

The Vine



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Sunday, November 28

- ◆ 8:30 & 10:45am Worship with Advent candle lighting

Sunday, December 5 (communion)

- ◆ 8:30 & 10:45am Worship with Advent candle lighting
- ◆ 9:30am Education hour

Sunday, December 12

- ◆ 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship with Advent candle lighting
- ◆ 9:30am Children's Christmas Program, "That Special Night"

Sunday, December 19 Choral Sunday

- ◆ 8:30 & 10:45am Musical Service of Lessons and Carols
- ◆ 9:30am Christmas Fellowship & Sunday School

Wednesday, Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Services (communion)

- ◆ 3:00pm Family Friendly Worship (child care available)
- ◆ 4:30pm Family Friendly Worship (child care available)
- ◆ 10:30pm Candlelight Service

Sunday, December 26

- ◆ 10:00am One Worship Service

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to see this newsletter in
full color!

Children's Christmas Program

Sunday, December 12

9:30 a.m.

The children will be performing

"That Special Night", by Kathy Tunseth.

Join us also for a reception following the program.

Council Corner— Betchen Oberdorfer

For a doctor, she didn't seem particularly empathetic. Her eyes wandered as I complained of the aches in my knees. She yawned as I complained about the bags under my eyes. She fidgeted as I recounted the occasional times my heart beat seemed irregular. She did look, however, when I pointed out my ankles were swelling.

"Are you retired?" she asked.

"Yes," I replied. And then she continued:

"Are you living in your own home?" Yes. "Do you do your own chores?" Yes. "Do you take care of your grandchildren?" Yes. "Are they in good health?" Yes. "Do you do your own cooking?" Well, no, but my husband does!

She smiled.

I drove home, made myself a cup of tea, read the paper, watched tv, talked to my granddaughter, and emailed a few friends. Then it dawned on me – the doctor had given me a shot in the arm when I wasn't looking. Maybe this Thanksgiving I will give up complaining and take up thanksgiving. At my age I have a lot to be grateful for. *Maybe* I should give thanks more than just at Thanksgiving. Like maybe all year long.

Christmas Fellowship

Sunday, December 19 at 9:30 a.m.

Please join us for our traditional Christmas Fellowship this Sunday between services (9:30 - 10:30am). You will have an opportunity to have refreshments and visit with your Prince of Peace friends (and may even meet some new friends). For your enjoyment we will also be providing beautiful piano music by Maureen Dudley and Mary Palumbo.

Deanna Rowe, Joan Gray and Jan Hanson, Christmas Fellowship Committee

Financial Information Fiscal Year July 2010-June 2011

YTD Income through October = \$144,890
YTD Expenses through October = \$140,642
General Fund Bal = \$21,759
Building Fund Bal = \$24,572
Other Funds Balance = \$61,768

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8:30am to 5:00pm Monday-Friday
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The deadline for articles for the **January Vine** is **Friday, December 10**. The deadline for bulletin announcements is Wednesday at noon of each week. Please drop off or e-mail your information to the office at office@princeofpeace.tc.

A T T E N D A N C E	<u>Date</u>	<u>Worship</u>	<u>Children's Ed.</u>
	10/17	196	36
	10/24	171	No S.S.
	10/31	232	36
	11/07	212	34
	11/14	188	38



Prayer Chain Requests

If you have a prayer request, please call the church office or e-mail office@princeofpeace.tc. On the weekend call or e-mail Linda Olson 651-482-8543 lmolson66@gmail.com

Reserve a room for your meetings. PoP is used by many of our members and committees as well as a few outside groups. Contact the church office to reserve a room as soon as possible. See the calendar in this newsletter or go to the website to view the up-to-date calendar.

Equal Exchange coffee

Coffee is sold at our cost. Please support the Lutheran World Relief Coffee project. Please remember to pay for the coffee you take.

Meals on Wheels

December 6

Prayer Shawl Knitting

First Tuesday of the Month
Contact Donna Gramstad
651-407-2976.

Library Cleaning day

3rd Tuesday of each month at 1:00pm

Child Care Available

The Nursery is staffed each Sunday during the worship and education hours. We also offer care during both the 3:00 & 4:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Services.

