

## Lenten Soup and Service



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This month we move into the season of Lent. On Ash Wednesday, **February 22nd**, we'll begin a series of meals and messages that will run on Wednesday evenings through March, and conclude with Maundy Thursday on April 5.

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm for a light supper (generally soup and bread) that will conclude with a Lenten message. Watch for sign-up sheets if you are willing to help provide the meals.

# February 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 6:30 am MBS  12:30 Willing Workers  8:00 pm Worship Practice	2	3 8 am MBS 9:30 am WBS	4 12:00 Spanish Language service 6:30 pm CLF
5 9:15 am Choir pr 10 am Worship 11:20 Sunday School 11:30 "Loving Our Kids"	6  7:29 pm YL Club—at Skatin' Place	7  6:30 Deacons	8 6:30 am MBS 11:30 RAYS  8:00 pm Worship Practice	9	10 8 am MBS 9:30 am WBS	11 12:00 Spanish Language service 6:30 pm CLF
12 9:15 am Choir pr 10 am Worship/ <b>Communion</b> 11:20 Sunday School 11:30 "Loving Our Kids"	13  7:29 pm YL Club—Mall Food Court	14  5:45 Finance 6:30 Session	15 6:30 am MBS  8:00 pm Worship Practice	16	17 8 am MBS 9:30 am WBS	18 12:00 Spanish Language service 6:30 pm CLF
19 9:15 am Choir pr 10 am Worship  Family Bowling outing after worship	20 9:00 Building & Grounds  7:29 pm YL Club	21	22 <i>Ash Wednesday</i> 6:30 am MBS  <b>6:00 pm Soup &amp; Sermon</b> 8:00 pm Worship Practice	23	24 8 am MBS 9:30 am WBS	25 12:00 Spanish Language service 6:30 pm CLF
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**Planning Ahead!**  
Pizza and Bowling  
February 19 after church

Please help us update our e-mail contact list. If you are not already getting announcements from us via e-mail, just send a brief note to [Office@riversideepc.org](mailto:Office@riversideepc.org) from the e-mail address you would like us to have on file. (Please be sure to include your name if it is not part of your e-mail address!) We'd like to do more of our communication and

### Who to Contact

Church Office 320-251-5801 **Office Hours**  
 Pastor—Daniel Borgelt c 320-250-5618  
 Financial Sec.— Pam Dille **Mon. 9:00–12:00**  
 Secretary – Jane Borrón **Tues. 9:00-12:30**  
**Wed., Thurs. 9:00-2:30**  
 Treasurer—Mike Dille 253-3246  
 Memorial Fund Tr.—Mark Johansen 253-0786  
 Custodians—ServiceMaster (contact office)  
 Prayer Line—Jean Thorndike 252-0093  
 Choir Director—Deb Johansen 253-0786  
 Praise & Worship Team—Nate Hoffman 224-3329  
 Youth—Todd Myra 267-9310

*If you would like to leave a message or suggestion for an Elder or Deacon, there are mailboxes for each responsibility area in the information area just off the sanctuary.*

### Stated Session Meeting—January 10, 2012

Minutes are available from the office on request.

### December Stewardship/Worship Summary

Sunday	Offering	Attendance
Dec 4	3,271.00	110
11	3536.00	124
18	4,953.00	141
24		130
25	2,331.00	91
<b>Dec Total</b>	<b>14,091.00</b>	<b>Avg 116</b>

(Sundays only)

General Fund	as of	12/31/2011
REC Checking Acct (EOM)		1,791.30
Debit card account		1,211.40
Petty Cash		36.43
Savings Accts (EOM)		
Savings Acct. (Gen.)		1,603.82
Youth Acct		309.60
<b>TOTAL General Fund</b>		<b>4,952.55</b>

Special Accounts	
Barnabus Acct	7,309.70
Development Fund	11,348.24
Memorial Fund (EOM)	2,598.05
Willing Workers	1,830.00
Scholarship fund	30,655.12
Scholarship CD—F&M	\$8,323.56
Scholarship CD—F&M	5,000.00
Scholarship CD (Integrity)	10,248.85
Scholarship Savings Acct	7,082.71
<b>Total Special Accounts</b>	<b>53,741.11</b>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>58,693.66</b>

<b>Designated Gifts—Mission Fund</b>	2,800.00
<b>Missions Disbursements—December</b>	
Young Life	\$1,000.00
Confluence Church	2,000.00
International Justice Mission	1,000.00



*If we missed your birthday or anniversary, or got it wrong, please call Jane at 251-5801 and let her know so we (hopefully) won't make the same error in the future! Thanks!*

