

VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: JANUARY 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, Jan. 3 at the church – PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE. Margaret DeBower will lead the study and JoAnn Taylor will serve.

We will be meeting in the mornings for the next three months. After that we will discuss the time change again. All ladies are welcome to join us even if it has been a long time since you attended.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for January is Jeff and Carol Seehusen. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of January are the Diane Salge and Diane Hummel.

BIRTHDAYS

- Jan. 23:** Jean Morris, 625 Church St., Bristow, IA 50611
- Jan. 26:** Lavone Frerichs, 20228 160th St., Greene, IA 50636
- Jan. 29:** Lucy Steere, 19782 135th St., Greene, IA 50636
- Jan. 29:** Darwin Dralle, 18079 110th St., Greene, IA 50636
- Jan. 31:** Kay Brinkman, 13673 Camp Comfort Rd., Greene, IA 50636

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know.

SEWING DAYS

Sewing days are Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 16 and 17, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with a potluck at noon. The group is always in need of old sheets and blankets for fillers. All are welcome to join in this mission project.

WOMEN'S BOOKLET

The 2023 yearbooks are available. Please pick up your copy from the table in the narthex.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

We welcome donations of items for use in the kitchen or for serving food. We just ask that a note be left stating that it is for general use. Sometimes things are left and we don't know if it is for a special occasion or something that anyone in the kitchen can use. Thank you.

COOKBOOKS AVAILABLE

Cookbooks are \$15 for the 1979 edition (white cover) and \$10 for the 2004 edition (green cover). Contact Margaret DeBower, Barb Wagner or Monica Edeker if interested.

ITEMS AVAILABLE

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: FEBRUARY 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Bible study will be Tuesday, Feb. 7 at 9 a.m., at the church. Margaret DeBower will lead and serve. All are welcome to join us.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for February is Dean and Kay Brinkman. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of February are the JoAnn Taylor and Barb Wagner.

BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 12: Sandra Greenlee, 20076 150th St.,
Greene, IA 50636

Feb. 29: Marlys Kruse, 900 7th St.,
Allison, IA 50602

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know.

SEWING DAYS

Sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 20 and 21 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. We are in need of sheets and light weight blankets to use for insides and quilts backs. Donations can be left at the east end of the fellowship hall.

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BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER

The women's group will sponsor a bake sale on Sunday, Feb. 12 during the Soup Fundraiser for Wells of Inspiration from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Baked goods can be brought that morning before church. Please price your items. Any questions please talk to Margaret DeBower.

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: MARCH 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, March 7 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Margaret DeBower will lead the study and Carol Seehusen will be serving. All ladies are welcome to attend. This month we will continue studying the Book of James.

SEWING DAYS

Sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, March 20 and 21, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., with a potluck lunch at noon. We are still in need of sheets and lightweight blankets. If you haven't helped with this mission project before, you are very welcome to join us in this very rewarding experience for those in need. No special skills are needed.

LENTEN SUPPERS

Lenten suppers will be served before the Wednesday night services during the month of March. Serving is from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex.

BIRTHDAYS

March 1: Althea Uhlenhopp, 1447 Timber Ave., Hampton, IA 50441

March 16: Jean Arjes, 19183 Pearl Lane, Allison, IA 50602

March 18: Harold Kruse, 900 7th St., Allison, IA 50602

March 19: Dean Westendorf, 20217 190th St., Allison, IA 50602

March 21: Betty Debner, 15354 Jay Ave., Greene, IA 50636

March 28: Joy Schueler, 1011 7th St. Apt. 1, Allison, IA 50602

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for March is Bob and Karen Janssen. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of March are the Kenny and Helen Debner.

VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: APRIL 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, April 4 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Betty Rewerts will lead the study and Kay Brinkman will serve. It has been decided to continue meeting in the mornings. We will also meet during the summer months and not meet as often in the winter.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for April is Ken and Margaret DeBower. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine person for the month of April is Betty Rewerts.

BIRTHDAYS

- April 11:** Vera Kraft, 1103 Short St., Clarksville, IA 50619
- April 16:** Robert Vieker, 18248 Keystone Ave., Allison, IA 50602
- April 17:** Harlan Martzahn, 20076 150th St., Greene, IA 50636
- April 18:** Richard Kraft, 1103 Short St., Clarksville, IA 50619

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know.

SEWING DAYS

April sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, April 17 and 18 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., each day. A potluck lunch will be served both days. We can use more volunteers to help assemble and tie quilts. If you have any questions, please talk to Margaret DeBower, Betty Debner or Betty Rewerts.

LWR QUILTS

Lutheran World Relief quilt shipping will be Saturday, April 15 from 8-11 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Waverly and Monday, April 17 from 7:30-10:30 a.m. at South Port Mall, Mason City.

THANK YOU

- Thank you to everyone who provided and served our Lenten Suppers during March. They were well attended and greatly appreciated.
- Also a belated BIG thank you to all who donated to the bake sale held in February. Over \$500 was raised for Well of Inspiration mission project in Africa.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: MAY 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, May 2 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Karen Janssen will lead the study and Betty Rewerts will serve. It has been decided to continue meeting in the mornings. We will also meet during the summer months and not meet as often in the winter.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for May is Ron and Diane Salge. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of May are Ken and Margaret DeBower.

