

The Quill

JULY 2015



Queen Anne

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LUTHERAN CHURCH

From the Cantor . . .

What a Hymn Festival it was!

Attended by 126 people, the Hymn Festival at QALC on May 31 was a day to remember! *Singing the Spectrum*, the theme for the hour's inspiring format, worked its way through the color spectrum and the relationship of color to the various facets of our liturgical worship journey throughout the year. Mark Sedio is a fabulous church musician, organist, choral director, and leader of the congregation's song. He loved our Wech Pipe Organ and the marvelous acoustics we enjoy in our Sanctuary. And Mark had fun working with our Chancel Choir plus five guest singers who



Mark Sedio preparing the choir

joined us for the afternoon. We all enjoyed Mark's leadership immensely.

Mark also led our morning Forum with helpful insights into trends and issues about church music in today's ELCA worship life. Also, Mark played the organ for part of the 10:30 service. It was my pleasure and a joy to host him. Thanks to everyone who assisted in making this event possible, especially the Chancel Choir, and our readers, Georganne and Harold Robertson. These events take many people to step up and share in the work of hospitality for our members and guests. A million thanks!

And there's more to come . . .

A person attending the Hymn Festival posted on Facebook: "If you are ever within 238 miles of a hymn festival that Mark Sedio is leading, you should definitely go. I drove 2.38 miles today and it was worth it. It would be 100 times worth it. Believe me."



Members of Gethsemane Lutheran who joined us for Mark's Hymn Festival . . . and little did they know they wore the "Spectrum"!! Totally unplanned, and fully enjoyed!

On September 20 at 3:00pm, the Fine Arts Ministry will host an organ concert given by Dana Robinson of the University of Illinois. Dana is one of the finest organists in the country and we are fortunate to be able to bring him to Queen Anne Lutheran. See more info on our website. If you are available to join the team of folks who will prepare the reception and offer hospitality, please contact me.

I look forward to worshipping with you.

Arletta Anderson, Cantor and

Associate in Ministry

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Summer Choirs

If your many gifts include music, check this out!

Intergenerational Choir

August 2

Rehearsal on the Sunday of
at 9:45 in the Nave

Women's Choir

August 30

Rehearsals on Wed eve 8/26 following Holden
and/or the Sunday of
at 9:45

Our Call Committee:

Following the provisions of the Constitution, a Call Committee has been brought into service at Queen Anne Lutheran Church. Here are the committee members:

Voting Members:

Kirsten Erickson

Erich Patten

Lori Lynn Phillips

Emmett Pritchard

Harold Robertson

Dolly Smith

Alternates:

Jim Margard

Dan Squires

Virginia Stamey

The Church Council wishes to extend thanks and gratitude to all the individuals who were nominated or placed their names into the selection process. Please join us in regular prayer for the Call Process and for these specific individuals as they serve our congregation. Call Committee members will be wearing identifying nametags at Sunday services so that you may approach them with questions or concerns.

Down-Words, In-Words, Out-Words

DOWN, IN and OUT is a program of the ELCA to help us focus on how giving affects all of our life, and how our response is a part of our life in Jesus Christ. I will be adding my two cents worth using these words, Down, In, and Out, as a theme for a thought for us to consider, as disciples, as congregation members, and as members of families who discuss questions of faithfulness together. Watch for more.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor's Discretionary Fund Needs Replenishment

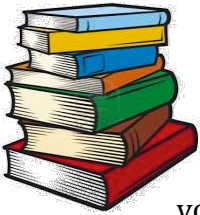
Needs continue for the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. Please consider contributing to help members and neighbors in need.

The Altar Guild Wants YOU!

The Altar Guild is looking for a few good people! Please prayerfully consider joining this wonderful team. We rotate our duties so each of us is "on" for only two months each year, and we work in pairs or trios. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Richard or Joan Crummett 206-261-4448, email: katrinkaj1@comcast.net

Sunday Morning Nursery Helper Needed

The church is in need of another childcare worker for Sunday mornings; Brenda will be leaving us at the end of August. The hours are 7:45 AM – Noon every Sunday. Interested persons should contact Pat Sobeck at 284-1669 for an application.



