

Prayers, Joys & Concerns from Last Sunday

- ◆ **Cindy Whitaker** - thanksgiving that **her family** on the East Coast survived hurricane Irene; prayer for **those who have suffered**
- ◆ **Lisa Duffy** - thanksgiving for **volunteers** at yesterday's Angel Food Ministries distribution
- ◆ **Judi Carlson** - healing for **her niece, Jennifer**, who is in the hospital
- ◆ **Ann Scarborough** - **Autumn's biological sister, Alia**, is coming home to the U.S.
- ◆ **Karl Brown** - prayer for **family** who is caring for his grandmother
- ◆ **Arlys Meeker** - for her **neighbor, Dave**, who is having hospice care brought in
- ◆ **Kay Dunning** - for **Michael and Martha and other kids heading off to college**
- ◆ **Gail Pollard** - for the **family of Denny's cousin**; his cousin was killed unexpectedly in a car accident
- ◆ **Rhonda Seefeld** - for **her cousin's family**; Rhonda's cousin's husband was killed in a motorcycle accident
- ◆ **Elwood Ramsey** - **Virginia** is having surgery on her shoulder on Tuesday
- ◆ **Pastor Dave** - prayers for **Robert Ostermann** as he recovers from a stroke

Next Week's Worship Assistant Schedule: September 11

Greeters: Brian & Mary Davis **Altar Flowers:** Lynn Van Osdale
Ushers: Ron & Marsha Hill **Acolytes:** Hunter & Connor Friesen
Audio/Visual: Bob Scarborough **Liturgist:** Steve Sefkow
Offering Counters: Ron Hill/John Skarbalus **Children's Message:** Lynn Van Osdale

Rally Day Potluck Meal at 11am, bring a dish to share

If you would like to volunteer as a Worship Assistant, please contact:

Mary Randol or Marsha Hill: Greeters, Ushers, Liturgist, Children's Message
 Sandy Driscoll: Acolytes Diane Kammer: Nursery during worship
 Bob Scarborough: Audio/Visual Fellowship Host: sign-up sheet in Kitchen

GUMC Stewardship Update

1/1/2011 - 8/28/11 (week #35)

Budgeted for 2011: \$230,000
 Budgeted each Week: \$4,423
 Received **8-28-2011:** \$1,577
 Received YTD: \$142,939
 Budgeted YTD: \$154,805
 Over/(Under) Budget YTD: (\$11,866)

As we approach the end of summer, we are currently behind on our budget by 7.6%.
 If you are able to make a special contribution, or to bring your giving up to date if it has fallen behind, we will appreciate it. While we know that summer is typically lower in giving, we hope to start the fall in the black as we order and pay for curriculum and other supplies.
 Thanks for your generous support of our ministry.



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This Week . . .

BIRTHDAYS

4 - Bob Black
 4 - Matt Horwath
 6 - Charlotte Graba
 8 - Natalie Olive
 9 - Brian Fett

ANNIVERSARIES

9 - Dean & Julie Schwartz
 11 - John & Diane Kammer

Got News to Share?

Happenings items are due each week on **Wednesday**

Mustard Seed items are due on the **3rd Wednesday** of the prior month

Please email requests to:
glendalechurch@msn.com

Glendale Happenings

Our mission: to help those seeking a balanced and sustainable life by exploring life's questions, offering community support and sharing our belief in a God who loves you no matter what.

Happenings This Week

Sunday Sept 4 6:00 am Hispanic Church - L
 9:00 am **Worship**
 10:00 am **Fellowship**
 5:00 pm Hispanic Church - S

Monday Sept 5 Labor Day - office closed

Tuesday Sept 6 6:00 am Men's Group - L

Wednesday Sept 7

1:00 pm **Craft Circle at Rutherford's**
 6:30 pm **Choir practice - S**
 7:00 pm **Boundaries training - L**
 7:00 pm **Praise Team practice - S**

Thursday Sept 8 6:30 pm Cub Scouts - D (3 rooms)
 7:00 pm **Education Committee - L**

Friday Sept 9 6:00 pm Hispanic Church - L

Saturday Sept 10 9:00 am Boundaries training - L

Sunday Sept 11 6:00 am Hispanic Church - L

RALLY DAY CELEBRATION

9:00 am **Outdoor Worship & Communion**
 10:00 am **Register for Sunday School, Games & Activities**
 11:00 am **Potluck Meal (bring a dish to share)**
 3:00 pm **Jr. High Youth Group**
 5:00 pm Hispanic Church - S
 7:00 pm **Boundaries training - L**

Monday Sept 12 UMW at Habitat Women's Build
 7:00 pm **Quilters at Gaboury's**

Adult Small Groups

*Adult group opportunities are open to all.
Please join in whenever you are available.*

QUILTERS: every other Monday, 7-9pm
at Paula Gaboury's (952-220-2946).

