

CONTINUING GOD'S MISSION
50 YEARS OF SERVICE
1956 - 2006

March 2006



St. Paul's Lutheran

MESSENGER

LENT 2006

CONVERSATIONS AROUND FAITH



March 1, Ash Wednesday – 12:15 pm Worship at Hopkins United Methodist Church and 7:30 pm at St. Paul's ELCA. Come join in worship with our faith neighbors.

Wednesdays March 8, 15, 22, 29, and April 5 – 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm ---Simple suppers, "Conversations Around Faith" (discussions at our supper tables which will focus on Reading The Bible, Holy Baptism, Holy Communion, The Difference Between Law and Gospel, and Sharing Your Faith) and we will close with "Holden Evening Prayer". These Wednesdays are multigenerational gatherings all at St. Paul's.

April 13, Maundy Thursday – 7:00 pm Holy Communion at St. Paul's ELCA.

April 14, Good Friday – 7:30 pm worship with Hopkins United Methodist Church and Mizpah United Church of Christ.

Let's mark down the dates and commit ourselves to suppers, learning and worship together in the season of Lent. "Return to the Lord, your God, for God is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love"
Joel 2:13

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LENT 2006
Conversations around Faith

Can 40 days make a difference in our lives? Yes they can when the focus of this time is on God's great love and hope in Jesus Christ.

This year's Lenten theme is "*Conversations around Faith.*" As the schedule in this newsletter indicates, there will be opportunities to worship with some of our faith neighbors as well as five Wednesdays of suppers, table discussions and worship at St. Paul's. This is a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other better and to exercise God's gift of faith in our lives. The table discussions are inter-generational so the whole family can take part together. A weekly meal out can be a treat for all of us.

The closing days of Lent are called Holy Week. During this time, we walk with our Lord in his final days to the cross.

Can 40 days really make a difference in our lives? As one of Jesus' followers said to those who had questions about Jesus, "Come and see." Lent gives us time for renewal of faith and life.

In Lent 2006, come and share in "*Conversations around Faith.*" Let Jesus' Spirit touch you and work on you as we prepare for Easter life and service.

Blessings,
Pastor B

Farewell and Godspeed
Associate In Ministry – Dorothy Swanson

St. Paul's has been blessed for over seven years by Dorothy's ministry. In her role as Outreach Director and so much more at St. Paul's, she has faithfully and generously shared her faith, skills and self with us. On March 19, we will have an opportunity to recognize and thank Dorothy at worship and during the refreshment time that follows. You are all encouraged to be present as we celebrate the outreach legacy that Dorothy has helped to build at St. Paul's.



Council News

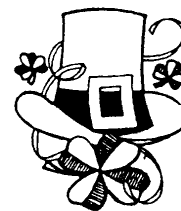
St. Paul's Council meets on the second Thursday of each month.

The meetings are usually two hours or less. Congregation members are welcome to attend. Discussions this month -

- The Sunday School children making Valentine's for the women at Sojourner's Shelter;
- Easter Sunday Breakfast, which will be done by either the Youth or the Council before services;
- Wednesday night Lenten suppers will be held downstairs. Supper sign-up sheets are on the upstairs counter;
- A "thank you" from Carol Hanks and the donation by St. Paul's to Dinner-at-your-door - we were more than generous;
- Pastor's education time - reminding us to make regular time for prayer;
- Council's action to end the call to our Outreach Director per Synod requirements and setting the date for a celebration of Dorothy's time with St. Paul's;
- How to interact with our Russian Baptist Church meaningfully;
- Keys for the doors to St. Paul's and who, when and how to gain access safely;
- Natural Church Development process is in place and working.

Several items were held over for discussion in March including:

- 2006 Fund Raising;
- Inclusivity and the State of Inclusivity from St. Joan of Arc Church;
- Restructuring of the Outreach Committee.