QALC Book Group Meets Monday, July 27

The Selecting of Books for 2016 will meet Monday, July 27 at 7 PM in Cathy Unseth's garden in Ballard. If it is cold, she lets us meet inside! Bring your suggestions for books to discuss next year. Absolutely everyone is welcome; please don't be shy about coming if you are interested and have not participated in the past.

A Counselor Arrives at Queen Anne Lutheran



We are very pleased to welcome a new yet familiar presence to our building: **Sister Clare Josef-Maier**, who recently completed her internship with us, is now part of Queen Anne Lutheran's ministry. Sister Clare is a mental health counselor with Lutheran Counseling Network, and offers mental health therapy services to individuals and couples, including premarital counseling.

Born and raised in rural Oregon, Clare continued on to higher education in urban Washington: she received her undergraduate degree from Pacific Lutheran University in Gender Studies and Religion, and her graduate degree from Seattle University in Pastoral Counseling. She was invested as a religious sister of the Deaconess Community ELCA/ELCIC in 2014.

Sister Clare's office is at the top of the main stairs, and Luther Lounge will function as her waiting area. She is available for counseling appointments Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10 AM-6 PM. While she cannot accept insurance at this time, charitably-adjusted fees may be established according to family income. For more information, please visit www.clarejosefmaier.org or contact Sister Clare at (206) 364-1046 x4 or clare@lutherancounseling.net

Crown of Queen Anne Fun Run:

This annual event, which benefits Queen Anne Helpline, takes place on Saturday morning, July 11. Volunteers will be at our church setting up on Friday afternoon and evening. The staging ground for the run is at our church; participants will register here starting at 7 AM and celebrate with awards, food and a raffle after the run later in the morning.

Crossing guard volunteers are needed for the Fun Run on July 11 to help runners and walkers make it around the course safely. If you would like to participate, please contact Ann Pearce at annrpearce@aol.com



Mary's Place Rotating Shelter Project Returns Oct. 13-20

Thanks to congregation members who have stepped up to head three vital support teams, Queen Anne Lutheran will once again be able to open its doors to feed and shelter homeless women and their children during the week of Oct. 13 through 20. The core team has had one planning already, volunteer sign-ups will begin soon, and you can mark your calendar for the volunteer orientation/training, which will be on **Sunday, Oct. 11, after the second service.**

Right now we'd like to introduce you to your Rotating Shelter Project core team:



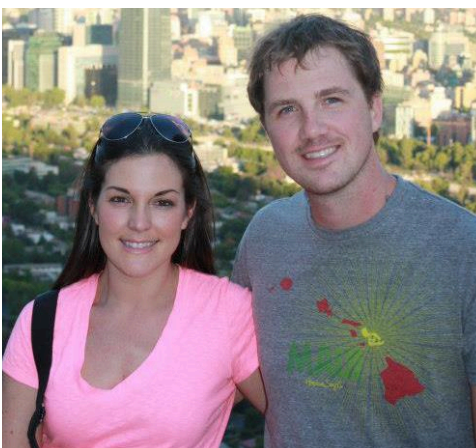
Barbara Bash will head up the **Admin Team**. Our very own super-efficient parish assistant will ensure we are in compliance with the requirement of State Patrol background checks for all volunteers, as well as

handling the dozens of administrative steps necessary to keep our week of hosting running smoothly, from door codes to triaging communications among the core team.



With her years of food service experience, **Diane Wearne** is the perfect choice to head up the **Kitchen & Laundry Team**, and we are so grateful she is willing to do it! From keeping the grocery staples replenished during the

week, to coordinating the dinner menus, to teaching volunteers not to fear the dishwashing machine, Diane and her team will help ensure that guests are well fed and volunteers have a satisfying experience.



Aaron and Bridget Boysen will lead the **Facilities & Set-Up Team**. With their extensive camping experience, they will get those tents in

the fellowship hall set up and taken down in a flash! They will coordinate with the Property Committee and others to keep track of all the moving parts needed to have our building and amenities available to make our guests feel cared for.



