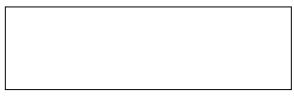
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Sunday School—9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship—10:45 a.m. Office Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., Fri. 8:30 a.m. – Noon – 1:00-4:00 p.m. Wed. 9:00 am-Noon-1:00-4:00 pm

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"Happy are all who take refuge in him." Pastor Bill's message this Sunday, February 23, will be from Psalm 2

# **February Youth Event**



The youth will be doing a service project this month by collecting items for the local pet shelters. They will be collecting things such as food, toys, beds, blankets, treats, collars, leases and such for dogs and cats. Please help by donating and bringing it to church on Sunday, there has been a yellow container set up at the entrance to the fellowship hall. Thank you



Friday, February 28, 2020 8:00 am - Noon

# Special Worship Service Wednesday, February 26, 6:30 pm Ash Wednesday

Wednesday, February 26, marks the beginning of Lent. Lent is a season in the Christian calendar that emphasizes the major themes of penitence, baptism and new life in Christ. The first day of Lent is called Ash Wednesday.

The central congregational action in this service is the rite of imposition of ashes. A prayer will be offered over the ashes and then the people are invited to come forward. Our Lay Minister will apply a cross of ashes on each forehead or hand to "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return," (Genesis 3:19).

Church Board Meeting Thursday, February 20, 2020 6:30 pm Office Board Room Finance Committee Meeting Thursday, February 20, 2020 5:30 pm Office Board Room This committee will meet before the board meeting.

# PRAYER CONCERNS

Margaret Givens, Melissa Gier, Joan Enloe, Jettson Bezaire, Billie Pittrich, Robb Armstrong, Treva Crismon, Betty Kincaid, Fran Watts, Terri Chisholm, Melaine Hudson, Dwayne Wood, Rosemary Scmon, Dorothy Simpson, Nadine Hachler, Judy Spriggs, Darlene Adcock, Sandy Neal, Carolyn Cardwell, Bill Harvey, Debra Hess, Paul Kidwell, Janet Brown, Lynn Wolfier, Graham Grimes, Erne Herman, Julie Lodes, Betty Crouch, James Hodson, Judy Beach, Wayne Pritchett, Linda Larkin, Tiffany, Chrissy Bain, Ted Dowler, Curt, Ella Dee Cohen, Chevy Hayes, Danny Foreman, Pat Evans, Geneva Brock, Nancy McComb, David Thompson, Debbie Hawks, Kavla Harden, Shelly Eaton, Bob Brandt, Oscar Willis, Margaret Hines, Larry Spencer, Laura Lynn Kerr, Fern Kays, Howard Vann, Kristi Dawson, Ted Smith, David Morris, Thelma Currence, Ryan Gier, Wyndee Moreland

Lee House: David Queen, Wallace Vernon, Billie Pittrich Tri-County Nursing Facility: Fran Watts Kidwell Home: Joan Enloe Bristol Manor: Betty Kincade Summit Villa: Treva Crismon Rock Island Care: Howard Vann Miller County Care Center: Dorothy Simpson

Please call the office to update the announcements and prayer concerns.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS

Week ending, February 16:	
Tithes:	\$1787.00
Designated Giving:	\$6.00
Week of Compassion	\$62.00
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#### Attendance

February 16 – 75

Those Who Serve Communion Prep–February 23–Rose Adams Worship Leader– February 23–Rose Adams Fellowship– February 23– Carlene Flaugher Home Communion – Joan Eads ELDERS – February: Ed Bierbower – Candy Bonifacio DEACONS – February: Della Hemminger – John Coffman Karen Gier – Lupita Gier

#### **2020 Financial Report**

Budget Required Year to Date	\$28,742.50
Budget Received Year to Date	\$15,159.78
Required Monthly Budget	\$14,371.25
Budget Received Month to Date	\$9,049.42
Expenses Month to Date	\$4,108.17
Expenses Year to Date	\$20,564.26





Thank you everyone for the prayers, visits, cards, and phone calls, during my recent illness. My church family means so much to me. Thank you, Verna Spencer



The church is still in search of a Choir and Handbell Director, if you know of anyone that would fit this position, please have them contact the church office. Thank you

# **Communion Preparers**

There is **STILL** a need for communion preparers, the list is in the communion room or you can call the church office at 573-392-8282. Thank you

# **Bingo @ Eldon Nursing Home**

February 20, 2020 6:00 PM Volunteers are always needed, if you would like to help let Candy Bonifacio know.

# Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible study, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 pm will continue their study of "The Chosen", a multi-season series of Christ.

## **Choir & Handbells**

Handbells and Choir members will have practice on Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm handbells, 7:20 pm choir.

## Friendship Circle

The Friendship Circle will be meeting February 25, 2020 at 10 am. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy fellowship with one another.

## **Coffee and Fellowship**

Thank you to all of you that have signed up to do fellowship. The signup sheet for the month of March is on the kitchen door. Thank you, Carolyn Cardwell