

GRACE NOTES



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Grace Lutheran Church ELCA

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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2011 GRADUATES!



High School Graduates: Maria Barlow, Emily Childers, Patrick Coy, Donald Gunning, Zak Johnson, Tiffany Kline, Danielle Sellers, Thomas Showerman, Kaylyn Tabaka, Brendon Thompson, Joshua Willmore

Graduation Sunday at Grace will be on Sunday, June 5, at both services. If you are a graduate of the Class of 2011, please come to either the 8:30 or 10:00 a.m. service to be honored. Please bring your graduation cap. A reception will be held for the graduates between services.

MINUTE-TO-WIN-IT FINALE



Right after second service (11a.m.–1p.m.) in the Fellowship hall, everyone is invited to come see the Grace youth compete in *Minute-To-Win-It* style games and help us raise funds for Kids Against Hunger.

Events include:

- Rapid Fire (rubber band marksmanship)
- Junk in the Truck (ping pong balls)
- Stack Attack (timed cup stacking)
- Sticky Balls (marbles)
- Suck it Up (straws and M&Ms)
- Ping Pong Ringer (ping pong balls & glasses)
- And more!



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PLEASE NOTE!

On May 29, we return to summer hours.

8:30 a.m. Traditional service

10:00 a.m. Contemporary service

These service times will continue through Labor Day weekend.

EFF/HIOTC YEAR END PARTY (6th-12th Grade)

Beginning after Minute-to-Win-It (around 1:30 p.m.) we will celebrate the start of summer with food and fun. This is a kids-only event for 6th-12th grade. Chaperones will be present.

Events include:

- Dodgeball
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Cookout
- And lots more

Watch for updates!



SOCIAL MINISTRIES COMMITTEE

Introducing Grace Filled Walkers!!

In the upcoming months there will be lots of opportunities to support our community and honor those who battle or have battled cancer. The American Cancer Society supports the efforts of many great organizations within our own community.



Relay for Life will be taking place October 1st-2nd. Relay is a 24 hour walk that takes place at the Fowlerville Fair Grounds.

Grace Lutheran will have our very own team "Grace Filled Walkers". We will have a booth set up with-in the track showing our support. Darcy Honaker will be our team leader. She has years of experience leading a team and fund-raising for the American Cancer Society.

Grace Filled Walkers have already successfully had the first fund raiser. Thanks to all who purchased Pampered Chef products!

There will be a community "Good Stuff" sale at Michigan Rehabilitation Specialists located at 202 E. Van Riper Rd, Fowlerville, on Saturday, June 4. This is a community event. If you have donations please call Linda Oumedian 517-546-7612 to make arrangements for delivering items.

We will be having a tea and puppet show. How fun is that? Moms, Grandmas, little girls, little boys, all dressed in your finest tea attire: a must to attend! Watch for the date in upcoming notices.

Have you ever wondered how much is this "old thing" worth? We will be hosting an antique appraisal.

Are you an animal lover? We are looking for someone who is interested in leading an event that has had great success in the past. It is called Strut your Mutt. The event has been organized but is in need of someone who can lead the event. Everything is in place from years of experience so; if you have ever wanted to be the "Grand Marshall" of an event loaded with fun and past participants just waiting for a date please call Linda Oumedian 517-546-7612.

2011 HOMETOWN WORKCAMP



Youth Volunteers

Workcamp will be local this year, scheduled for the week of July 11–15. We have selected Salem Lutheran Church in Flint for the bulk of our work. This workcamp is open to youth entering the eighth grade in September through 2011 graduating seniors and any adult volunteers who would like join us for just one day or the whole week. We are also looking for volunteers to cook and serve breakfast each morning and provide lunch items each day for the workcamp participants. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex for all categories.

We are also asking for donations in the form of Lowe's and Home Depot gift cards. These gift cards will be used for the purchase of the materials necessary to complete the projects listed below. Gift cards can be purchased through the Scripts program. If you wish to donate place your gift cards in a pew envelope and place them in the offering plate on Sunday mornings. Cash or check donations are also welcome.

