

Messiah Evangelical  
Lutheran Church

Women of the  
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*A Messenger of God's  
Grace.*



"Can two sit together,  
except they be agreed?"



Women of the Evangelical  
Lutheran Church, Messiah  
**2010-2011**

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## Notes





## May 2011

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## Purpose

As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society, and the world.

## Mission: Growth

To provide a variety of learning experiences which strengthen each woman as a whole person, develop her potential, and equip her for ministry.

## Mission: Community

To enable each woman to value herself and others as created in God's image and redeemed through Christ; and to build up and celebrate relationships which are global, diverse, and interdependent.

## Mission: Action

To enable women to articulate and act upon their faith as disciples of Christ in all areas of life.

## Officers

Chairs: Rotating Circles

Secretary: Helen Danielson

Treasurer: Virginia McKay

## Committees for Growth

Spiritual Emphasis: Virginia McKay

Bible Study Teacher: June Tweten

## Liaisons for Community

YWCA: Norma Flore

New Life Center: Mary Akason/ Lori Martindale

Rosewood on Broadway: Linda Monge

Nokomis: Pearl Erickson

Lutheran World Relief: Berdie Johnson / Virginia McKay

Bethany Homes: Carolyn Dahl / Claire Lyche

Church Women United: Deb Markey

## Committees for Action

Centerpieces: Berdie Johnson /Norma Flore

Historian: Sharon Weitzel

Kitchen: TBD

Funerals: Anna Marie Johnson/ Linda Monge

Quilters: Sherri Norland

Weddings: Diane Gibson / Amanda McDowell

## February 2011

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## 2010-2011 Chairwomen for Board Meetings

### 2010

August	Dani Lerberg, 237-6765
September	Dottie Stegman, 237-0871
October	Mary Akason, 280-3121
November	Norma Flore, 232-6888
December	June Tweten, 241-7752

### 2011

January	No Board meeting
February	Virginia McKay, 237,0686
March	Linda Monge, 293-9861
April	Junielle Olah, 237-9929
May	Berdie Johnson, 277-0065

## 2010-2011 WELCA Events

### Women of the ELCA Eastern North Dakota Synod

Saturday, September 18, 2010

Peace Lutheran Church, Fargo

“Building CommUnity”

### The 25th Annual Great Give Away

Saturday, October 1st, 2010 at 8:00 AM

Chairpersons: June Tweten, Junielle Olah, Melody Hoken, and Sherri Norland

Funds give to: HeartSprings, Bethany on 42nd Chaplaincy Program, and Cass-Clay Backpack Program.

The excess items will go to the New Life Center.

### Apple Pie Fest



Dates yet to be determined during the month of October.

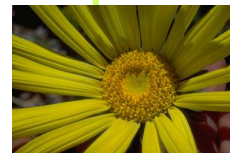
# 2010-2011 Calendar

## August 2010

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## Lutheran World Relief

### School Kits

Include the following items in each school kit:

- Notebooks of wide- or college-ruled paper approximately 8" x 10 1/2" totaling 150-200 sheets (if using 70-sheet notebooks, please include three); no loose-leaf paper
- One blunt scissors (safety scissors with embedded steel blades work well)
- One 30-centimeter ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other
- One pencil sharpener
- Six new, unsharpened #2 pencils with erasers; secure together with a rubber band
- One eraser approximately 2 1/2" long
- 12 sheets of construction paper in assorted colors (if necessary, fold in half to fit into the school kit bag)
- One box of 16 or 24 crayons
- One sturdy cloth bag approximately 12" X 14" with cloth handles or drawstring closure (see below for downloadable patterns) (bags provided by the women of Messiah)

**Do not add other items or leave out any of the items listed.** All items should be new and in good condition. Remove any excess packaging and pack items in the bag, fold the handles over, and secure with two large rubber bands or tie with yarn. Do not enclose the kit or any of its contents in plastic bags.

## 2010-2011 WELCA Events



### Christmas Table Top Luncheon

Saturday, December 11, 2010 a@ 11:30 AM

A musical program will be presented.

Chairpersons: Berdie Johnson and Norma Flore

### Spring Style Show

Saturday, April 9, 2011 at 11:00 AM



### Eastern ND Synod Assembly

May 14-15, 2011

The Ramada Plaza Suites, Fargo, ND


## General Information

Board meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 8:30 AM in the Conference Room. Please watch the Sunday bulletins for meeting times. Meetings last one hour.

