St. Anne's Episcopal Church

Ministry News

January 2024

Here at St. Anne's there are many ways to be involved. Where do you fit in?



WCC Circle

This group is a loosely structured gathering of women. We drink coffee, offer up companionship, and support according to the needs of the group. We hope to offer wisdom, comfort, and prayers for each other.

Meets Wednesdays at about 10am, after the Healing service.

Contact: Linda Wallenfang linda40god@gmail.com



Prayer Warriors

Our Prayer Warriors ministry is a group of people committed to praying for the needs of our parish members. They receive the Parish Prayer list by email every Wednesday and include these petitions in their daily prayer. In addition, immediate needs for prayer are emailed out as they are received. To enroll as a Prayer Warrior, contact Pete and Cher Tooley (tooleypc@gmail.com), Dcn. Mary Lynn

(DcnMaryLynn@gmail.com), or the office. If you have a prayer request, you can email Pete and Cher, or Dcn. Mary Lynn or the office. (Note that detailed information is only included as specifically directed by the person requesting prayer: we respect your privacy and rely on God to know our needs!) You can also use the prayer request cards found in the pews, placing them in the offering basket.

Contact: Pete & Cher Tooley tooleypc@gmail.com

Pete cell: 920-366-1487 Cher cell: 920-366-

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Contemplative Prayer Group of Northeast Wisconsin

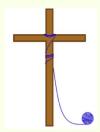


Contemplative Prayer is an ancient form of being present to God and listening for God's voice. Centering prayer, meditation, and lectio divina are all forms of contemplative prayer. This is an ecumenical group and includes members from several other congregations in the area.

The prayer group meets every second and fourth Thursday at 6:30 in the chapel at St. Anne's. All are welcome!

Contact: LeeAnn Reindl blreindl@gmail.com.

Contemplative Prayer Group



Prayer Shawl & Baptismal Blanket Ministry

The Prayer Shawl & Baptismal Ministry provides a way to literally wrap people in a shawl and a prayer. Prayer shawls are knitted or crocheted shawls about 24 inches in width and about 6 feet in length - just the right size to wrap around your shoulders. Shawls are given to a person in need, such as someone struggling with illness or grieving over a loss. A message of encouragement and words of comfort from scripture are shared with this person when it is delivered.

Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 5:30pm via Zoom. Contact Tina for zoom information.

Contact: Tina Ackerman (920) 619-4637



Creative Kindness

Creative Kindness provides quilts or quilt projects to those in need. They prepared quilts for Blanket Sunday that went to St. John's Ministries. They make teddy bears, cut and constructed from worn out military uniforms, to be given to soldiers with PTSD (and other challenges) or to family members when separated. Plus many other projects.

We currently have 11 women and meet three Tuesdays* per month, from 10-3pm in Miller Hall. (*Not the 2nd Tuesdays)

Contact: Joan Junkhan **Davejoan1@gmail.com** 262-492-9206



If you are interested in volunteering or would like additional information. please contact:

EPH Unit Coordinator Ginny Brand ebmbrand5@gmail.com

EPH Board Member David Nohara 253-509davidnohara1@gmail.com

EPH website

Ecumenical Partnership for Housing

Community Impact

Thank you for your continued support as a partnership church. Your prayers, volunteer hours, and financial contributions are helping families experiencing homelessness reach self-sufficiency. With your support, EPH has been able to provide 55 families – including 150 children – with housing and case management through our transitional housing and long-term supportive housing programs so far this year. We have also provided an additional 31 families with emergency rental assistance, budget counseling, and case management support through our eviction prevention program to help them avoid losing their housing and develop a plan for long-term stability. Thank you for helping make this possible!





Flower Guild

We welcome those who are interested in joining this ministry. Members serve on a rotation each month, and you'd be expected to arrange flowers on Saturday in preparation for a particular Sunday.

Sign up to donate flowers in the narthex.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 12, 2023 at 10:00 in St. Anne's Library.

Contact: Colleen Mikelson Colleen.Mikelson@gmail.com; 218-841-1994

or Cindy Russell Smith crussellsmith54@gmail.com; 920-606-3784



IWC

The IWC (Involvement With The **Community**) purpose is to develop a culture of being inviting, welcoming and connecting with all members of the parish, old and new, and the community in which we live"

We welcome those who are interested in joining this ministry.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, Feb 5, 2024 at 7pm.

Margaret Gonzales - mgsing41@aol.com



St. Anne's Representative-Richard Baldwin monkeyhlpr@yahoo.com 920-336-5178

DPCO website

Christmas Store:

St. Anne's needs a representative to serve with the Christmas Store Committee. They meet once a month. This was most recently handled by Joe Brand and if you have questions you can talk to Joe/Ginny Brand or to Richard Baldwin.

Thrift Store:

The DPCO Thrift Store is always looking for volunteers! Visit the website (button below). Under the "Contact" tab is the application to download.

