THE MESSENGER

Need Pastoral Care? January—Pastor Ben (255-4533) February—Pastor John (509-3791)

King of Kings Lutheran Church



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JANUARY 23, 2011 THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

"SHADOW BOXING" MATTHEW 4:12-25

8:00 am Classic Service (Luther Chapel)11:00 am Fusion Service (Worship Center)See Insert for Calendar Details for the week of 1/23/2011

PLEASE JOIN US FOR BIBLE CLASS

Discovering the Christian Faith

Conference Room Led by Pastor John & others

Monumental Mountaintops

Library
Led by Bill Polzin, Gil & Erick Schepmann

Senior High

Room 100 Led by Pastor Ben

Junior High 2 Kings

Room 115

Led by Laura Pieper & Su Polzin

Stewardship Thought: Isn't it amazing to know that our God is ready to help us in every need! How ready are you to give Him thanks? "Call upon Me in the day of trouble, I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me" (Psalm 50:15).

Sunday School

PreK-Kindergarten

"Jesus goes home with Zaccheus"
Luke 19:1-10
Jesus is our friend—Bring Jesus home!

1st—5th Grade

"God proclaims the King" Matthew 3

God tells us in baptism, "I am your God, and you are my child, whom I love.



	Income	Expendi- tures	Net Gain/(Loss)
ECEM			
Actual			
November	\$29,916	\$27,732	\$2,184
ECEM Year to			
Date	\$130,962	\$145,774	\$(14,812)
ECEM Budget			
Year to Date	\$152,292	\$152,292	-
General Fund			
November	\$59,433	\$65,851	\$(6,418)
General Fund			
Year to Date	\$264,205	\$282,599	\$(18,394)
General Fund			
Budget	\$266,670	\$266,670	-

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

Can the Bible Really Help Me Manage My Money?

Mondays, 7:00 pm Led by Mike & Rena Haines, Dave & Marsha Kelpe, Tim & Ginger Scaife

> Seniors' Small Group— Fruit of the Spirit 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 1:00 pm at Various Locations Led by Dick Kothrade

Men's Morning Bible Study Reading the Psalms with Luther Wednesdays, 7:00 am at Bob Evans (Pfeiffer Road), Led by Dick Kothrade

Women's Morning Bible Study To Live is Christ: the Life and Ministry of Paul by Beth Moore Thursdays, 10:00 am King of Kings' Library

Led by Debbie Billman

Men-In-Step—
12 Ordinary Men: Extraordinary Results
(The 12 Apostles!)
Saturdays, 8:00 am
at Brueggers Bagels on
Mason-Montgomery.

Men's Bible Study Saturdays, 7:00 am at Bob Evans (Mason-Mont.) Led by Erick Schepmann

Led by Pastor John

The Book of Exodus Sundays, 6:00 pm King of Kings' Library Led by Jane Glandorf



Special thanks to Ellen Morgan, organist; and the Fusion Worship Team for offering their musical gifts in worship this morning.

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CAN THE BIBLE REALLY HELP ME MANAGE MY MONEY?

Many people are experiencing financial challenges such as debt, a frustrating job or inadequate savings. In this group study you will learn that the Bible has a LOT to say about money and possessions. Indeed, scripture contains a blueprint for managing your finances. Not only will this study provide practical money management tools; but also, through it, you will discover the profound impact handling money has on your relationship with God. This group will meet Monday evenings from 7:00—9:00 pm each week for 10 weeks beginning January 24. Singles and couples, teens through retirees, are welcome. For more information and registration stop by the table in the narthex or contact Mike and Rena Haines (984-0368), Dave and Marsha Kelpe (489-2195), or Tim and Ginger Scaife (280-0384).

JOIN OUR FUSION WORSHIP TEAM!

Our Fusion team meets every week, so our goal is always to add new members. Eventually, we would like to build two or three teams to involve more of us in music ministry. We currently have no instrumentalists other than keyboard, so if you play guitar, bass guitar, drums, or any other instrument, we would love to have you! With a little advance notice, parts can be written for trumpet, sax, strings, etc. Please come and talk to me! I would love to involve you in our Fusion Team. And if you love to sing, please call as well. You can attend a rehearsal and see if singing with the Fusion team is something you'd enjoy. Please call Debbie Billman at the church office (398-6089, ext. 325) or e-mail (worship@koklcms.org).

