

Weekly Announcements

February 11, 2018

Spiritual Transformation Ministry



No family dinner or SuperKids! this week, due to Ash Wednesday worship.



Join the discussion about the past week's readings in the chapel between morning services .

The Other Reformations Sunday School Class— If you enjoyed learning about Martin Luther and his role in the Reformation you would appreciate learning about the other reformers and movements. The class meets in the Friendship Room.



February Operation Christmas Child request: Hygiene Items

Toothbrushes (no toothpaste), wide tooth combs, hair accessories (hair bands, clips, barrettes, head bands, etc.), adhesive bandages (i.e. band aids®), non-liquid lip balm, nail clippers, nail files, compact mirrors, stick deodorant, other personal hygiene items. **Please—no liquids or used items.** For more information contact Jenny Page (JennyPageRLC@gmail.com)

The **Men's Second Tuesday Breakfast** meets at 7 AM on Tuesday, February 13, at Denny's. Please contact Emil Leitz with any questions.

The **Men's Third Saturday Breakfast and Bible Study** meets on Saturday, February 17. Cook at 6 AM, breakfast at 7, study at 8, done by 9.

On Saturday, February 17, 10 AM in the Friendship Room (following the Saturday Men's Breakfast), we will be watching **The Gospel of Matthew** from chapters 15 to the end. This film is part of the Lumo project which uses unedited scripture as the script, so if you are behind in your reading and want to catch up, or just want to experience seeing the Gospel unfold, please join us. Women are welcome to join us as well. Please contact Mike with questions (509)943-2783

Christian Service Ministry



Join us at **HeBrews Café** for coffee and fellowship in the Prince of Peace fellowship hall. People love the fellowship in the Café and everyone's participation is appreciated. **The 2018 sign-up chart is in the narthex.** Generally plan for about 80 people.

You will need to do your own setup and cleanup, but you don't have to worry about coffee. Questions: Mot and Pam Hedges 946-8692. *Our hosts today are Julie and Bill Bishop.*



The RLC Food Pantry: Thank you for all donations to the food pantry. *If like to shop, there is a list in the narthex. If you would prefer to let someone else do the shopping, mark your monetary donation "RLC food pantry."* **Please NO glass jars or outdated foods.** Food is distributed on Tuesdays from 1-4 PM and Saturdays from 9 AM - noon to anyone in need. *In January, we served 234 people, representing 74 families.*

New Members Class - Interested in becoming a member of RLC? Plan to attend our new members class today AND February 18. The class will be held in room 51 at 9:45 AM on both Sundays. New members will be received at the 11:00 AM service on Sunday, March 4, with an orientation luncheon following.

LWR Baskets of Promise - Lent is a time to focus our hearts and minds on Jesus' journey to the cross. It's an opportunity to share that gift of grace through service to others. 2018 marks the sixth year we, along with other Lutheran churches, will come together to assemble LWR Personal Care Kits as part of the Baskets of Promise Campaign. Each week we will be collecting a different item for the kits.

- February 18 - bars of soap (4-5 oz., any brand in original wrapping)
- February 25 - bath towels (light weight, max. 52"x27")
- March 4 - large-toothed combs
- March 11 - nail clippers (metal)
- March 18 - bath towels

The **Jefferson Tutoring team** is in need of one more tutor to work with a 2nd grade boy in reading. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Pam Hedges at 946-1804 or pamhedges@charter.net.

Worship Ministry

The flowers beside the altar are given by Jerry and Sissel Selving in honor of their daughters, Marti and Krista.

Last weekend's worship attendance: 330



Children's Church - Imagine hearing God's voice coming from a cloud in the sky, and seeing Jesus change right before your eyes! What would you do? This week in Children's Church we'll hear the story of the transfiguration. (From the Gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke)

Ash Wednesday is February 14. Please join us for worship at Noon or 7 PM.

Soup Suppers and Lent Worship - Starting Thursday, February 22, soup will be served at 6 PM and the Lenten worship services will start at 7 PM on Thursday evenings until through March 22.

The opening words of the Lord's Prayer have become so familiar that we often speak them without a thought, sometimes without any awareness that we are speaking at all. But to the disciples who first heard these words from Jesus, the prayer was a thunderbolt, a radical new way to pray that changed them and the course of history. Beginning February 18, Pastors Steve and Corey will begin a **sermon series on the Lord's Prayer**. The series is based upon the book "The Prayer that Turns the World Upside Down" by Albert Mohler. Here is the schedule:

- February 18: Hallowing the Father's name: Where authentic prayer begins
- February 25: Thy kingdom come: Whose agenda is our concern anyway?
- March 4: Give us this day: God's abundant physical provisions
- March 11: Forgive us our trespasses: the prayer of God's new covenant people
- March 18: Lead us not into temptation: Fighting the enemy through prayer
- March 25: Thine is the Kingdom

Biblical Stewardship Ministry

Average weekly offering needed for 2018: \$16,093

Tithes and Offerings:

Regular Offering: \$22,239
Online Giving: \$2,045
Total received: \$24,284

Cornerstone Capital Fund:

Income to date: \$84,870
Expense to date: \$25,000
Balance to date: \$59,870

Parking Lot Fund to date: \$34,160

The **RLC Foundation** was created to provide seed funding for new ministries. The Foundation will hold its **annual meeting** to report on seed funding investments and elect new board members between services on **February 18**. Larry Haler, Ginnette Ernst, Loren Schmid and Jana Strasburg have been nominated as board members. For more information about the RLC Foundation, please contact Jana Strasburg at jd_strasburg@yahoo.com or 253-797-1006.