Devotions, followed by work on individual or service projects. This is an open group—all are invited to attend whenever you are able.

Next meetings: Sept 12 & 26

MEN'S GROUP: Tuesdays, 6-7 AM

Join us for a time of devotion, prayer, sharing and reflection. A great way to start your day and center your week. Come every week or drop in when you can.

Contact: Bob Black (952-440-9434)

BOOK CLUB: Next Book Club Meeting is on Tuesday, Sept 20 at 7pm

Join in a discussion of FIVE QUARTERS OF THE ORANGE by Joanne Harris. We will meet at the home of Janice Black. Contact Barb Taylor (952-226-4109) if you would like to carpool.

CRAFT CIRCLE: Wednesdays, 1-4pm

at Sally Rutherford's (952-447-5962). Bring your own items to work on or help with ongoing projects.

September Schedule:

9/7: meet at 1pm

9/14: no meeting

9/21: potluck lunch at 12 noon, followed by stamp card making

9/28: no meeting

**SUNDAY SCHOOL
RESUMES ON
SEPTEMBER 18**

Rally Day is Coming . . . Sunday, September 11

9:00 am Outdoor Worship Service

- * Dress casually,
- * bring a lawn chair if you have one

10:00 am

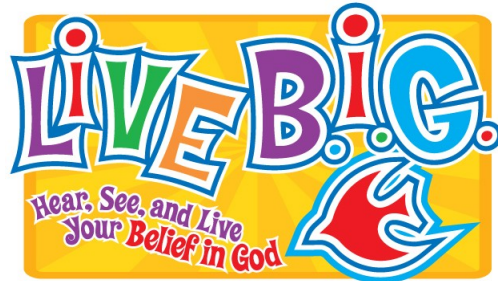
- * Games for kids and adults
- * Registration for Sunday School Classes
- * Tours of the building if interested
- * Bidding on Gift Baskets (Silent Auction)

10:45am

- * Rocket Launch
David Whitaker will launch some of his amateur rockets!

11:00am Potluck Meal

- * Beverage and cake will be provided
- * Bring a dish to share



*Enjoy Singing?
Playing a musical instrument?*

Fall practice begins Sept 7

Choir at 6:20pm

Praise Team at 7:30pm

Contact Jung for more info or questions



Aug. 25-Labor Day, Sept. 5, 2011

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

Our 114th year of service at the Fair!

The congregation of Hamline UMC invites you to visit our Dining Hall when you come to the State Fair this year. Bring in your bulletin and receive \$3 off the dinner special (one special per bulletin, please).

The Hamline UMC Dining Hall is located on Dan Patch Ave, east of the Visitors Plaza

**We look forward to
greeting you at the Fair!**

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MINISTRIES

A great program that can save you money on

the price of groceries. It is available to anyone wanting to stretch their food dollars. There are no income requirements or program qualifications.

The monthly boxed menu options are available online or pick one up at the Angel Food Ministry display.

➤ **Order online:**
www.angelfoodministries.com

➤ **Order at Glendale UMC**
Sundays, before and after worship

Order distribution day: September 24
10:00-11:00 AM

NAMETAGS

Many have commented how helpful it is to have nametags. Nametags are provided free of charge for adults who attend regularly and confirmed youth.

If you need to replace your nametag or wish to order for children, cost is \$3 each.

Please contact church office to order nametags



Community Event: Film & Discussion "Beyond Our Differences"

A visually beautiful film that explores how faith and religion can play principal roles in inspiring our collective peoples toward a more peaceful and compassionate humanity. Please invite your friends, family and neighbors to join us. You can learn more about the film and view a trailer at www.beyondourdifferences.com.

Thursday, Sept 22 at 7pm
Presbyterian Church of the Apostles
701 East 130th St, Burnsville

Midwest Labyrinth Festival Saturday, October 8, 9am-4pm

Cost: \$65 (includes lunch)

Labyrinths are ancient designs, thousands of years old that are experiencing a resurgence of interest. Today labyrinths are found all over the world in a variety of settings, including schools, parks, hospitals, churches and private homes. This daylong event features a keynote speaker and workshops, rituals and music presentations of insight into the wisdom and many uses of labyrinths.

Labyrinth Facilitator Training Sunday, October 9, 1pm-4pm

Cost: \$45

Presenter: Lisa Gidlow Moriarty
(Lisa is the designer of Glendale's labyrinth)

Come learn ways to introduce the labyrinth in your setting or deepen your experience to a broader use of the labyrinth in your work and life.

Register online or call:
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