Pam McIlroy, Peggy Morgan, and Sophie Pritchard remain as the **Project Coordinators** and are happy to answer questions as well as cornering you during coffee hour with sign-up sheet in hand.

Please watch the *Quill* and Sunday bulletins for information on how you can help and support our week of hosting in October, and please thank Barbara, Aaron, Bridget, and Diane for taking on leadership roles.



LYONS News:

Congratulations, LYONS seniors! God bless you in your future adventures.

Left to right: *Liz Radford, Henrik Weiberg, Maddy Barnes, Jacob Parisi* (not pictured: *Olivia Oplinger, Stephanie Bach*)



Also join us in congratulating the recipients of this year's Bergstrom Scholarships. The Bergstrom Scholarship is in honor of a previous director of LYONS, Shawn Bergstrom, and his wife Dinah, who we sadly lost in 2005. The scholarship goes to help these youth in furthering their education. From left to right: *Eppey Cook, Henrik Weiberg, Camille Pahl, Maddy Barnes, Emma Maier, Leeza Olson, Will Radford* (not pictured: *Samantha Carlson, Mackenzie Cornell-Maier, Rhys Hyatt, Jenna VanSanford*)

Bergstrom Bowling Project Fundraising Event

Saturday August 8th 3-5PM at Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church

On August 8, 2005 we lost dear friends and mentors Shawn and Dinah Bergstrom.

On August 8, 2015 we gather to honor their memory with the creation of the Bergstrom Bowling Project.

The Bergstrom Bowling Project was born out a desire to honor the memory of our friends in a place they both loved dearly. Holden Village was a special place for both Shawn "Bergie" and Dinah. They enjoyed numerous visits together with both Lutheran Youth of North Seattle (LYONS) youth and friends. Their last visit in May 2005 was a special one as both Bergie and Dinah accompanied the LYONS youth to



the May Holden Youth Weekend. On several occasions Bergie had expressed his interest in helping to refinish the Holden Bowling Lanes which had not been refurbished since 1968. Having spent several summers of his youth refinishing bowling alleys in Kansas, he was eager to use those skills to improve the lanes at Holden. In thinking of a special project to honor the ten year anniversary of their passing, the Bergstrom Bowling Project was born. Your support will help Bergie's dream finally become a reality.

Please join us on August 8th from 3-5pm at Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church to celebrate the memory of Bergie and Dinah and learn how you can help. A short program will include memories of Bergie and Dinah, history of the Holden Village Bowling Lanes and information on how you can give to the project. Beverages and light refreshments will be served.

Please visit our Facebook event page to share stories, pictures and see updates to the Project.

Questions or interested in helping with the event itself? Please contact Kirsten Erickson (206) 898-0408 or klerickson77@gmail.com

Questions about giving? Please contact Anne Gintz at development@holdenvillage.org

Interfaith Ministries' School Supplies Drive

Interfaith Ministries of Greater Queen Anne meets here at Queen Anne Lutheran every two months. They will be gathering supplies to create School Kits this year for local schoolchildren in need. There are many children here in our own area, whose parents cannot afford the many supplies that the schools require them to have when school starts in September. The Interfaith Community is again trying to help these children by supplying as many of these items as possible. Our goal this fall is 100 Kits. Please help if you can; these children need them in September.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED:

Pencils	Scissors	Crayons
Dry Erasers	Ball Point Pens, Black/Blue	Black Sharpies
Pencil Sharpener	Colored Markers, Thin And Thick	Ruler
1 Large Pink Eraser	College Ruled Paper, Loose Leaf	Glue Sticks
Highlighters	Hand Held Calculators	Red Marking Pen
3-Ring Binder With Inserts (Tab)		

AND, IF THE SPIRIT MOVES YOU, THEY ALL NEED BACKPACKS!

Supplies can be brought to church; look for a box in the narthex in the weeks to come. We need supplies by mid -August so they can be assembled in time for school. Please contact Pat Sobeck, Interfaith Community liaison, at 284-1669 if you have questions.

