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Welcome Summer!

As summer rolls into full swing so does planning for fall. Before we look into what's happening this fall, there are a few reasons to celebrate this summer at Interfaith Senior Programs.

1. We would like to congratulate Jack Finley and Virginia Hernandez on receiving the Presidential Lifetime



Award for volunteering more than 4,000 hours. They have impacted many lives in Waukesha County and we are truly grateful for their service. Along with celebrating Jack and Virginia's achievements, we also acknowledged 5 volunteers for 20 years of service, 15 volunteers for 15 years of service and 22 volunteers for 10 years of service.

2. We celebrate the work of the youth from St. Bartholomew's church in Pewaukee! They spent a day painting our offices as part of a local mission trip!
3. A shout out goes to the children at Redeemer UCC church in Pewaukee! They kicked off our **Stockings Full of Joy** holiday giving program with a tie-dye party after church one Sunday in June!

There are many great things to celebrate this summer at Interfaith Senior Programs! As we strive to meet the needs of the seniors in our community, we recognize that this is only possible by the support of the congregations and community partners in Waukesha County. Neighbors Giving. Neighbors Caring! Together we can make a difference.

Let us Come Speak to Your Senior Group!

Interfaith Senior Programs would love to come and do a presentation for your group on the different services and volunteer opportunities Interfaith Senior Program provides Waukesha County. To schedule a member of the staff to come and visit, please contact Kris Lombardi at 262 522 2402 or KrisL@InterfaithWaukesha.org.



Opportunities for Youth

Two workshops are available for intergenerational events, Sunday school classes, youth groups or confirmation. Both workshops last about an hour, and can be tailored to meet your group's needs.

- The first workshop, Senior Sensitivity Training, is a hands-on program helping individuals discover the challenges that come with the aging process.
- The second workshop, Day of Service, is an activity based event bringing the service projects to you! It begins with a quick discussion on why service is important. Then it is all hands on deck!

Stockings Full of Joy Holiday Giving



Help Interfaith Senior Programs bring joy to 500 Low-Income Seniors and Adults with Disabilities in Waukesha County!

There are three different ways you or your organization can make the holidays a little brighter for our Interfaith Senior Programs' clients in your community.

HOLD A DONATION DRIVE

Collect gift cards and stamps yourself, or coordinate a donation drive at your organization.

Items to collect: \$10 gift cards to Pick 'n Save, \$5 gift cards for McDonalds, \$10 gift cards for Walgreens, Books of 20 Forever stamps, Deck of playing cards, pens and pencils, word search, crossword and Sudoku puzzle books,

DONATE

Sponsor a full Holiday Gift(\$100) for a Neighbor We will provide materials for a complete Holiday Envelope (gift cards, stamps calendar, ornament, etc.) with your donation

Sponsor a Mini Holiday Gift (\$50) for a Neighbor Sponsor the cost of stamps and gift cards for a neighbor.

Sponsor Postage (\$5 or more) for Holiday Giving Envelopes

Great Gift Idea- Make a donation in honor of or in memory of a loved one or special volunteer.

Register your business or organization to participate by contacting Kris Lombardi at 262 522 2402 or email KrisL@InterfaithWaukesha.org. All items collected need to be brought to the Interfaith Senior Programs office by December 3.

Bulletin Announcement:

Volunteers Make a World of Difference!

Interfaith Senior Programs is looking for volunteers to make a world of difference in Waukesha County. We are currently looking for volunteers for the following activities.

1. Drivers WANTED: We are looking for volunteers to transport clients to and from doctor's appointments and the grocery store. You let us know which days you are available and we connect you with a client for that day. It is a wonderful way to help a neighbor!

2. Lawn Mowers Needed! Help keep our clients safe by providing this much needed service this summer.

For more information contact Linda Sheridan at 262 522 2404 or LindaS@InterfaithWaukesha.org.

Save the Date: Friday October 11, 2013 Fabulous Fish Fry at Country Springs.

Cost \$20 presale \$22 at the door.
Children 12 and under \$10
Time: 4:00-8:00 PM



Personal Care Kitbags

Instructions & Shopping List 2013 Holiday Basket Program

Personal Care Kitbags are part of our Holiday Baskets, which will be delivered to low-income seniors and adults with disabilities in Waukesha County on December 17th.



Instructions

Please place new items in Ziploc bags provided by our organization, or donate \$10 and Interfaith will purchase the items for one kit.

Please return all items packaged in provided bag on or before Monday, December 7 to the Interfaith Senior Programs office at the address listed below. Office hours on December 7th are 9:00 am – 6:00 pm. Regular office hours are 8:00 am - 4:00 pm, Monday – Friday.

Please do not include any additional materials or personal notes in the kits to ensure each Holiday Basket is the same.

Please contact Kris Lombardi with questions at 262-522-2402, or KrisL@InterfaithWaukesha.org.

Shopping List

_____ 1 hand towel (measuring 15"x25" up to 17"x27", no kitchen towels please)

_____ 1 washcloth

_____ 1 container mini hand sanitizer (approximately 2 ounces)

_____ 1 individual size pack of tissues

_____ 1 bar of soap (unscented or mild please!)