Congregation Council

- President - Phil Eckhert
and Outreach Ministry Liaison
Vice President - Jennie MacNaughton
and Worship & Music Liaison
Secretary - Jan Guetschow
and Fellowship Liaison
Treasurer - Eric Campbell
and Stewardship, Finance &
Adult Liaison
Faith & Life Liaison - Marilyn Woods
and Staff Support Liaison
Community Service Liaison - Ryan Foss
Children & Youth Liaison - Jana Larson
Property Liaison - Bernie Johnson
Pastor - Robert Bjornlund

Assisting Council

- Financial Secretary - Ray Olson
Associate Treasurer - John Falk

Aron Anderson will serve a one-year period as St. Paul's representative on the ICA Board, May 1, 2006 to April 30, 2007.

Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser - the youth are serving a Spaghetti Dinner, Saturday March 18 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm to raise funds for their trip. A \$5 minimum free will offering is suggested.

Effective April 1, 2006 - St. Paul's office hours will be 9:30 am to 2:00 pm, Monday through Friday, excluding Federal holidays.

St. Paul's congregation is pleased to send you this newsletter. However, if you prefer not to receive it, please call the church office at 952-938-4683.

Reminder: April newsletter items are due in the office Wednesday, March 15.



WORSHIP MATTERS

It is always helpful for ushers to be stationed outside the entrances to the building to open doors for everyone, to offer a friendly greeting, and to indicate to visitors the way to the narthex and worship space. Quite likely, the user will be the first person encountered by a visitor. The usher's warm welcome and hospitable assistance will go a long way toward helping the first-time visitor feel welcome. It is always a hospitable gesture for ushers to introduce themselves by name to visitors. Nametags are helpful for ushers and greeters alike. [*Ushers and Greeters*, pp. 12-13]

Sundays and Seasons 2006

The 6th grade Sunday School will share a skit during the worship service Sunday, March 26. Please note the change.

SUNDAY BIBLE READINGS~~

March 5 - 1st Sunday in Lent

Genesis 9:8 - 17

Psalm 25:1 - 9

1 Peter 3:18 - 22

Mark 1:9 - 15

March 12 - 2nd Sunday in Lent

Genesis 17:1 - 7, 15 - 16

Psalm 22:22 - 30

Romans 4:13 - 25

Mark 8:31 - 38

March 19 - 3rd Sunday in Lent

Exodus 20:1 - 17

Psalm 19

1 Corinthians 1:18 - 25

John 2:13 - 22

March 26 - 4th Sunday in Lent

Numbers 21:4 - 9

107:1 - 3, 17 - 22

Ephesians 2:1 - 10

John 3:14 - 21

God of Our Salvation, Hear Our Prayer~

- † for the grieving, Jan Guetschow at the death of her father, Mary Crossley at the death of her father, and Sam Tarr at the death of his father,
- † for child Logan, Ken Smith, Kristian Foss, Jim Krueger, and Barbara Copouls,
- † for Confirmation Ministry Youth – Jack Powers, Sammi Anderson, Woanda Paye, Dylan Streater, Emma Peaslee, Laura Crossley, Keir Anderson, Josh Skrogstad and Cory Anderson,
- † that the baptized will be faithful in sharing the hope of Christ with all they encounter,
- † for Gail & Wayne Anderson as they care for 6 mo. old quadruplets and a 3 yr. old,
- † that St. Paul's will respond generously in March with food and dollars for the Minnesota Food Share emphasis,
- † for the people and ministry of St. Paul's in this 50th anniversary year,
- † that the Lenten journey will be a time of renewal and growth in Christ.

Prayer Line Update ~ Maxine Rieman has agreed to be the coordinator for the prayer line. If you would like to be a part of this prayer ministry, please call Maxine or Linda at the church office. Persons are invited to pray and then pass the request on to the next person. The coordinator will start the prayer. Prayers from the congregation and community are invited between 10:00 am and 8:00 pm so quiet time can be respected.

**PRAYER and BIBLE STUDY
SUPPORT AVAILABLE**

- † St. Paul's Prayer Line is activated by calling Maxine Rieman at 952-238-8516.
- † Prayer resources are available at www.elca.org/prayer.
- † *Christ in Our Home* devotional booklets are available in the library.
- † *Daily Discipleship* is an ELCA online Bible study based on the lectionary and online at www.elca.org/evangelism/dailydiscipleship.

