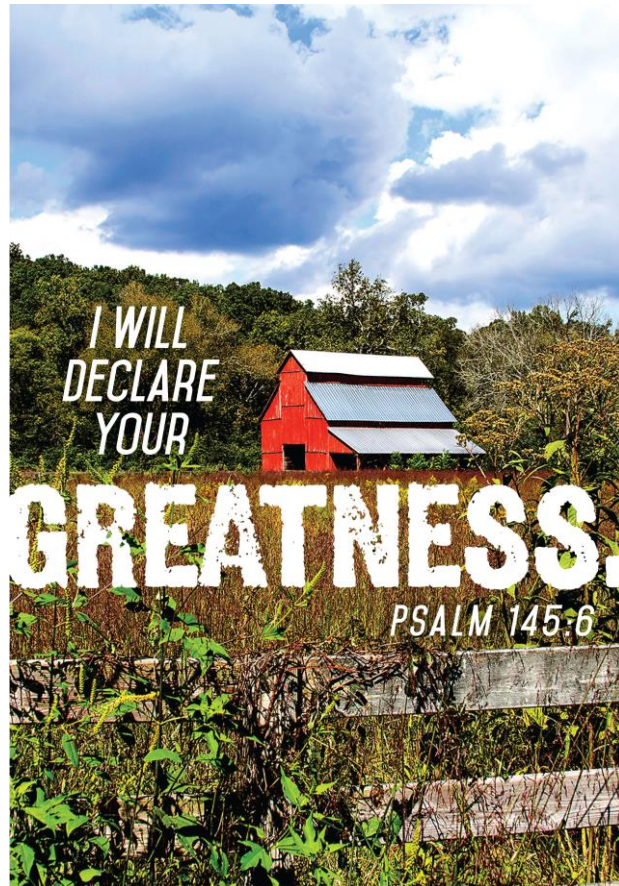


Refrigerator News

September 10, 2017



This Week at Lincolnshire

Monday, September 11

9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, September 12

1:00 p.m. Outreach and Caring

Friday & Saturday, September 15 – 16

District Conference

There are three disaster teams from the Church of the Brethren serving children and adults who need help recovering from the flood devastation in Houston and surrounding communities. We choose to support this fund raising knowing our contribution will be used entirely for the recovery effort and we know a few people who serve on the teams. There may be other Lincolnshire members who will want this address.

Emergency Disaster Fund/ Hurricane Harvey Response

Church of the Brethren

1451 Dundee Ave.

Elgin IL 60120

Thanks to Lowell and Rebecca Shearer for this information.

Children's Disaster Services aids families affected by Harvey

Children's Disaster Services (CDS) is now deploying teams of volunteers to aid children and families in shelters in three Texas cities: San Antonio, Austin, and Dallas. "We have 24 people as of today and another 30 will be arriving over the next week to replace those teams," reported CDS staff.

Brethren Disaster Ministries has a new webpage providing up-to-date information on the Harvey response, and a link to support the response with financial gifts, at www.brethren.org/bdm/hurricane-harvey.html.

This will be the largest CDS response in more than a decade, said Brethren Disaster Ministries. CDS volunteers are staffing childcare centers in shelters housing people who have been evacuated or have fled homes flooded in Hurricane Harvey and its aftermath.

Brethren Disaster Ministries staff are coordinating response efforts and planning with Church World Service and other church partners. At this phase of the disaster, the urgent need is for **Gift of the Heart Clean-up Buckets and Hygiene Kits**. These kits are stored at, and shipped from, the Brethren Service Center in the Material Resources Warehouse. Learn more about these and other kits at cwskits.org and bring completed kits to the Brethren Service Center at 601 Main Street, New Windsor, MD 21776-0188. Contact 410-635-8797 or gthompson@brethren.org for more information.



To date... eight of the old long tables have new homes. There are still a few remaining. The holidays are just around the corner and think of all the extra people you could invite over with an extra table or two. Contact Marv Loutsenhizer or Stan Gorom if you are interested in having one delivered to your home.

An address... for Zoe Vorndran
 Manchester University
 604 E. College Avenue
 Box 1171
 N. Manchester, IN 46962

Next Sunday... following the worship service.

Informal Congregational Meeting

Presentation and discussion of the proposed 2018 Budget.

Budgeting for the church is done annually during the fall of the year and is brought before the congregation for approval. This is an informal meeting to discuss the budget . The actual Congregational meeting is on Sunday, November 12.

Please check your church mailbox this morning for the letter which contains your 2018 *Intention of Giving* information.



Potluck

Celebrate the beginning of fall activities at Lincolnshire. Bring your favorite dishes filled with the delicious delicacies for which Lincolnshire cooks are known! Remember... there's always room at the table for you and your friends at the potluck!



Continuing this morning, from 9:00 to 9:50 a.m., each adult Sunday school teacher will be in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday school hour. They have their class materials and will be available to answer questions.

Adult Classes Begin next Sunday, September 17

Carolyn Egolf's class meets in the room across from the library. Study material is "*When All Else Fails, Read the Instructions*" by James Moore.
Heather Grady's class meets in the Parlor. Study material is "*Steadfast Love*" by Lauren Chandler.
Lori Linn's class meets in the Truthseekers (Quilting) Room. Study material is "*Patriotism and Faith*" an essay by David R. Miller.
David Cutrell's class meets in the library. Studies are from the Bible.

Children's Class Information

The children's lessons will be from "*The Life of Jesus*" by Group Publishing. Teachers include **Cheryl Leverton**, pre-school, **Marlene Bell**, Grades K-3, **Pat Fair**, Grades 4-6 , and **Linda Fultz** as substitute for pre-school. **Amy Kolb**, Youth Grades 7-12.

Women's Bible Study begins Monday, September 11

Hope: Your Heart's Deepest Longing is the text for Women's Bible Study which begins its season tomorrow, September 11. Study begins at 9:15 a.m. and ends at 10:45 a.m. The sessions include sharing, prayer and Bible study. All women are welcome! Questions? Call 747-2976.



"We must never allow September 11th to become a time for protest and division. Instead, this day must remain a time for promoting peace and mutual respect." ~ Archbishop Timothy Dolan