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Winter Weather Cancellations

With the possibility of winter weather interrupting our regular schedules, we will have a system to notify the congregation of any cancellations.

The decision to cancel worship will be made Sunday morning by 6 a.m. All other weekly activities will be decided two hours prior to the scheduled event.

We will post Sunday morning cancellations and those of other activities, on WNDU (TV and online), WFRN radio, on our Website home page, and send out an all-church email. If we cancel first service, there will be no nurture hour, but we may still have second service, depending on conditions. Be sure to check the posting to obtain the proper information.

Thank You

Thank you for the cards and prayers and the beautiful plant that I received when I had my back surgery in October. I really appreciated your care and thoughts.

—Jane Otto

Thank You

As I have finished tying up loose ends over the last couple days at Goshen College, I have been able to reflect some on how the Waterford community has played a role in my life both before and throughout college. As I am graduating this week, I feel it is important to thank the congregation for your ongoing support by being a loving community, and through prayers, financial aid, emotional support, as well as spiritual support.

Moving forward, I intend to be in Goshen. I will continue working for the City of Goshen Cemetery Department, helping Dave Selman, and doing whatever other odd jobs that present themselves.

As always, I appreciate prayers for what the future holds.

Thanks for everything,
Ryan Miller



Elora Bowman was dedicated by her parents Mark and Mikki on December 16.



Baby Matilda and the MYF Carolers spread Christmas cheer at Waterford Crossing.

Children's Christmas Program, December 16

The annual children's Christmas program prepared our hearts to welcome baby Jesus. Great job to all participants and a special thanks to all who helped make it a special night.



Joseph (Lacy Stoltzfus) and Mary (JoLee Stoltzfus) care for Jesus at the manger.



Sheep Kenzie Zimmerman and Poppy Habecker witness baby Jesus' Birth.



The three magi, Grant Kauffman, Lucas Bateman, and Gwen Habecker search high and low for the star.



Children leading us to Bethlehem.



Two and three year olds singing "Jingle, Jingle, Happy Bells"



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