

Ministry News

June 2024

Here at St. Anne's there are many ways to be involved.



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 to assist the clergy. In general terms, the duty of the altar guild is to ready those things necessary for the celebration of the Eucharist and the observance of the other sacraments and offices of the church.

Usually two members are assigned to the weekend. They decide when to meet to set up the service for Sunday. Historically on Saturday at 9am.

Members are typically scheduled once or twice a month. More often on holidays such as Christmas and Easter. Set up the altar for services with communion scheduled and take down and clean up after.

We would love to hear from you! We are always in need of more altar guild members!

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



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

Jenny Adams, stannesdepere.org

Colleen Mikelson, colleen.mikelson@gmail.com

Kate Lockwood, kathrynlockwood@hotmail.com

John Eggers, rastoigers@gmail.com

Scuba VBS

Vacation Bible School at St. Anne's will be July 8-12 @ 8:30am - noon. Registration is open! VBS is open to all children ages 6-12 years. We are also looking for volunteers to make VBS a success. We are in need of crew leader/assistants. We are looking for people interested in helping with

decorations. These people will be working with John Eggers to receive a project and either bring it home or arrange a time to meet and work as a team.

We are also in need of donations. There is a wish list in the hallway into Miller Hall you can sign up for. There is also an envelope to give money towards VBS, so we can buy those things that are not available by donation.

Thank you for helping us to make SCUBA VBS 2024 a success!

Sign Up



Memorial Garden Committee

The last of the perennials for the healing and butterfly gardens and the gazebo display have been planted. Finishing touches are needed at this point and we will be taking care of these in the next several days. The garden stakes with engraved messages have been ordered and should be here in about 4 - 6 weeks.

Thank you to those who contributed to the Garden at this time. There will be more opportunities for others to add memorials, celebratory plants or special items in the future. Thanks, also, to the following people who helped us on the gardening project during the last three weeks: Jenny Adams, Linda Wallenfang, Vic Van Gemert, Mike and Janet Ajango, Chuck Manning, John Eggers, Bryan Tilot, Kara, Mollie and Olivia Schroeder, Fr. Tyler, and - of course, Andrew Smith - who has been a part of the entire Garden process since it began over a year ago.



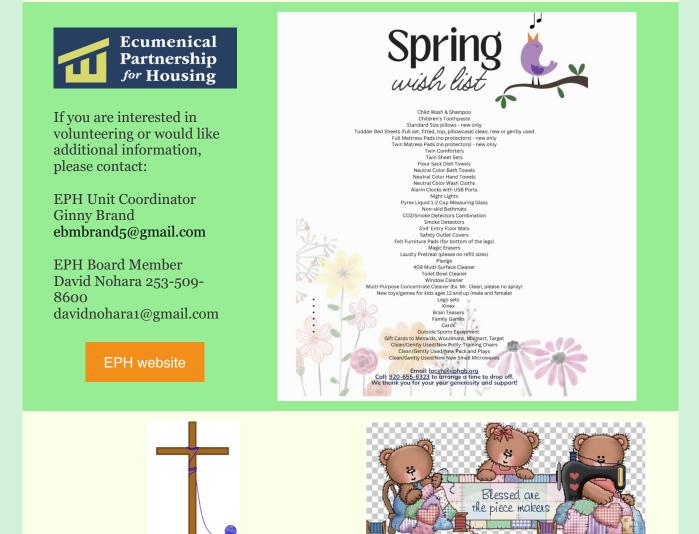
DPCO Food Pantry

We are seeing/serving a record number of families each week...weekly totals are 73 compared to previous weekly totals in the 40's

2 successful food drives thus far (Boy Scout Drive 4/27 totaled 6000 lbs – 3 troops (last year 3545) and Post Office Drive totals= 10,224

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

DPCO website



Prayer Shawl & Baptismal Blanket Ministry

This ministry is a form of prayer. Prayer Shawls have been a part of tradition for centuries. Our Shawls and Blankets are created in prayer and presented with prayer to those who are hurt, ill, griefstricken, in pain, in need of loving care and those who are going to be baptized. As the Shawls/Blankets are made, prayers are said that the recipient is cradled in hope, joy, peace, and wrapped in love. They become a symbol of our caring for all God's people and as a physical reminder that God always has His arms around us, surrounding us with His love.

Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 5:30pm in the Chapel.

Contact: Tina Ackerman (920) 619-4637

Creative Kindness

Creative Kindness provides quilts or quilt projects to those in need. They prepared quilts for St John Homeless Shelter, St. Vincent Pediatrics, American Legion Veteran Camp, Foster the Village, and Sleep in Heavenly Peace. In addition, placemats, lap-size quilts and walker bags were donated locally. 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



St. John's Ministries website

Emergency Shelter Season Report



Emergency Shelter Season Report (November 1, 2023 -April 30, 2024) Sheltered 662 guests, this is up 60 people from 2022-2023. 65% of guests stayed 1 month or less 50% of guests stayed 2 weeks or less



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.

The Women's Ministry tends to do about the same things each year. We like to do something during Lent, like the soup and stations of the cross we did this year. In the Fall we usually have a one day retreat on a Saturday. At Christmas we had an event aimed at learning a bit more about the season and sharing fellowship with each other. We also do several food drives during the year.

A recent addition to our Women's Ministry is providing our services for the reception of a funeral.

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.

CONTACT: Pete Tooley Tooleypc@gmail.com 920-366-1487



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





Find the good in the challenging

These days, we can't seem to avoid high prices at the pump – or at the store or other service providers either. But at least we can support St. Anne's when we're making our essential purchases if we use Scrip cards! Purchase cards after church services 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. You can also get Scrip order forms online

at <u>www.stannesdepere.org</u> and send your order as an email to stannes.scrip@gmail. The deadline to order is 2 pm every Sunday. Payment can be made by cash or check. If you'd like to use a credit card, you will need to use the RaiseRight app (look for directions on our website), and a fee is charged.

Or – if your card has a round R sticker on it – you can add money to it and keep using it through the RaiseRight app or letting your Scrip team know what you'd like to add. If you don't see a card for a business you go to, just ask – we may be able to get one for you.

And, as always, if you've got an extra 15 mins after the service to help work the scrip table, please let us know. Training takes only a couple of minutes, and your support is much appreciated!

Jenny Adams and Amber Paluch are coordinators and are happy to answer any questions you may have – or email stannes.scrip@gmail.com to learn more!





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 TBD.

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

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

Prayer Chain

Purpose of the prayer chain is to pray together for the needs of the congregation and the world.

We send prayers out via email. There are no meetings.

We have 34 addresses that prayer requests are sent out to. These include current and previous members of St. Anne's. We pray for all those on the prayer list every day. Updates are appreciated if you made the prayer request. We are always looking for more Prayer Warriors!

Contact: Pete & Cher Tooley tooleypc@gmail.com Pete cell: 920-366-1487 Cher cell:920-366-4262

Contemplative Prayer Group of Northeast Wisconsin



Contemplative Prayer Group

Be Still and Know

Our Contemplative Prayer group continues to meet on Thursday evenings at 6:30 to 7:30 in the Quiet Prayer room. We are now one year strong with members showing up regularly to spend time learning together from various readings with some discussion afterwards. This leads us into a period of silent prayer together, feeling the presence of God and the support from each other (approximately 20-30 mins in length).

Something new! We have decided to start meeting weekly rather than on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. The first Thursday of the month continues at this time as an evening of Taize which is a wonderful way to pray in a contemplative manner with others in song, word, and silence. No separate silent prayer will be held on those evenings, but please come join us there.

So, to review...Taize on first Thursdays, and Contemplative prayer every Thursday after. Check your bulletins if any changes need to occur.

The prayer group meets every Thursday at 6:30 in the Prayer Room at St. Anne's. All are welcome!

Contact: LeeAnn Reindl (920)889-9566 or Deacon Mary Lynn dcnmarylynn@gmail.com





Sonday School

Taking the summer off. Will return in September

Contact: Lynn Tielens 920-655-1199

Youth Group

Taking the summer off. Will return in September.

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



St Anne's Christian Education

Christian Education

3rd Tuesday of each month at 10amAging Gracefully and Joyfully (Book Discussion)

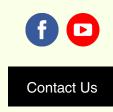
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