

# *THE HALO*



*September 2010*

I wish for you a Sabbath!

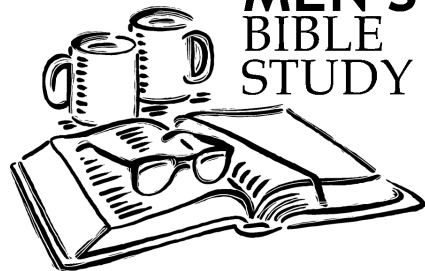
On the seventh day God rested. Oh, how I wish we could go back to the days when stores, restaurants and most places of business were closed on Sunday. Not just because I would see more of you who now have to work some Sundays, but, as If you are like me—I wake up and another week has gone by.

I have heard so many of you mention, life is too busy. Sabbath time, God knows we need a day of rest. Not only rest, but time—time to sit and listen, doing anything that will help us open our hearts to God.

I am reminded of St Augustine who reminded us of what we long for: Our hearts are restless until they find rest in Thee oh Lord. It is I believe out of longing we have the Sabbath. But it is something more, God does something for us on the Sabbath, God meets and transforms us in our Sabbath moments and Sabbath days. Sabbath is a time of getting in tune with God—of being able to hear the grand plans that God has for each of us, plans that call us to greater and greater life- Sabbath time is created for us—to give us time to listen to our lives, to listen to our longings, to listen to where God might be calling us next. As life once again speeds up with the approach of Fall--Slow down, take time, and rest!

In Christ's Love,

Pastor Becky



## **MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

You don't have to be a bible scholar to be a part of this group—just an interest in how the bible applies to you. Pastor Nurse leads an informal look at scripture and helps to show the relevance of it to today's world. The discussions are lively and interesting, the donuts are fresh, and the coffee hearty. Is eight o'clock on a Saturday morning too early for you? Not when you come away awake and alive in God's word to start your weekend.

That's Saturday mornings at eight in the lounge.

### **GOOD SHEPHERD COALITION**

**In need of important daily living items:**

**Laundry detergent**

**Cleaners/Dish soap**

**Paper towels/Garbage bags**

**Toilet paper/Deodorant**

**These items are in GREAT NEED for survival for everyone**

**Please call Karen Rothenhauser(586)464-0193 to help!!!**



**Mondays: 10:00—6:30**

**Tuesday thru Friday, 11:00—4:00**

### **T-SHIRT SUNDAYS**

**Remember that the last Sunday of each month is wear your ALC T- Shirt Sunday!**

**It is also**

**BRING A FRIEND SUNDAY**

**So make sure to invite a friend to come with you and enjoy our Worship service!**



## MOVIE WITH THE STARS



That can mean the ones on the screen, or the ones overhead (Lord willing), or both. Either way, the outdoor movie is scheduled for Friday, September 10th at dusk. Open to the community—another way to reach out to our friends and neighbors.

The scheduled movie is “Up,” an animated feature that will appeal to kids, as well as grownups.



The church will be holding a class in October on a Saturday, either the 9th or 23rd . It will be a 7 1/2 hour class. The cost is \$70.00 per person. We need to have 12 people in the class. You will be given all new material for the training. If you are interested please call the church office. We will determine the date of the class from those who sign up.

Thank You, Delinda

### ALTAR FLOWERS

When you order flowers to be placed for an occasion and would like to take them home, please sign up for the 1<sup>st</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month nearest the event. Real flowers are ordered for those days (Communion Sundays) and silk flowers are used for the other Sundays. The cost is \$15.00 regardless of real or silk. If anyone would like to make matching silk flower bouquets for the Altar Flower holders, please contact the office. It is nice to have a few sets that can be alternated throughout the year.



*The Good Shepherd  
Coalition*

### GOOD SHEPHERD COALITION NEWS

On September 15th, their new location will be at 33222 Groesbeck Highway, north of 14 Mile. In the same building as the Hope Center, which houses a food distribution facility as well as other agencies dedicated to community assistance and counseling.

The phone numbers will also change: (586) 415-8100, fax (586) 415 8191

On October 25th, at 9 AM, there will be a general meeting, and an opportunity to tour the center. Be sure to mark your calendars.

[americanlutheran.org](http://americanlutheran.org)



**rummage** (rum' ij) *n.* <Mfr..*arrumage* <*arrumer*, to stow cargo in the hold\*

**rummage sale** a sale of contributed miscellaneous articles, used or new, to raise money for charitable purposes or for some organization.\*

What does it all mean? It means to get that cargo out of your holds, and bring it to ALC. Then on the 10th and 11th, come back and buy things to fill the voids left by what you brought!

Times are 9-4 on Friday, the 10th, 9-1 on Saturday.

Baked goodies will be on hand to satisfy the appetite you worked up shopping for great bargains.

(\* Webster's New World Dictionary)



PS: Don't forget to tell your friends, neighbors, relatives, colleagues, the folks in line at Kroger's . .

