

## East Union Lutheran Church

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office.*

## Prayer Corner

To add or remove a name from the Prayer Corner, please notify the EULC office, 952-448-3450, or [office@eulc.org](mailto:office@eulc.org).

### Healing: family of Kira

**O'Connor** (LuAnn Haner's great-niece), **Bill and Melissa Brueske and family, Carl W. (Kelly) Hanson, Jr.** (Rich Hurtig's in-law/friend), **Edna Mae Hunter** (Darlene Olson's sister-in-law), **Linda Lauer, Lois Lapham, Norma Matzke** (Sue Wiebe's cousin), **Lowell Peterson, Harvey Kostecka** (Jim & Corky Jochum's friend), **Kim Anderson** (Merlin Loge's niece), **Curtis Carlson** (JoAnne Armstrong's dad), **Kevin Jahn** (Karen Young's friend), **Jerry Scott, Brenda Miller** (JoAnne Armstrong's friend), **Christina Alexander** (George Ceaser's fiancée), **Bill Tessman, Helen Brahee, Bob Benjamin** (Carol Schultz's friend), **George Ceaser, Nancy Lund** (Jerry Wallace's sister), **Brian Taylor**

(Ron Olson's friend), **Howard Wigfield** (Larry Wigfield's brother), **Mark Austad, Diane West** (Jennifer Walter's mother), **Erma** (Elmer Iliason's sister), **Mary Louise Plantz** (Emily Hedberg's grandmother), **Lillian Wallace, Jerry Ceaser, Abby Leigh** (Lee & Joyce Ostlie's nephew's daughter), **Jill Gaffney** (Jeanne Lundquist's sister), **Fred Loescher** (Ken Loescher's father), **Sherry Richardson** (Tammy Woolhouse's mom), **Verne Wiltse** (Craig Lofstuen's stepdad), **Bob Read, Kim Walsh, Gary Esboldt** (Alfred Haas's friend), **James Moore** (Shelly Beam's dad), **Carl Brummer** (Kathy Stundahl's father), **Liz Anhalt** (Karen Young's friend), **Molly Jensen** (Ken & Karen Loescher's daughter), **Bob Richardson**

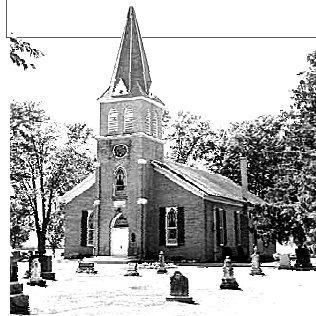
(Tammy Woolhouse's father), **Jerry Wallace, Mary Berg, Debbie** (Karen Loescher's friend), **Diane Morain**

Service: **Michael Ostermann** (Karen Wallace's nephew), **Chris Anderson** (Steve & Judy Anderson's nephew), **Mat Stulz** (Marne Albu Stulz's husband), **Brett Willhite, Andrew Armstrong** (Don Armstrong's brother), **Anne Dillahay** (Don Armstrong's sister), **Jeff Atkins** (Don & Eve Atkins's grandson), **Jamie Alpaugh** (Racheal Jensen's son), **Kevin Kath and Cory Joyce** (Carol Schultz's friends)

Missionaries: **Anne and Willie Langdji**, Senegal; **Eric and Liza Debelak**, Russia

# East Union Lutheran Church Weekly Announcements

Sunday, April 25, 2010



## *Our Life Together*

**The Gospel reading for next Sunday, May 2, is John 13:31-35.** Jesus responds to questions about his identity with the remarkable claim that he and the Father are one. Those who understand this are his sheep; they hear his voice, follow, and will never be snatched from his hand. **Other readings** for next Sunday are **Acts 11:1-18** and **Psalms 148**.

**Confirmation Sunday Today.** Our two ninth-grade confirmation students will affirm their baptismal vows today.

**Jamie Tyne Read**, child of Mark and Rhonda Read-Boecker and the late Randall Read. Sponsors at Jamie's baptism were Rick and Marla Riemer, on November 17, 1996, here at East Union Lutheran Church. Jamie's favorite Bible passage is Deuteronomy 10:12-13: "So now, O Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you? Only to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all his ways, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to keep the commandments of the LORD your God and his decrees that I am commanding you today, for your own well-being" (NRSV).

**Megan Ann Woolhouse**, child of Tammy and David Woolhouse. Megan's sponsors were Kristy Richardson, Matt Dombrowski, Chantelle Owens, and Jodi (Christians) Kusinski. She was baptized June 11, 1995, at East Union Lutheran Church. Her favorite passage is Galatians 5:22-26: "By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passion and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit. Let us not become conceited, competing against one another, envying one another" (NRSV).

