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“But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous;” 1 John 2:1

The Advocate

FROM THE HEART, REV. TOM TURNER

The primary event for February is Lent beginning with Ash Wednesday. We will have our usual Ash Wednesday service with the imposition of ashes. And, as has been our tradition, we will invite the congregations of the First Presbyterian Church, First United Methodist Church and Immanuel Lutheran Church. Their clergy will also be asked to participate.

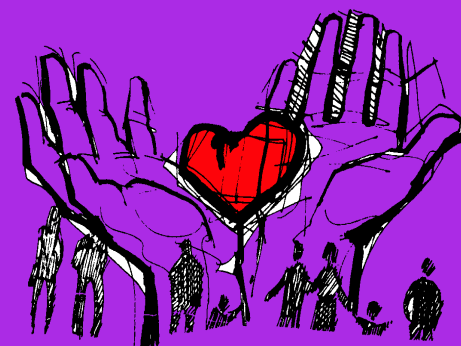
Lent is a time for preparation to live through the death and resurrection of Christ as we approach Holy Week. Many of us will continue our traditional sacrifice and penitence through giving up something that we hold dear. Others may set aside more time for prayer and study. Whatever we may choose to do, if anything, we should include taking a critical look at our spiritual lives. We should try to increase those things we believe help us to be more like Christ and delete from our lives those things that tend to separate us from Christ.

Following up on that thought, during our Lenten gatherings on Wednesdays beginning on February 21st, we will begin taking stock of where we want to be as a part of the Body of Christ in the coming years. At the first meeting



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FROM THE HEART (CONT'D)

Bruce Hoffman will provide some information about financial planning and some other issues and how they relate to where we see Advent moving into the future.

The annual Diocesan Council begins on February 22nd and continues through February 24th in San Marcos. As you know, the Diocesan theme this year is, "The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart. (Deut. 30:14) During the days of the Council we will hear about the work of the Diocese and the direction our Bishops believe we should go. I, Darlene, your delegates and alternates, look forward to learning about future plans and bringing that information back to you.

There will be other events in February as we make plans for the future, including Bishop Jennifer Brook-Davidson's visit in March and preparation for our 125th anniversary and the annual Fish Fry.

Finally, I want to thank the congregation for their assistance in the planning and participation in the Annual Parish Meeting and the "5th" Sunday ecumenical luncheon. The Annual Parish Meeting was vibrant and productive. The 5th Sunday luncheon was a joyful time of fellowship and hospitality.

May God continue to bless and guide us as we seek to do His Will.

God Bless you.

Tom



What is Ash Wednesday?

Many people ask, "What is Ash Wednesday?" This primarily Catholic holiday is the first day of Lent and always falls forty-six days before Easter.

What is the meaning of Ash Wednesday?

Roman Catholic churches of the Latin Rite use this service to prepare church members to better appreciate the death and resurrection of Christ through self-examination, repentance, prayer, fasting, and self-denial. Ashes from the burned palms of the preceding year's Palm Sunday are blessed. With these ashes, the priest marks a cross on the foreheads of worshipers, saying, "Remember, man, that dust thou art, and unto dust thou shalt return" (Genesis 3:19 KJV). Besides showing sorrow for their sins, those who honor Ash Wednesday add an additional meaning; the need to prepare for a holy death.

Origin of Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday has a non-Christian origin and was accepted into the beliefs of the Catholic Church at the Council of Nicaea in 325 AD. The council also settled upon the 40-day fast period as the standard length to celebrate Lent. During this time period Constantine's goal was to combine pagans and Christians into a peaceable unit within the Roman kingdom.

Even after the Council of Nicaea the beginning start date of Lent was still questioned. In 601 Pope Gregory moved the beginning of Lent from the fourth Sunday of the year to Ash Wednesday, 46 days before Easter. This change allowed for 40 days of fasting with six Sundays counted as feast days, for a total of 46 days for Lent. Pope Gregory also instituted the tradition of marking parishioners forehead's with ashes in the shape of a cross.

Is Ash Wednesday Mentioned in the Bible?

Ash Wednesday is not specifically mentioned in the Bible, however, from Biblical times, sprinkling oneself with ashes has been a mark of sorrow for sin. Several times the Bible mentions people repenting in dust and ashes; for example: Mordecai (Esther 4:1), Job (Job 42:6), the inhabitants of Nineveh (Jonah 3:5-6), and Daniel (Daniel 9:3-4). Repentance in dust and ashes often was accompanied with fasting during Bible times.

The type of fast Jesus himself endorsed was the following, found in Matthew 6:16-18, "Moreover, when you fast, do not be like the hypocrites, with a sad countenance. For they disfigure their faces that they may



Worship schedule

FEBRUARY 2018



February 4 Morning Prayer

Eucharistic Minister – Gail Hoffman
Lectors – Clif Hammock & Bruce Hoffman
Usher – Steve Findley

February 11

Celebrant – Rev. Tom Turner
Eucharistic Minister – Steve Findley
Lectors – Phil MacCord & Juliette Wood
Oblationers – Andy & Aaronette Housley
Usher – Bruce Hoffman

February 14 ASH WEDNESDAY

Celebrant – Rev. Tom Turner
Eucharistic Minister – Cookie MacCord
Lectors – Roge & Liz Hoffman
Oblationers – Elaine Broesche & Clare Wonders

February 18

Celebrant – Rev. Tom Turner
Eucharistic Minister – Gail Hoffman
Lectors – Bruce Hoffman & Juliette Wood
Oblationers – Roge & Liz Hoffman
Usher – Clif Hammock

February 25

Celebrant – Rev. Tom Turner
Eucharistic Minister – Cookie MacCord
Lectors – Phil MacCord & Clif Hammock
Oblationers – Steve & Eddie Findley
Usher – Andy Housley

What is Ash Wednesday? (Cont'd)

appear to men to be fasting. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. But you, when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, so that you do not appear to men to be fasting, but to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly.”

