# **VCDC NEWSLETTER**

VINEYARD CHURCH DELAWARE COUNTY EVENTS & MINISTRY NEEDS

#### Women's Christmas Brunch

Saturday, December 3rd, 10-Noon

We invite you to join us for our annual Women's Christmas Brunch, *Christmas Has a Name*. We encourage each woman to invite a friend who is not already involved in a faith community and needs a touch from Jesus. There will be great food, music and an inspiring message by Vicky Kurzenknabe – all to celebrate the reason for the season. There are several opportunities for men, women and teens to volunteer, so be sure to stop by the table in the lobby to sign up. This is the last weekend you may purchase tickets until we are sold out. All tickets are \$5. We hope you will join us for this special event.

#### **Quick Connect**

#### December 3rd & 4th in Michael's Office

This gathering, offered after each service the first weekend of the month, is a great time for guests to explore their next steps as they move towards greater connection in our church community. Children are welcome.

## Food Pantry & Free Medical Clinic

#### Monday, December 5th, 5pm

Our Food Pantry has an urgent need of boxed cereal and full size deodorant & shampoo. You may drop off items on the rack in the lobby. If you would like to volunteer, contact Jim & Shalon Larmour vcdcfoodpantry@twc.com. Interested in volunteering for our Medical Clinic? Email Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org.

## **Divorce Care: Surviving the Holidays**

## Sunday, December 18th, 6pm

Separation and/or divorce can be one of the most confusing, painful times in a person's life. This session is filled with tips to manage holiday stresses during this time. We look forward to walking alongside you in this season. To register go to our Church Center app, vcdc.org or call the church office.

# **Israel Trip Opportunity**

April 24th-May 7th, 2023

Michael and Helen Hansen are leading a two-week trip to Israel! There are still a few open slots available. If you would like more information on this exciting opportunity, please contact Sandy at church.

#### VCDC Family Christmas Assistance

We are excited to have lots of new individuals and families at VCDC over the last year and we are still getting to know each other's stories. For that reason, we want to let you know that if you are in need of Christmas Assistance this year, we would love to bless you and your family. Please contact the church office by December 4th for consideration.

#### Audio & Video Volunteers

Do you have any experience or interest in audio & video production, and would like to serve our church family by using your gift? We are looking for a few people to help during our weekend services, and we have an amazing team who will train you! Please contact jonathancool@vcdc.org to learn more.

#### **Snow Policy**

Level 1\* - Church Open Level 2\* - Services Canceled Level 3\* - Services Canceled For ministry events during the week, watch for an email or call the church. (\*Levels for Delaware County)

### Missionary of the Month



Please pray for Christopher & Denise Meyer and family who are currently serving in Brazil.

## **Calling VCDC Artists**

If you are an artist, we'd love to display your original pieces. Please email us at info@vcdc.org or call the church office if you'd like to share your art with our church family.

# Adult Changing Area Available

If you have an adult family member with disabilities who deals with incontinence, we have a private room available with an adult changing table. Just ask any staff person for help.

# MINISTRY NEEDS

#### Weekend Volunteers

Join our team by serving both our church family and guests at one of our weekend services. Serving opportunities include: Lobby Greeters, Seating Ushers, Coffee/Kitchen Attendants & Projectionists. To sign up or for more information go to our Church Center app, vcdc.org, or email Sonya at sonyadevoe@vcdc.org.

#### **Free Medical Clinic Volunteer Positions**

The church sponsored Free Medical Clinic is in need of volunteers:

- <u>Registration Person</u>; no former experience is necessary but computer knowledge is helpful.
- <u>Patient Escort</u>; this person will escort patients to their room and take vitals.

Training provided for both volunteer positions.