BEFRIENDER TRAINING HIGHLIGHTS

Fourteen people participated in Befriender training on Saturday morning, Feb. 18. Seven were members of St. Paul's and seven were from the Caring Response group of one of our neighbor congregations, Lutheran Church of the Reformation in St. Louis Park. Here are some of the highlights of the training:

+The Biblical Foundation of Befrienders: "... I have called you friends, for everything I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you to go and bear fruit - fruit that will last. ... This is my command: Love one another." John 15:9-17

+As human beings we are relational people and come to know and understand ourselves in relation to one another. Our interactions help define and shape who we are.

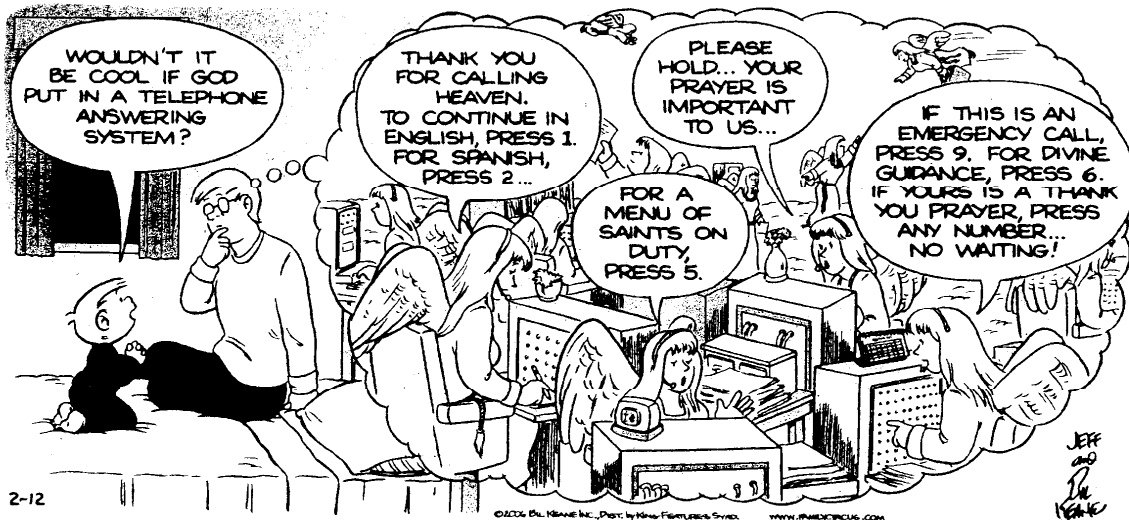
+Intentional care for others is guided by the virtues of respect, honesty, and love.

+Accept the other person for where he or she is at.

+Trust is established through confidentiality and mutual respect.

+The strengths, needs, wants and vulnerabilities of people in a relationship are acknowledged.

+Each person is empowered to become more fully who God created them to be.





An Invitation to the Lord's Table

Do you want to know more about Holy Communion? Are you interested in taking Communion for the first time, or relearning what you were taught in your Communion instruction in your past?

St. Paul's is inviting anyone who is interested to take part in Communion instruction. This commitment involves 1.) gathering together for an initial short meeting following the worship service on March 5th; 2.) individual reflection on the small Catechism and handouts during the month of March; and 3.) taking part in a half-day Communion instruction session on April 1st. Participants will wrap-up the instruction by baking Communion bread and enjoying a meal together on April 1. Parents are encouraged to attend with their children.

Questions? Please contact Pastor Bjornlund at 952-938-4683 or Lisa Foss at 952-401-8044. Please note this instruction is not intended to replace regular Confirmation classes offered to youth in 7th - 9th grades.



Bible Study Opportunity ~

would you like to participate in a Bible study on the prophets? Howard Foster is interested and is looking for at least two or three more people for this group. Meetings can be during the day or evening. Contact Howard or Pastor if interested.



New Television needed ~

27" - 32" with front jacks for DVD and VHS players. This would support congregation education including Sunday school and Confirmation Ministry. The

cost is approximately \$200 - \$250. Please consider a gift to the TV Fund.



