

# UNIVERSITY

December 2002

*2nd Anniversary Issue*

## Wrapping Up 2002

Our congratulations to Signe and Juan Castaneda (H20) on the arrival of their son, **Carsten Ford**, November 18.

***Total babies born in the Village in 2002 : 16***

## Please Use Sparingly

The University provides shovels and salt at the entrance to each building. These are part of the equipment of the buildings and should be remain stored in the front entrances. If you use the shovel, please return it to the front entrance for the next person. *The salt is for ice on the steps and not for snow on the sidewalk.* Please use sparingly. If your building needs a refill of salt, please call the Rector at 1-9145.

## 52 Inches

Mitch Clark, University Village Maintenance, is responsible for clearing snow in University Village on all paths. Please make sure his 52 inch snow plow can clear your sidewalk by keeping sidewalks free of all bikes and strollers and by parking front ends of cars back from the sidewalks.

## Hallway Heat

The hallway heaters in all UVC buildings are now on and will continue to heat the halls until Spring. It is vital that hall windows be kept shut while the heaters are in operation. If you suspect the thermostat is not keeping the hall temperatures at a consistent 55-60 degrees Fahrenheit, call the Rector's Office at 1-9145.

## Clean

Thanks to all who participated in the Toy Clean Up. The MBA Moms and Dads have offered to sanitize our community toys on a regular basis. Thanks for your commitment to our community!

## Holiday Events

***Fridays, December 6 & 20, 10:30 am***

*The Social Committee hosts Story Time in the Beichner Community Center. Children and parents are welcome.*

***Friday, December 6, 7:00-8:30 pm***

*The Graduate Student Union and Student Activities invite all graduate student families to a Christmas party at the Beichner Community Center.*

***Friday, December 13, evening***

*The Social Committee will judge participating apartment windows decorated for Christmas. Prizes will be awarded at the Posada potluck on Sunday, December 15.*

***Saturday, December 14, 9:00 am-noon***

*Childrens' Workshop in the community center sponsored by Campus Ministry. Children will make decorations and decorate the community tree and childrens' tree, bake and decorate cookies and participate in making cards and other craft projects. If interested in volunteering to help with this event, please contact Sylvia Dillon at 1-7163. Children under three years of age should be accompanied by an adult.*

***Sunday, December 15, 4:30 pm***

*Meet at the Beichner Community Center for a "Posada in the Village". This is a reenactment of the procession of the Holy Travelers. Prayer, pinata and potluck dinner will follow.*

***Wednesday, December 25, 11:00 am, Beichner***

*Come and join us! All residents staying in the Village during Christmas break are invited to a Christmas Day carry-in brunch. Meat and drinks are provided. No RSVP is necessary. Bring a side dish to share that could serve 5-7 people.*



### Closings and Mail Delivery

\*The Office of the Rector will be closed Monday, December 23 and will reopen on Thursday, January 2, 2003. Please continue to leave messages on the office voice mail as they will be monitored on a daily basis. In case of **emergency**, please call the Rector's cell phone **first** at 574-220-0214.

\*There will be no Campus Mail pick-up or delivery December 23, 2002- January 1, 2003.

\*U.S. Postal Mail will not be delivered on December 25, 2002 or January 1, 2003.

\*Please expect Mail Clerks to open Mail Room by 10:30 am during the holiday break.

### The UVC Mass

All are invited and families are especially encouraged to bring children to worship services held in the Beichner Community Center every Thursday at 9:30 am and every Sunday at 9:30 am (10:00 am beginning January 12, 2003).

### Shuttle Bus

The University Shuttle Bus will not run from the library to University Village at 5:30 pm on the following dates: December 6, 9, 10 & 16. Also, please be aware that with the closing of the undergraduate residence halls, the shuttle bus will not run at all. When classes resume, the bus schedule will resume.



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### Mom's Chocolate Mayonnaise Cake

- 1 cup mayonnaise
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 cups flour
- 3 Tablespoons cocoa
- 2 teaspoons baking soda
- 1 cup warm water

Grease and flour a 9X13-inch pan. Mix sugar and mayonnaise together. Mix flour, cocoa and soda together. Alternately add warm water and sugar/mayonnaise mixture together. Blend into dry ingredients. When well blended, turn into pan and bake at 350 degrees F for 30 minutes.

Recipe Note: When we were growing up my mother let each of us pick the kind of birthday cake we wanted. This was my favorite and the one I would pick. She used to make white icing for it that was creamy and not sweet, but a lot of work. I put a pile of whip cream on each piece and drizzle chocolate syrup over it.

Mitch Clark: Indiana  
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