Food Pantry:

Piggly Wiggly Round Up Program raised over \$5746.99 for the pantry this year! Up \$200 from last year.



Youth Group

Middle and High School youth meet for fellowship, discussion, community service projects, praise and worship time. Exciting things coming this winter... More info to come soon! *Wednesdays*, 6:30p.m.

Contact: Kara Schroeder mstrt35@gmail.com 920-370-3886



"Sonday" School

Preschool and elementary school youth meet on Wednesdays at 6:30pm.

Contact: Lynn Tielens 920-655-1199

Christian Education



- Aging Gracefully and Joyfully (Book Discussion) 3rd Tuesday of each month at 10am.
 - Bible Study Group

Mondays at 1:30pm

Confirmation/Reception Class

Sundays at 11:45am

Seasonal Quiet Days

February 10.

Contact: St. Anne's office (920) 336-9571



St. Anne's Choir and Handbells

St. Anne's Choir: This choir leads the singing of hymns and liturgical music at the 10 am service. All who love to sing are welcome! Rehearsal times: Wednesdays, 6:45 p.m. No Rehearsal the last Wednesday of each month.

Hand Bell Choir: The Bell Choir welcomes teenagers and adults as new members anytime. No experience is necessary although it is helpful if you can read basic musical rhythms.

Rehearsal times: Wednesdays, 5:45 p.m. No Rehearsal the last Wednesday of each month.

Occasional Choir: This choir will sing or play instruments during the offertory on the second Sunday of each month.

Meet: 1st Sunday after the 10am service for 15 minutes. Next meeting is January 7th.

Contact: Mark Sikkila stannesorganist@gmail.com

St. Anne's CMT

Contemporary Music Team (CMT): CMT provides contemporary worship music one Sunday a month. CMT rehearses on Saturday mornings prior to leading worship. The group includes singers and instrumentalists of all kinds. Rehearsal Times: Saturday morning prior to scheduled worship. Next CMT Sunday is January 28.

Contact: Mike Ajango majango55@gmail.com



Worship

Worship Ministries: Our lay worship ministers are an integral part of our Sunday and holiday worship. Worship ministers include subdeacons, lectors (readers), acolytes, and ushers/greeters. We also have Eucharistic ministers, who bring communion to our shut-ins. Training is provided and is scheduled at your convenience. Scheduling is flexible, generally being once or twice a month, and is based on your availability.

Contact: Dcn Mary Lynn Adams dcnmarylynn@gmail.com or the office

Altar Guild

The purpose of the altar guild is, in general terms, to ready those things necessary for the celebration of the Eucharist and the observance of the other sacraments and offices of the church.

An Altar Guild team is usually two members that are assigned to the weekend once or twice a month. They decide when to meet to set up the service for Sunday, typically on Saturday at 9am.

The set up includes setting the altar for services with communion, take down and clean up after.

We are always in need of more altar guild members!

Upcoming events: 12/23/23 Christmas Clean and Polish

Contact: Cher Tooley tooleypc@gmail.com 920-366-4262



Contact: Jenny Adams and Amber Paluch stannes.scrip@gmail.com

Scrip Order Form

Scrip ministry goals

We have an idea for your 2024 resolution: Switch the way you pay for gas, groceries, and other goodies to using Scrip cards to support St. Anne's!

You can purchase Scrip cards after service or on our website and use them like cash in store or online. St. Anne's benefits by obtaining them at a discount and earning on each card. So instead of your credit card or cash, you can pull out your Scrip cards for your regular purchases and support this ministry every time you shop. There are plenty of choices, including restaurants, stores, and entertainment spots throughout the area. And if you don't see what you like on the list, just let us know what store, restaurant, or gas station you like – we might be able to get it for you.

Stop by the Scrip table after service on Sundays to fill out the order form or order from a coordinator. Or go

to **stannesdepere.org** for other ways to order. The deadline is 2 pm every Sunday.

And if you've got an extra 15 mins after the service to help work the scrip table, please sign up for a time slot on the bulletin board in Miller Hall. Training takes only a couple of minutes, and your support is much appreciated!

Our organization's coordinators are Jenny Adams and Amber Paluch

Email <u>stannes.scrip@gmail.com</u> to learn more!



Women's Ministry

"The mission of the Women's Ministry is to bring women together in fellowship. Together we will deepen our friendships through Christ by spiritual growth and active participation in the whole church program."

We currently have about 10 members and would love to have more. We welcome you and your ideas to help us be more active in this parish and the surrounding community.

Contact: Jeanine Limberger manateecalf@gmail.com 720-560-4361



Men's Ministry

PURPOSE: To serve Christ, our church and our community by joining together as men of the church.

To have fun, support each other and raise money through fundraising events to be able to provide meals at local shelters and to help St. Anne's with special purchases.

CALENDAR: 2024

April 6th- Chili fundraiser May 4th - Booyah fundraiser

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