

Refrigerator News

October 22, 2017



This Week at Lincolnshire

Monday, October 23
9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Thursday, October 26
7:00 p.m. Leadership Team

Next Sunday, October 29
Soup & Salad Lunch
following morning worship.

Brethren News... from churches local and afar.

Pastors Paul and Cheryl attended the **Pastors Appreciation** at Timbercrest on Thursday, October 19th. The day's leader was Denise D. Kettering-Lane from Bethany Seminary sharing on the topic, *Handling the Past: The 500th Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation*. They also attended a potluck dinner sponsored by the District Board at the Columbia City Church on Friday. It's great that our hardworking pastors had time off to relax.

Rock Run Church of the Brethren will hold their 53rd **Annual Bazaar and Bake Sale** on Saturday, October 28 from 8:30am - 1pm. A breakfast and lunch bar will be available for good food. Bazaar includes crafts, homemade goods and noodles all made by the people of Rock Run. Rock Run is located on the corner of CR 33 and CR 38 in Goshen.

On October 27-29 District Youth will come together for a Fall Event at **Pleasant Chapel**. Junior and senior high youth and advisors will do a corn maze, participate in trunk or treat, celebrate the Food Resource Bank harvest with the option of staying two nights. If interested, please see Paul or Cheryl.

Beacon Heights middle & high school youth are selling fair trade, organic coffee to raise funds for National Youth Conference and the church's heritage tour next summer. The coffee is sold in one pound bags and available as whole bean or a medium grind which is suitable for Mr. Coffee or reusable K-cups and priced at \$17. Orders can be placed by stopping by or calling the church, 260-482-8595, or emailing Andrew Sampson - andrew@beaconheights.net. Call the church for more details or questions.

Registration is now open for **MISSION ALIVE 2018 Conference** in Frederick, MD. Conference date: **April 6-8, 2018**. The conference features: worship, keynote speakers, workshops and fellowship with Brethren from near & far. Register beginning October 21 at www.brethren.org/missionalive2018.

"If you really believe the Christian gospel—God behind us, his cause committed to us, his powers available for us—then proclaim it, live it, and implement it, for humanity's hope depends upon it. It is, indeed, a faith for tough times."

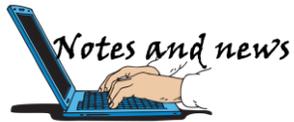
~ Harry Emerson Fosdick

Trunk or Treat ...

will be staged in our parking lot on October 31st from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. We have 9 cars signed up now. If you would like to join the group with goodies, please call Jan Ward at 260-486-2513. You can also bring donations to put in the trunks. A box for the donated treats is in the Fellowship Hall with the other boxes being filled for A Baby's Closet, Syrian refugees and Alaskans.



Put on a costume and come and join the fun!



Lisa Lahr and Carol Williams will be moving on Saturday, November 11 to a new home on Getz Road / South Bend Drive. It is about 15 or 20 minutes from their present location. They would really appreciate help from their church family with this move. If you can help please call Lisa at 260-206-7661.

Scholarship Memorial Fund update...

Zoe Vorndran received \$1,250 from the Marge Crill-Scott Scholarship Memorial Fund for her fall classes and will receive \$1,250 for her spring classes. These amounts approved by the Scholarship Committee whose members are Avon (Scotty) Scott, Rebecca Shearer, Judi Henderson and Stan Gorom.

Contributions for the month of September totaled \$8,952 with totaled expenses of \$8,913 resulting in a positive balance of \$39. On a year-to-date basis, total contributions are \$87, 503 with total expenses of \$61, 601 which leaves a positive balance of \$25, 902. Since we operate on a cash basis with some commitments being paid quarterly, about \$1,500 is our monthly part of that commitment. The larger balance is due to not have having a full time pastor. Our interim pastors began May 1. Thank you for continuing to keep your pledge giving current so we can support our pastor team and making it possible for Lincolnshire to continue doing God's work.

By doing good with his money, a man, as it were, stamps the image of God upon it, and makes it pass current for the merchandise of heaven.

~ John Rutledge



Next Sunday, October 29th

David Radcliff, Director of New Community Project is with us next Sunday. The goal of the new Community Project is give help to this planet. "We're all in this together," David exclaims. For David Radcliff and the New Community Project, it means educating people about what is happening to this Earth and attempting to find some solutions.

One of the most important ways to "educate" people about the challenges facing God's earth is through direct experiences. This can be in natural areas near the congregation where both the beauty and problems facing the environment are encountered, or through programs offered by New Community Project. Visit their website at ncp@newcommunityproject.org for details about many of their programs.

After the worship service a "SOUP and SALAD" lunch will be served. Featuring soups by Lincolnshire cooks.

Three different reciped Chilis

Chicken Vegetable Chili

Potato Soup

Broccoli Cheddar Soup

Vegetable Soup

Salad, bread and cinnamon butter

A special thank you to Texas Road House for the salad, bread and butter.

Thanks also to Evelyn Bickel for her work with Texas Road House.

(A free will offering will be taken for New Community Project.)