

# Refrigerator News

February 22, 2015



## First SUNDAY IN LENT

### This Week at Lincolnshire

**Monday, February 23**

9:15 – 10:45 Women's Bible Study

**Tuesday, February 24**

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study

**Wednesday, February 25**

7:15 Choir Practice

**Thursday, February 26**

7:00 Leadership Team

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*Yank some of the groans out of your prayers  
and shove in some shouts!*

- Billy Sunday



The January/February issue of **The Messenger** features an article by Jeremy Ashworth and Fred Bernhard. "Make Friends, not 'Converts'" is the headline and the article speaks again of the E3 message that relationships are what matters when inviting others to become disciples or followers. **Dave Bell's** letter also appears in that issue. He challenges us to think how our driving strategies relate to climate change.

Copies of Jeremy and Fred's article along with copies of Dave Bell's letter are available at the back of the sanctuary for your reading.



Contributions for the month of January totaled \$10,258. Expenses were \$11, 779. This results in a subtraction from our balance of \$479. We do operate on a cash basis and some commitments are paid quarterly. We appreciate your continuing support and your commitment which makes it possible for Lincolnshire to continue doing God's work. – *Bob Kaylor*

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March Ushers:

Marv Loutsenhizer  
Paul Sills  
Gerry Westerfield  
Joe Henderson

March Greeters: Stan and Carolyn Gorom

We always thank  
God for all of you  
and continually  
mention you in  
our prayers.

1 Thessalonians 1:2, NIV

**Casey Drudge** continues making strides towards his recovery. As stated in recent updates, he is walking (aided), putting on clothes, eating and conversing with family members and visitors. We give thanks and praise for God's continuing presence with him and his family.

**Joe Henderson** is recovering from a mild heart attack experienced last week. Thankfully, no surgery was required and he has returned to their vacation condo in Gulf Shores, AL. He and Judi plan to return to Fort Wayne at the end of the month.

**Robin and Rosemary La Rue** share a daily awareness of each other's medical conditions. Robin recently had testing done in Indianapolis and will have a total assessment that will determine his future treatments. Our prayers always embrace them, asking for God's grace and mercies to be with them.

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### From Calling & Discernment...

You are encouraged to suggest up to three persons as being gifted to serve on the Calling & Discernment Team. The team is responsible for matching persons to leadership and service needs of the congregation. Candidates should know people's spiritual gifts, interests and talents, be familiar with the ministries of the church and be committed to serve with a sense of "call". Please fill out the form in the bulletin by writing the names of possible candidates for the team. Your part in the process is appreciated. – *Marty Kaylor, Chair*

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### Silence is trust at work.

"The purest faith has to be tested by silence in which we listen for the unexpected, in which we are open to what we do not yet know, and in which we slowly and gradually prepare for the day when we will reach out to a new level of being with God." – *Thomas Merton*



March 1	Kathy Hause
March 2	Margaret Pletcher
March 5	Heather Fowler
March 9	Jeff Terrell
March 10	Bill Leverton
March 11	Rachel Hause
March 14	Kyle Creed
March 15	Heather Grady
March 17	Michelle Beckman
March 21	Lucas Kolb
March 22	Remio Batalona Tom Dawson
March 29	Carol Creed
March 30	Allen Shaw
March 31	Craig Colvin Russel Muex

**Happy Anniversary  
to Craig and Ruth Colvin on March 18!**

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### March Calendar Dates

March 8	Clocks "spring" forward!
March 15	Communion
March 22	Potluck Sunday Easter Invitations will be taken to our neighbors. following the potluck.
March 25	Leadership Team Meeting
March 29	Palm Sunday