MICAHA ~ Metropolitan

Interfaith Council on Affordable Housing

presents a 3-part video & discussion series: *Race - the power of an illusion*, Monday nights Feb. 27, March 6 and 13, 7:00 pm at Minnesota Church Center, 122 West Franklin Ave. in Minneapolis. The event is free and open to the public with ample parking on site. For more information visit www.micah.org or contact Elaine Eyre at 612-871-8980 x111 [here you enter a congregation member that is a MICAHA leader instead of Elaine). The series reveals how our social institutions "make" race by disproportionately channeling resources, power, status and wealth to white people, often in ways we don't even recognize.



Book Club meets Monday,

March 13 at 7:30 pm. The next book discussion will focus on Jodi Picoult's *Keeping Faith*. The book explores a family plagued by the media, the medial profession, and organized religion in a world where everyone has an opinion but no one knows the truth.



Luther Dell ~ July 9 to 14

Young people from St. Paul's Lutheran (and their friends) are invited to camp in Remer, MN Sunday to Friday, July 9 to 14. This won't collide with July 4th events and Luther Dell is giving us a reduced rate of \$280 for 4 - 9th graders. We can discuss carpooling when we know who is coming. See www.campwapo.org for more information.

March Acolytes

3/5 Sammi Anderson
 3/12 Jack Powers
 3/19 Cory Anderson
 3/26 Josh Skrogstad

March Greeters

3/5
 3/12
 3/19
 3/26

March Nursery

3/5
 3/12
 3/19
 3/26

March Money Counter – Mary Hromatka**March Announcements & Lock-up –****March Service Team**

Bjornlund – Bob, Nancy
 Campbell – Eric, Deb, Katie & Kristen
 Carpenter – Marshall, Carolyn
 Dahl – Floyd
 Falk – John, Grace
 Foster – Howard
 Helmer – Julius, Marion
 MacNaughton – Nancy
 McGee – Linda, Mary, Tom
 Mikulay – Mike, Beth, Rebecca, Kate & Laura
 Nelson – Steve, Wanda & Alex
 Peterson – Mary Kay
 Powers – Tom, Kathy, Dustin,
 Lindsey, Nicholas & Jack
 Ramsden – Roger
 Rudolph/Rodman – Chuck, Darcie,
 Peter
 Rustad – Virginia
 Saal – Greg, Lisa, Nicolas,
 Alexander & Marissa
 Schmitz – Matt, Shari, Maggie,
 Heidi, Kelsey & Riley
 Skrogstad – Will, Dawn, Joshua
 Smith – Craig, Vicki
 Tarr – Koko, Sam, Saymanii,

Laykpeawon

Paye- Florkime & Woanda
 Tuttle – John, Marcia
 Werner – Dick, Cindy, Bryce & Bradley
 Wilde - Irma

April Service Team

Bonner/Hromatka – Dean, Mary,
 Alyssa, Marla, Nora
 Eckhert/Brenden – Phil, Sheri, Carl
 & Emma Peaslee & Sarah
 Eckhert
 Foss – Ryan, Lisa, Kristian
 Gilbertson – Roger, Darla
 Guetschow – Bob, Jan
 Johnson – Bernie, Ruth
 Larson – Tom, Rachel, Ben, Jana
 Lubarski – Bob, Sandy, Bode &
 Wyatt
 Mattick – LaMoynne, Betty
 Moe – Rick, Jeanne, Erik, Kris, &
 Britta
 Rieman – Maxine
 Riggle – John, Shirley
 Rutzen – Doris
 Schaller – Shirley
 Siftar – Christine & Tessa
 Smith – Lorraine
 Schmitz – Joshua, Dawn
 Tollefson – Paul, Pat, Peter, Jon &
 Becca
 Vikstrom – Sue
 Waltz – Dick, Shirlee
 Winsor – Gary, DeLores

At the time of publishing, we
 have no Greeters, Nursery help,
 or Ushers for MARCH.

The monthly "Service Team
 Sign-up" calendar is posted on
 the office door for your
 convenience. Please fill in all
 service areas no later than
 March 15th for April or call the
 office to reserve a time.

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The 50th Anniversary theme has been well received.

The first anniversary event will be the interviewing of Charter Members by the Confirmands. Questions were written by the students and included in an invitation to the seven Charter Members to join the Confirmands for a Wednesday evening pizza dinner. Plans include video taping for all to see and hear at a later date.