Salem Lutheran Flint Projects

1. Renovate ladies main restroom
 - Replace sink cabinet 86"
 - Replace countertop
 - Replace sink and faucet
 - Replace mirror
 - Paint
 - Replace overhead lighting
2. Renovate men's main restroom
 - Replace sink cabinet 56"
 - Replace countertop
 - Replace sink and faucet
 - Replace mirror ?
 - Paint
 - Replace overhead lighting
 - Repair window
 - Replace door 32" x 84
3. Renovate men's upstairs restroom
 - Paint
 - Replace overhead lighting
- Renovate ladies upstairs restroom
 - Paint
 - Replace overhead lighting

Possible projects if we have enough volunteers

4. Sanctuary (adult volunteers)
 - Dry wall repair ceiling above altar and paint 25 - 30 ft
 - Dry wall repair ceiling above entry doors and paint 25 - 30 ft.
5. Curb Appeal
Remove oversized scrubs and trees along MLK

FUNERAL LUNCHEON VOLUNTEERS

Our funeral luncheon volunteers provide salads or desserts on a rotating basis. If you can help with this ministry please sign up at the table in the narthex.





Most of you are aware that I've been helping out Salem Lutheran Church in Flint for the past several months as their interim/supply pastor. They now have a pastoral candidate, so my time there will come to an end soon. Thank you for your patience as I have been preaching up there two to three times a month and have not been around for our second service on the weeks when I preach there.

I have enjoyed the time at Salem, and I have been inspired at their commitment to ministry in Flint. The congregation is small, with a membership of 139 and an average attendance of 51. The congregation is comprised of a variety of races and socioeconomic backgrounds. Despite their small size, they do much in the community. They have a clothing give away every month, every week they have an emergency food give away, they have a group of young people called the Community Youth Performing Arts, who meet weekly and practice dance for performance. A Boy Scout troop meets there, and every week after service they provide a meal to parishioners and neighborhood people.

Their church building, however, is aging and needs work. This year our Hometown Workcamp is going to spend three days at Salem, painting, refurbishing, patching, and landscaping. Please consider donating some of your time during the week of July 11 to Hometown Workcamp and supporting this little congregation which does so much good in Flint.

Pastor Sharon

HEALTH MINISTRY



TO YOUR
HEALTH

Lyme disease in humans is usually not a life-threatening illness, but one of concern. It is most often a mild illness like summer flu, but can become serious and affect the heart, joints and nervous system. Lyme disease is caused by a tick called *Ixodes Scapularis*. Most are found in woodlands and bushy areas. Most people do not feel a tick biting. Not all ticks carry the disease, but it is best to remove them if attached to the skin. Remove them with a fine tip tweezers and **NOT WITH FINGERS**. Pull them out gently to remove their mouth and wash the area with soap and water and apply an antibiotic. If signs and symptoms of rash, flu, fever, or aching joints appear seek medical attention. To prevent bites wear protective clothing and shoes with pants tucked into shoes or boots when going into woody areas.

To your health.....

The LORD will sustain him upon his sickbed; In his illness, You restore him to health.
Psalm 41:3

COLLEGE GRADUATE

Marjorie Jean Coy

School: Emory University Rollins School of Public Health. Graduation: May 9, 2011

Marji received her Master of Public Health, (MPH), and is employed with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, (CDC), in Atlanta, Georgia. She is also an alumna of James Madison College at Michigan State University.

YOUTH AND FAMILIES MINISTRIES

FAMILY EVENT

Everyone is invited to join us for a fun day at the beach at Howell City Park on Sunday, July 17. We will start gathering at the beach around 12 p.m. and you can stay all afternoon. You can bring a picnic lunch and/or buy items from the concession stand. Cost for daily pass is \$10/car. Save this date for an afternoon of summer fun!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)

VBS will be held at Grace on Sunday, July 24, through Thursday, July 28. This year's theme is Pandamania. On Sunday we will start with registration at 6:00 p.m. All other nights will start at 6:30 p.m. Each night the closing will be over around 8:30 p.m.. Our VBS 2011 Directors—Kelly Snyder, Jill Deurloo, Laura Estep, and Kerrie Revitzer, have been meeting and planning an exciting week of crafts, games, music, snacks and Bible stories. This great outreach program is for children in Preschool through 5th grade.



