

Announcements

Operation Christmas Child – Last Day for Donations: Ladies Aid is collecting items of to fill shoe boxes with gifts of toys, school supplies, and hygiene items for children around the world. The items may be for a boy or girl with the age ranges of 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. You may put your donated items in the collection box located in the church entryway until Sunday, November 2. The shoeboxes will be packed on Saturday, Nov. 8 at 11am at our November Ladies Aid meeting & delivered to a local Operation Christmas Child collection site. Contact Vickie Miller vlaube24@yahoo.com or Nancy Connorton njc1111@yahoo.com with questions.

Shoebox Gift Ideas:

- “Wow” Items: Soccer ball with pump, doll, stuffed animal, shoes
- Toys: Toy cars, jump ropes, yo-yos, musical instruments, toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries)
- Personal Care Items: Toothbrushes, washcloths, hairbrushes, combs
- School Supplies: Pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, paper, coloring and picture books, solar calculators
- Accessories: Socks, Sunglasses, jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries)

Do Not Include: Candy, toothpaste, gum, used or damaged items, scary or war-related items, seeds, food, liquids, lotions, medications, vitamins, breakable items, glass containers, aerosol cans.

Lutheran World Relief: Information regarding the Quilt & Kit Ministry is available on the bulletin board in the narthex.

In Our Prayers

Missionaries: Ben and Ella Goehring

Saints called to Glory this past year: Len Fiaschetti, June Mihalov

Those with Health Concerns: **Kathie Monnat; Marilyn Ryan; Bob and Roberta** (friends of Barb Done); **Gabe** (Erika Mynio's friend); **William Schnurr** (Wendie Schulman's friend); **Tim Poppenberg; Melissa Rizzo** (Amanda Bendschneider's sister); **Richard & Shirley Landseadel** (Deb Lillie's parents); **Dave** (Jeff Lillie's friend); **Theresa** (Jim & Ginnie Knopp's daughter-in-law); **June Powers** (Mike Monnat's cousin); **Tom Frost** (Deb Bolcko's daughter-in-law's father); **Mike Morse; Kathy Wallack** (Deb Bolcko's friend); **Donna Werth** (Cindy Barben's friend); Austin; **Tim Jasmin** (Mary Reimers' brother-in-law); **Will Dunton** (Kay Killenbec's son); **Nancy Dunton** (Kay Killenbec's daughter); **Rye Yousey** (Monnats' great nephew)

Members and Friends in Care: Ron Coyle, Barb Dingle, Norma Helm, Jim Knopp, Effie Steingasser

Send prayer requests/updates to secretary@stmarkmendon.com

