GREETERS

Feb 24 Keith and Susan Coffman Mar 3 Ray and Judy Powell

Mar 10 Linda Burnside

WORSHIP LEADER

Feb 24 Malinda Johnston

Mar 3 Ann Grisdale

Mar 10 Diane Cook

FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Feb 24 Cookie Share Sharon Baroncelli Mar 3

Mar 10 Jen and Morgan Saeler

**NURSERY** 

Feb 24 Jessica Jones/Sharon Baroncelli Jessica Jones/Barbara Simons Mar 10 Jessica Jones/Amanda Wiseley

COUNTERS Heather Ashley, Malinda Johnston, Margaret Nelson, Debbie Swecker

**SEXTON** Steve Simons BULLETIN FOLDERS \*Friday mornings at 11:00.

Jane Helms

Mar 8 Diane and Barry Cook

Linda Burnside'

SANCTUARY ASSISTANTS (during the week of)

Jane Helms Linda Burnside Mar 3 Mar 10 Jane Runyon

WOODSTOCK CLOTHES CLOSET

Mar 1 (2:30-4:30) Carole Lovelace, Irene Mertens Mar 8 (12:15-2;30) Liz Sollenberger, Lois Coffman

BROWN BAG BLESSING (Tuesday & Wednesday)

Tues. Feb 26 M. Nelson, M. Gentry, L. Stevenson, S. Pruett

Wed. Fed 28 Gary Hines

HEAD USHER

Feb 24 Margaret Nelson (Team 3) Cindy Wilkins (Team 4)

Mar 10 George Swecker (Team 5)

## Prayer Concerns & Joys

Remember in Prayer Jennifer O'Ferrell, Bill Isner, Kenneth Towler (Liz Sollenberger's nephew)

Those in Nursing/Health Care Facilities Louise Grinstead (Greenfield Woodstock); Shirley Lynn, Mary Gwen Long, Margy Boyer (Pine Meadow); Bettie Hepner (Greenfield Reflections); Marguerite Lynch (Envoy, Staunton), Janet Einstein (Sunnyside)

WPC World Mission Focus Corrymeela Peace Community (Northern Ireland)

WPC Local Focus Woodstock Ministerial Association, Shenandoah Alliance for Shelter, Response, Bread of Life Food Pantry, Woodstock Clothes Closet, Brown Bag Blessing

**Birthdays This Week** February 25: Cathy Rec, Danielle Coleman; February 27: Ray Powell

# **WPC Staff Directory**

Ann Grisdale - Clerk of Session

Pastor- Kate Rascoe Lori Staley - Secretary

Elizabeth Sollenberger - Organist/Pianist

Lori Staley - Choral Director

Jessica Jones - Nursery Care Provider

Cindy Isner - Custodian

Vicky Germroth - Librarian

Ray Powell -Treasurer

Cindy Wilkins - Assistant Treasurer

Loretta Lantz - Presb. Women Moderator Jerry Germroth/Ray Powell– Men's Co-Pres. The Presbyterian Preschool (459-8510)

4-Star Preschool Experience for 3 and 4 year olds Stephanie Dysart - Director

Elizabeth Warner - Assistant Director

Sarah Keefauver - Special Education Aide

Cathy Gilbert - ESL Director Sarah Kalkbrenner - GED Director

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# The Weekly Wellspring

Happenings in and around WPC

February 24, 2019

# **Weekly Scripture Readings**

# Sunday, February 24

Morning: Pss. 103; 150

Evening: Pss. 117; 139 Isa. 57:1–13

Heb. 12:1–6 John 7:37–46

# Monday, February 25

Morning: Pss. 5; 145

Evening: Pss. 82; 29 Isa. 57:14–21 Gal. 6:11-18 Mark 9:30-41

**Tuesday, February 26** 

Morning: Pss. 42; 146

Evening: Pss. 102; 133 Isa. 58:1–12 2 Tim. 1:1–14 Mark 9:42–50

Wednesday, February 27

Morning: Pss. 89:1–18; 147:1–11 Evening: Pss. 1; 33 Isa. 59:1–21 2

Tim. 1:15-2:13 Mark 10:1-16

# Thursday, February 28

Morning: Pss. 97; 147:12–20 Evening: Pss. 16; 62 Isa. 60:1–22 2 Tim. 2:14-26 Mark 10:17-31

# Friday, March 1

Morning: Pss. 51; 148

Evening: Pss. 142; 65 Isa. 61:1–9 2 Tim. 3:1–17 Mark 10:32–45

Saturday, March 2

Morning: Pss. 104; 149

Evening: Pss. 138; 98 Isa. 61:10-62:5 2 Tim. 4:1–8 Mark 10:46–52



Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path... Psalm 119

# **Star Check-In:**



back on Wav Epiphany (Jan 6th), we were encouraged to select a "star word" in worship. This was to be a word that would provide guidance God's

and direction in the new year. "FORGIVING" was the star that chose me. It sits on my desk, visible almost every day, but not quite in the forefront of my consciousness. Nothing stood out immediately when I read my star- I am aware of no personal crisis for which I need to extend forgiveness or for which I need to be forgiven. It also didn't stand true as a character trait of mine. I often hold on to grudges and perceived injustices. "She was Forgiving" will proably NOT be written on my tombstone. Yet the idea that this word is both descriptive and an action will not let me go-I can have the characteristic of forgiveness through the act of FORGIVING... And, if I'm honest, there is ALWAYS an opportunity for me to forgive or to receive forgiveness! The world is full of injustices, disappointments and people who I'd rather avoid. Rather than pushing them out of the way, out of the forefront of consciousness, I will work to bring them to light. Perhaps in the light of the star (which is now on my computer screen) I will become more forgiving...