Message from Senior Pastor Anita Beste



We all have our favorite songs or Christmas carols we want to hear or sing this time of year. And probably for all sorts of different reasons – tradition, the beauty of the music or the words, ethnic heritage, easy to sing with children, or the song’s power to evoke the memory of a person or event.

Singing *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* takes me right back to the Advent services in my childhood church. And *Silent Night* – always sung with candles at the Christmas Eve service – stirs up some mysterious transcendence – an experience of something beyond the words and the music .

The last few years, a new favorite has emerged for me – *All Earth Is Hopeful*. The music is fine enough, but it’s because of the theology that I’ve come to count this as an Advent/Christmas favorite. We sing of the coming of Jesus not just once a long time ago in Bethlehem, but right now too – in our lives and in our world. God is still at work; “*furrows lie open for God’s creative task.*” Anything can happen. There is readiness and potential and new beginning. Who knows what God is stirring up for us next? “*New highways opened*” echoes the ancient language of Isaiah 35 while “*new protocols declared*” quickly thrusts us into our modern way of doing business. Are there “new protocols” God is calling us to imagine or enact as we seek to participate in God’s mission in our time and place?

In singing our hymns and songs we sing our faith and learn our theology. We pray. We remember; we cry or smile. May God bless you through singing this season.
Pastor Anita Beste

*All Earth is Hopeful, the Savior comes at last!
Furrows lie open for God’s creative task:
this, the labor of people who struggle to see
How God’s truth and justice set everybody free.*

*People of Israel, you heard the prophet tell: “
A virgin mother will bear Emmanuel”;
she conceived him, “God with us,” our brother whose birth
restores hope and courage to children of this earth.*

*Mountains and valleys will have to prepared;
New highways opened, new protocols declared.
Almost here! God is nearing, in beauty and grace!
All clear every gateway, in haste, come out in haste!*

*We first saw Jesus a baby in a crib.
This same Lord Jesus today has come to live
in our world; he is present, in neighbors we see
our Jesus is with us, and ever sets us free.*

Message from Pastor Gordon Peterson



On Vitality: *Questions and Answers* by Dr. Gordon Peterson, Interim Pastor for Transition and Mission

As Interim Pastor for Transition and Mission, I appreciate your support, interest and participation in the transition process. Thanks! Since arriving in August – *can you believe it is almost Christmas?* – I have been listening to your comments, concerns, hopes and expectations for Prince of Peace Lutheran’s ministry and mission. I have, also, heard a few questions.

How were the members of the Transition Team selected?

I asked the council to enter into a process of discernment for the purpose of selecting team members, who were: in good standing; knowledgeable about congregational ministries; active participants in the life of the congregation; have specific skills in writing, research, statistics, group facilitation, data (demographic & financial) analysis; and a willingness to engage all members of Prince of Peace in a process of determining the present and future needs (program/ministry and staff) of the congregation.

Is the Transition Team a different name for the Call Committee?

The Transition Team has a clear job description and their work is to shepherd the transition process by providing information and recommendations to the congregation council. The Transition Team primary focus is on current staffing needs and future directions. The Transition Team is not the Call Committee.

Will the Congregation receive the Transition Team’s recommendations?

The Team is accountable to the congregation council. At the conclusion of their work, their findings and recommendation(s) will be presented to the Council. The Council has the authority to receive, accept, reject or modify any or all recommendations before presenting information to the Congregation for approval at a congregational meeting. As we move forward in the process, the congregation will be receiving updates about the Team’s work.

How is a Call Committee appointed?

According to the congregation’s constitution, a Call Committee is not appointed by the council. The Call Committee is elected by the congregation. The constitution is very clear and states that the Call Committee is elected by the congregation. By the way, the Call Committee would include the congregation President, Vice President and at least five members of the congregation. The Call Committee’s responsibility would be to identify, interview and recommend a qualified candidate to the congregation for approval and call. It is important that those elected to serve on the Call Committee represent a cross section of the congregation and have the necessary skills and knowledge to conduct a successful search process.

Who will make decisions about our future?

Since I believe, with all my heart, that the future belongs to God, I believe (as Luther believed) that God’s reign comes on its own. What we are called to do is to “ask that it may also come to us.” We believe that Prince of Peace is God’s church and that as God’s stewards the “powers of this congregation are vested in the Congregation Meeting.” The congregation has the power to delegate authority to the Council to provide general oversight of the life and activities of Prince of Peace. However, in the case of Calling a new pastor or Rostered lay leader, this responsibility and final authority rests with the congregation and not the Council.