Prayer Requests

We rejoice and praise the Lord for all He has done and for all He is going to do!

Special needs, Hospital, Sickness and Recovery

Gayla and Terry Davis – ongoing health concerns
Bea Skinner
Jefferson Tutoring - for students and tutors
Emma Whitney—recovery from addiction
Jack Oppelt—recovery from stroke
Roy Ballard - recovery from back surgery
Marilyn Schmidt
Ollie Stolte—health
Mary (Marie) Riensche—kidney cancer
Pastors Steve and Corey - protection and strength
Jack Page - U.S. Army
Tyler Salyer—Marines
Nathan Salyer - Marines MOS training
Clay Underwood - US Army
Gloria Gibbons—Giant Cell Arteritis, healing
Zorann Johnson - recovery from broken hip
Jerry Johnson - heart issues
Loris Schmidt - continued healing
Mac Dixon - recovery from surgery
Bill Wedberg - 16 weeks chemo treatments
Carleen Lust - severe back pain
Charles Rogers - chemo for metastatic melanoma
Eileen McVea - upcoming back surgery
Mike Bettinson - recovery from knee replacement surgery 12/27
Sue Meek - upcoming surgical procedure
Barbara Cunningham - health problems
Linda Hastings - kidney cancer, chemo
Mille Nierman - health issues
Patti Miller - healing for wrist injury
John Huebner - recovery from surgery 2/6
George Simkins - health issues

Home-bound or Residing at Assisted-living Facilities:

Carolyn Sparks, Jeanice Wise, Natalie Hobbs, Virginia Glasford, Lila Lloyd, Edith Hansen, Helen Robinson, Bea Skinner, Jack Oppelt, Carleen and Len Lust

Non-Member Requests: Please obtain permission to print full names for prayer requests. At the end of the month, the requests below are removed from the bulletin. If you would like them to remain in the bulletin, please write a note on your yellow worship slip.

All who are in the armed forces and their families
Joe Martinez - US Navy
Ryan Marzdec - Marines
Linda Matheison (Elaine Davis) - nodules found in right lower lung and just below liver; back on chemo
Karla Davis (Charles Davis) - return of cancer
Susan Harrington (close friend of Linda Totten) - Stage 4 cancer
Those estranged from family members
Kristine Allen (friend of Patty Newton) - strength after surgery for abdominal aortic aneurysm
Dennis (Lori Hogan) - terminal lung cancer/asbestosis
Gerry (Jim Lachut's cousin) - cancer
Beverly Smith (Felix Quinn sister) - cancer
Pamela Slaton (Betty Quinn cousin) - shoulder replacement
Kari (niece of Dave and Carol Larkin) - relief and healing from mental illness
Stacey (Lori Lachut's co-worker) - return of cancer
Anthony (Lori Hogan) - on life support

Upcoming Events:

February 18 - New Members Class, Part 2

February 18 - RLC Foundation Annual Meeting

February 22 - Soup Supper, Lent Worship Service

March 1, 8, 15, 22 - Soup Supper and Lenten Worship Services

March 9-10 - Confirmation Lock-in

What's happening this week:

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2018

8:30 a.m. Worship Service - Sanctuary
9:00 a.m. "Good News Today," TV Ministry (KVEW)
9:45 a.m. HeBrews Café - Prince of Peace Fellowship Hall
9:45 a.m. Sunday School - Classrooms
9:45 a.m. New Members Class - Room 51
9:45 a.m. Read the Bible 2018 Discussion - Chapel
10:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School - Friendship Room
11:00 a.m. Worship Service - Sanctuary
3:00 p.m. Brookdale Chapel
5:00 p.m. Worship Service - Chapel
6:00 p.m. 4:12 - Room 201
7:00 p.m. Haler/Worgull Bible Study - Friendship Room

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2018

9:00 a.m. Play Date - Gloria Dei
12:00 p.m. Mary Martha Bible Study - Friendship Room
6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study - Friendship Room

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast - Denny's in Richland
10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting - Friendship Room
1:00 p.m. Food Pantry Distribution - Room 124
6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts - Prince of Peace Fellowship Hall
7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 248 - Gloria Dei
7:00 p.m. Congregation Council - Friendship Room

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2018

9:00 a.m. Sewing Bee - Prince of Peace Fellowship Hall
12:00 p.m. *Weekly Announcements Deadline*
12:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship Service - Chapel
1:00 p.m. Pastor Corey's Bible Study - Friendship Room
2:30 p.m. Knitting Group - Friendship Room
5:30 p.m. Praise Band - Sanctuary
6:00 p.m. RLC Foundation - Room 124
7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship Service - Sanctuary

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2018

9:00 a.m. Pastor Dave's Bible Study - Friendship Room
10:30 a.m. Prayer for the Church - Prayer Room/#52
5:00 p.m. High School Bible Study - Friendship Room

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2018

9:00 a.m. Bulletin Assembly - Prince of Peace Fellowship Hall
11:00 a.m. New Members Team - Friendship Room
6:00 p.m. AA - Room #51

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2018

7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast and Bible study - Prince of Peace, Friendship Room
9:00 a.m. Food Pantry Distribution - Room 124
5:00 p.m. Prayer for Missions - Friendship Room