What about you? Did your star word hit a chord immediately? Does it need to be dusted off? I'd love to hear your star word journey...

~Pastor Kate

# Presbyterian Men, Woodstock Presbyterian Church

# **Minutes of January 27, 2017 Meeting**

Jim Carter opened the meeting with prayer at 8:30 a.m. We had 20 people in attendance, 14 men and 6 women.

Jim Carter presented a devotion based upon 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 12:12—by one Spirit we are all baptized.

The minutes of the December 23, 2018 meeting were approved as distributed.

The Treasurer's Report was approved; the current balance is \$11,714.76. Of that amount, after today's actions, \$2,392.66 is unencumbered.

#### **Old Business:**

The next Tenderloin Dinner is planned for April 12, 2019. The PW yard sale is scheduled for April 6<sup>th</sup>. It was suggested that adding and advertising a children's menu might bring in some younger families.

Jerry Germroth reported that he is still awaiting a second bid on the stairway gate but may need to move forward with the current bid. That bid is \$985.00 and Hal Ladehoff has offered to pay for the installation. Hal suggests we move forward expeditiously.

The construction of the Education Classroom is progressing. Wall studding has been completed. The main HVAC duct has been installed so the room is warm, and ESL has begun using it.

The plan is to submit the plan with drawings for a building permit, get the estimate to complete the HVAC ductwork, install the sheetrock on the walls, install the drop ceiling with lighting, install laminate or tile flooring in the main area and pine flooring, courtesy of John Coleman, in the office.

The session has approved a capital campaign to raise the funds for this project and the new air conditioner for the pre-school. Any funds raised over those needed for these projects will be applied to the principal on the loan for the addition.

#### **New Business:**

The men of the church have been asked to prepare Easter Sunday breakfast on April 21<sup>st</sup>. We agreed by common consent.

The ministerial association has asked that WPC provide the Lenten luncheon on April 16th. John Coleman and Carl Nelson will prepare potato and black bean soups respectively.

The senior luncheon for members over the age of 80 will be held on **Tuesday, May 21**<sup>st</sup> in the fellowship hall. Hal announced that there will be a guest speaker who will discuss Woodstock in the 1950's. He moved that \$300.00 be allotted to cover expenses for this event. The move was seconded and carried.

The session will be asking for annual reports from the various mission teams within the church throughout the year.

Gary Yew recommended the men of the church purchase and install an AED (defibrillator) in the fellowship hall. The cost will be \$975.00 plus \$100.00 for the case. The recommendation was moved, seconded and carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Jim Carter and adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

## **February Collection**

We'll be collecting for Shenandoah Alliance for Shelter during February. They need individual snacks for their clients and laundry supplies, detergent, bleach, softener. Please leave your generous donations in the grocery cart in the narthex. We are blessed to be a blessing.

# **Dot Lowerre Service**

There will be a Memorial Service for Dot Lowerre, tomorrow, Monday, February 25th, here at 1 pm, with a reception in the Fellowship Hall after.

### COMMUNITY LENTEN SERVICES AT WOODSTOCK UMC

Services will be at 12:00 noon,

with lunch served before the service at 11:30 am and after at 12:30 pm at Woodstock UMC:

Lenten Services

154 S Muhlenberg St, Woodstock, VA 22664

Free will offerings given towards lunch will benefit the Woodstock Ministerial Association to help provide for the needy in our community.

Below is the schedule for the churches that will host.

Mar 12-Woodstock UMC
Pastor Rob Hoskins

Mar 19-Emmanuel Episcopal

Rev. Kathy Murray

Mar 26-Emanuel Lutheran

Rev. Nate Robinson

**April 2-John Bosco Catholic Church** 

Father Dobbins

April 9-St Paul's UCC

Rev. Clara Young

**April16-Woodstock Presbyterian** 

Rev. Kate Rascoe

## **Just Because**

Just Because, a local non-profit organization led by Karen Caspersen, will be packing small gift bags for the teachers of the Woodstock Public Schools in our Fellowship Hall this afternoon, beginning at 2:00pm. Volunteers from our congregation are greatly appreciated to help with this local mission. Another way that we are a blessing!

# WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sun.	Sunday School	9:45am
	Elders Pray	10:40 am
	Worship	11 am
	Fellowship Hour	12pm
	Just Because	2-5pm
Mon	Dot Lowerre Memorial Servi	ice 1pm
Tues.	Preschool	9-1pm
	ESL/GED	9:30-12pm
	BBB	4:30pm
Wed.	Preschool	9-1pm
	Tones Chimes	4pm
	Choir	5pm
Thurs.	Preschool	9 -1pm
	ESL/GED	9:30-12pm
	Batterers Intervention	4-7pm
Fri	Preschool	9 -1pm
	WPC @ Clothes Closet	2:30-4:30pm

#### YOUR CONGREGATION IS INVITED!

Kes Tariku Tolessa, former president of the Illubabor Bethel Synod of EECMY and current Director of Theology and Missions, is coming to Shenandoah Presbytery! He will be at Opequon Church on Monday, February 25 at 7:00 pm for "Coffee, Conversation, & Dessert." This gathering will be in our Memorial Sanctuary. We look forward to hearing from Kes Tariku. All are welcome!

This year's **Baja Mission Trip** will depart from Dulles Airport on **Saturday**, **July 6** and return to Dulles Airport on Sunday, July 14. It is an exciting venture where blessings abound.

AN INFORMATIONAL MEETING FOR ANYONE INTERESTED IN GOING OR FINDING OUT MORE ABOUT THE TRIP, WILL BE HELD ON:

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, AT 10:30 AM AT OPEQUON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN WINCHESTER.