Gloria Geurin 2/17 Jennifer Kunkel 2/23 Philip Boyd 2/26 Janie Anderson 2/26 Michael Boyd, Calvin Lorfing 2/27 Carrie Compton, Carl Doubrava 2/29 Jackson Nwokeoma, Cathryn Smith, Michelle Smith

## Anniversaries:

21-Andy & Barbara Agan



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February 2012

# Galilean Lutheran Church

Mission Statement:

*To engage our community with the amazing love and grace of God,  
So that all may become committed followers of Christ.*



**Galilean Lutheran Church now offers a mobile version of our online giving page to make it easy for you to give anytime from your smart phone. Simply scan the image you see above using your phone's Quick Response (QR) code reader!**

**Sunday Worship: 8:30am and 10:30am**

**Christian Education: 9:30am – 10:30am (Sept.-May)**

Church Phone: 361-991-4593  
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Email: pastor@galileanlutheran.org  
office@galileanlutheran.org  
Galilean Website: galileanlutheran.org  
Pastor: Pastor Mark Behrendt  
Secretary: Donna Boyd  
Custodian: Brenda Smith  
Musician: Michael Mullins  
Staffed Nursery: Sarah Smith  
Synod Website: swtsynod.org  
Churchwide Website: elca.org

### 2012 Leadership Council Members:

Pastor	Mark Behrendt	992-9288
President	Donna Shurley	853-6332
Vice Pres.	Debbie Simank	853-2129
Secretary	Pat Clark	992-3476
Treasurer	Jeanette Zamzow	854-4977
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