

**Weekly Calendar—  
June 14—19, 2010  
(subject to change)**

Senior Meal Program: Daily 9:00-12:30  
International Peace Academy Here Daily  
7:00AM-3:30PM



**Mark Your Calendar**

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation will take place on Wednesday, July 14, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. An ice cream social and an opportunity for fellowship will start at 6:30 p.m. in the dining room with the meeting to follow.

The primary purpose of the meeting this year will be to elect the members of the Leadership Council for the next two years.

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**Monday, June 14**  
10:00—Senior Center Commons/DR

**Tuesday, June 15**  
6:30 Latino Band

**Wednesday, June 16**  
10:00 Al Anon Amph  
5:00 Art Night  
6:00 Latino Academy Dining Room

**Thursday, June 17**  
8:30 Hope Network 1300 Bldg.  
6:00 Al Anon Chapel

**Friday, June 18**  
5:00 Hmong Lock In

**Saturday, June 12**  
10:00 Al Anon  
10:00-2:00 Music Rehearsal  
2:00 Wedding—Martinez/Perez  
3:00 Wedding Reception in the Gym

**Sunday, June 19**  
8:45 Traditional Service  
10:00 One Family/One Spirit  
10:15 Bell Rehearsal  
11:00 Hmong & Sunday School  
12:30 Spanish & Sunday School

# Ascension News

**Third Sunday  
After Pentecost  
June 13, 2010**



**Pastors**  
**Rev. Jonathan Jacobs**  
**Rev. Walter Baires**  
**Rev. Youa Kao Vang**

***We are the Church Together!***

*Welcome to worship as we continue our journey together as a people of God.  
We invite visitors to sign our guest book at the main entrance  
and to join us for coffee and fellowship after the services.*

Thank you to all the Ascension disciples for your prayers, support, and Cards during the time I was hospitalized in Chicago. I've been home for about 2 weeks and am very happy to be back with my family and friends. I am still very weak and have lost a lot of weight since my Cord Blood Transplant. Even though I am back in Milwaukee, I will still have to travel back to Chicago weekly for follow-ups. We are still unsure of how long this recovery process will take for me to be healthy enough to return to church but I hope it will be soon.

I can't believe it's already been a year since I have been diagnosed with Leukemia. I feel very fortunate to have made it this far. I hope that the worst has passed and my recovery will be much easier. I have missed church and all of the people that I work with.

Thank you to all the Ascension Leaders for your help in the Hmong Ministry and also stepping forward with the leadership of Pastor Jon and Pastor Baires when I became sick. I am very grateful to have colleagues like you all to rely on. I will try to update you all weekly with my health.

Pastor Youa Kao Vang



**Catch the Wave for  
Camp Hope Summer Day Camp at Ascension!  
Session One: Water Life—July 19-23;  
Session Two: Water Voyage—July 26-30;  
Session Three: Living Water—August 2 to 6.**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

AUGUST 1-5, 2010

DURING THE **BAOBAB BLAST** WE WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT:

- ABRAHAM AND SARAH AS THEY TRAVEL TO CANAAN**
- JOSEPH AND HIS BROTHERS**
- JESUS CALLING HIS DISCIPLES**
- THE GOOD SAMARITAN**
- PHILIP AND THE ETHIOPIAN**

JOIN US FROM 6:00-8:30PM FOR FUN,  
LEARNING AND FELLOWSHIP.

**CHILDREN AGE 3 YEARS THROUGH 6TH GRADE ARE WELCOME. WE'RE ALWAYS HAPPY TO HAVE OLDER CHILDREN AS HELPERS. REGISTRATION SLIPS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE COMMONS. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT JAN FOX AT 262-782-5680 AFTER JUNE 18.**

**New Envelope Service Poll As of This Date—  
Like: 16      Dislike: 5**



LETTERS OF APPRECIATION:

From Calvary: "Thank you for inviting our handbells, choir and congregation to be part of the Ascension Day Worship! God's Blessings! The Calvary Senior Choir and Celebration Ringers." "What a wonderful experience. Thanks." "It was great to have you join us!"

From Hephatha: "Thank you for hosting us for Ascension Day. I must share with you the words from one of our praise dancers, leasha, as we left your church that Thursday evening: "Pastor, I really enjoyed myself tonight. We must come to Ascension more often. She meant it! Thank you for making us welcome and for including our praise dancers in the worship. They were honored to be part of the service. Please always accept our thanks for your decades of mission partnership with us, for the strength for ministry you share with us. Please know that we pray for Pastor Vang every time we gather for worship and for confirmation class. God's peace to you, Pastor Mary Martha"

*Excerpt From Article on Pat Kveen from 50 Plus Magazine— "Her dedication to help others has no boundaries. Patricia has been an active and instrumental volunteer for the past 14 years with the Senior Dining at Ascension Lutheran. She works tirelessly four days per week answering the phone, registering diners and sharing stories. Patricia is a peacemaker, a friend and is extremely reliable, trustworthy and caring. It is her relationship with the diners that is most impressive. She truly cares about each and every diner and she would be terribly missed by those at Ascension if she were not there. As a church member, she took charge of the Infant and Toddler Nursery for twenty years, taught three year old Sunday School for seven years and dedicated ten years on the Fellowship Board. She is the mother of four and grandmother and great grandmother to 18 children. Patricia is a shining example of someone who perseveres through life's troubles, seeing the silver lining that is always there to be found."*

**Attendance All Services— June 6, 2010 = 267**

**Donations Regular: \$ 5,565.90 Building: \$236.50**

**Thank You for Your Continuing Donations!**

*Please Remember the Following Persons in Your Prayers:*

Terry Bartlein, Joyce Brigham, Lois Goodmann, Dick Jensen, Brad Mysliwski, Jody Remiker, Jared Swanson, Chong Ge Vang, Pastor Youa Kao Vang