Help – does anyone have access to 50 feet of 3-foot wide butcher-block paper? Or know a shop that uses it, whatever color? We want to do a time line for the basement wall but can only find 500-foot lengths. We could just put things on the wall but that really isn't too cool.

Has anyone kept old church rosters? We would love to use them for names, addresses, and pictures.

Remember April 23; the Sunday following Easter is our "Former Staff/Members Day" anniversary event. Encourage your kids to come home for the day. It is not too soon to begin inviting those who may want to come.

Thanks to those who have sent and brought in things to use. I'm glad I'm not the only pack rat!

Jan Guetschow
952-935-0050

p.s. Does anyone know anything about the time capsule buried 10 yrs. ago?

Comming Events

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| March 1 | Lent begins |
| April 9 | Palm/Passion Sunday |
| April 16 | Easter Day |
| April 23 | Anniversary worship & meal |
| April 28, 29 | Mpls Area Synod Assembly |
| April 29 | Clansen/Hansen wedding |
| April 30 | Youth Sunday worship |
| May 7 | All congregation potluck |
| May 21 | Affirmation of Baptism
[Confirmation] |
- Memorial Day weekend thru Labor Day weekend, summer worship @ 9:30 am.
 - June 24 thru July 2 – Senior Youth Mission trip to Delbarton, West Virginia
 - July 23 thru July 27 – Vacation Bible School at St. Paul's
 - September 10 – Renewal Sunday, fall worship schedule begins

March Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 3 – Samuel Tarr
- 5 – Laura Crossley
- 6 – Carl Peaslee
- 12 – Chuck Rudolph, Anne Madson
- 13 – Aron Anderson
- 14 – Ian Wolfe
- 15 – John Skrogstad
- 16 – Linda McGee
- 17 – Nicholas Saal
- 20 – Carolyn Carpenter
- 21 – Floyd Dahl
- 22 – Marilyn Woods
- 24 – Julius Helmer
- 26 – Shirley Riggle
- 28 – Mary Hromatka, Pat Tollefson,
Nathan & Casey Gay
- 29 – Dean Bonner
- 29 – Woanda Payne

Anniversaries

- 19 – Bernie & Ruth Johnson
- 25 – James & Kristi Gay

THANK YOUs

Received by St. Paul's

- from the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America for World Hunger and Disaster Appeal gifts received,
- from the Minneapolis Area Synod - ELCA for mission support gifts,
- from Intercongregational Communities Association for donated food,
- from Dinner at your Door for a financial contribution and for the opportunity to speak at the Sunday forum and for all who deliver hot meals.

THANK YOUs

by St. Paul's to

- Jeanne Moe, parents, and youth planning the June 24 - July 2 Senior Youth Mission trip to Delbarton West Virginia,
- All who have helped with hosting the West Metro Grief Support Group,
- Sheri Brenden for the Children's Message on February 12,
- All who filled out the Natural Church Development survey,
- Children's Ministry and children for providing a Lenten Intergenerational event,
- Those who participated in "Befriender Training",
- Worship & Music Team for your Lenten planning
- Drivers for "Meals on Wheels" and food preparers and servers for Our Saviour's Shelter,
- Handy People for your continuing care and repair of the facility.
- Dorothy Swanson for the years of faithful service.

West Metro Grief Support Coalition invites all persons experiencing grief due to a death. Grief support groups offer hope and healing through education, listening, sharing, prayer and fellowship. Currently meets:

Saturdays 9:30 - 11:30 am
St. Paul's Lutheran Church
13207 Lake Street Extension
Minnetonka, MN 55305
952-938-4683



AGENDA

- Mar. 4 - "Men and Grief" by Paul Johnson
- Mar. 11 - "Personal Story" by Mary Hromatka
- Mar. 18 - "The Gifts of Hope & Strengthening Grief & Loss" by Sr. Eleanor Wartman
- Mar. 25 - Remembrance Service

Thanks to those who have signed up to bring and serve refreshments. Please contact Irma Wilde at 952-541-9056 regarding sign-up dates and times.