ECEM OPEN HOUSE

On January 24 at 7:00 pm, King of Kings Lutheran Early Childhood Education Ministries will host its annual Open House. Teachers and staff will be available to talk about the programs and answer any questions parents may want to ask. Enrollment forms and information will be available as well. Please let your friends and family members know about the Open House who have children between the ages of 2 and 5 years old. Right now we are conducting our early enrollment for King of Kings members, alumni and current enrollment. We offer half day programs for 2, 3, 4, & 5 year olds as well as ALL DAY class for 3, & 4 year olds and Kindergarten children. For more information about ECEM please visit the church web site at www.koklems.org and click on 'Our School'. Thank you for spreading the word.

Women's Bible Study February 5 Hosted by King of Kings

Our Pastor Ben Kaiser will lead a Bible Study with the theme, "Something Out of Nothing" on February 5 from 9:45 am -1:30 pm in the Luther Chapel. All women are invited—as well as friends, spouses and teens. A light lunch will be served in the Fellowship Hall. If you are willing to help with the luncheon (bring food or help serve), please contact Linda Whitaker (398-8268) or Rena Haines (984-0368). If you need transportation, please contact Rena Haines. In the event of snow, the Bible Study will be held on February 12, same time, same place.

FROM THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY

2011 Offering Envelopes are in member mailboxes. Please use your offering envelopes whenever possible; it's much easier for our counters and financial secretary to record your offerings. You can also put your envelope number on the memo line of any loose checks you place in the offering plate; check your envelope box or contact me (karen.greive@fuse.net, 459-9115) if you're unsure of your envelope number. If you've made noncash offerings to King of Kings in 2010, please submit your receipts as soon as possible; you can put them in the Greive mailbox or in my mailbox in the church office by the copiers. *Thanks and Blessings, Karen Greive*

OWLS FEBRUARY OUTING

Join us for "Brunch and a Movie" on Tuesday, February 8. We will meet at Mimi's Café, Deerfield Towne Centre at 10:00 am for brunch. We will then travel to The Cincinnati Museum Center at Union Terminal Omnimax Theater to see the movie "Hubble" at 1:00 pm. The movie is narrated by Leonard DiCaprio and recounts the amazing journey of the Hubble Space Telescope, the most important scientific instrument since Galileo's original telescope. We will witness up-close some of the most challenging spacewalks ever performed and experience firsthand Hubble's awe-inspiring imagery. Cost of the movie is \$4.50/person. Parking cost is \$6.50 per vehicle, so let's make sure we carpool. In case you have already seen the movie and don't care to go again, please join us for the brunch. For reservations please call Mary & Dick Kothrade (398-4867) or sign up at the OWL's bulletin board. Please submit payment to Dick & Mary in advance for the movie.

WELCOME DAWN

We want to welcome Dawn Jacobsen to our Church office staff. Dawn will be working Monday 9:00 am-3:00 pm and as needed. She will be performing general office duties required to support the congregation.

BARTHDAYS &

Barry Schweinfest 1/23
Aaron Warford 1/23
Tiffany Hite 1/24
Jean Farr 1/25
Sarah Rhode 1/25
Donna Chilcote 1/27
Christopher Murzyn 1/27
Kelly Pennington 1/27

Ed & Carolyn Hoeltke 1/25 Jerry & Mary Cooper 1/28

MONUMENTAL MOUNTAINTOPS BIBLE CLASS

Please join Bill Polzin, Gil Schepmann and Erick Schepmann for a new Bible class on Sunday mornings during the month of February. We will return to the book of Romans in March.

USHERS NEEDED FOR FUSION SERVICE

Chris Whitaker will be scheduling usher teams for the 11:00 am service starting with February. Call Chris (755-0619) or email cwhitaker@gardensalive.com if you are available to serve.

MARKET DAY

February brings some new items to Market Day: Smoked Ham and Provolone Pretzel Sandwich, Tuscan Chicken Pizza, Fish Nuggets. Orders are due in the box in the narthex by Tuesday, February 15 or online that evening by midnight. Pickup is Saturday, February 19 from 9:00 am—10:00 am. Questions? Call Judi Schepmann (754-2293) or Barb Casey (683-8637).

