

# Worship Ministry Report

May 8, 2012

Co-chairs: Pam Bischoff and Neil Stewart

- Altar flowers are being provided regularly. The arrangement post-Easter is that Longmont Florist will provide one arrangement weekly unless notified that no flowers have been requested or that two arrangements have been requested. Nancy has volunteered to notify the florist if either of these situations occurs.
- The church bell is being rung regularly before both services. More bell ringers are needed.
- A Worship Ministry Coordinator's meeting has been planned for the beginning of June. This will be a brainstorming session to share ideas and concerns and will be an opportunity to offer support and assistance to the coordinators. If training sessions for the various areas are required (acolytes, lectors, assisting ministers, ushers, communion assistants, etc.), those will be scheduled at a later time.
- Dennis Smith, Janice Still, Gene Schnabel and Cindy Tayler have agreed to serve on the Worship Task Force. One additional member is needed and a potential candidate has been identified.
- Special worship services for May have been planned. Mother's Day will be recognized on May 13 with a special Blessing for Mothers. Youth will distribute carnations to Mothers and Kristen will present an original poem. On May 20<sup>th</sup> our graduating seniors will be honored with a reception between services and a sermon by Kristen. Confirmation Sunday on the 27<sup>th</sup> will include the jazz service and Statements of Faith by the confirmands.
- Ryssby Church has been reserved for worship on July 22. Once again the church picnic will be held on the grounds after worship.
- Pastor Mark will be gone during the month of June, but has arranged for a retired Pastor to preach three Sundays of the month. Kristen will preach on the fourth Sunday.
- The first outdoor service of the summer will be held in the new Ropte Memorial Pavilion on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Additional helpers will be needed to set up the area for worship.