

Hershey Free Church Announcements

February 19, 2012

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Community

Our food bank will be open to walk-ins this Thursday, February 23, from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Those in need of food are invited to attend one of two scheduled open houses each month. Visits to the food bank at any other time require an appointment by calling 533-2092, ext. 2038.

A diabetes support group for adults meets Monday, February 20 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in room 701. One speaker will be sharing how she reversed her diabetes. Another speaker will share how she overcame serious disabilities and is now a marathon runner. The group meets the third Monday of each month to offer support, encouragement and education on how to live well with diabetes. Questions? Contact John Brontsema at 531-3109.

GriefShare meets Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in room 20. GriefShare is a special seminar and support group for people grieving the loss of someone close. Questions? Contact Craig Koskela at 533-2092, ext. 2028.

Transitions: Meeting the Changing Needs of Seniors – a seminar for seniors, their loved ones, their caregivers, and health care and human service professionals will be held at the church on Saturday, February 25, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the auditorium. The keynote speaker will be Emerson L. Leshner, Ph.D., president of Messiah Lifeways (formerly called Messiah Village). Topics include: “The Golden Years – Myths and Reality” and “When Living on One’s Own is No Longer the Right Option.” Exhibitors from various home care resources and residential communities will be available answer questions and provide literature during breaks and lunch. Cost is \$10 per person and includes sessions, coffee break and lunch. Register at www.hersheyfree.com or by calling Craig Koskela at 533-2092, ext. 2028, or in the sanctuary lobby beginning today. Registration deadline is February 22.

The Family Life Weekend to Remember conference will be held at the Hershey Lodge and Convention Center February 24 to 26. A group rate of \$159 per couple is available by logging on to www.familylife.com/groups/hersheyfree. The Marriage Enrichment Team encourages couples to consider this opportunity to strengthen your marriage. Pick up a brochure at the Welcome Center. Questions? Contact Craig Koskela at ckoskela@hersheyfree.com or 533-2092, ext. 2028.

A Precept inductive Bible study on the book of Revelation, Part 2, will start Tues, March 6. The class meets every other Tuesday from 7 to 9pm. Please call Dorothee Murray, 533-2750, by February 12 to register and receive the workbook. Lesson 1 will be discussed at the first meeting. Newcomers welcome!

Today’s sermon is available for downloading at the church website, www.hersheyfree.com, or you can place an order for a CD at the Welcome Center and pick it up next Sunday.

The sanctuary choir rehearses Sundays from 5:15 to 6:15 p.m. All who would like to participate are welcome.

Men

Morning Men’s Frat meets Tuesdays from 6 to 7:30 a.m. in the auditorium. All men are invited to join us for a hearty breakfast, biblical teaching and discussion with other guys. Our study this year is the second half of “Knowing Christ: A Journey through the Old Testament.” Questions? Contact Pastor Gary Lathrop, 533-4848.

Evening Men’s Frat meets Wednesdays from 6:45 to 8:15 p.m. in rooms 602-603. All men are invited to join us as we study a new series called “Knights of the 21st Century,” which focuses on what the Bible says about becoming a man of chivalry and honor. Questions? Contact Pete Johnson, 298-1013.

Senior Adults

Joyful Hearts Luncheon – Join us this Tuesday for lunch at the Old Country Buffet on Route 22 at 1 p.m. Arrive hungry! Questions? Call Shirley Glantz, 312-1071.