To register, please fill out a registration form, available at the VBS bulletin board in the narthex or from the church website, gracelutheranhowell.org. Please fill a form out for each child and return to the church office.

We need teens and adults to help with different stations, such as crafts and games. If you can help one or more days during this week, sign up on the VBS bulletin board in the narthex.

We are in need of donations. Please place items in the box in the Youth office.

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| 1. Sharpie markers (all colors) | 13. Granola bars |
| 2. Large metal clip on rings (looks like a key ring) | 14. Rice Krispy Treats |
| 3. Crayola markers | 15. Napkins |
| 4. Ink Pads (all colors) | 16. Baggies-snack size and sandwich size |
| 5. Small white paper plates | 17. Pretzels |
| 6. Googly eyes | 18. Cheez-its |
| 7. Black construction paper | 19. Wipes |
| 8. White construction paper | 20. Band aides |
| 9. Paper lunch bags | 21. Small Hand Sanitizers |
| 10. Glue sticks | 22. Latex Gloves |
| 11. Bottles of water | 23. Black dirt |
| 12. Small size bottles of water | 24. Wal-Mart/Dollar Store/Meijer Gift Cards |

Thank you to everyone, for the cards, prayer blanket and cake, for my 90th birthday. I feel blessed to have such a wonderful church family.

Ralph Benson

Thank you to all Sunday School Staff and Confirmation Learning Guides that helped make these programs successful for all of the children and teens at Grace this year.

Karen Warsop, Michelle Tatara, Juli VanDeven

Thank you to all the Youth Leaders for EFF and HIOTC for their leadership with the teens at Grace this year. You made a big difference in the lives of our teens.

Karen Warsop, Mike Capra

Dear Friends of Grace,

A huge thanks to everyone who gave memorial monies to Grace Memorial, Hospice and Alzheimer's. I thank you. Norm Rose is missed by many, after all he was around for 91 years. I miss him every day. Thanks for thinking of him in gifts of money to help out with this at Grace and to help others in the two charities aforementioned. Thank you, from Norm Rose's family.

Kathy & Keith Boyes

Sandy & Jim Coddington

Bonnie & Greg Lieberman

Dale & Darla Brunet

All the grandchildren and great-grandchildren

Thank you to Nancy Collins for the lovely confirmation cake and to Kather Trader for her beautiful calligraphy on the confirmation certificates.



LIKE FATHER, LIKE CHILD



As we celebrate Father's Day, we likely see traits in our dads (or other father figures) that we hope to be known for ourselves: integrity, gentleness, a great sense of humor, a love of learning, a humble spirit.

Amy Grant's song "Father's Eyes" tells of a young girl who wants nothing more than for others to recognize her father — and her heavenly Father — in her. "When people look inside my life, I want to hear them say, 'She's got her father's eyes.'"

What characteristics of God your Father are reflected in your eyes, heart and life? And what godly qualities would you like to cultivate?

May others see our heavenly Father in us!

HEARTS, HANDS AND VOICES

Greetings to Southeast Michigan musicians -

Many of you have shown interest in the worship and music summer camp of **hearts, hands and voices Fine Arts Program** and the difference it can make in our community.

We are asking you to encourage children who may benefit to join us this year. The camp is open to children of all faiths and backgrounds entering Grades 2 thru 7 in the Fall 2011.

This is an exciting year for the program as we launch our second site. Details for this summer:

Location 1: Holy Cross Lutheran Church/30650 Six Mile Rd, Livonia - August 8-11

Location 2: St. Paul Lutheran Church/375 Lothrop, Grosse Pointe Farms - August 15-18

Registration is now open, with an early registration deadline of June 1. Tuition is \$75 through June 1 and \$85 after that. We have limited scholarships available; contact me if the need is there. Much more information and registration forms are available on our website: <http://heartshandsvoices.org>.

Call or write with questions.

Ellen Batkie
Program Coordinator
info@heartshandsvoicescamp.org
(248) 497-1451



THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION

Few things are better than the first day of a long-awaited vacation. The excitement of reaching our destination, the anticipation of fun-filled adventures, the freedom to relax and lay down our burdens for a while — we'll pay good money for that.

