



A Day For Giving Thanks

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COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Bingo
Jim Holmstrom
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Bloodmobile
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Breakfast with Santa
Dave Calverly

Christmas Tour of Lights
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Fest-of-Ale
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Interclubs

Sponsored Youth Key Clubs
Dave Wimann
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K-Kids
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Mother's Day Breakfast
Zach Goswick

Meals on Wheels
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Membership
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Pancake Day
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Public Relations
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Scholarships
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Social Events
Irene Stewart

Spiritual Aims
Dale Halverson

Terrific Kids
Nancy Verhoven

House
Don Chapin
Dr. Jack Damrow

Invocation:

by Rev. Judi Huseth

Guests:

(with applications in hand): Shannon Ahrens, Jason Fritz

Key Club Attendees:
Janesville Craig Adviser, Denise Wymann

Announcements:

1. Holiday Celebration at Fusion 5, December 1, 2005. Festivities begin at 6:30 pm

2. Meals on Wheels Volunteer appreciation night announced by Irene Stewart. The event is December 3, 2005, 2-4 pm. RSVP by November 23, 2005. Location Janesville Elks Club

3. All FEST OF ALE money is due! Please give your collected monies to Ed Pulliam or Eric Scherdell.

Ace Of Hearts Drawing:
Denise Wymann drew the Ace of. . . . Clubs! \$458.00 pot rolls over.

Happy Dollars:

Harvey Miller was grateful to visit his 15 year old niece up North.

Jim Holmstrom was excited to share the fact that he shot his first deer, a spike buck, since recently taking up the sport.

Randy Borman was happy that the gloating Minnesota Viking fan sitting next to him, Past President Tom Waller, was keeping his mouth shut! Go Packers!

Brian Connors was happy that his friend Father Umhoefer was with us on this day to share thankful, thoughtful reflections.

Rev. Judi Huseth proudly stood up and exclaimed she had no clue. . . about the whole Viking, Packer ribbing situation. For this she was ribbed!!

Program:

Father Umhoefer, Pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church. He spoke today on the gifts we have received from God, the true Gift Giver. He reflected on Moses' writings in Deuteronomy chapter 8.

A trend that he perceives is Individualistic behavior in society. Consider Xbox games, Cell phones, MP3 players, even fighting the idea of paying your share of taxes.

All these behaviors affect others in your community. Yes, be thankful for your blessings and remember to share your Gifts.

Kiwanis Factoids:

The name "Kiwaniis" was coined from an expression of the Alerican Indians in the Detroit area, which was found by Bishop Baraga's dictionary of the Otchipew language. The expression "Nunc Kee-wan-nis" meant, broedly, "we trade" or We share our Talents." As a coined word, however, "Kiwaniis" has no more meaning except as the name of a leading international service club.

The first Kiwanis motto, "We Build," was adopted in 1920. It was proposed bt Roe Fulkerson, first editor of the Kiwanis Magazine, who later said, "God inspired me to write those two words – We Build. I am prouder of them than any other accomplishment in my life." The motto was replaced 85 years later.

Kiwanis Quiz: What is the new Kiwanis International Motto?

Thank's to President Dr. Kevin O'Leary for taking the notes. Members having information for future newsletters can email editor@janesvillekiwanis.org.

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