

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF VESTAVIA HILLS  
LAY READERS' SCHEDULE  
January 1st, 2012 thru December 30th, 2012**

	<u><b>8:00 AM</b></u>	<u><b>10:30 AM</b></u>
January 1	Roberta Kleinstein	Debbie Riha
January 8	Bob Kleinstein	Keith Johnson
January 15	Sara Schmidtke	Andrew Seltz
January 22	Jackson Como	Scott Mooney
January 29	Deborah Como	Matt Lembke
February 5	Jane Schaefer	Robb Romp
February 12	Brian Cain	Kim Rieger
February 19	Susan Cook	Martha Jane Romp
February 26	Pastor Mazak	Patricia Schneider
March 4	Henry Piasky	Ellen Seltz
March 11	Gene Meyer	Micah Madsen
March 18	Andy Tunnell	Stan Susina
March 25	Barbara Mooney	Jonathan Doroh
April 1	Julie Decker	Gene Addor
April 8	Michael Perry	Joel Kuehnert
April 15	Carrie Lueck	Len Suelter
April 22	Roberta Kleinstein	Wayne Geisler
April 29	Bob Kleinstein	Leigh Walter
May 6	Sara Schmidtke	Mark Walter
May 13	Jackson Como	Laurie Zorn
May 20	Deborah Como	Jessica Burnett
May 27	Jane Schaeffer	Lee Burnett

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**LAY READERS' SCHEDULE (continued)**  
 January 2, 2011 thru December 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011

	<u><b>8:00 AM</b></u>	<u><b>10:30 AM</b></u>
June 3	Brian Cain	Ron Passmore
June 10	Susan Cook	Debbie Riha
June 17	Pastor Mazak	Keith Johnson
June 24	Henry Piasky	Andrew Seltz
July 1	Gene Meyer	Scott Mooney
July 8	Andy Tunnell	Matt Lembke
July 15	Barbara Mooney	Robb Romp
July 22	Michael Perry	Kim Reiger
July 29	Carrie Lueck	Mary Jane Romp
August 5	Roberta Kleinstein	Patricia Schneider
August 12	Bob Kleinstein	Ellen Seltz
August 19	Sara Schmidtke	Micah Madsen
August 26	Jackson Como	Stan Susina
September 2	Deborah Como	Jonathan Doroh
September 9	Jane Schaefer	Gene Addor
September 16	Brian Cain	Joel Kuehnert
September 23	Susan Cook	Len Suelter
September 30	Pastor Mazak	John Gaertner
October 7	Henry Piasky	Wayne Geisler
October 14	Gene Meyer	Leigh Walter
October 21	Andy Tunnell	Mark Walter
October 28	Barbara Mooney	Laurie Zorn
November 4	Michael Perry	Jessica Burnett

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**January 2, 2011 thru December 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

November 11	Carrie Lueck	Lee Burnett
November 18	Roberta Kleinstein	Ron Passmore
November 25	Bob Kleinstein	Debbie Riha
December 2	Sara Schmidtke	Keith Johnson
December 9	Jackson Como	Andrew Seltz
December 16	Deborah Como	Scott Mooney
December 23	Jane Schaefer	Matt Lembke
December 30	Brian Cain	Robb Romp

**GUIDELINES FOR LAY READERS**

1. The Church Office Secretary will e-mail or send by mail to the appointed Readers on Thursday before the Sunday on which he/she is scheduled to serve. If you would like a copy of the lessons earlier, or if you do not receive the Order of Service by Saturday, please call the church office.
2. The Lay Reader's task is generally to take the Order of Service from the old Testament reading through the Alleluia Verse. The Reader should go to the lectern (on the right side of the sanctuary as you face the altar) near the end of the Hymn of Praise.
3. The Lay Reader does not need to adjust the microphone. It is very sensitive and will pick up voices very clearly as far as twelve to fifteen inches away.
4. Generally the congregation sits for the First Lesson and the Second Lesson, and rises for the Alleluia Verse. The Reader should give directions to the congregation for standing and sitting.
5. The Lay Reader should introduce the First Lesson and the Second Lesson with words such as the following: "The First Lesson (The Second Lesson) is from the \_\_\_\_\_ chapter of \_\_\_\_\_." The Lay Reader should conclude both of these lessons with words such as the following: "This is the Word of the Lord."
6. If there is a special musical selection between the First and Second Lessons, the Lay Reader may sit on the clergy bench near the lectern.
7. It is usually helpful for the Lay Reader to read the Lessons out loud at home prior to the service. Also, paying attention to commas and semicolons helps to slow down the Reader. The key words in reading publicly are "loudly" and "slowly".