FAITH IN ACTION RECEIVES GENEROUS DONATIONS

BELFAIR — Faith in Action Senior Services was the lucky recipient of a 12-passenger commuter van surplused by the Mason Transit Authority. The van will allow the nonprofit to take small groups of seniors on field trips to shopping, movies, the casino, museums and other local attractions. When the nonprofit opens its HUB Center for Seniors, the van will allow it to make lunch runs, picking up seniors at the Ashford House, Belfair House and Golden Bell to bring them to eat and enjoy center activities.

The meal program will begin after the HUB opens, but field trips could begin anytime. The nonprofit is looking for volunteers to coordinate trips and drive. The van does not require a Commercial Driver License, but those interested can receive van driving lessons through MTA. The next class is Oct. 10, but requires preregistration. The cost is $5.

The nonprofit also received a grant from the Ben B. Cheney Foundation, which will allow it to furnish the senior center’s kitchen.

To donate to Faith in Action, visit flaws.org/donate.