### February Birthdays

- 1 Lenore Nelson
- 3 Rich Huls
- 5 Alison Moorlag
- 7 Wally Hitchcock
- 9 Myron Ayer
- 9 Rachel Glanzer
- 10 Andrea Mumme
- 11 Brenda Woggon
- 19 Sophia Borgelt
- 19 Shawn Gordon
- 20 Doug Easterlund
- 20 Adam Patterson
- 23 Erlene Gallion
- 27 Tom Fletcher
- 28 Wyatt Greene

### February Anniversaries



- \*Roger & Pat Weihrauch 2/5
- Dennis & Brenda Woggon 2/14

*\*50 or more years*

### Your 2012 Deacons and Elders

#### 2012 Session & Committee Assignments

Nadine Sagen	Finance
MayBelle Gordon	Personnel
Brenda Woggon	Building & Grounds
Mark Johansen	Children
Mark Olson	Personnel
Matt Pennertz	Youth
Tod Paulson	Adult Ed
Mark Rogers	Adult Ed/Bldg&Gr
Scott Stamp	Missions

#### Deacon Board 2012 (assignments not yet made)

Bob Koopmeiners	(2011-12)
Judy Ayer	(2010-12)
Elizabeth Petersen	(2010-12)
Dave Jones	(2011-13)
Jessica Paulson	(2011-13)
Judith Loudon	(2011-13)
Lucia Stamp	(2012-14)
Holli Zieske	(2012-14)
Ruth Tidd	(2012-14)

## Our Riverside Family—Children/Youth

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We need more **leaders** for **Children's Church!** There have been weeks when we've had to cancel due to a leader shortage. Let's not let this vital ministry to our younger members fall by the wayside. Talk to Angelina Holte if you are willing to teach or help on a rotating basis or for more information.



[www.RiversideEPC.org](http://www.RiversideEPC.org)

# Riverside YOUTH

For more **Youth info** Contact  
Todd Myra— [yltodd@yahoo.com](mailto:yltodd@yahoo.com)



**Young Life** (9<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> gr)- every  
Monday @ 7:29pm at the Clubhouse  
(2872 7th St. N., St. Cloud)

[www.stcloud.younglife.org](http://www.stcloud.younglife.org)

Here's some fun events Young Life is doing this month. They all take place on Mondays at 7:29 pm. Please refer to the web site for updated and more detailed information:

- Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>- Skate/Laser Tag (Meet at Skatin' Place)
- Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>- Cupid Scavenger Hunt (Meet at the Mall Food Court)
- Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>- Guys Night/ Girls Night
- Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> – Club at the Club House

**Big Brother/Big Sisters** is seeking additional volunteer mentors. If you are interested in participating in this program or just want more information, please call **Maya at 253-1616**.

### Think Green!

This newsletter is available for viewing or download on our website and is also available as a PDF via e-mail. Help us be good stewards of resources and postage. (And get some COLOR!)

To go electronic, send an e-mail to [office@RiversideEPC.org](mailto:office@RiversideEPC.org) and request change to the e-newsletter mailing list. (Let us know if you'd rather get the pdf version e-mailed to you, or if you'd rather just get a link to our website when the next newsletter comes out.)

### Brown Bag Food Shelf

Our brown bag food shelf can again use supplies. (Please bring only items listed.)

Thank you for your generosity!

*Cereal  
Peanut Butter*

*Jelly*

*Pasta*

*Spaghetti Sauce*

*Canned vegetables*

*Canned fruit*

*(the bags also contain a Coborns card for fresh foods—bread, milk, eggs, etc.)*

### 1st Annual Scrapbooking Saturday

(Benefit for Birthline) **February 11, 9am—4pm**  
**Register by 2/8**—\$20 fee includes lunch, access to Cricut Expression and cartridges, give & take table, goodie bag and great give-aways. Please bring your own scrapbook/card making supplies.

Atonement Lutheran Church (across from North Jr. High)  
To register contact Sara Wolf, [swolf@birthline.org](mailto:swolf@birthline.org) or 252-4150, Go to [www.birthline.org](http://www.birthline.org) for more info.

## Ongoing Adult Fellowship Opportunities

### RAYS

**R.A.Y.S.** - Riverside Always Young Seniors, meet at 11:30 a.m. on the 2nd Wednesday of each month for food, a devotion, and fellowship. New members are always welcome!

### Couples or Singles

**Sunday Evening** - This group is specifically designed for young adults looking to connect with others. The location varies, and child care is an option. Contact: Matthew or Beth Pennertz (320) 217-2138.