How can we be involved in the decision making process?

Pray for the Transition Team, the Congregation Council, the Staff, All Committees and Ministries. **Direct** your questions about the transition to the Transition Team or to one of the pastors. **Respond** to every opportunity to complete a survey, or to participate in a transition-focus-group. **Attend** meetings of the Congregation and congregational forums. **Invite** members of the Transition Team and/or Pastor Gordon to meet with your small group. **Visit** Prince of Peace’s WEB page and ‘bookmark’ the Transition Team page.

If you have questions about the transition process, congregational direction or coming events, let me know by sending an email to Gordon@princeofpeace.tc.

Worship and Music

Lessons and Carols Singers!

If you would like to make a short-term commitment to Chancel Choir please join us to sing in our Service of Lessons and Carols! Plan to come to rehearsals on Wednesdays, December 1, 8 and 15 from 7:30 to approximately 8:30 pm in the choir room. We will present our two anthems at the 8:30 and 10:45 am worship services (along with handbells and other vocal choirs) on Sunday, December 19. Join us as we "...prepare the way of the Lord!"



Lessons & Carols Sunday, December 19 at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.

Join us for celebration of Advent! Lessons and Carols is a musical experience woven around scripture readings. It is sure to touch your heart and bring joy to your ears.

Mark your calendars for this memorable celebration. Invite those who have never experienced Lessons and Carols. Join us also for the Christmas Fellowship immediately following the service.



Worship Schedule

- Dec. 5** Advent 2 - Lightshine 8:30
Chancel Choir 10:45
- Dec. 12** Advent 3 - Bells of Peace at both services
- Dec. 19** Advent 4 - Lessons and Carols -
All groups both services (including band)
- Dec. 24** Christmas Eve with communion
3:00 Joyful Noise
4:30 Special Music
10:30 Chancel Choir
- Dec. 26** One service at 10:00 a.m.
1st Sunday after Christmas
- Jan. 2** we'll resume two services at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Traditional - 2nd Sunday after Christmas

Greetings from the Music Coordinator Milt Warkentien



I was just up on the North Shore with some of our high school youth and felt some of the anticipation I feel during Advent. **I LOVE** the North Shore and was very excited to be able to share it with some people who hadn't been there before. I'm not sure if I was more excited to be there or to see the reaction of those who hadn't ever been there.

I also LOVE Advent and the anticipation it brings of Christ's coming birth. This season's wonders can really be seen in the wide eyed expressions of our youngest members. Watch their expressions as they hang ornaments of stars, doves, people and hearts on our Christmas tree. Watch their expressions as they see the advent candles lit. For our youngest members all the different aspects of Advent bring new wonders for them. Do we still feel some of this excitement and wonder or are we too caught up in the hustle and bustle that this season brings? Do we know people who don't know the Christmas story? If so, Do we ask them to join us? As Prince of Peace moves forward during our transition what are some of the wonders and fears that we have? Unlike the Christmas story though, we don't know the ending of Prince of Peace's story.

My prayer is that as we move forward we move forward with the hope, peace, joy and love that Christ brings to us during these wonderful Seasons. I especially like the 7th verse of ELW 257 O Come, O Come, Emmanuel - "O come, O King of nations, come, O Cornerstone that binds in one: refresh the hearts that long for you; restore the broken, make us new. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel". If we, the members of Prince of Peace, keep Christ as our Cornerstone, I believe we can refresh the hearts that are longing, restore the hearts that are broken and make Prince of Peace "new".

May God bless us all.

