



The Sunday Times July 9, 2017

*We are grateful to Kevin Murphy
for sharing his gift of music with us this morning.*

Coffee & Conversation

As part of Transformissional Ministry, and moving our congregation to an 'intentional Christian community', we will meet for coffee (or beverage of your choice) and a chance to talk to each other. Upcoming gatherings will be held on Tuesday, July 11 and Tuesday, July 18 at 2:00 PM, and also on Monday, July 31 at 2:00 PM at Panera Bread (3700 Vestal Parkway E). Please sign up on Pastor AJ's door.

Summer Wednesday Food & Fellowship

If you would like to contribute to an upcoming Wednesday meal, please sign-up on the Events board in the Entry Way. Thank you!

CHOW Food Donations

Please help fill the CHOW barrel! Once it is full, the Community Hunger Outreach Warehouse will distribute it to needy families in our community. Some examples of items they can use are: cold cereal, peanut butter and jelly, oatmeal, instant potatoes, pork and beans, tuna fish, mac and cheese, and juice. Bring your donations (no glass containers, please) to the blue barrel located in the Entry Way.

*The flowers on the altar are given by
Dennis Chapman and Angie Crawford
in honor of their anniversary.*

A Message of Thanks from Seafarer's International



Just a short note of appreciation for the opportunity to present our mission to seafarers and asylum seekers through a display and a workshop. Periodically, I took knitted hats and scarves out to my car, lest the display table disappear under the wool. These knitted items filled all but the front seat of my SUV to the window

level - 161 scarves, 373 hats, 533 pieces. When I got home, my wife and I and another couple from our church (Good Shepherd Lutheran, Florham Park NJ) counted and repacked the matching and color complimentary hats and scarves in bags (apparently, I overlooked the significance of color matching).

300 pieces went to our port chaplains in the Port of New York/New Jersey last Thursday, and the balance are being mailed to our port chaplains in New England, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

It was a remarkable outreach by your synod folk, and these hats and scarves will be well received by the seafarers we visit throughout the rest of this year. I have a few photos, and we'll certainly record the Upstate New York Synod's generosity in our next newsletter.

Thank you, Bishop, Patsy, Beth and Carol Bonnewell. Have a refreshing summer.

Peace,
Christopher V. Roehrer, Director
Development and Communication
Seafarers & International House

Christ the King Weekly Calendar

- Sunday, 7/9 - Contemplative Worship & Faith Formation
at 9:00 AM
- Wednesday, 7/12 - Food & Fellowship at 5:30 PM
- Faith Formation at 6:15 PM
- Worship at 7:00 PM
- Thursday, 7/13 - Leadership Team Meeting at 6:00 PM
- Saturday, 7/15 - Men's Group at 8:00 AM
- Sunday, 7/16 - Contemplative Worship & Faith Formation
at 9:00 AM
- Wednesday, 7/19 - Food & Fellowship at 5:30 PM
- Faith Formation at 6:15 PM
- Worship at 7:00 PM

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