**Sunday School Service Project.** The Sunday school children will make May Day baskets to be delivered to Auburn Manor on May 16. Before that,

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we are looking for donations of lotions, hard candies, tissues, pens, notepads, and other *small* items. You may drop off those donations in a basket in the parish center. Questions: Brenda Lundquist, 952-466-2624.

**Confirmation Year-End Celebration.** On Wednesday, April 28, 6:30 p.m., we will have a fun and hilarious family fun time. All EU members are invited to join us to chow down on grilled hot dogs and burgers at the parish center. Cheer on our two confirmation small groups as they challenge each other to a rousing game of Holy-wood Squares, with the church council members featured in the squares—watch them try to remember information they learned in middle school and junior high! It's sure to be a great time.

**60+ Group Next Meeting.** On Wednesday, May 19, we travel to the Old Log Theater in Excelsior to see *The Dixie Swim Club*, a hilarious and touching comedy about friendship. The play starts at 1:30 p.m.; we will meet at the parish center to carpool, leaving *promptly* at 12:30 (there are no reserved seats). On the way home, let's stop at the Chaska Perkins. If driving separately, and to order tickets (all seats \$17.50), call Lois Scott by May 11: 952-448-4659.

**Copies of EULC Constitution and By-Laws Available.** The church library has two copies of the EULC constitution for you to view. If you want a copy to take home, call the parish office, 952-448-3450. You will soon also be able to download and print copies from our Web site, [eulc.org](http://eulc.org).

**Not Receiving a Monthly Newsletter?** If you aren't but would like to receive it, please notify the office, 952-448-3450, [office@eulc.org](mailto:office@eulc.org).

**Spring Fund-Raiser.** For the May 22 spring fund-raiser, we are looking for the following donations: hostas, ferns, geraniums, peonies, and other plants. We also are looking for statues, bird feeders, bird houses, birdbaths, lawn ornaments and other fun garden art. If you can donate baked goods, we also will appreciate those. Information: Kitty Seck, 952-448-4356, or Rita Lundquist, 952-448-4490.



"Agnus Day" appears courtesy of [www.agnusday.org](http://www.agnusday.org)

## Youth & Family

### **Calling All Softball Players!**

We are looking for both male and female players for the East Union softball team. All games played Mondays at Lions Park at approximately 6:15 or 7:30. If you are interested, please contact Tracie Peterson (952-454-2703) or Bob Steege.

### **Mark Your Calendar.** 2010

VBS is set for 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Monday, June 21, through Friday, June 25. Registration will be available in the May newsletter as well as at Sunday school. Cost will be \$10 per child, \$25 maximum per family. Hope to see you there.

**Bad Girls of the Bible.** There are still some openings for the "Bad Girls of the Bible" group meeting Sunday nights from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Last week, we took a look at Eve, the first Bad Girl. Please contact Sybil Haas or Tracie Peterson (952-454-2703) if you have any questions or would like to purchase a book to join us.

**We Love Kids!** How we welcome children in church influences how they respond to God and the household of faith. God put the "wiggle" in children; we don't want parents to feel they have to suppress it in God's house. To help children learn they are welcome in our sanctuary, we provide activity bags and children's bulletins by the ushers' table in the entrance of the church, and twice a month we invite them to the front of our church sanctuary for a message in the language of children. An unstaffed nursery is available in the parish center for parents' use.

## In the Community

**Public Health Immunization Clinic to be offered** on April 26, 3:00–5:00 p.m., Public Health Office, Chaska government center, 600 East Fourth Street. Appointment-only clinic, 952-361-1329. Parents must bring record of past immunizations. Donation is requested for MnVFC shots, but no one will be denied shots if unable to pay for that vaccine. A fee will be requested for the low-cost vaccine.

## Week of April 25–May 2

### **Today, Sunday, April 25 (Confirmation Sunday)**

9:00 a.m. Worship with holy communion  
10:15 a.m. NO Sunday school  
10:15 a.m. Fellowship

### **Tuesday, April 27**

6:30 p.m. T-Team

### **Wednesday, April 28**

6:00 p.m. Choir  
6:30 p.m. Confirmation year-end celebration

### **Next Sunday, May 2**

9:00 a.m. Worship  
10:15 a.m. Sunday school  
10:15 a.m. Fellowship

## God Invites Us to Generosity

**April 11, 2010: \$2,187 Attendance: 111**