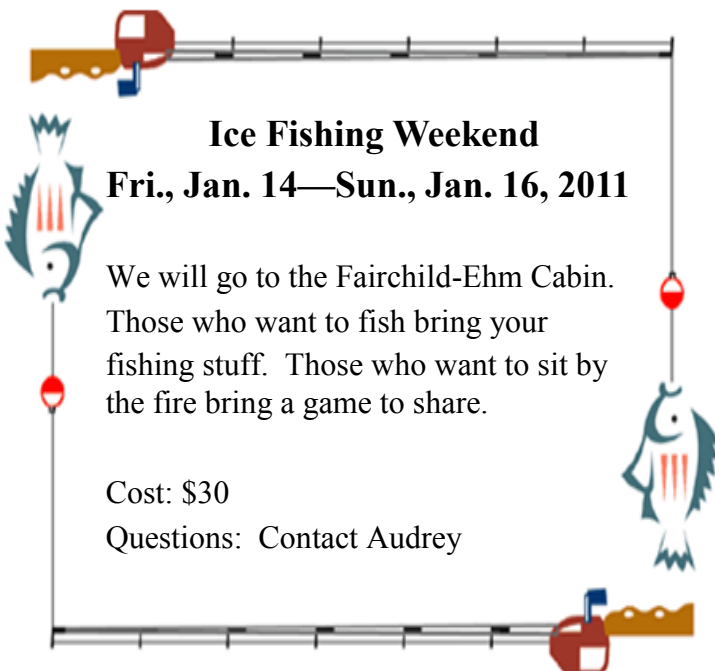
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Jr. and Sr. High Youth Events

Lefse Making

Friday, December 3, 10 a.m.—2 p.m.

Come help make lefse with us.
Sign up with Audrey Fairchild-Ehm

A graphic for an ice fishing weekend. It features a rectangular frame with a fishing line running through it. At the top left, a fishing rod is shown with a red bobber. At the bottom right, a fishing rod is shown with a red bobber. On the left side, a blue fish with red stripes is hanging from the line. On the right side, a blue fish with red stripes is hanging from the line. The text is centered within the frame.

Ice Fishing Weekend
Fri., Jan. 14—Sun., Jan. 16, 2011

We will go to the Fairchild-Ehm Cabin.
Those who want to fish bring your
fishing stuff. Those who want to sit by
the fire bring a game to share.

Cost: \$30
Questions: Contact Audrey

Sr. High Youth Events

Christmas Party

Wednesday, December 22

7:00—11:00 p.m.

We'll meet at Audrey's
Watch a movie
We'll enjoy some good food and company!
Sign up with Audrey.



***Audrey Fairchild-Ehm,
Youth Minister***

Thoughts from Audrey

“It’s beginning to look a lot like Christmas...” As I listened to the weather forecast of snow for the weekend, I realized that Christmas is around the corner. The Christmas commercials have been running for quite some time now. As I am sure many of you also get tired of how media devalues Christmas.

As Christians we hold Christmas to be holy, to be special, for it is in the birth of Jesus tht God himself came to live as one of us. Equal to Christmas is Easter and Pentecost, for it is in Jesus’ death and resurrection, God gives us His Spirit. With God’s Spirit we are given the gift of faith so that we are able to prepare and celebrate God’s coming among us as baby Jesus.

As we ready ourselves for the celebration of God’s coming as the Christ Child, may we take the time to enjoy the season. May we enjoy our families and friends. May we remember those among us who need food or shelter. May we take the time to be with God as we prepare for Christmas. May you have a joyous Christmas and may this time be a blessing to you and all whom you love.

Audrey

Thank You

Dear Audrey:

Please accept the belated thanks from the Volunteer Committee to everyone at Prince of Peace who was part of the \$340 received on October 10 for the CROP Walk. Over \$17, 000 was raised that day. Church World Service will put that money to work right away, alleviating hunger somewhere in the world. That work is possible because of folks like you!

God Bless,

Dave Leitzke
CROP Walk

December Birthdays

Orville Gunderson	Margaret Swanson	Geoffrey VandenBosch
Dana Jacobson	Lynda Peterson	Henry Nielsen
Audrey Henningson	Erin Oberdorfer	Audrey Fairchild-Ehm
Marie Hanson	Sally Bigalke	Paul Bernards
Susan Tungsvik	Bob Hurlbut	David Johnson
Lauren Duncan	Jim Luger	Holly Marsh
John Adams-Meade	Carol Swanson	Savita Oberdorfer
Alex Johnson	Morganna Oberdorfer	Brian Wolf
Amanda Jackson	Kaelyn Wold	Gregory Osborne
Jeana Hellenberg	Barton Nelson	John Hoops
Diane Dodge	Jon Lentsch	Marge Carr
Dave Syverson	Gail Lust	Ann Marie Johnson
Bill Drinane	Curt Norenberg	Haley Eagon
Susan Thomas	Susan Lewis	Hope Schultz
Molly Schuler	Leah VandenBosch	Chris Belz
Lois Swartz	Leah VandenBosch	Shirley Anderson
Deb Mosby	Enna Wold	Bonita Eliason
Jim Lundorff	Dick Jacobson	

Companion Village Plot

Prince of Peace is sponsoring a Companion Village Plot (CVP) with our companion congregation at Bomalang'ombe. They have two test plots; one for corn and one for beans. They did their first planting at the end of 2009 for the 2010 crop. This is a three year program and the first year for the Companion Village Plot (CVP) has now been completed at Bomalang'ombe.