Faith & Film Meets August 8: We will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, August 8 at 4:00 PM to view and discuss the film "Calvary," in which an honest and good-hearted priest (Brendan Gleeson) wrestles with a cynical, spiteful community after he receives a death threat from an unknown parishioner.

Community Music Jam August 1: Bring an instrument, your voice or even just your ears to a monthly bluegrass music jam in the Fellowship Hall, led by Emmett Pritchard. The Jam met once in June and will meet again at 3:00 in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, August 1.

Saint Paul LWR Warehouse Visit:



While visiting in the Midwest, Candy and I toured the LWR warehouse in Saint Paul, where the quilts and kits from the Midwest are sent to be repackaged before being shipped overseas. The Saint Paul warehouse is smaller than the Baltimore—actually New Windsor—warehouse, where items from the Seattle Ingathering are shipped. Interestingly, Saint Paul has six full-time staff while Baltimore uses 36 volunteers, on top of some full-time staff to repackage

the kits and quilts. At one time, there were several more warehouse locations in the U.S. Now, LWR is sharing warehouse space in Dubai with several other non-profit organizations to help improve the response time to those in need.



The warehouse's "quilt packing machines," are unique to Saint Paul. The machines were built around 1980 by an engineering graduate student as an engineering project. After packing and binding, the quilts are double-wrapped in plastic. All the kits are repackaged into uniform boxes for shipping. The outgoing containers/ quilts are bar-coded, similar to the barcode method we use at QALC.

—Rich Mathes

Holden Village, Summer 2016

Do you want a chance to get away? Do you want to be able to disconnect? Do you want a way to escape? A chance to sit outside and look at gorgeous mountains while reading a book? Maybe you want to be the one hiking or fishing in those mountains while someone else does the cooking? Holden Village is the place for you!



If you are not familiar with Holden Village, it is a Lutheran Lay Retreat center, in the Glacier Peak Wilderness on the east side of the Cascades, at the pleasant elevation of 3,200 feet. Despite its isolated setting in the wilderness, Holden still affords guests the comforts of three nourishing meals a day, a warm bed, hot shower and caring community. A teaching staff presents topics that are usually 4-5 days in length, in 50-minute sessions; while most sessions are in the morning, some are in the afternoon or evenings after Vespers.

In the mornings there is school with a variety of activities for younger children. Activities include Bible studies, art classes, games, etc. There are group activities for teenagers as well.

If you like to hike or fish, Holden Village is in the Glacier Peak Wilderness, only about four miles from the highest non-volcanic peak in the Cascades: Bonanza, at 9,516 feet. There is a great library; craft, weaving and basketry areas; bowling alley, pool hall, and a fantastic bookstore. It doesn't matter if it rains or shines; there is always something to do!

From Seattle, It takes about 3.5 hours to drive the 190 miles to Fields Point Landing, where you park your car and get on the 9:30 AM boat to go uplake. Arriving "Villagers" are met with buses for the 10-mile drive to the Village.

Holden Village should be re-opened next summer! Assuming the program and registration will work as in prior years, would any of you be interested in going as a group? QALC used to go every other year for a week. (The week would be Sunday to Sunday.)

Look for the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. List your top three weeks. We used to choose late July to early August for the best weather—and fewer mosquitoes. If the registration process is unchanged, you will need to commit to a week by January 1, 2016—when registration begins. If you have more time, you can also volunteer to be on staff— kitchen, housekeeping, gardens, carpentry, general labor, etc.

Go to <http://www.holdenvillage.org> for more information. Call me if you have other questions.

—Rich Mathes

Holden Village Installs New Directors —Chuck+Peg*



To the words of Marty Haugen's "Now the Feast and Celebration Installation," Chuck Hoffman and Peg Carlson-Hoffman were installed as new directors of Holden Village on June 27. Outgoing directors Chuck and Stephanie Carpenter, and their children, physically installed Chuck and Peg, as only The Carpenters can do.