**Monday 6:30 P.M.** - This group meets the first and third Monday of each month and welcomes all ages. during 2012 this group will read through the entire Old Testament. New members always welcome. Contact: Tod or Linda Paulson (320) 252-7210.

**Thursday 6:30 P.M.** - Another group designed specifically for young adults. The location varies and child care is available. Contact: Dan (320) 250-5618 or Amanda Borgelt (320) 250-5619.

### Men's Opportunities

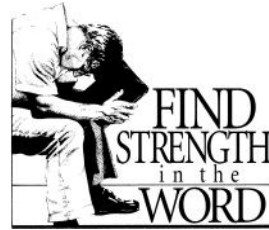
**Wednesday Morning Study** - Currently about eight men are meeting at 6:30 AM—yes, that's AM—at Perkins in Sartell. We order breakfast, and go through various Christian studies while we eat. Sometimes we're in perfect agreement with one another, sometimes we couldn't disagree more, but we always get along.

**Friday Morning Study** - This study meets at Riverside downstairs in the fellowship hall at 8:00 A.M. Donuts and coffee are served as we study the Bible together. Men of all ages are welcome. Current study—*Heaven*, by Randy Alcorn

### Women's Opportunities

**Friday Bible Study** - On Fridays at 9:30 AM (September-May) several women meet here in the fellowship hall for a time of prayer and Bible study. This study is offered from fall through spring - all women are welcome. Winter Study—*The Touch of the Master's Hand*, Max Lucado.

**Willing Workers** - Willing Workers is a fellowship opportunity for women. The group meets in the fellowship hall on the first Wednesday of the month at 12:30 P.M. The Ladies have dessert, a devotion is shared, and various projects are undertaken.



## Bible Studies

(at the church unless noted)

### Wednesday Morning Men's Bible Study

6:30 a.m. weekly

Current Study - Matthew  
(Perkins—Sartell)

### Friday Morning Men's Bible Study

8:00 a.m. weekly

Current Study - "Heaven" by Randy Alcorn

### Friday Morning Women's Bible Study

9:30 a.m. weekly

Current Study - "The Touch of the Master's Hand"



If you, or a loved one, are in need of prayer, please contact:

**Jean Thorndike, 252-0093 or  
Jackie Burton, 251-8798**

to have your prayer request included on Riverside's prayer chain.

### Riverside Family Bowling & Lunch February 19th

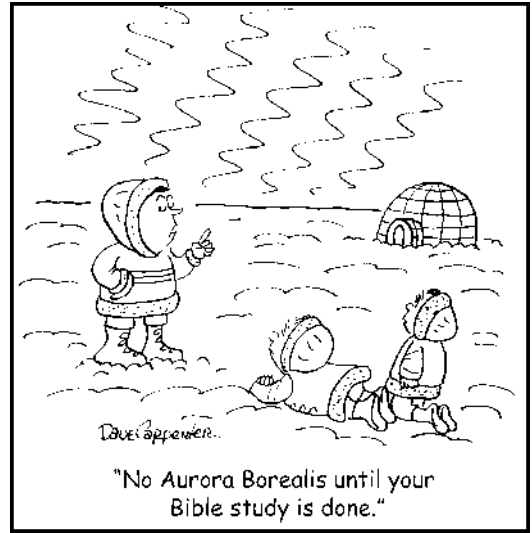
Join us for pizza and bowling right after worship on the 19th. We'll reconvene at Great River Bowling in Sartell (S. 2nd St near the bridge) for a time of fun and fellowship.

## New Office Hours

Ph. 251-5801  
Fax 251-5814  
office@RiversideEPC.org  
Pastor Daniel Borgelt  
Office hours vary

pastor@RiversideEPC.org

**Financial Secretary (Pam Dille)**  
Monday (except bank holidays) 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  
**Secretary (Jane Borron)** office@RiversideEPC.org  
Tuesday 9:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.  
Wednesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.— 2:30 pm  
*(may be here later depending on need)*  
Youth Ministry — Todd Myra (267-9310) yltodd@yahoo.com



### Riverside Vision Statement

Riverside Evangelical Church is called to build a community of saints empowered by the Holy Spirit. We exist to glorify God in all areas of life by proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

### Riverside Mission Statement

Our mission at Riverside Evangelical Church is to further the gospel of Jesus Christ by:

- Worshipping and celebrating the presence of God ..... Psalm 16:11
- Discipling that brings us to maturity in Christ ..... Matthew 28:19
- Equipping us to live our faith in every aspect of life ..... Eph. 4:12

Please contact the church office if you no longer wish to receive this newsletter or if your address is incorrect.

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Join the Journey

**Riverside**