The 10 Test Plots that completed their first year in 2009 saw a three to five times increase in their yields. The cost of the program is \$6,000 for a three-year commitment (\$2,000 per year). The \$2,000 annual cost will cover soil samples, seed, fertilizer, and crop protection products. In addition, this commitment will cover the salary and transportation costs for an agricultural specialist to provide oversight for establishing and maintaining plots for the congregation. There is a team from the Agriculture Companion Village Project that visits 6 times during the year and advises them on planting, growing, harvesting, storing, and marketing issues.

The corn harvest at Bomalang'ombe was good. They have had training on how to store the grain and how to market it when the price is higher than it is immediately after the harvest. They will be planting for the 2011 harvest soon. The program has been well received and three residents have started implementing the program on their own.

Prince of Peace sent \$2,000 last year and the \$2,000 for this year was due in September. If you would like to contribute to the project, please mark your contribution as being for the Bomalang'ombe Agricultural Project.

New Members

**These New Members were welcomed on
Sunday, November 7**

Nathan & Maggie Aguirre,

Jazmin Gonzalez and Arianna Aguirre

Helen Danielson

Lois Leisz

Gayle Miho

Adult Education 9:30 in the reception room

December 5 - Listening House, in St. Paul, is a sanctuary from the streets where practical assistance, counsel and a friendly ear are offered to people who are homeless. Listening House has been a conduit between street and self-sufficiency for many people.

December 12 - Children's Christmas Play

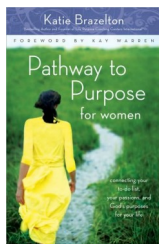
December 19 — Christmas Fellowship

December 26 - No Education hour

Women's Book Club

You're invited to come to the Women's Book Club.

We are discussing the book *Pathway to Purpose: Connecting your To Do list, your passions, and God's purposes for you* by Katie Brazelton.



We will be meeting the first Thursday of the month. The next meeting is December 2 and will be at 7:30, ending at 8:30.

We will meet at Rose Diestler's house for the December 2 meeting. Please call the church off office if you need Rose's address or phone number.

The book does not have to be completely read by the meetings, just some of it needs to be read. I have a study book that goes with to help guide our discussions.

Lyngblomsten - Spirit of Giving

A gift collection for Residents and Tenants of Lyngblomsten.

How to Participate: Purchase a \$10-15 gift (see suggested gift ideas below). Then drop off the unwrapped gift in the box in the Narthex by Friday, December 10. Please contact the office if you wish to give a monetary gift.

Suggested Gift Ideas: Zip-up or button-down sweaters or shirts, "over-the-head necklaces, lotions, cookies, sun catchers, purses, wallets, scarves, mittens and large print books.

Women's Bible Study

Martha Circle

Second Monday, December 13 at 12 noon

Hostess: Christmas Potluck

Leader: Mary Lewis

Rebecca Circle

Second Monday, November 13 at 7:30 pm

Hostess: Linda Olson

Leader: Linda Olson

Lydia Circle

Second Tuesday: December 14 at 9:30 am

Hostess: Ardella Noreuberg

Organ music by Ardella

Ruth Circle

Second Tuesday: December 14 at 6:30 pm

Hostess: Rose Diestler

Leader: Rose Diestler

Women of the Well Circle

Second Tuesday: December 14 at 9:30 am

Hostess: Kay Johnson

Leader: Nell Sponheim

Contact Deanna Rowe (651-483-2238) if you are interested in joining a Bible study.

Older Kids (OK's)

It's Beginning to Sound a Lot Like Christmas . . .

The Older Kids meet Thursday, Dec. 9, with social hour at 11:30, luncheon at 12 noon followed by the program.