Proceeds will be used, as defined above, half to fund the upcoming Mission Trip to Guatemala, the other half will be donated to Good Shepherd Coalition. If you want to haggle price, haggle UP for a couple of very worthy causes.



**Remember  
Our Homebound Members**

Mildred Fiddler  
The Village of East Harbor  
33875 Kiely Dr. Apt 401  
New Baltimore, MI 48047  
May 30th

Mrs. Ethel Mickey  
37012 Charter Oaks Blvd.  
Clinton Twp., MI 48036  
April 4th

Mrs. Beverly Stafford  
45584 Private Shore Dr.  
New Baltimore, MI 48047  
December 26th

Debra Czerwinski  
38157 Saddle Lane  
Clinton Twp., MI 48036  
March 13th

George & Suzanne Strawinski  
34 Park Apt 913  
Mt. Clemens, MI 48043  
George—April 30th  
Suzanne— December 11th

Wilfred Brandt  
43616 Riverbend Blvd.  
Clinton Twp., Mi 48038



Did You Know?!

Did you know? In an effort to keep up with our growing, going “This Way ‘N That family this DID YOU KNOW section will try to keep us in touch with members changes, transitions, “*growings*” and “*goings on!*” Please help us keep in touch with our ALC family by sending an e-mail of children and grandchildren, going to school, getting married, jobs, houses, and so on. And all of the rest of us who are having grandchildren, great- grandchildren, discovering new frontiers in jobs, ventures and other ventures. The hope is that we will be better able to pray for each other, keep in contact, rejoice and even mourn as a family. Send you news to [amluth@sbcglobal.net](mailto:amluth@sbcglobal.net), or put a line, paragraph or special letter in the offering plate or office.

## **COFFEE HOUR**

### **Hosts and Hostesses needed!**

**To be able to continue our Fellowship Hour after service on Sunday morning we need volunteers to help make and server coffee and juice. If you would like to volunteer but are unable to fill the large coffee pot just let the office know. Greg Anderson will fill it on Saturday. All you will need to do is place a filter inside the coffee section and add the coffee amount required, switch the pot on and in about an hour you have coffee!**

**To make 55 cups of coffee in the large pot (which is what we have been making) you will need 3 cups of coffee.**

**A quart of coffee cream is more than enough and the sugar and sweetener is already provided. 1/2 to 1 gallon of juice is needed for the children and the young at heart.**

**Please sign up or let the office know what Sunday would be good for you!**

***Thanks!***



**SEPTEMBER**

5	Amanda Bianco
5	Joelle Krempa
6	Sandra Markham
8	Clementine Osterland
8	Michael Lasker
9	Shane Turpin
10	Patricia Andrews
11	Jeffrey Abate
11	Thomas Guisgand
11	John Plonka
11	Mickey Sobieski
12	Laura Bianco
12	Blanche Fraser
13	Nick Benson
13	Pam MacKay
16	Haylie Hart
17	Erik Rothenhauser
18	Michael Krempa
18	Dale Miller
20	Donald Plonka
21	Amanda Campbell
21	Lorraine Hengesbach
24	Jim Denier
24	Jon Scavone
25	Noah Loveday
26	John Mikle
26	Emma Valentik
27	Colton Knapp

**OCTOBER**

1	Julie Andrews
2	Amber Lamky
2	Don Sputa
2	Groucho Marx
6	Amy Hajduk
7	Gen Olson
10	Sandra Kerr
11	Delaney Koch
12	Shannon Boeck
12	Kathy Christopher
13	Carol Harner
14	Helen Baldwin
14	Mary Valentik
15	Lee Iacocca
16	Angela Lansbury
17	Ken Olson
17	Evel Knievel
18	Gloria Babcock
18	Harold Bock
20	Jim Christopher
22	John Slezia
22	Annette Funicello
22	Arnie Krause
28	Janey McGlashen
30	Caleb Condon
30	Charles Atlas

*September*

1	<i>Ken &amp; Betsy Olson</i>
2	<i>Tony &amp; Lisa Manetta</i>
5	<i>Andrew &amp; Carolyn Patzert</i>
9	<i>Jay &amp; Tammy Lamky</i>
21	<i>John &amp; Clare Plonka</i>
22	<i>Nick &amp; Anna Benson</i>
24	<i>Jason &amp; Tammy Pretzer</i>
27	<i>Marc &amp; Susan Bates</i>
29	<i>Duane &amp; Mary Zube</i>

*October*

5	<i>Chris &amp; Laura Bianco</i>
7	<i>Al &amp; Kathy Snyder</i>
7	<i>Mike &amp; Vera Bolash</i>
8	<i>Mike &amp; Sonja Bennett</i>
14	<i>Greg &amp; Dawn Anderson</i>
18	<i>Clyde &amp; Sally Heaton</i>
23	<i>Jeff &amp; Stacie Pretzer</i>

***Congratulations!***

If there are any omissions or wrong dates on the birthday or anniversary lists, please contact the office or write the information on a pink slip and place it in the Offering Plate. Thank you!



