Connecting people to God with the message of God's love!



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Epiphany, the season between Christmas and Lent, is a season of increasing light in the natural world (in the northern hemisphere), and so also a season of increasing understanding of Jesus in our lives. It begins with the revealing of who Jesus is to the Wise Men, symbols of other nations coming to understand who the Messiah is. Our readings continue with Jesus' baptism, where a voice from heaven tells us, "This is my beloved son, with whom I am well pleased." At the wedding in Cana, we see the first sign, pointing us to the celebration that is the coming of the Christ. And on the last Sunday in Epiphany, we read the story of the transfiguration, of Jesus as the light of the whole world.

Our stories tell us this Epiphany season that understanding who Jesus is is a step on the way to loving Jesus. Loving Jesus is a step on the way to trusting in him. Faith begins with understanding.

As we muddle our way through the beginnings of this new year, I hope that we will look for understanding in Jesus.

Pastor Joshua



1^{st}	Raegan Ehde
3^{rd}	Suz Strom
6^{th}	Myron Mattern
9 th	Paige Bosch
10^{th}	Jack Hilderbrand
15 th	Melissa Garcia
16^{th}	Robert Catchpole
24^{th}	Eleni McKee
27^{th}	Joanne Harnish
28^{th}	Beth Morris

MISSION STATEMENT

We covenant ourselves to gather around Word and Sacrament for mutual support and strength in Christ, that by God's grace we:

Proclaim the gospel of the Kingdom

Nurture the community through Christian Education
Provide settings for Christian fellowship, and
Equip the membership to be Christ's servant people within

God's world.

Ties and Tiaras Dance February 9th at West Elementary School starts at 6:30 pm.

**Thrivent Choice Dollars expire on March 31, 2018!!



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Office: M - F: 9 am - 12: pm Sunday Worship: 9:00 am Sunday Sunday School: 10:00 am Sunday Adult Bible Study: 4:00 pm Thursday Adult Book Study: 10:30 am Sunday

LENT



The Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper will be held at All Saints Episcopal Church on Tuesday, March 5th, beginning at 5:00 pm. This is a free-will offering event. Youth group members are being asked to help serve if able.



We will have Ash Wednesday services at 6:30 pm. We are in need of an elder, musician, ushers, and a reader for the 6:30 service. If you are interested in helping, please speak to Pastor Joshua.



The Lenten Soup & Services will be held on Wednesday evenings beginning March 13th. We will begin with soup and fellowship at 5:30 followed by the service. A sign-up sheet for bringing soup will be posted by the church mailboxes before the end of February.



Maundy Thursday Service: April 18th 7:00 pm Good Friday Service: April 19th 7:00 pm Easter Vigil Service: April 20th 7:00 pm Sunrise Service: April 21st 6:30 am

Easter Service: April 21st 9:00 am

The dedication of the Blessing Box was held on January 20th. It is already being used by the community. Lets keep it full and blessing others.







SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FR	SAT
					1	MEN'S BREAKFAST AT TASTY TREATS 7:30 AM
3 SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPPER BOWL	4	5 PRAISE BAND 6:00PM	6 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00PM	7	8	9 TIES & TIARAS 6:30PM
SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP 5:00 PM TAIZE 7:00 PM	11	12	BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM COUNCIL MEETING 7:00 PM	14	15	16
SUNDAY SCHOOL TAIZE 7:00 PM	18	DIAPER DAY 9:00 AM WELCA B-DAY LUNCH @ 11:30 AM BIG A PRAISE BAND 5:30 PM WORSHIP COMMITTEE 6:30 PM	BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	21	22	23
INTER- GENERATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL NURSING HOME SERVICE 2:00 PM TAIZE 7:00 PM	25	PRAISE BAND 6:00PM	27 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	28		