But it's a fleeting pleasure. Before our bags are even unpacked, the clock has already begun counting down to when we'll have to return to the pressures of everyday life.

It won't always be so. One day, we'll lay down our burdens for good. When we reach our ultimate destination, God our Father will welcome us. Our loved ones, long gone, will gather to celebrate. And every day of this breathtaking adventure will be like the first because time will no longer rule over us.

The best vacations are just a shadow of what God has in store for his children.



Protect Your Family Against The Unexpected

Too often, people work hard to build their assets, then fail to protect them. Without proper protection, the money you're working so hard to save could be lost if you were to die or suffer an illness or injury. Are you protected?

- **Life insurance:** One in four Americans dies before he or she retires.¹ Premature death can undermine a family's financial health, now and in the future. Having adequate life insurance can help ensure your family continues to live at home, your children go to college and your spouse retires as planned, even if something unexpected happens to you.
- **Disability income insurance:** Illness and injuries are more common than you might think. Today, a 25-year-old has a one in four chance of experiencing a long-term loss of income from a disability before he or she turns 65.¹ A disability disrupts your ability to work, and impacts your earnings and ability to cover daily living expenses. Disability income insurance can help. If you're unable to work due to a qualifying illness or injury, this vital coverage helps pay eligible expenses.
- **Long-term care insurance:** One of every two women and one of every three men age 65 and older will spend some time in a nursing home.² Long-term care insurance can protect your savings as well as your freedom to choose the care you receive.

For financial guidance, contact Michale Miller, Financial Associate, at 734-260-4284 or michael.e.miller@thrivent.com today, or visit Thrivent.com.

¹ *Commissioners Standard Ordinary Mortality and Disability Tables, 2009*

² *Women & Aging Letter, Long-term Care Insurance Revisited, 2009*

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I Traveled Around the World This Week

Grace Duddy

As a child, I always wished that I possessed a superpower that would allow me to be everywhere at one time. I disliked being confined to one place with the ability to do only one task at a time (a few if I was multi-tasking). Even as an adult, my desire hasn't changed. As I encounter news stories about needs around the world and in my backyard I have passion to help those in need and yet am confined to a single place. How will I ever be able to reach all of the places and people in need?

Although we can never reach all who are in need, Lee Hallstrom, senior pastor of Light of Christ in Delano, Minn., tells how I can reach many people and places by giving. I can travel the world and be in many places at once.

Pastor Lee said, "Even though my daily calling is in the west Minneapolis area, I have the privilege of traveling around the world this week with my tithes and offerings."

Lee first used this phrase in a sermon, but it became solidified when a congregant repeated it back to him during a conversation. Since then, he has used the phrase quite a bit, particularly in the Minneapolis and St. Paul Area Synods' stewardship video, from which I learned about Lee and his creative outlook on stewardship.

Light of Christ tithes by giving 10 percent of their offering to their synod and the ELCA churchwide office. Although the congregation lives and works in a west Minneapolis suburb, this week they traveled around the world through their tithes including:

- Responding to an earthquake in Pakistan
- Handing out blankets and wraps during a cold spell in Bangladesh
- Continued their work on the Gulf Coast and in Haiti all through ELCA Disaster Response
- Advocating for world hunger by urging Congress to rework U.S. foreign assistance to be more effective in reducing poverty by working with the ELCA partner organization, Bread for the World
- Promoting HIV/AIDS prevention in west Africa through Lutheran World Relief
- Being present at Luther Seminary, Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago (LSTC) and many other Lutheran seminaries in the U.S. and around the world

In just one week, the members of Light of Christ traveled across the U.S. and around the world with their tithes and offerings, touching the lives of needy people through the ELCA. "When there is a disaster, I know, okay, I am there. In a quiet way, we are showing up," said Lee.

For Lee, this phrase speaks to much more than stewardship. "What brought me to that point is that I really

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appreciate being a part of a denominational church. I know that in this day and age many congregations say we don't need to be a part of a denomination...This was a way of dealing with those who say 'we don't need a denomination' and have stopped giving to synod and churchwide," Lee said.

