

## Announcements

Feb 5, 2012

**SOUPER Bowl of Caring!** THIS WEEKEND, members are encouraged to vote for their favorite Super Bowl team with cans of soup. This campaign will replace the regular 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend pantry drive, so please note the change in date! Low-sodium vegetable soup is the critical need but any soup will be welcomed. Place your soup in the Narthex-located box sporting your favorite team's name. Definite winner will be the food pantry!

**NEW MEMBERS' CLASS FORMING**—A two-session class for people interested in joining St. James Lutheran Church will meet on two consecutive Sundays—February 19 and 26, at 10:00 A.M., in the Pastor's Study. Sign up on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

**SUPPORT THE SAINTS' Youth Auction**, Sunday, February 19, 2012—The Youth Group invites you to come and bid on items at the silent auction! Proceeds support all Youth Group activities, including the National Youth Gathering trip! This year, 18 youth and 5 adults are going to the ELCA National Youth Gathering in New Orleans. At noon, New Orleans style cuisine will be served. What can you do to help now? If you have auction items you would like to donate, please see Greg Boesch, Grant Shoeman or Ellen Rothweiler. There is a form we need to be filled out for every donation we receive. **We will be accepting donations until Sunday, February 12. Please bring your kids!** *We will have fun activities for them!*

**SHROVE TUESDAY**—The Hospitality Team is preparing for our annual pancake supper and talent show to help us get ready for Lent. (Get rid of the fat in the house AND celebrate!) We will begin serving pancakes at 5:30 P.M. and the talent show will follow. Opportunities available to help with the pancake supper and ALL members are encouraged to share a talent – either solo or ask a friend to join you! (Sign-up on poster in the narthex.)