

R.O.A.R With God!



Sunday School News

January 13, 2019

Sunday School Teachers/helpers wanted-

Parents/guardians, have you ever been interested in teaching, being a substitute, or a helper for our Sunday School? A few of our teachers have had some life changes and they can no longer teach Sunday School. We are looking for energetic parents/guardians to help out with our Sunday School program this year. If you or anyone you know would like to help, please let Pastor Dave or the Sunday School office know.

7-12th grade MLK Day Service Event – Mon., Jan. 21

On Mon., Jan. 21 at 10 a.m.- 2p.m. we will gather at Church to help SOLEHOPE make shoes for people in Uganda suffering from a terrible foot parasite. Cost for this event is \$12. Lunch will be served. If you would like to help please sign up online, use the sign up sheet in the bulletin, or use the sheet in the narthex. ***Also, if anyone has any blue jeans that you cannot use anymore and would like to donate them to our event please drop them off in the Sunday School office.***

Bible Buddies – Wed., Jan. 23

5th /6th graders and 9-12th graders are invited to come and have dinner together on Wednesday night at 6:30. \$3 donation for pizza. At 7 p.m. they split into a small group led by the high schoolers and monitored by Deacon Shari. Please use the sign up in the bulletin if your 5/6th grader is interested in joining us.

First Communion Class – Sat., Jan. 26

Each year we seek to prepare children in the fifth grade (and beyond) for receiving their first communion. We do it in a one-hour concentrated class. A parent/other adult (or two) should attend along with the child. The class will be offered on Saturday, Jan. 19, at 10:00 a.m.

Adult Class

Our weekly **adult class** usually meets in the back of the sanctuary, starting about 9:55 a.m. Each week there is a different topic.

Jan. 20 - *New Lenox, 1918: Serving, Suffering, and Celebrating in a Small Town* (hear from Darrell Holmquist what was going on during Illinois' centennial year)

Jan. 27 - *Does Your Arrow Point to "Meaningful"?*

Feb. 3 - *Faith Is Like a Muscle*

Peanut Butter Weekend– Jan. 26 & 27

Let's see if we can top last year's record amount of peanut butter jars we received! The New Lenox Township food bank especially needs this staple this time of year.

Teen Bible Study- Wednesdays

High school age youth are invited to a new Teen Bible study with Deacon Shari. We will meet at church on Wed., Jan. 16 & 30 from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. We will cover in-depth, yet compact and easy to understand Bible lessons while covering topics relevant to teens.

Questions Kids Ask- Want to Help?

Another very exciting development is taking place in our QKA ministry. Because of an idea presented to us, we are going to create a Spanish version of our book. The background work is beginning, and we seek and invite anyone who would like to be a part of this new creation to let us know. The team will gather in January sometime and go to work! Let us know through the sign-up at church or call the office.



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T-Shirt Sunday – Sun., Feb. 3

On the first Sunday of each month we would like everyone to wear the new R.O.A.R. With God shirt. Also on that day during the 11:00 service we will invite the students to sing a Sunday School song. Watch the Sunday School News for more details. If your child does not have a shirt let the Sunday School office know.

Now for Something Really Different – Sun., Feb. 24

Peace Church's **Annual Variety Show & Dinner** - Sun., Feb. 24, at 3:00 p.m.

For our Variety Show this year (formerly known as the Talent Show), we are encouraging our young children and youth and other random performers to participate in the first half of the show with whatever you have in mind. For the second half of the show, we are planning a 1960's theme. All talents are welcome, so if you are interested in performing a song or act (perhaps participate in a duet, trio, quartet, or quintet) we encourage you to perform! We will have a different type of dinner than in years past after the show. (The dinner probably will begin about 4:45/5:00 p.m.) Come join the fun! Please use the sign-up slip in the bulletin or call the office if you wish to perform and/or attend the dinner. Call Mark Muehnickel at 815-463-8836 with any questions.

Recyclable & Craft Donations for Frankfort KidsWork Museum

In order to have a cost-effective craft area for the children who visit the KidsWork Museum in Frankfort, they rely on donations of clean, recyclable materials.

Please make sure your items are clean before dropping them off. They are in need of egg cartons, toilet paper & paper towel tubes, and yogurt containers. Crafty items like full sheets of felt, buttons, sequins, pipe cleaners and googly eyes would all be appreciated.

Coat Drive for People in Need

One Warm Coat is a community service effort assisting in the collection of clean, reusable coats and jackets for donation to local individuals free of charge. Peace Church is following in its mission to give away coats to people of all ages. Our Altar Guild helps with this and invites you to help those in need with good warm coats. Items can be dropped off here at church. Scarfs, hats, gloves/mittens and boots will also be accepted. Thank you for your continued support!

Recycling tip of the week—Aluminum

Recycling one ton of aluminum saves 10 cubic yards of landfill space, 1,663 gallons of oil, 14,000 kWh of energy, and 237.6 million Btu's of energy! Here are some tips you can use when recycling your cardboard materials.

1. Prepare aluminum for recycling by rinsing out. Rinsed cans will have little to no odor and help keep bugs away.
2. Crush cans to save space.
3. Aluminum foil can be recycled!

MorningStar Mission Collection

The Women's Group is partnering with our high school youth group, Peace 360, in providing items for men, women and children at Morningstar Mission. We are collecting the following for distribution in late January. If you would like to support this ministry, please bring items to church and put in the box labeled Morningstar Mission Collection. Many of these are available at the dollar store or other discount stores. They should be manageable sizes as they need to be portable.

Clothing	Beef jerky	EmergenC, Airborne or chewable vitamins
Gloves	Breakfast bars	Band-aids-large
Socks-if possible, wool	Chocolate	Lip balm/chapstick
Hats-warm	Mints-no gum	Lotion
Ponchos/tarps	Peanut butter crackers	Tissues
Shoe laces	Raisins/dried fruit	Toothbrushes-covered
Nothing with alcohol in it.	Snack cups/applesauce/ pudding cups	Wet wipes
Nothing with strong scents.	Tuna, chicken salad cracker kits	Duct tape
Nothing large, hard to carry.	Water	Diapers-all sizes
Hand and foot warmers	Gatorade	<u>Food-chewable-many have dental challenges</u>
Zip lock bags-gallon size		<u>Easy open containers</u>
Feminine hygiene pads		