**They sign their names together with a "+" as a symbol for Christ in their midst. To learn more about Chuck+Peg go to the Holden Village website and click on About Us>Executive Directors, or search for Genesis Art Studio online.*



QALC Women's News

One of the greatest things about retirement is the chance to travel. One of the hardest things about traveling is staying connected. In today's world it is a mental connection, because often an "I'll do it the next time I have Internet connection" mentality sets in.

For Amy's and Spencer's wedding on July 18, the sign up sheet is in the Narthex! As your wedding shower gift, feel free to contribute to the Reception Food (see Candy for items needed, cash is acceptable) or plan to help with the wedding Reception! This is one of those occasions where we need ALL hands that are available. We will need people to help with the making of salads (lots of chopping on Saturday morning) as well as helping set up and clean up. Sophie is looking forward to seeing you at the shower on July 9!

The NO WORK* YARD PARTY—Take 2

On August 29, we will be celebrating the end of summer with another tie-dye party in the yard of Rich and Candy Mathes. They even plan to be home for it this year! The "Fruits of our Labors" will be used for quilt backs for Sewing and Service and PDQ's. Reports from last year were that it was enjoyed by all—both those who watched and those who participated. Look for signs appearing in the Narthex at the beginning of August!

**some work required.*

Sewing and Service is going out to lunch and then having dessert at Lois Unseth's on July 15. They will not be meeting in August! They will be out looking for Layette Items—infant gowns, sleepers without feet, cloth diapers, baby blankets, baby hats, 6 month socks, and 3-9 month t-shirts. Some of them will be sewing at home making baby blankets and quilt tops. They would love your help either searching for those garage sale finds or sewing flannel into baby blankets and making quilt tops. Think you are too young for Sewing and Service? There was recently a post on the LWR Facebook site about a young lady, age 7 who was making diapers out of t-shirts for Baby Layettes! **PDQ** (Pizza, Damsels, Quilts) welcomes people of ALL ages! They continue meeting in the evening, the 3rd Tuesday of each month!

LWR Alert: We Need School Kits!

"Right now LWR is in urgent need of School Kits to fulfill requests from partners around the world. Your donations reach places like Syria, where LWR recently distributed 6,350 School Kits to families affected by the ongoing conflict."

July and August are also the best months for collecting school supplies—notebooks (usually at Fred Meyers in August for \$.15 each), blunt tip school scissors, wooden rulers, quality pencil sharpeners, 16- or 24-crayon boxes, erasers that erase. Cathi Unseth and I would love to make 100 school bags this fall! We seem to have an abundant supply of pencils and pens!

Circles continue to meet when members are in town—check with a circle if you plan to attend. Sometimes plans are changed at the last minute. Otherwise come join Northern Lights, Luther's Table and Julia Circle. The Sunshiners are meeting for lunch during the summer at various locations.

Have a great summer!

—The Women's Committee: Candy Mathes, Jacqui Darroch, Sallie Wilson, Sophie Pritchard and Pat Sobeck

Women of QALC: Ongoing Groups



Come join us at a circle this month!
Please check with the circle leaders if you would like to attend.

Julia Circle 1st Monday of the month at 7:00 PM.
Contact Georganne Robertson or Candy Mathes.

Northern Lights: No Circle in July. Contact Dolly Smith regarding August plans.

Katie's Table: 3rd Saturday at 9 AM. For location & questions please contact Joan Crummett.

Sewing and Service: Wednesdays.
Contact Lois Unseth or Shirley Flory.

Sunshiner's Circle: Usually meets 4th Wednesday at noon. Contact Jean MacLauchlan.

PDQ's (Pizza, Damsels, and Quilts): 3rd Tuesday of most months, sometime after 5:30 PM. Light supper provided. Contact Karen McCullough.

June 28 All-Church Picnic— Good Fellowship, Good Help

The weather forecasts varied from full, hot sun to overcast with showers. In neither case would we want to sit outside. Fortunately, the cloudy, muggy weather that was in between those extremes allowed us all to eat outside.

Thanks to cooks Marc Oplinger, Mark Dibble, Don Thomas; to Ken & Ellen Hockman & Dennis Alfson for setting up and setting tables; to those who cleaned up; and those who brought baked beans, salads, relishes, and desserts. Also thanks to Amy Blackshire & Spencer Nagley for organizing games for the younger folks.