AUXILIARY TO THE FEDERATION MEETS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26

Auxiliary to the Federation will meet at Royal Redeemer Lutheran Church at 7127 Dutchland Parkway in West Chester on Wednesday, January 26. The Meeting begins at 10:00 am with Linda Rockline speaking about "Kate's Cupboard". The theme for this year is "Serving 'Mothers in Need'". This will be followed by a salad luncheon and fellowship at 12:30 pm.

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING

Deadline to register is January 30. Gathering is March 11—13 in Columbus. Cost is \$75. Info posted on Youth Booth in the Narthex. See Rochelle Flenner for forms and questions.

MESSENGER GUIDELINES

Please limit your Messenger article's length and duration to a minimum to allow space for newer articles. I will need to edit and shorten future articles as necessary. Remember—Word count is 125 words, font is Times New Roman, 10 point, fully justified for all articles. *Thanks in advance for your help!*

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

We praise God for guiding Kevin Duell's recovery. Kevin is progressing in his recuperation and will begin rehabilitation, but cannot drive. Drivers are needed to assist getting Kevin to rehab. Please contact the Duells (Joyce and Kevin – Address: 6712 Deerview Drive, Loveland, OH 45140, 683-0810) if you would be able to assist.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH

Care Packages—deadline!!!

You know 'em and you love 'em in Christ: we're talking about our military personnel and college students from King of Kings! At 7:00 pm on Wednesday, February 2 we'll start packing care packages to send to these individuals as a Godly way of showing them support. **Please have items in by January 30!** See display in Narthex.

Lazer Tag

What better way to show love to your fellow youth than to zap 'em with a lazer beam?! On February 16, we will meet at the church at 5:30 pm and then proceed to Lazer Kraze. Please bring along \$10 for the special "unlimited playing" offer available from 6—9 pm. A lock-in was originally scheduled for February 19. Instead, we are moving our lazer tag outing to February and will look to hold our lock-in during May.



Sunday, January 16, 2011 8:00 am Classic Service—128 11:00 am Fusion Service—115



The Altar Flowers for January 23 are given to the Glory of God.

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GET OUT OF THE HOUSE AND COME BOWLING WITH US!

What: Building Hope in the City Bowling Tournament—Scotch Doubles Bowling Tournament (2-Person Teams)

When: Sunday, February 20 at 2:00 pm
Where: Heid's Lanes / 6341 Cheviot Rd., Cincinnati / (385-0039)
Trophies: 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Place per Two-Person Team
Food: Chili and Soft Drinks will be Provided

Cost: \$25.00 per person (\$50 per team); includes bowling, shoes & food RSVP Bowling Contact: King of Kings Lutheran Church: Kristi Krawec: kristi krawec@hotmail.com, (593-2364)

Deadline to Register: February 13
Payment Due Upon Registration



Communion Schedule for January

January 23 and 30 - communion at Fusion Worship

WORSHIP SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2011

8:00 am

Elder: Dave Kelpe Liturgist: Dick Kothrade

Usher: Tony & June Cantor, Doug Thomas & Catherine

Sheridan

Reader: Catherine Sheridan Acolyte: Katy Glandorf Greeters: Tim & Ginger Scaife Sound Tech: Mike Glandorf 11:00 am Elder: Bob Styers

Worship Assistant: Bill & Barb Gasser Welcome Table: Kirk & Valerie Whittemore

Communion Assistant: Martin Eger, Frank Farr, Craig

Smith, John Suguitan, Karl Voelkel

Usher: Dave Chalk, Rachel & Chris Whitaker

Reader: Diane Cundiff

Greeters: Gerald & Reija Huculak **Kids Own Worship:** Heidi & Matt Antal

Sound Tech: Don Goepper

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 2011

8:00 am

Elder: Doug Thomas Liturgist: Pastor Ben Kaiser

Usher: Tony & June Cantor, Doug Thomas & Catherine

Sheridan

Reader: Doug Thomas **Acolyte:** Matthew Greive

Greeters: Karen & Chuck Meutsch

Sound Tech: Su Polzin

11:00 am

Elder: Tom Larkin Worship Assistant: TBD

Welcome Table: Lyle & Mary Jo Pagel

Communion Assistant: TBD Usher: Rachel & Chris Whitaker

Reader: Polly Whitaker

Greeters: TBD

Kids Own Worship: TBD & Katie Shearer

Sound Tech: Malinda Stoner

Altar Guild: January: Barb & Erin Casey