

Weekly News

Friday January 13, 2012



CONFIRMATION CLASS

We are organizing now for those who would like to be confirmed in the church this spring. If you will be at least 16 years old by June 1st you are eligible for confirmation. If you would like to be part of this year's confirmation class, please let Pat in the church office know (873-4377).



ASSISTANCE NEEDED

We have a church military family in need of a little help. They are stationed in Okinawa, Japan and have 3 children: a 4 year old girl, a 2 year old boy, and a 9 month old girl. They could especially use hats, mittens/ gloves, scarves, and toiletries (wipes, toothpaste, toothbrushes, etc.). It would also be nice if we could include a little something for the parents.



If you would prefer to donate cash or gift cards, this would also be greatly appreciated and Ginny Smith would be happy to buy the provisions this family needs and mail it to them. (Cash is also needed to help with the cost of shipping.)

Please contact Ginny if you would like to help with this outreach. Her cell phone is 439-8930, and e-mail is jenniasmith@hotmail.com. If you call her prior to making any purchases, she can let you know what has already been provided by others.

Important DATE!

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting will be held immediately after the 10:00am service on February 12, with a meal to follow. Please plan to join us for this very important meeting.

NEWSLETTER



We will begin having periodic Newsletters (longer, with more information than what we can do in this weekly e-News) and the first one is scheduled to go out **February 10**. We would

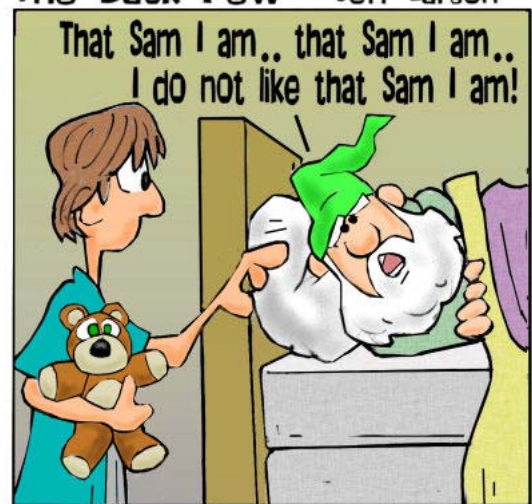
like to include news from a variety of groups within the church, so if you head up any group please send Pat a 'blurb' of any length by Jan. 27th (send to info@stfrancisville.org).

2012 FLOWER CHART

This is in the hallway to the Breakfast area, and it's a nearly-clean slate with lots of dates available for celebrating loved ones by underwriting the altar flowers in their honor. Just sign your name alongside the date you prefer. Suggested donation is \$50-\$60 per Sunday, due to Pat in the church office near the date reserved.



The Back Pew - Jeff Larson



After repeated visits in the night, Eli at first became exasperated with young Samuel. **I Sam 3**