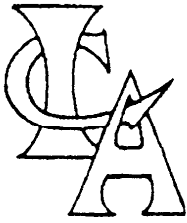
March

- 3/4 Marilyn Woods
- 3/11 Deb Campbell
- 3/18 Jenni MacNaughton
- 3/25 Schmitz



Irma Wilde's correct telephone number for the West Metro Grief Support contact is 952-541-9056. It has been incorrectly published in the January & February Messenger and previous Sunday bulletins. Please accept our sincere apologies for any inconveniences this may have caused.

April 4th - Saturday Grief Support Group
will move to Tuesday afternoons
4:30 to 6:30 pm at
Minnetonka Lutheran Church
16023 Minnetonka Blvd.
(952) 935-3419



ICA, 3909 Williston Rd. in Minnetonka, is part of the Emergency Food Shelf Network dedicated to fighting hunger throughout the west metro suburbs of Hopkins, Minnetonka, Deephaven, Excelsior, Greenwood, Shorewood, and Woodland.

MINNETONKA School Events for MN

Foodshare– Again this year, Minnetonka elementary schools are holding creative fundraisers to benefit the ICA Food Shelf.

- Feb. 23, from 5-7 p.m., Groveland Elementary, 17310 Minnetonka Blvd. will hold a silent auction of student-crafted clay bowls and spoons for its annual “Full Bowl” project. Groveland staff and parents will serve a symbolic soup and bread dinner to remind people that not everyone’s bowl is full. Sponsors include Great Harvest Bakery.

- March 9, from 5-7 p.m., Minnewashta Elementary, 26350 Smithtown Rd., Excelsior, will hold its 5th annual “Full Bowl” project. Sculpted and glazed ceramic bowls created by 5th graders will be up for sale, as will creations by 4th graders who used polymer clay and sculpted it around household metal spoons. Minnewashta staff and community artists will also donate bowls and spoons for a silent auction throughout the evening. Local businesses will donate soup and rolls.

- March 13, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., Clear Springs Elementary, 5701 County Rd. 101, will hold its 3rd annual “Full Bowl” dinner. Fourth graders are making bowls for auction. Great Harvest Bread will contribute rolls, and parents are donating the soup and supplies.

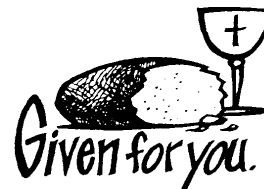
- March 23, from 5-7 p.m., Scenic Heights Elementary, 5650 Scenic Heights Dr., will hold its 4th annual “Full Bowls” spaghetti dinner. Tickets, \$6 for adults, \$4 for kids and seniors, (suggested donation) are available at school offices or at the door. Student-created bowls will be for sale. There will also be a school-wide display of student art.

HOPKINS Empty Bowls Event is March 21 from 11:00 am to 7:00 pm. The 8th annual fundraiser, “Empty Bowls”, will be held at the Hopkins Center for the Arts on Mainstreet. Soup and bread will be served for a free will donation. Every guest can choose a bowl to take home, plus bowls by local artists and students will be sold at silent auction. This year’s goal is to raise \$40,000 for ICA and Hopkins Minnetonka Family Resource Center.



ICA Volunteer Driver program

urgently needs you. Drivers each week help dozens of local seniors reach medical and other health-related appointments. If driving seniors to appointments or delivering emergency food to our clients is something you would like to do, please call ICA at 952-938-0729. All requests are for weekdays. Roundtrips usually require two hours or less.



**Fill a grocery bag
for a hungry family.**



**INTERCONGREGATION COMMUNITIES ASSOCIATION (ICA)
3909 Williston Road, Minnetonka, MN 55345 952-938-0729
339 Third Street, Excelsior MN 55331 952-470-0692**

WHAT TO DONATE

Canned or Preserved (non-refrigerated) Meats, Tuna, Chicken, Salmon	Peanut Butter
Ramen Noodles	Jam/Jelly
Canned/boxed fruit juices	Pancake Syrup
Hearty soups, Crackers	Jello, Pudding, Dessert Mixes
Dry Pasta, Rice, Beans	Toothpaste/Toothbrushes
Macaroni & Cheese	Bath Soap, Shampoo
Potatoes (boxed)	Toilet Paper, Kleenex
Baking & Pancake Mixes	Paper Towels/Cleaning Products
Cereals—Hot or Cold	Laundry & Dish Detergent
Combination Meals	Feminine Products
Chili, Stew, Chow Mein	Baby food and formula
Canned Fruit	Baby Diapers (all sizes -- new-born to largest)
Cream Soups, Cooking Sauces, Spaghetti Sauce	Pull Ups (Disposable Training Pants)
Coffee, Tea	Adult Diapers

