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FEBRUARY EVENTS

A Look At Lent

The season of Lent is a time when we prepare our hearts, minds and souls for the sacred observances of Christ's death on Good Friday and his resurrection on Easter. In Lent, we recognize we are simply dust and ashes without Christ, we confess our sins to God, and we follow Christ the cross, where we are made whole again.

On Ash Wednesday, worship leaders place a cross of ashes on our foreheads as a reminder that we are dust and to dust we shall we return.



Lent Schedule

Ash Wednesday - February 18 6pm - Waffle Supper 7pm - Worship Service with Imposition of Ashes

Wednesday's - February 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25 6:15pm- Soup Supper, 7pm - Worship Service

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February Church Meetings

Feb 1 - Outreach 12:15pm

Feb 4 – Finance 6:30pm

Feb 7 – Leadership Planning, Council 9am

Feb 10 - Dove Circle 1pm

Feb 19 - Education 7pm

Feb 24 – Property 7pm

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February Blessing Corner

Transitional Living Center

Upcoming Events

Veggie Tale Movie Event, March Rummage Sale - March 27 & March 28

Lord God, we give you thanks for all your blessings, the precious gift of life, the world and everything in it. Surround us with your Holy Spirit and guide us that we may be drawn closer to you through worship of you. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

There are a couple of property projects that need attention and the property committee need your help. We are looking for man power and/or woman power. If you can help paint and/or spread rock in front of the worship center, please sign up to help. A date will be determined to complete these projects.

Sunday School is provided every Sunday at 10:10am for ages 4 - adult

Sunday School teaches the Bible, the message of God Almighty

Sunday School gives the opportunity to bring others under the message of the Gospel

Sunday School will give the student the opportunity to develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ

Faith

Faith is a way of life. Faith brings us into the presence of God and leads us to commit ourselves totally to God. Faith is an adventure. Faith must grow, change and have a deepening understanding of God and our relationship to him. Some of Martin Luther's thoughts on faith are —

Are there times when we lack faith? Do you think our faith waivers, goes up and down: When some events seem good and positive our faith is up, but when things look bad our faith can disappear. What is faith to you?

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Vamanos!

A United Journey of Faith!

Cristo Rey | Mt. Hope | New Hope | Peace Come and experience four churches in one afternoon. As Paul traveled from church to church in the first century we will travel together LEARNING, HAVING FUN, getting to know each other, and EATING exciting foods along the way!

YOUTH EVENT GRADES 5-12