BIRTHDAYS

- May 1:** Barb Westendorf, 20217 190th St., Allison, IA 50602
- May 10:** Evelyn Nettleton, 602 11th St., Charles City, 50616
- May 28:** Betty Rewerts, P.O. Box 565, Allison, IA 50602
- May 30:** Robert Dralle, P.O. Box 191, Allison, IA 50602

SEWING DAYS

April sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, May 15 and 16 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., each day. A potluck lunch will be served both days. We can use more volunteers to help assemble and tie quilts. If you have any questions, please talk to Margaret DeBower, Betty Debner or Betty Rewerts.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

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ITEMS AVAILABLE

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: JUNE 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

- Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, June 6 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Margaret DeBower will lead the study and JoAnn Taylor will serve.
- There will be no Bible study in July because our meeting date is on the Fourth of July. We will meet again on the first Tuesday of August.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for June is Betty Debner and Diane Hummel. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of June are Jen Seehusen and Barb Meyer.

BINGO

The Allison nursing home is looking for volunteers to play BINGO. Vilmar is scheduled to serve on the first Thursday of each month. Anyone who would like to volunteer may contact Betty Debner or Betty Rewerts.

BIRTHDAYS

June 21: Bill Debner, 15354 Jay Ave.,
Greene, IA 50636

SEWING DAYS

The sewing committee is taking the summer off. We will resume in September. In the meantime they are still accepting donations of sheets and blankets.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

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ITEMS AVAILABLE

Check the table in the basement for items for free will donation. These items make great gifts! All money raised will be used by Vilmar Women's Fellowship for their yearly mission donations.

VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: JULY 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

There will be no Bible study in July because our meeting date is on the Fourth of July. We will meet again on the first Tuesday of August.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for July is Ken and Margaret DeBower. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of July are Margaret DeBower and Kay Brinkman.

BINGO

The Allison nursing home is looking for volunteers to play BINGO. Vilmar is scheduled to serve on the first Thursday of each month. This month will be July 6. Anyone who would like to volunteer may contact Betty Debner or Betty Rewerts.

BIRTHDAYS

July 8: Mari Ann Wearda, 1963 210th St., Sheffield, IA 50475

July 15: Karen Janssen, P.O. Box 874, Clarksville, IA 50619

July 24: Jerald Wearda, 1963 210th St., Sheffield, IA 50475

SEWING DAYS

The sewing committee is taking the summer off. We will resume in September. In the meantime they are still accepting donations of sheets and blankets.

SUMMER SOCIAL

The Summer Social will be Sunday, Aug. 20 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the narthex late July or early August. Volunteers are needed to help serve and to make salads and pies. Please contact Margaret DeBower if you have any questions.

VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: AUGUST 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 1 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Margaret DeBower will lead the study and serve. All ladies are welcome to attend.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for August is Ron and JoAnn Taylor. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of August are Margaret DeBower and Kay Brinkman.

BINGO

Vilmar is in charge of BINGO at the Allison nursing home on Thursday, Aug. 3 at 1:30 p.m. We need volunteers to help, if you are interested in participating, contact Betty Rewerts.

BIRTHDAYS

Aug. 06: Helen Debner, 20865 160th St., Greene, IA 50636

Aug. 09: Stanley Senne, 721 Spruce St., Allison, IA 50602

Aug. 17: Jim Wubbena, 19258 Forest Ave., Dumont, IA 50625

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know so she can add them to the list.

SEWING DAYS

The sewing committee is taking the summer off. We will resume on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 18 and 19 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. In the meantime they are still accepting donations of sheets and blankets.

SUMMER SOCIAL 2023

The annual Summer Social will be held **Sunday, Aug. 20 from 4:30-6:30 p.m.**

This year's menu will include: pork burgers (provided by the Butler County Pork Promoters), potato salad, baked beans, a variety of salads, homemade pies and bars, and ice cream.

Carryouts available!

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Featuring:

"Vilmar's Country Store"



**CHECK
IT OUT!**

Garden produce, baked goods, crafts, and other home goods will be for sale!

DONATIONS NEEDED for the country store (baked goods, produce, crafts, or other decor/home items).

A sign-up sheet has been posted in the narthex for volunteers/donations.

The Women's Fellowship and Brotherhood are hosting the event together. If you have questions, contact Margaret DeBower or Warren Van Dyke.

All funds will be given to local, state, national, and international missions.

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: SEPTEMBER 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Due to the funeral of James Seehusen, the Women's Bible Study will NOT be held on Tuesday, Sept. 5. The group will discuss an alternate date/time for their meeting.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for September is Ken and Margaret DeBower. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of September are Julie Eberline and Jean Morris.

BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 25: Donna Kruse, 305 Truax St., Bristow, IA 50611

Sept. 27: Robert Janssen, P.O. Box 874, Clarksville, IA 50619

Sept. 29: Kenneth Debner, 20865 160th St., Greene, IA 50636

If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know so she can add them to the list.

