CONCORDIA LUTHERAN CHURCH

FELLOWSHIP DINNER...

On May 3rd (that's tonight), at 5:30 p.m., the Mad Hatter and friends will be at Concordia to see what kind of hats are worn in Steamboat. So wear your cleanest, craziest, dirtiest, fun-

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niest, prettiest, ugliest, or just the one you like the best. Prizes will be given. Bring a dish to pass and table service. Don't miss this fun fellowship evening for all!





As this newsletter goes to print, our congregational treasurer reports that we

have \$1709 in unpaid bills. In order to save some

money on postage and supplies, we are printing a

May/June edition of the

Christogram.

General Donations: \$23,952.36 Miscellaneous Donations: 266.00 Proceeds from note repayment: 1,747.00 \$25,965.36 Budget: \$28,723.66

Designated Donations: \$ 1,068.01 Building Fund: \$ 8,559.00

From the Financial Secretary: (4/26/87)

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May God bless this year's confirmands. Jennie Panepinto, Marissa Rimel, and Misty Schibline, as they affirm their baptismal relationship with the Triune God and are confirmed in their faith on May 10th. Jesus says, "Be faithful, even to the point of death, and I will give you the crown of life." (Rev.2:10)

VBS COMING IN AUGUST ...

Yes, once again it's time to begin thinking about Vacation Bible School. Our theme this year will be "Serve the Lord". Our school will be held mornings August 3-7 at the church. All children 3 years old through those who have finished the 6th grade are eligible.



All teens and adults (men and boys included) are invited to volunteer and share in this great week. If you can serve the Lord by helping in VBS, please complete the form in this newsletter. We'd like to start planning as soon as possible. Watch for further details as we progress with plans.



The LWML met at Church on April 22. The program, a tape by Jean Garton, was presented by Roe Schmoock. Watch for the coming events in May and June:

MAY 14-16: SPRING RUMMAGE SALE--Please sign up on the sign-up sheet at the church to help with the rummage sale.

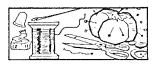
JUNE 17: SALAD SUPPER-- This is the last meeting until September. Election of new officers will take place. Watch the bulletin for time and place.

ATTENTION SINGLES...



The 10th International Single Lutheran Adult Conference will be held July 3-5 on the campus of CSU in Fort Collins. This conference will provide Christian support, education, and fellowship for approximately 7,000 single Lutherans of all ages from the U.S. and Canada. For more information, contact Barb Oberndorfer, -0654 (home) or -8811 (work).

BAZAAR WORKSHOP...



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Your help is needed Thursday mornings, any time between 9 and 12. There is a task for everyone, even if you feel you aren't a "crafty" person. Come see all the things we're planning for the Bazaar in November, and bring any of your own ideas too!



Summer is here, and as you are relaxing under a shade tree or in the sun, think about checking out a good book from the Church Library to read.

RUMMAGE SALE MAY 14-16...



Concordia Women's Guild is having the Annual Spring Sale May 14-16, from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. on the first two days, and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. the last day. We need your good used clothing and miscellaneous items, including furniture so we can have a successful sale. Bring items to the church or call Lynn at 879-1018 or -3932 to have them picked up. Congregational matching funds up to \$250 are being applied for through NW Colorado Lutheran Brotherhood Branch #8693, and will be used for landscaping our grounds.



The Choir will sponsor the Bake Sale in conjunction with the Rummage Sale. Proceeds will be applied to their piano payment. All help with baked goods will be appreciated!

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FIRST THINGS FIRST...

Two things that I am thinking about these days are my golf game and my Savior's death for me on the cross. There is obviously no comparison between the two, but the one can help us think about the other.

I remember hearing once of a man who lost his life during the wintertime on the golf course. He had hit his ball onto the surface of a frozen lake. When he went out onto the ice to retrieve his ball, the ice collapsed and he fell into the frigid water. He died before help could arrive. The man did not intend to sacrifice his life for a golf ball, but he did.

On the other hand, Jesus <u>did</u> intend to sacrifice his life for me and you, in order to retrieve us from sin. We were reminded of his great love for us as we walked with him through Lent, to Calvary's cross, and then to the empty tomb of Joseph's garden. Now we are in the Easter Season when We can revel in the victory celebration and know that in Jesus we are more than conquerors—even over death! He lives! And we live—in him!

Now, back to the golf. Many Christians see only fun and enjoyment in activities like golfing, fishing, camping, traveling, picnicking, and the like. Certainly these are good gifts to be enjoyed. But if they pull us away from worshiping God with his people; from growing in his Word; from receiving Jesus' body and blood in the sacrament; from supporting his kingdom-work with our time, talents and treasure; from living only for him—then these good gifts and activities can cause us spiritual hurt and we may end up sacrificing rich and lasting blessings for momentary pleasures (much like the golfer who sacrificed his life for a golf ball). Spring and summer are beautiful in the Rockies, but let's not forget the encouragement of Hebrews 10:25:

Peace and Joy, Pastor Norm

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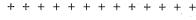
SUNDAY SCHOOL NOTES...

What a wonderful Sunday School hour we had under the direction of the "Captive Free" group on Palm Sunday! Over 100 children and adults participated in the "Jesus Loves Me" shuffle and many other songs.

We will have Summer Sunday School from June 7th through August, with Missions as our theme.



Those with perfect attendance for April include: Andrew and Carrie Schmoock, Lilia and Bjorn Utu, Steve and Keith Denton, Abby Fritz, Holle Bauer, Nicholas and Daniel Weber, Scott Rimel, Andy and Kelli Carbaugh, and Joey Panepinto.





WELCOME...

...to our newest members: JIM and NORMA CHARLTON, 4030 Whistler Road, Box 772444, 879-3506; and TERRY DENTON, KEITH and STEVEN, Sleepy Bear #2, Box 771721, 879-0318. Let's make them feel at home!

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THE CHRISTOGRAM IS A MONTHLY PUBLICATION OF CONCORDIA LUTHERAN CHURCH, STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, COLORADO. FOR ARTICLES IS THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.

LAYOUT AND TYPING DONE THIS MONTH BY ROSEMARY SCHMOOCK.

THE WEEKLY BULLETIN IS PRINTED ON THURSDAYS. NEWS ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN SHOULD BE GIVEN TO PASTOR BY THURSDAY MORNING.



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comes your ideas! Coming up: day of each month and wel-Confirmation Tea-May loth; tee meets on the 4th Tues-The Fellowship Commit-FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE... Singspiration-June 21; Church Picnic-July 12.



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Deepe, who recently underwent in Alber, John Goldie, Doug Love, and Rob May the Lord bless their future back surgery; and for Chaplain Oscar Sylcancer Congratulations to this year's wester, who is undergoing treatment for high school graduates from Concordia: Worrell.

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a training seminar for the CROSSWAYS! Bibl

study program during the week of May 17 in

The Concordia Guild provided funds

Omaha.

for the training and materials; other mem-

bers contributed toward travel expenses.

bulletin board. Work is expected to begin soon....Thank you to all who helped adjust

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who worked to complete the pantry.

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The plan for the kitchen, drawn by Don

CROSSWAYS! will begin in September. Plan

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