

The Scoop

*Opportunities for ministry and fellowship in,
through and around All Saints*

Sign up for Sunday Morning Reader Slots

[Click here](#) to select an open
time slot that works for you.

Thank you!!!



Sunday, September 5th
9:30 a.m.

at All Saints Lutheran Church

AND
ANIMAL BLESSING

A gift from our member,
Jim Mihal.

During the COVID-19
shutdown, Jim was busy
collecting discarded
satellite dishes, designing
and painting them.

Thanks, Jim!



Fall Perennial Plant Sale

Submitted by Kathy Theis

The Human Concerns Team is sponsoring a \$3 plant sale on Saturday, September 18th from 10:00am to 2:00pm, and on Sunday, September 19th from 10:30am to 2:00pm.

If you have plants that you would like to donate to the sale, please drop them off at church on Friday, September 17th between 9:00am and 4:00pm. Please make sure that the plants are labeled. If it's not possible to drop off September 17th, you can put them on a table on the patio in front of church. If you need potting soil or pots, or have pots you want to get rid of, contact Kathy Theis at kathleen.theis@gmail.com or 262 968-4482.



As you know, our many benevolent activities are primarily supported through the purchase of Scrip cards. This plant sale is another way to raise funds to help those in need in our community, our country and the world. Benevolence in the past have been sent to World Hunger, Disaster Relief (both of these through our Lutheran synod), the Songoro clinic, the Lake Country Free Clinic, college support for Evaline and Lem, and many other worthy causes.

If you don't have plants to donate and aren't a gift card purchaser, we will graciously and thankfully accept direct donations. You can do this by putting your contribution in an envelope and labeling it "Human Concerns Benevolence Fund."

The Human Concerns Team is grateful for your support in any form! We have and continue to provide relief thanks to your generosity.



Saturday, September 25

Waukesha County • Ozaukee County
Racine/Kenosha County • **NEW!** Milwaukee County
Virtual Option Available

REGISTER NOW at OFHRRW.org!

Cross+Stitch

Submitted by Carol Renner

Cross+Stitch resumes in September on Friday, September 10th and Saturday, September 11th, from 10am to 4pm.

We encourage anyone to come, whether you have sewn or not. There is always cutting, ironing, pinning, and tying quilt knots that we will show you how to do. And we have a fun time socializing while we're being productive in making items for people in need.

Any questions or ideas, please contact Carol Renner at sewrenner@wi.r.com.

Cross+Stitch is held September through May, on the second Friday/Saturday of the month from 10am to 4pm.

Used Book Sale

September 15 – 18, 2021

St. Mary's Episcopal Church
Corner of Hwys 67 & 18, Dousman

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 15 Noon - 7 pm
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 16 8 am - 7 pm
FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17 8 am - 7 pm
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 18 8 am - Noon
Saturday Morning Special is \$3 per bag!

Huge Sale!

**VINTAGE to BEST SELLERS, plus
Great Children's Section**

DONATE Books, DVDs & CDs before September 3.
Donation is Tax Deductible.

Call for Information: (262) 965-3924 or
(262) 470-8750 or (414) 543-9936

**Donation pick up available
until September 3.**



Calling All Singers!

Submitted by Wendy Quinn

All Saints church choir practice will start **September 1st from 7:00 to 8:00pm!** We have just a couple of weeks to get our first pieces together. No worries, we will start with something familiar.

Join us in making beautiful music with our church family!

Contact Wendy Quinn for more information at:
musicmom1961@gmail.com or 262-370-5887.



Hephatha Lutheran Church
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
1720 W. Locust St. • Milwaukee, WI 53206-2155

Summer, 2021

Dear Friend in Christ,

Thank you so much for sending an offering to Hephatha. We are appreciative of your willingness to share with us in the Gospel and count you as a blessing among us. Your offering has been received by our parish nurse and will be deposited shortly by our treasurer.

I am on sabbatical at this time and appreciate how you, through your offering and your prayers, are a part of our ministry moving forward with strength in this time. Our Hephatha summer includes much active ministry (all in a safe mode)—

- + worship on Sundays and Wednesdays (join us by ZOOM through **hephatha100.com**)
- + Sunday School for adults and youth on ZOOM all summer (also join us!)
- + Tuesday Praise children's weekly faith group
- + lead free baptismal living (our work against lead poisoning and the development of our parents' leadership group, COLE Parents LEAD)
- + summer work ministry for young people
- + community gardening
- + Strong Baby Sanctuary,

As God blesses us with this season of growth in the natural world, so may we also grow in faith, hope, love and justice. We thank God for you.

God's peace to you,





Submitted by Shari Higgins

All youth and parents

I am asking that you please mark your calendars for the youth to come and have education and fellowship the **second Sunday of the month during worship.**

We will meet in the youth room to learn more about our great savior and all the wonderful things that we can do by committing and supporting our youth in their faith journey.

If you have some spare time and want to get more involved with youth ministry, please contact Shari Higgins at 262-547-7872 or shari-h@wi.rr.com.

Adult volunteers are always welcome to help with events.

Time to start thinking about the
ELCA YOUTH GATHERING
JULY 24th – 28th, 2022
Minneapolis, MN

[Click here](#) for detailed information.



Sunday School

*Submitted by Laura Dralle,
Sunday School Coordinator*

In person Sunday School will begin on **September 19th**. This fall's overarching theme is MERCY.

I hope that all children 4 years old-6th grade will join us **Sunday mornings from 10:15am-11:00am** to learn about God's great mercy through story, action, activities and games.

You can print a registration form [HERE](#) or pick up a printed form in the church narthex. Completed registration forms can be placed in the folder under the printed registration forms.

Thank you. I look forward to learning and sharing about God's great mercy.

From Lutheran Disaster Response

*“I call upon you, for you will answer me,
O God; incline your ear to me, hear my
words” (Psalm 17:6).*

Friends,



A devastating 7.2 magnitude earthquake struck southwest Haiti on Saturday morning. Over 1,400 people were killed, and that number is expected to increase as search-and-rescue efforts continue. Blocked roads are delaying the delivery of vital supplies to hospitals, which are overwhelmed with more than 6,900 injured people. At least 26,000 homes were damaged or destroyed, but the full extent of damage is still unknown. Haiti is also suffering through a political crisis and was hit by Tropical Storm Grace on Monday night, which caused severe flooding in communities already damaged by the earthquake.

For over two decades, the ELCA has maintained a presence in southern Haiti through support for agricultural and sustainable development work. To continue our engagement with those communities, Lutheran Disaster Response is collaborating with partner organizations in the communities to meet relief needs, including food, water, medical supplies and temporary shelter. In the future, other areas of support will include psychosocial care, water and sanitation, and creating sustainable livelihoods through agriculture and livestock. We also stand with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Haiti as it assesses damage and impacts on churches and church life.

[Your gifts will support earthquake survivors in Haiti. Gifts to “Haiti Crisis” will be used in full \(100%\) to assist those affected by the earthquake.](#)

Together, as church, we can be there for our neighbors in Haiti.

In Christ’s service,



The Rev. Daniel Rift
Director, ELCA World Hunger and Lutheran Disaster Response Fund
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America