Program is "At Christmas Time". Mary Hall, a musical artist and inspirational speaker, will lead us into the Christmas season. Mary is from Star Prairie, Wisconsin.

The St. Anthony Park Lutheran AMAZING GRAYS will join us for our December OK lunch and program.

Cost is \$8.00. Make your reservation in the narthex on Sundays, Nov. 28 or Dec. 5, or phone your RSVP to Margaret Sorensen at 651-631-0247 or Vera Ista, 651-484-4443.



Tammy Wilkinson, Children's Ministry Coordinator

How the Grinch Stole Christmas

How much do I love this cute little Christmas movie? Let me count the ways... the cartoon drawings, the sense of humor, the music and of course the message are among the top ten reasons why this movie has become a tradition in our home.

How many of you can relate to little Cindy Lou Who or the Grinch? Are you searching for the deeper meaning of Christmas? The cartoon makes it crystal clear. Christmas is all about the joy of celebrating and sharing traditions with one another.

However, as Christians, we need to ask ourselves this... "What does Christmas mean to me?" Much like the New Year or Easter, Christmas can be a time of renewal. A time of meditation and self examination. When we look at Christmas with deeper meaning, yet with simplicity, it is then that we fully understand why the little Child in the Manager means so much to us.

Jesus came so that we may find Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love. Simple, yet powerful words. I pray that your Peace is found in prayer this season. Your Hope is found knowing that God is crazy in love with you. That you find Joy in giving to those in need. You share God's Love by sharing the gift of time with those who you hold dear.

May you have a Blessed Christmas!



You're Invited!
Children's Christmas Program
Sunday, December 12
9:30-10:30 a.m.
All are Welcome!
Invite your Friends and Family!

**Mark your Calendars—
Coming in January!**

Whole and Holy Families

Presented by: Christy Olson

Join us in January as we learn together how to support Faith Formation in the home. It is said that it takes a village to raise a child, all are welcome to join in helping families grow in their faith and support one another along the way.

Come to one or all of these workshops during the Sunday morning Education hour (9:30-10:30 a.m.)

Jan. 9—Being a Whole Family

Jan. 16—Families in Prayer

Jan. 23—Holy Texts and Families

Jan. 30—Families and Community

Happy, healthy and holy families are the hope of each parent when they dream about the future of their family. To be whole, families must work together to help one another grow intellectually, socially, emotionally, spiritually and physically. Wholeness allows families to recognize holy in themselves one another.

For more information or to sign up for workshops, please contact Tammy Wilkinson at 651-484-4144 or tammy@princeofpeace.tc.



Sunday School Corner - Pre K—Kindergarten

Sunday School teachers Barb Burkhardt and Anne Anderson are having a great time teaching the Pre K—Kindergarten class. This group is our largest Sunday School class with sixteen busy students. They have been doing a variety of crafts and activities that support their weekly Bible story. Recently a parent told me their daughter's favorite book is the Bible and she loves to share what she learns with her friends and family. Doesn't that just put a big smile on your face? Also, each week the group ends their Sunday mornings singing, dancing, and learning about music with Liz Erickson and Laurel Cederberg.

December

If there is an event missing or a change required, please contact the office.