"We have a denomination that shows up and that denomination is you and me. I can give my tithes to a lot of places but I am really getting the best deal by tithing to my local congregation which has helped me deal with some of the grief of churches pulling out or diminishing their benevolence. I look at the fun they are missing...I want to continue going around the world every week. If I am just a kingdom unto myself out here in my congregation, I can't do that."

Although none of us may ever physically be able to be in two places at once, congregants at Light of Christ know that they have the opportunity and privilege to travel around the world every week with their tithes and offerings. Through their gifts to Light of Christ, and consequently to ELCA churchwide, they have the ability to touch people in need both near and far through ELCA organizations and partner organizations. They travel the world this week and are excited to do it again next week. Through their giving they have obtained a passport that enables them to be present with people in need. Could there be a better way to use their money?



Lutheran Social Services, in its 77th year of ministry, partners with more than 260 Lutheran congregations in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan to serve people as an expression of the love of Christ.

I hereby command you: Be strong and courageous. Joshua 1:9

"Do your little bit of good where you are; its those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world." -- Desmond Tutu, Activist and Christian Cleric

FOSTER CHILDREN WANT TO GO TO COLLEGE!

Each year 500 youth age out of the Michigan foster care system when they reach 18 years of age. They are on their own! How many of our own 18-year-old children could make it alone? More than one in five of these youth will become homeless after age 18. Lutheran Social Service manages the Michigan Education and Training Voucher (ETV) program for the State of Michigan. The program can award up to \$4,000 for a full-time student and \$2,000 for a part-time student. But when all expenses are added up, it costs about \$26,250 for a full-time student and \$12,000 for a part-time student, so the voucher doesn't cover all costs. Your gift is needed. Send your check to Lutheran Social Services of Michigan, PO Box 77000, Detroit, MI 48277-1048, or call (877) 259-6369.

DONATE A CAR TO HELP OTHERS

Lutheran Social Services has a vehicle donation program called Motorvation Drive. Donate your used vehicles and put others on the road to self-reliance! They will pick up suitable cars – as well as boats, RVs, motorcycles and any other vehicles powered by a motor – from anywhere in the Lower Peninsula. Some vehicles will be sold at deep discount to Lutheran Social Services clients, including refugees and teens leaving foster care. All proceeds will support Lutheran Social Services' ministry. Donations are tax-deductible. If you or someone you know has a vehicle to donate, contact Sonia Bankston by email at sbank@lssm.org or toll free at (877) 259-6369.

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF MICHIGAN touches the lives of thousands of people every year through 70 programs in 40 cities across Michigan. Of every dollar contributed, more than 92 cents goes directly to client care. Your gift will go a long way towards supporting this ministry. Send your gift to Lutheran Social Services of Michigan, PO Box 77000, Detroit, MI 48277-1048. Thank you for supporting Lutheran Social Services' mission: serving people as an expression of the love of Christ.

June Birthdays*and Anniversaries*

2 Kirk Gunning	12 James Koslowsky	21 Spencer Breidinger	Kyle Newman
5 Lesa Barclay	13 Joyce Jackson	22 Tom Hibbard	Nolan Deceuninck
Terri Carmack	16 Susan Kaba	Nicole Meunier	29 Paul Hanner
6 Zach Wolverton	Brendan Hewer	23 Marie Benson	Tom Trader
8 Jane Halliday	17 Ken Lane	24 Natally Pease	Paige Hasenbusch
9 Hanna Geisler	18 Noah Estep	25 Julie Gunning	30 Larry Jones, Jr.
10 Emma Atkins	20 Greg Stiles	26 Kevin Jennings	
11 Sharon Barlow	Joseph Walsh	27 Samuel Knorr	

Special Birthday wishes to:

Charlie Cobb celebrating his 82nd birthday on June 4th.

Mike Weller celebrating his 77th birthday on June 7th.

June Tervo celebrating her 74th birthday on June 15th.

Ron Salvatore celebrating his 71st birthday on June 18th.

Florence Redmond celebrating her 90th birthday on June 24th.

Mary Lou Rupp celebrating her 82nd birthday on June 28th.