Circles meet the second Tuesday of each month. Please watch the Messiah Messenger and the church bulletins for more information.

Bible studies are included in *Lutheran Woman Today*. The leader's guide and Bible resource guides are available at the church. June Tweten meets monthly with the Circle Bible study leaders the Friday before Circle meetings at 12:00 Noon in the Conference Room.

### Logo Explanation



The symbol –with the cross, water and a white lily – identifies the Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America as children of God; baptized, forgiven, adopted into God's family, full of grace and hope and in eternal life. It is a reminder of the growth, beauty and vitality that rises out of that life-giving baptism water. It is also a reminder of the mission of the church to "Go, therefore, make disciples of all nations; baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

-Matthew 28:19

## Lutheran World Relief

### Health Kits

Include the following items in each health kit:

- One hand towel, dark color recommended
- One washcloth, dark color recommended
- One bath-size bar (4 to 5 oz.) of soap, any brand, in its original wrapping
- One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging
- One sturdy comb, remove packaging
- One metal nail file or nail clippers with file attached, remove packaging (do not substitute cardboard emery boards for the file)
- Six Band-Aids® (or similar brand), preferably 1/2" to 3/4"; secure together with a rubber band

**Do not add other items or leave out any of the items listed.** All items should be new and in good condition. Wrap smaller items in the washcloth; wrap washcloth and remaining items in the towel and tie securely with ribbons or yarn. Do not enclose the kit or any of its contents in plastic bags.

# Rachel Circle

Awes, Bernadine	232-6084 (Waterford)
Beynon, Corrinne	237-6281
Gjovik, Carroll	205-0298
Grommesh, Gerry	Waterford
Hoglund, Ruth	280-2199
Kundert, Lois	232-0599
Lee, Wallyn	233-0645
McKay, Ginny	237-0686
Monge, Linda	293-9861
Napper, Jackie	365-8734 (Edgewood)
Olah, Junielle	237-9929
Solberg, Pat	232-4133
Sve, Lu	237-9605
Swenson, Mary	478-2779 (Waterford)
Watson, Hjerdis	Hillsboro
Westerberg, June	282-7515

Chairperson: Virginia McKay

Project: New Life Center

**Meets  
the 2nd  
Tuesday  
of the  
month @  
9:30 AM**

# Anna Circle

Akason, Mary	280-3121
Bring, Susan	218-847-2878
Dahl, Carolyn	799-5062
Danielson, Helen	282-6897
Gessele, Mary	232-2598
Hayenga, Carol	237-4076
Hendershott, Susan	282-4457
Hendrickson, Karen	232-9363
Holm, Kay	237-6445
Kemper, Sherry	280-0890
Lerberg, Dani	238-6314
Stegman, Dottie	237-0871

Chairwoman: position open

Project: Helping Hands

**Meets  
the 2nd  
Tuesday  
of each  
month @  
7:00 PM**

# Mary Circle

Bergene, Eleanor	232-8177
Burchill, Marian	232-7222
Flaagan, Connie	232-7746
Gifford, Phyllis	232-8455
Grant, Nora (honorary)	235-8208
Helland, Harriet	237-3139
Hoglund, Iris	235-0302
Jensen, Frances	232-9303
Lake, Esther	293-9188
Moen, Cora	235-1472
Morrow, Gladys	235-4332
Ness, Joyce	297-7780
Olson, Leone	492-8067
Petry, Laurel	232-1264
Rekken, Dorothy	232-5065
Rydell, Phoebe	232-3994

Co- Chairpersons: Laurel Petry and Phyllis Gifford

Project: Rape and Abuse Crisis Center

*Meets the  
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# Priscilla Circle

Borlaug, Linda	235-2533
Brown, Marion	293-5913
Carlson, Virginia	235-9205
Dahl, Lila	237-9353
Erickson, Pearl	232-5850
Flore, Norma	232-6888
Geiger, JoeAnn	237-3320
Hegland, Kay	232-5729
Helland, Joanne	237-9794
Hummel, Wanda	237-5141
Johnson, Anna Marie	232-2915
Johnson, Berdie	277-0065
Johnson, JoAnne	235-3042
Markey, Deb	237-4054
Overboe, Gloria	239-9969
Torgeson, Alice	237-6198
Tweten, June	241-7752

Chairperson: Norma Flore

Recorder: Berdie Johnson

Project: Nokomis

*Meets  
the 2nd  
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month @  
1:00 PM*