651-484-4144 or office@princeofpeace.tc

View **current and updated** calendar on the website: www.princeofpeace.tc

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Advent No Sunday School 8:30 AM Worship 9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship 10:45 AM Worship 12:00 PM Burke Baptism Reception 4:00 PM Lithuanian Worship	29 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 150 7:00 PM POP Men's Basketball (open)	30	1 5:30 PM Supper for Everyone! 6:15 PM Bell Choir 6:15 PM Confirmation 6:15 PM FEAST 9-12 graders 6:30 PM Joyful Noise! 6:30 PM Little Explorers 7:15 PM Jr/Sr High Music 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	2 5:30 PM Men's Basketball (Outside Group)	3 10:00 AM Lefse Making / Jr. High Youth	4 9:00 AM Christmas Card Workshop
5 8:30 AM Worship with Communion 9:30 AM Education Hour 10:45 AM Worship with Communion 4:00 PM Minnesota Rose Society	6 10:45 AM Meals on Wheels 5:00 PM Worship Committee 6:00 PM Boy Scout Pack Leader Meeting 7:00 PM POP Men's Basketball (open)	7	8 5:30 PM Supper for Everyone! 6:15 PM Bell Choir 6:15 PM Confirmation 6:15 PM FEAST 9-12 graders 6:30 PM Children's Ministry - Teachers Meeting 6:30 PM Joyful Noise! 6:30 PM Little Explorers 7:00 PM Social Concerns Committee 7:15 PM Jr/Sr High Music 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	9 11:30 AM Older Kids Program 5:30 PM Men's Basketball (Outside Group)	10 Vine articles Due 3:00 PM Set-Up Children's Christmas Program Set-Up	11 9:30 AM Children's Christmas Program Rehearsal
12 8:30 AM Worship 9:30 AM Children's Christmas Program 10:45 AM Worship 4:00 PM Lithuanian Worship	13 12:00 PM Martha Circle 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 150 7:00 PM POP Men's Basketball (open) 7:30 PM Rebecca Circle	14 9:30 AM Lydia Circle 9:30 AM Women of the Well 7:00 PM Personnel Committee Meeting 7:30 PM Ruth Circle	15 5:30 PM Supper for Everyone! 6:15 PM Bell Choir 6:15 PM Confirmation 6:15 PM FEAST 9-12 graders 6:30 PM Joyful Noise! 6:30 PM Little Explorers 7:15 PM Jr/Sr High Music 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	16 5:30 PM Men's Basketball (Outside Group)	17	18 10:00 AM Christmas Fellowship Setup
19 8:30 AM Worship 9:30 AM Christmas Fellowship 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:45 AM Worship 4:00 PM Lithuanian Worship	20 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 150 7:00 PM POP Men's Basketball (open)	21 First Day of Winter 6:00 PM Executive Committee 7:00 PM Council	22 6:15 PM Bell Choir 6:30 PM Joyful Noise! 7:00 PM Christmas Party - Senior High 7:15 PM Jr/Sr High Music 7:30 PM Chancel Choir	23 5:30 PM Men's Basketball (Outside Group)	24 Office Open Until 12 noon 3:00 PM Christmas Eve Worship 4:30 PM Christmas Eve Worship 10:30 PM Christmas Eve Worship	25 Christmas Day
26 10:00 AM Worship	27 Office Closed 10:45 AM Meals on Wheels 7:00 PM POP Men's Basketball (open)	28 Befrienders	29	30 5:30 PM Men's Basketball (Outside Group)	31 Office Open Until 4:30pm	1 New Year's Day



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10th Annual Tanzanian Dinner

Bwana Asifiwe! Praise the Lord!

Asante Sana! Thank you to all who helped to make our Tanzanian Dinner in November a huge success! Between freewill offerings, the silent auction and basket sales, we have raised more than \$8,600 so far for secondary school scholarships, gifting for the pastors and evangelists in Bomalang'ombe, and an agricultural test plot.

Over 30 volunteers served dinner for 110 people from Prince of Peace and the community. A special word of thanks goes to everyone who helped set up, decorate, donated items for auction, helped with cooking, serving or cleanup. And especially thank you to all who have made donations to support the ministries in Tanzania.

We hope to sponsor at least 20 secondary school students in 2011 at \$360 per student. If you would like to contribute towards school sponsorships, you may do so by placing your contribution in the offering and marking it for Tanzania. Also, if you're interested in purchasing any hand-made items from Bomalang'ombe for Christmas gifts, please contact Caryn Josephson at cbz@skypoint.com.

It's a joy and a privilege to be able to share in God's ministry with our brothers and sisters in Bomalang'ombe. Their love of God and joy in the spirit is inspiring and has changed lives in Tanzania as well as here at Prince of Peace.

Sharing in the Gospel

Remember Prince of Peace in your 2010 end-of-year giving.

Your Prince of Peace envelope packet contains a special envelope for end of year gifts to Prince of Peace. In this season of giving joy for Christ's birth we ask you to prayerfully consider giving thanks for the ways in which Prince of Peace shares in the gospel with a special end of year donation.

I thank my God, constantly praying with joy in my prayers for all of you, because of your **sharing in the gospel**. Philippians 1:3

Tanzanian Dinner continued

We give thanks to God for the gift of this shared ministry.

Asante Sana. Thank you for your sharing in the gospel with our brothers and sisters in Bomalang'ombe, Tanzania.

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