June Anniversaries:

3 Tom & Nancy O'Brien	21 Max & Gladys Willmore
9 Robert & Jean Lappala	22 Bob & Joyce Jackson
Randy & Becky Sellers	26 Randy & Patricia Showerman
15 Norbert & Michaele Knorr	27 Kenneth & Terri Carmack
16 Bruce & Beth Baker	Denny & Jessica Davis
17 David & Jane Cartwright	28 Garry & Joan Hartwick
18 Russ & Debbie Evens	Charles & Sherry Edmunson
20 William & Lillian Johnson	30 Dale & Cindy Salewsky
Waino & June Tervo	

Memorial Gifts

MEMORIAL FUND**Norm Rose**

Jackie & Jerry Douglass

Dennis & Karen Damgard

Ray & Jane Richter

Kathleen Fournier

Dolores Rose

Clyde & Nancy Jenkins

Russell & Ruth Smith

Bill & Lillian Johnson

Charles & Mary Cobb

Bill & Chris Manuel

Gloria Albrecht

June Servant Schedule

	June 5		June 12		June 19		June 26	
	8:30	10:00	8:30	10:00	8:30	10:00	8:30	10:00
Lay Asst	Tammy Lane	Debbie Evens	Trudy Esch	Karen Warsop				Dale Salewsky
Lay Rdr	Kim Richardson	Karen Warsop	Bert Hensick	Debbie Evens	Kim Richardson	Deanna Varesi		Dean Norton
Comm Asst	Ken Lane & Michael Lane	Russ Evens & Karen Chiesa	Joan Harwick & Pat Isom	Bill & Lillian Johnson	Pat Isom & Judy Hanner	Kevin Jennings & Ken Althouse		Cindy Salewsky & Beth Baker
Acolytes	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending	Schedule Pending
Ushers	Al Halliday & Jane Halliday	Kevin Jennings & Gary Jennings	Al Halliday & Jane Halliday	Kevin Jennings & Gary Jennings	Al Halliday & Jane Halliday	Kevin Jennings & Gary Jennings	Al Halliday & Jane Halliday	Kevin Jennings & Gary Jennings
Altar Care (Clean Up)	(JoAnn Merians)	(JoAnn Merians)	Barb Carter (Cindy Salewsky)	Barb Carter (Cindy Salewsky)			(Cindy Salewsky)	(Cindy Salewsky)
Greeters	Robert & Judy Clise, Tom & Nancy O'Brien, Darrel & Diane Sterzinger	Jane Thompson	Al & Jane Halliday, Tom & Kathy Trader, Don & Betty Yax	Jeanette Vlahos, Becky & Danielle Sellers	Dave & Pat Isom, Keith & Kathy Boyes, Ken & Kathie Keith	Matt & Julie Evens, Sharon, Matt & Emily Childers	Bill & Chris Manuel, Dave & Gerri Hager	Gary & Darcy Honaker

Sign up for next month on the bulletin board in the narthex. Please call the church office to sign up to fill empty slots.

The deadline for articles or items for the July Grace Notes is:

**MONDAY,
JUNE 20, 2011**



Please be sure to submit any items for the July newsletter prior to this date. You may send submissions to the church office, or email to: grace312@sbcglobal.net



Lutheran World Relief
requested items for June: Personal Care Kits

Metal Nail Clippers

Donation basket located in the narthex

WOMEN OF JOY BIBLE STUDY

Please join us on Monday, June 27, at 7 p.m. in the Conference room for the Women of Joy Bible study. Another great discussion on a topic from *The Thoughtful Christian* is planned.



For an off hours medical or pastoral emergency, please call the Pastors at home at 517-552-1782.

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Sunday Schedule

8:30 a.m. Traditional Service

10:00 a.m. Contemporary Service

Nursery provided all morning.

Grace Lutheran Church Staff

Pastors

Early Learning Center Administrator

Office Manager

Youth Director

Administrative Liaison for Youth

Director of Music

Rev. Tom & Rev. Sharon Huff

Michelle Tatara

Lisa Pristas

Mike Capra

Karen Warsop

Brooke Pierson

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M-F am & pm preschool sessions for 3 & 4 year olds

2-year olds playgroup on Fridays

In session September through May

For information, please call Michelle Tatara (517-545-5640)