EVERY WEDNESDAY IN AUGUST @ 5:30PM

Jazz Grass

ON
THE

MUSIC! FOOD! FUN!

Roosevelt High School Jazz Quartet
All Are Welcome!



JAZZ QUARTET

5:30 - 6:30 PM

Hot dogs, Hamburgers, Ice Cream, & more!

5:30 - 6:30 PM

HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER

7:00 - 7:30 PM

COME CELEBRATE SUMMER IN STYLE WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

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Bishop's Message



What Makes for Success?

by Kirby Unti, NWWA Synod Bishop

But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all."

—Mark 9:34-35 (NRSV)

It is the season for graduations. It begins so soon in today's world. Kim takes care of a little boy named Cooper who now is a proud graduate of Lord of Life Lutheran Preschool. I asked him what graduation means and he said, "It is when you are done with one school, you get the summer off and then you go to kindergarten." So there you have it!

Graduation is stirring my memories of graduating from Inglemoor High School in 1970. I have fond memories of all the activities that topped off our Senior Year. I was elected to be the class speaker and spent hours working on my speech. The compelling line, "It is going to take a hell of a lot more than tear gas and guns to hold this generation down." We were a generation that believed that we would change the world and there would be war no more. Sad to say, we went on to be the greatest consuming generation in all of history. Like in the movie *The Big Chill*, we traded in our ideals for a place at the table of corporate America.

I was also elected by my peers as the "Boy Most Likely to Succeed." My counterpart was my classmate and dear friend Sara Forhan. Sara certainly lived into the recognition. She became a medical doctor specializing in gynecology and went on to work for the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta. She was a near 4.0 student so it came as no surprise.

On the other hand, I was the class clown and found my way into the principal's office on more than one occasion. I remember Mr. Siverson would simply shake his head and say, "Unti, I expect more out of you."

So, did I "succeed"? I have been deeply blessed by serving as a pastor. It is a humble honor to be able to serve the church and people of this community. I have no regrets, and yet I dare say in the eyes of many of my classmates I have not lived up to the title they gave me. I can already hear the question at the 50th Reunion: "What the hell is a bishop?" Every pastor knows how easy it is to stop the conversation when you announce what you do.

So I asked five year old Cooper, "What do you think a bishop is?" Cooper's response, "A bishop is in charge of all the pastors." (Hold onto your ideals, young Cooper!) But a call to bishop, a call to pastor, a call to be a follower of Jesus is not likely to be something that will impress my classmates.

Little does Cooper know, now that he is a big graduate, he gets to spend the rest of his life deciding what makes for success. Is it the high paying job, the nice house and the fast car, or is it something else? "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." Hang in there, Cooper!



the Last WORD

A PLACE OF HEALING

The Mission of God in the world has always been close to questions of health. Even that important word, Salvation, is not seen in the scriptures just as a question of one's relationship to God, but also about wholeness, and healing, and a part of the universe running together as God had always intended.

Even as I write this, the examples of stories from both the Hebrew and the Greek Testaments overflow with this concept. Moses delivered the Torah to the people that they might have "none of these diseases" that were known among the other nations in the land. Daniel and his friends were allowed to conduct a dietary test, and showed how following God resulted in better health. Jesus healed the paralytic man by forgiving his sins, and then asked him to take up his cot and go home. The Centurion asked for healing for his servant in such a way that Jesus commended his "faith." Often both a physical and a spiritual healing appear together.

The people of God have continued in this tradition of wholeness through the years since Jesus walked the earth. People prayed for one another and found healing of many kinds. As medicine advanced, the church was close at hand. It had its own witness of trust in the face of plagues and epidemics. Many have answered a call to care for those in need by becoming nurses, and following the traditions of Clara Barton, Florence Nightingale, Mother Teresa, and even Martha Washington. One of the oldest healthcare institutions in our fair city is known as Providence Hospital, in recognition of the order of Sisters who served in many places. At one time, one fourth of all the long-term care facility beds in America were owned by Lutherans.

