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# **Parish Notes**

## **Welcome to Worship**

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# Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus

**SUNDAY** 9:30 am - Worship

10:30 am - Fellowship

11:00 am - Teen Sunday School 1:00pm - Bible Study (via Zoom)

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74401670409?pwd=QIVYTGJObGptRjJ6V2NXM1Z4Y1pvZz09

Meeting ID: 744 0167 0409

Passcode: Study

MONDAY 9:00 am - Friendly Ties Quilters (1st & 3rd Monday's)

**WEDNESDAY** 9:00 am - Yoga

1:00 pm - Book Club

6:00 pm - Dinner/Faith Formation/Confirmation

**THURSDAY** 1:00 pm - Shepherding Bible Study Group – (3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday)

6:30 pm - Church Council meeting – (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday)

FRIDAY 8:00 pm - AA and Al Anon

SATURDAY — 7:30 am — Men's Group — (2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday)

## **Transfiguation of our Lord**

Luke 9:28-43

Imperatives of Discipleship – Listen!

Focus Question - How can I listen more closely to Jesus?

February Birthdays	
David Schulte	29
March Birthdays	
Stefani Rhees	19
Jessica Cornell	22
Marlys Sorbo	23
Danette Cornell	23
James Jimenez	27
Roy Zimmerman	29
Ashlee Fields	30
Hazel Ann Linke	30

### **Upcoming Events**

Mar 2 – Book Club 1:00 Mar 2 – Ashes to Go 11-1 Ash Wed Service @7pm Mar 9 – Lenten Soup

Supper/Devotional Mar 13 – Daily Savings Time



Remember those who are cold, don't forget your hats, gloves, or socks for those at the Ogden Rescue Mission. We are also resuming collection of dry/canned goods, cleaning products and paper products for the Rescue Mission.

### **Lenten Devotions**

During our Lenten journey together, we will be exploring the theme *Good Enough*. Our devotions and worship services will be guided in part by the Kate Bowler book, *Good Enough 40'ish Devotionals for a Life of Imperfection*. For those of you that would like to use the book, it is available from Amazon and other Christian book suppliers. You'll find a comprehensive list of places to order at <a href="https://katebowler.com/good-enough/">https://katebowler.com/good-enough/</a> There is also a free Reflection Guide you can download on this website. You can use it along with the book or by itself.

The list price of the book from Amazon is \$16.99. It is also available as an Audible Audiobook for 1 Credit, or on Kindle for \$11.99. I invite you to use it as a daily devotional, with the exception of Sundays (this is traditionally how the "40 days of Lent" are calculated... and at some point you'll find the "40'ish-ness" where there is one more, which makes it perfectly imperfect). Each week following our Wednesday night Soup Supper, we will be focusing on a concept from the book. If you don't order the book, don't worry. You will still be able to fully participate in the study and discussion.

We get so many messages in life that tell us we must be perfect. We can get so caught up in trying to be perfect that we miss out on a deeper experience of faith. In the beautiful gift of grace, God meets us right where we are and we just might discover, we are Good Enough!

## **Thrivent Choice Dollars**

For those members who have Thrivent investment accounts or insurance policies, March 31 is the yearly deadline to give your loyalty Choice Dollars to charity, hopefully that choice is Ascension. You can go online to set up the distribution of those dollars. If you have any questions, see Pat Refsdal for more details.

<u>Thank You-</u> It's been a really busy few weeks here, and we'd like to say thank you to those that gave their time and talents to make everything happen. Things only happen because of the generosity of all of you.

- To all who helped plan and make the Schulte wedding a memorable event.
- To all who brought food and helped make the Hughes Celebration of Life a special time for the family and guests.
- To Sharen Kamp who has spent countless hours revamping our payroll and tax accounting processes.
- To Pastor Debra who has spent many hours providing tender care and spiritual comfort for our many members these last six weeks. The wedding, celebration of life, hospital visits, home visitations and much more has been so appreciated by those in need.
- To Kelly Martin and all the volunteers for their tremendous commitment to the Family Promise families. Our hosts, meal makers, grocery buyers, set-up and takedown folks are so awesome for their willingness to serve and support this very critical need in our community.
- To Jim Craig who has worked many hours on the CLC to solve a gas smell, oversee the installation of a new gutter & new heat tape on the roof, and test the sprinkler system. In the ALC, he made our fire control panel fully operational, he is working to replace broken heat sensors in the ducting, installing new thermostats for the HVAC and numerous other tasks.
- To Eric Refsdal who has been providing recorded music and tech support for our worship services, the wedding and celebration of life.
- To John Warkentin who made the kneeler for our worship events.
- To Jim Craig who made the stands for our offertory plate and communion cups.
- To Arliss Zimmerman who bought and arranged the beautiful flowers for the wedding.
- To Kim Engelby for her trips to the Rescue Mission and the Day Center with hats, gloves and other donations we receive
- To Nancy for the bulletins she designed and printed for the wedding and funeral, in addition to ensuring our weekly bulletins and music are so well put together

thank you!