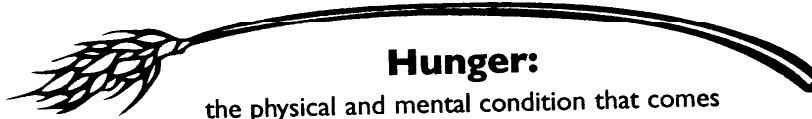
Thank you for your generous support of ICA, the West Metro local food shelf. Cash donations may be sent to ICA, 3909 Williston Road, Minnetonka, MN 55345. For credit card donations and food drop-off information, call 952-938-0729 or 952-470-0692. Visit our Web Site www.ICAFoodshelf.org

2006 Hunger Fact Sheet

www.gmcc.org/foodshare



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Hunger:

the physical and mental condition that comes from not eating enough food due to insufficient economic, family or community resources. Hunger exists in families where members take turns eating or eat smaller meals to make food last longer.

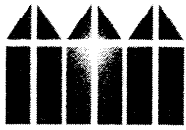
- ◆ There were more than 1.7 million visits to Minnesota's food shelves in 2004. This is an all-time record for food shelf use in Minnesota. We are on track to serve an equal number in 2005.
- ◆ Food shelves distributed more than 36 million pounds of food in 2004.
- ◆ More than half of the hungry who visit food shelves are children. Hungry kids have difficulty learning and have more medical problems and absenteeism than children with adequate nourishment.
- ◆ More than 50 percent of adult food shelf clients work. 35 percent are retired or have a disability which prevents work, and more than 20 percent are elderly. (This adds up to more than 100 percent; some people overlap in these categories, such as elderly and/or retired clients with part-time jobs.)
- ◆ In the Twin Cities suburbs, the working poor make up 60 percent of food shelf clients.
- ◆ People using food shelves do not make enough income to cover their basic needs. Low wages without benefits, child care expenses, skyrocketing housing and energy costs, and high out-of-pocket medical expenses make working families vulnerable to hunger.
- ◆ As program cuts continue, for most, the food shelf is the only help available.
- ◆ Because of Minnesotans' generosity, food shelves so far have been able to keep up with the ever-increasing demand for food.
- ◆ There are more than 300 food shelves in Minnesota, serving every county in the state.

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UNITING PEOPLE OF FAITH—SERVING PEOPLE IN NEED

Building on 100 years

Sources: *Working and Still Hungry* (2000); Survey of Food Shelves (2005); Quarterly food shelf reports, 2005



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 of March 1, 2006**



LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING!!!!

Sunday, March 5	Food Shelf Sunday, 11:30 am – Pre-Communion Instruction meeting
Sunday, March 12	1:30 pm – Emerald Crest worship
Sunday, March 19	9:30 am – Little Lambs, 10:30 am – Worship & Farewell to Dorothy
Sunday, March 26	10:30 am – Worship & 6th grade Sunday school skit, 2:00 pm – Chapel View & Beacon Hill worship services
Monday, March 13	7:00 pm – Women's Group, 7:30 pm – Book Club
Tuesday, March 21	7:00 pm – All Ministries Night
Wednesday, March 1	Ash Wednesday services: 12:15 @UMC, 7:30 pm @ St. Paul's
Following Wednesdays	6:00 pm – Lenten suppers and worship
Wednesday, March 15	11:30 am – Befrienders
Thursday, March 9	7:00 pm – Council
Thursday, March 16	6:30 pm – Our Saviour's serving
Friday, March 10, 24	1 to 4:00 pm – Youth Art
Friday, March 17	St. Patrick's Day
Friday, March 24	11:00 am – Meals on Wheels
All Saturdays	9:30 – 11:30 am – West Metro Grief Support
Saturday, March 11	8:30 am – Men's Breakfast
Saturday, March 18	6:00 to 8:00 pm – Youth Mission Trip Spaghetti dinner fundraiser