FEBRUARY SERVERS

	ELDER		ASSISTANT		GREETERS
2-3	Jim Lockwood	2-3	Rena Kittelson	2-3	The Catchpoles
2-10	Joel McKee	2-10	Jim Lockwood	2-10	The McKee's
2-17	Rena Kittelson	2-17	Joel McKee	2-17	Nadine Morris
2-24	Tandi Wise	2-24	Rick Robbins	2-24	Cindy Anderson
	ACOLYTE		READER		USHERS
2-3	Eleni McKee	2-3	Rena Kittelson	2-3	The Catchpoles
2-10	Raegan Ehde	2-10	Larry or Eleni McKee	2-10	The McKee's
2-17	Mekayla Garcia	2-17	Jennifer Bruns	2-17	The Bosch's
2-24	Mekenna Garcia	2-24	The Lubeck's?	2-24	The Lubeck's?
	MUSICIAN		ALTAR CARE		VISITATION
2-3	Nancy Schumann	2-3	Gail Thompson	2-3	Lloyd Koerwitz
2-10	Lisa Young	2-10	Rena Kittelson	2-10	Stu Hammersmark
2-17	Gwen Seidel	2-17	Marge Scholten	2-17	Rich Bohm
2-24		2-24	Hollee Bosch	2-24	Rick Robbins
	FELLOWSHIP		SUNDAY SCHOOL		
2-3	The Catchpoles	2-3	Pastor Joshua		
2-10	Rena Kittelson	2-10	Pastor Joshua		
2-17	Nadine Morris	2-17	Pastor Joshua		
2-24	Cindy Anderson	2-24	Inter-generational Sunday School		

SHEPHERDING GROUPS 2019

Group I – March 2019, July 2019, Nov 2019				
322-3182				
262-3591				
322-3714				
322-6066				
303-518-5598				
322-5141				
322-9562				
331-5969				
331-4618				
307-640-0406				
322-9474				
322-9250				
331-2724				
331-5766				
717-940-1722				

<u>Group II – April 2019, Aug</u> March 2020	2019, Dec 2019,
Young, Lisa & Dave	717-940-1722

*Shore, Woody & Karen	322-3140
Bachmeier, Liz	322-4515
Bohm, Rich	322-9554
Bremer, Ray & Helen	322-3345
Dingman, Richard & Nicole	322-3105
Haeffelin, Deanna & Tom	331-3797
Hammersmark, Stu & Reva	322-5262
Ingold, Floyd & Peggy	322-2467
Kahrs, Cindy	322-4239
Miller, Sarah	331-0661
Morrison, Lee & Tonya	331-8439
Preuit, Pat	331-1404
Race, Don & Judy	331-2024
Snook, Linda	322-3562
Taylor, Red & Reno	331-1707
Whipple, Sharon	322-4856
Wilhelm, Bob & Susan	331-8485

<u>Group III – Jan 2019, May</u>	<u>2019, Sept 2019,</u>
April 2020	•
*Seidel, Slick & Gwen	322-9101
Dingman, Don	322-4544
Garland, Shirley	307-620-2523
Harnish, Ben & Joanne	241-0300
Hilderbrand, Jack & Verna	322-2362
Jeffords, Kim	331-4959
Jenkins,Wade & Teresa	331-0730
Lauck, Wade & Laura	331-1639
Lockwood, James	241-0233
Schumann, Earl & Nancy	331-0863
Sterling, Shelley	331-1512
Thomas, Connie & CA	331-3269
Thompson, Gail	322-3610
Wilhelm, Maryanne	322-2240
Windmeier, Judy	322-3041

Group IV-Feb 2019, June 2019, Oct 2019,				
<u>Jan 2020</u>				
*McKee, Larry & Joan	322-4166			
Anderson, Cindy	322-3432			
Bosch, Ron & Hollee	322-6030			
Brown, Jeff & Shari	322-9304			
Bruns, Joshua & Jennifer	322-2480			
Catchpole, Bob & Sharon	322-5226			
Ehde, Thad & Tifanie	331-3750			
Kittelson, Rena	322-2537			
Lauck, Bob & Lorretta	322-3059			
Lubeck, Terry & Nancy	322-4173			
McKee, Joel & Dawn	331-0921			
Morris, Nadine	307-640-4942			
Seim, Steve & Mary	331-4949			
Sluss, Kevin & Sue	322-3940			
Strom, Suz	331-1363			