<u>Lutheran World Relief Personal Care Kits</u> – We will be collecting LWR Personal Care Kits during Lent this year. Below are the instructions for preparing a kit. Please put only the items listed in each kit. LWR Kits are designed to help people coping with poverty, disaster, conflict and more. LWR Kits provide dignity and hope in the direst situations.

# PERSONAL CARE KITS

### SOME IMPORTANT GUIDELINES TO REMEMBER

- Be sure to shop for light- or medium-weight towels, which are easier for Kit recipients to hand wash and air dry, take up less storage space and are considerably less expensive than the fluffier towels we may prefer to use.
- Bath towels vary in size. The 52" X 27" size listed in the guidelines is the maximum size. 20" x 40" is a good guideline for a minimum size.
- Please give new items only.
- Please do not donate items with any religious symbols, messages or your group's name.
- Please do not donate any items decorated with a U.S. flag, patriotic or military symbols, or references to the armed forces, including camouflage.
- . Do not add other items or leave out any of the items listed.
- · All items should be new and in good condition.
- Do not enclose the Kit or any of its contents in plastic bags.



### INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING IN EACH PERSONAL CARE KIT

<b>ONE</b> light-weight bath-size towel (between 20" x 40" and 52" x 27"), dark color recommended
<b>TWO</b> or three bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz. any brand, in original wrapping
<b>ONE</b> adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging*
ONE sturdy comb, remove packaging
<b>ONE</b> metal nail clippers (attached file optional), remove packaging

 Toothbrush multi-packs may be used by sealing an individual toothbrush in a business-size envelope; no plastic bags or wrap

### HOW TO PACK YOUR PROJECT PROMISE KITS

- Fold the towel in half. Place the rest of the items in the towel, fold and roll so nothing falls out, and secure with yarn, ribbon, string or rubber bands.
- Pack completed Kits, like items together, in boxes.
   Label contents in LARGE, BLOCK LETTERS on the outside of the boxes.
- Use strong cartons secured with packing tape, not to exceed 40 pounds.
- · Do not use plastic or paper bags to pack donations.
- Include the name and address of your group or congregation on each box and label the contents

## **†**Please Lift Up in Prayer:

- The Family of Lillian Hughes
- The Family of Leigh Vosler
- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Kristy Shari Morosky's daughter
- Bruce & Joan Marlow
- Stephanie, niece of Gloria
- Cory, Nancy Gale's son
- Pam Burbank
- Jessica Stewart, Dick Graves daughter
- Rebecca Rens and the Eyre Families
- Patti, Shari Morosky's sister
- Jefferson Barrett
- Kyle and Kristen friends of Kelly
- Maylan Chugg, Don & Dee's granddaughter
- Julie Jensen, Mike Williams' sister
- Gloria Mike
- Chris, friend of Alyson W.
- Judy Sherman
- Henry, Nancy G's grandson
- Justina, friend of Rebecca
- Lynn Copper and her family
- Sean Zeller, Pastor Gene's nephew
- Cheryl, friend of Alyson
- Mark Hughes and family
- Richard, Shari Morosky's husband
- Erik Thompson
- Pat, Lillian's Sister in Law
- Scott, Diana Warkentin's friend
- Heidi, Diane Shultz' sister-in-law
- Dick Graves
- Bob P.
- Mark B.
- Shari Morosky and her family
- Dee Brown
- PJ, friend of Kelly
- Toni, Pastor Debra's Sister-in-Law

- Lynn and Carol
- Katie's mom, friend of Pastor Debra's daughter
- Yoshi, friend of Pastor Debra
- Kathie, Pastor Debra and James' Sister-in-Law
- Pat, friend of Shari M.
- Carol Reopelle
- Kim, friend of Bob
- Jack, Pastor Debra's nephew
- Suzy and her family
- Grace Scothern
- Dallin, friend of Rachel F.
- Alex, friend of Nicole, Nate, and David
- CJ and family
- Bill, Linda's brother
- Scott Chapan, friend of Dick G.
- Bernie Galbraith, Dayle Young's sister

## **†**Praying for Loved Ones in the Military:

- Steve Johnson
- Kaleb Tarr, Ethan Lee, Michael Connelly (deployed 13 July 17, 2021)
- Dariyan Edsinger
- Mason Bushey and his wife Ida, and family
- Brody Wilcock
- Renee Kiel
- Justin Kiel
- Kris Kiel
- Matt Malde
- Jason Chugg

# <u>February/March</u> <u>Ascension Ministries</u>

SUN	WORSHIP ASST	ALTAR GUILD	Ushers	GREETERS	ANNOUNCE- MENTS	Stewardship For Gods Gory  COUNTERS
Feb 27	Patti Hall	Kim Engelby	Renee & Todd Hart	CJ Jordan	Connie Larsen	CJ Jordan
Mar 6	Connie Larsen	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	John & Diana Warkentin	Jim Craig	Renee Hart
Mar 13	Arliss Zimmerman	Kim Engelby	Patti Hall & Stef Rhees	Joanna Wolf	Jim Craig	Paula DelCarlo
Mar 20						