BINGO

Vilmar is in charge of BINGO at the Allison nursing home on Thursday, Sept. 7 at 1:30 p.m. We need volunteers to help, if you are interested in participating, contact Betty Rewerts.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

We welcome donations of items for use in the kitchen or for serving food. We just ask that a note be left stating that it is for general use. Thank you.

SEWING DAYS

Sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 18 and 19 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., with a potluck at noon. Everyone is welcome to join—you don't need special skills, as we have jobs for everyone. The group continues to welcome any donations of materials and pieced quilt tops. Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, contact Betty Debner, Helen Debner, Betty Rewerts, or Margaret DeBower.

DONATIONS DELIVERED

On Aug. 8, 44 school kits, 48 quilts, 4 afghans, and 11 blankets were delivered to the NALC Disaster Response warehouse in Edmond, Oklahoma.

SUMMER SOCIAL

Thank you to everyone who donated food for the meal, donated items for the Country Store, and volunteered their time and talents to make our Summer Social a great success. Almost 100 people were served and \$1,525 was raised for various missions. This was a joint effort of the Women's Fellowship and the Vilmar Brotherhood. A special thank you to the Butler County Pork Producers for the pork burgers and Thrivent for the funds to purchase the other supplies needed for this event.

ITEMS AVAILABLE

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: OCTOBER 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 3, at 9 a.m. in the church fellowship hall. Barb Wagner will lead the study and Karen Janssen will serve.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for October is Marc and Jen Seehusen. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine people for the month of October are Diane Hummel and JoAnn Taylor.

BIRTHDAYS

No October birthdays. If you or someone you know is 75 or older, let Margaret DeBower know so she can add them to the list.

BINGO

Vilmar is in charge of BINGO at the Allison nursing home on Thursday, Oct. 5 at 1:30 p.m. We need volunteers to help, if you are interested in participating, contact Betty Rewerts.

SEWING DAYS

Sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 16 and 17, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., each day with a potluck lunch at noon. Everyone is welcome to join—you don't need special skills, as we have jobs for everyone. The group continues to welcome any donations of materials and pieced quilt tops. Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, contact Betty Debner, Betty Rewerts, or Margaret DeBower.

LWR QUILT

The Lutheran World Relief quilt gathering will be Saturday, Oct. 14 at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Waverly.

WOMEN'S BOOKLEY

It is that time of the year when we will be preparing the 2024 yearbook. Volunteers are needed for Bible study leaders, serving, Sunshine Committee, Altar Committee, and various committees. We also want to update our birthday list. If you are over 75, please talk to Margaret to get your special day added to the book.

VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: NOVEMBER 2023

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 7, at 9 a.m. in the church fellowship hall. Margaret DeBower will lead the study and serve the lunch.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for November is Kurt and Pam Roose. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine Committee is open for the month of November. If someone could visit the shut-ins in November, please talk to Margaret DeBower.

BIRTHDAYS

Nov. 5: Butch Freeseaman, 284 Maple St., Allison, IA 50602

Nov. 25: Dennis Prange, 3304 Panther Lane, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

BINGO

Vilmar is in charge of BINGO at the Allison nursing home on Thursday, Nov. 2 at 1:30 p.m. We need volunteers to help, if you are interested in participating, contact Betty Rewerts.

KITCHEN/FOOD DONATIONS

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SEWING DAYS

Sewing days will be Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 20 and 21, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., each day with a potluck lunch at noon. Everyone is welcome to join—you don't need special skills, as we have jobs for everyone. **We are still in need of sheets and lightweight blankets.** Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, contact Betty Debner, Betty Rewerts, or Margaret DeBower.

LWR QUILT DONATION

On Saturday, Oct. 14, 29 quilts and 10 baby care kits were delivered to Waverly for Lutheran World Relief.

WOMEN'S BOOKLET

We are working on the 2024 yearbook and need volunteers for Altar Committee, Sunshine Committee, Women's Bible Study leaders and serving volunteers. Also if you are 75 or older, we would like to add you to our birthday greeting list. Please talk to Margaret DeBower if you can help or have information for our book.

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VILMAR WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NOTES: DECEMBER 2023

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Women's Bible study will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 9 a.m., in the church fellowship hall. Diane Hummel will lead the study and Margaret DeBower will serve.

ALTAR COMMITTEE

The altar committee for December is Meredith and Linda Steere. We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Sunshine Committee for December will be the Christmas Carolers. They will be caroling on Sunday, Dec. 10 at 3:30 p.m. – all are welcome to join!

BIRTHDAYS

Dec. 25: Dean Brinkman, 13673 Camp Comfort Rd., Greene, IA 50636

Dec. 30: Harley Uhlenhopp, 1447 Timber Ave., Hampton, IA 50441

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BINGO

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SEWING DAYS

The sewing committee will not be meeting for the month of December. We want to thank everyone for the donations we have received lately. They are very much appreciated. We will always accept donations. Donations are what keeps this great mission project going. Our quilts are helping people in the United States and all over the world. It is another way Vilmar is trying to share God's love to the world.

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