The need remains ever with us. None of us is guaranteed by our faith to never face infirmity or sickness. But we know that our faith can be "just what the doctor ordered." No definitive studies can "prove" that prayer can be a healing force, but some statistics seem to suggest that. I have heard the stories of way too many people to doubt it. So along with counting numbers of various kinds, and taking tests, and pills, and therapy of one kind or another, we will also look to God to restore us to wholeness of life.

People at Queen Anne Lutheran Church already know this. We are involved in Health Kits for overseas, health needs as simple as soap or a toothbrush for our HomeBase guests, opening our doors to those who struggle with the encompassing disease of alcohol addiction, and providing even the most basic health need of food for one who is hungry. We have a group who practices Yoga, not just as a physical stretching of muscles and joints, but also a spiritual stretching of faith.

Because of this, I am very excited about a new venture with Lutheran Counseling Network and our congregation. Sister Clare Josef-Maier will be offering counseling here in our building. I will leave it to her to explain more about her work and what she can provide. I can say that I have known many of the counselors in this organization and have appreciated their maturity of faith as well as their competence. They offer patience and persistent support for some to see a difficult and long-lasting journey through to the end, or just an objective and friendly person to listen as we explore some personal question of our own. They are registered with the State of Washington as a health care provider, but they stand in the spiritual tradition of those having various gifts of discernment, healing, mercy and so much more.

As an interim, only here for a short time, it is always a joy for me to see more going on in a congregation when my time concludes than when it began. I pray that this endeavor will prove to be a long and very beneficial partnership for both Sister Clare and for Queen Anne Lutheran Church, and that many will find healing in this house of God.

Pastor Doug Stensby

SERVING IN JULY

Ushers: (10:30 AM)

5 TBD
12 Jim Margard
19 TBD
26 Rich Mathes

Offering Counters

Shirley Flory and Diane Wearne

Lectors (8:00 AM)

5 TBD
12 Jan Olson
19 Dan Squires
26 Harold Robertson

Communion Servers (8:00 AM)

5 TBD
12 Linda Olson
19 Deb Squires
26 Georganne Robertson

Assisting Minister (10:30 AM)

5 TBD
12 Alan Beasley
19 Richard Crummett
26 Marc Oplinger

Altar Guild:

Marjorie Dowd, Katherine Thomas
& Lois Unseth

Sunday Coffee Hosts: (8:00 AM)

5 Katherine Knorr
12 Katherine Knorr
19 Dolly Smith
26 TBD

Sunday Coffee Hosts: (10:30 AM)

5 TBD
12 TBD
19 TBD
26 TBD

Flowers on the Altar

5 the Kavanaugh Family
12 Lois Unseth
19 Peggy Morgan & Al Shabino
26 Lisa Ondrejcek

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Pastor	Rev. Doug L. Stensby
Cantor	Arletta Anderson
Parish Administrator	Barbara Bash
Sexton	John Bryant
Counselor, Lutheran	
Counseling Network	Sister Clare Josef-Maier
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LYONS Director	Jon Ross
LYONS Program Assistant	Megan Hundley
Campus Pastor—UW	Rev. Elizabeth Rawlings

Deadline for the August Quill is Tuesday, July 21.

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July 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 9:15am Sewing and Service 8:00pm Alateen 8:00pm Alanon 8:00pm A.A.	2 3:00pm Staff Meeting	3	4 10:30am Alanon Women
5 Rev. Kathryn Buffum preaching 8:00am Worship Service 10:00am Adult Forum 10:30am Worship Service	6 6:30pm Yoga 7:00pm 12-Step OA 7:00pm Julia Circle	7	8 9:15am Sewing and Service 8:00pm A.A. 8:00pm Alateen 8:00pm Alanon	9 3:00pm Staff Meeting 6:00pm Bridal Shower for Amy and Spencer	10 3:00pm Fun Run set-up 5:30pm Girl Scout Troop	11 7:00am QA Helpline Fun Run 10:30am Alanon Women
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