Additionally, Isaiah 58:5-7 says, "Is it a fast that I have chosen, a day for a man to afflict his soul? Is it to bow down his head like a bulrush, and to spread out sackcloth and ashes? Would you call this a fast, and an acceptable day to the Lord? "Is this not the fast that I have chosen: to loose the bonds of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, to let the oppressed go free, and that you break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and that you bring to your house the poor who are cast out; when you see the naked, that you cover him, and not hide yourself from your own flesh?"

Jesus is calling His followers to avoid making a show when fasting, but rather to help those in need. He is calling Christians to think externally in avenues of service, instead of only thinking internally toward themselves. The point of that matter is this; Jesus is interested in the condition of the heart and not merely external appearances or show. As you think about your life, repentance, and fasting where is your heart? Are you others focused or self focused? Do you desire to have true repentance and fasting as mentioned in Psalms 51 (especially verses 10-13, 17), or are your actions merely based on outward tradition?

Should Christians Celebrate Ash Wednesday?

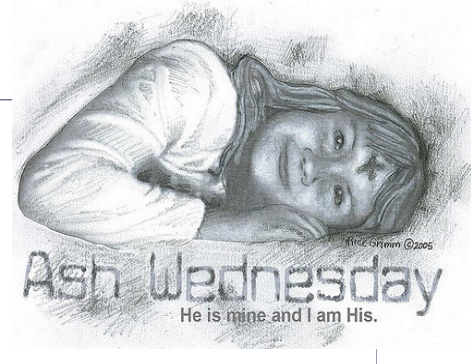
As mentioned before, the Bible directly talks about repentance and fasting, but doesn't mention Ash Wednesday specifically. Therefore, Christians are under no obligation to celebrate the holiday. The important fact to remember is that Christians should be ready and willing to repent, fast, and focus on God throughout the year and not just during the Lenten season.

Additionally, Ash Wednesday is not a day of holy obligation, although Roman Catholics attend Mass on this day in order to mark the beginning of the Lenten season. The churches of the Anglican Communion, as well as some other Protestant churches observe Ash Wednesday. Eastern Rite churches, however, do not observe Ash Wednesday, 3 their Lent begins on the preceding Monday.

As written: <http://www.bibleinfo.com/en/questions/ash-wednesday-bible>



February 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 <i>Groundhog Day</i>	3
4 5th Sunday after Epiphany 9am Morning Prayer	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Last Sunday after Epiphany 9am HE Rite II	12	13 <i>Shrove Tuesday</i>	14 <i>St Valentines Day</i> <i>Ash Wednesday</i> 5:30pm HE Rite II—and Imposition of Ashes	15	16	17
18 1st Sunday in Lent 9am HE Rite II	19 <i>President's Day</i>	20 5:15pm Vestry	21 5:30pm Lenten Gathering	22	23	24 <i>Diocesan Council 2018 in San Marcos</i>
25 2nd Sunday in Lent 9am HE Rite II 10:30am WOA/MOA	26	27	28 5:30pm Lenten Gathering	Tom at Council →		

→ **Tom Gone**
→ **Cookie Gone**
→ **Debbie Gone**



The Lord's Prayer
 Our Father, who art in heaven,
 Hallowed be thy Name.
 Thy kingdom come.
 Thy will be done,
 On earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our trespasses,
 As we forgive those
 who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation,
 But deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever.
 Amen.

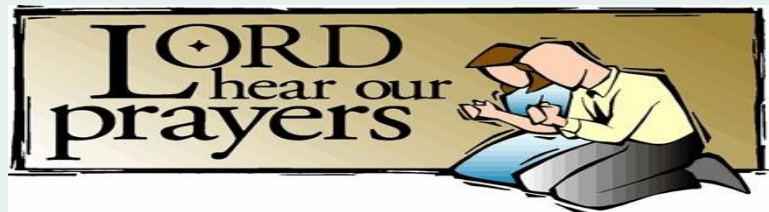
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Let us pray for our own needs and those of others:

Ashton Adams, Trudi Adams, Anne Bayless, Lydia & Marie Ber- trand, Martha Blackwell, Denise Bowen, Sue Brown, Mike Carper, Cindy Case, Aspen Coffee, Kathleen Eddlemon, Gracie Fields, Mike Fields, Bill Findley, Jeff Fuchs, Robin Fuchs, Melba Gafford, David Garza & family, Gilbert Garza & family, Gwen Guinn,	Aaron Henson, Natalie Hoelscher, Oralia Hughes, Carolyn Hunter, Kelly Hunter, Kristin Johnson, Jill Kirby, Juanice Kirby, Lewis Kutschke, Darla Lee, Lee Lozano, Gerri Ann Martin, Bea Sharp Miller, Sandra Morin, Ned & Kathy Morris, Jack Muller, Joseph Muschella, Mickey Myane, Aubryanna McGee, Beatrice Nwosu, Susan Paul,	Shirley Powers, Bill Reed, Joye Reed, Jesse Richardson, Pearl Riddle, Gregg Robertson, Delores Rodriguez, Isaul Santos, Irene Seidel, Kenny Sharp, Jan Sierman, Bud & Jimmie Alice Smith, Dewey Smith, Karen Smith, Avery Stein, Nick Stokes, Bill Storgion, David Sullivan, Brenda Timmons, John Timmons,	Lainey Topacio, Jesse Wells, Peggy White, Bonnie Whitley, Susie Wilkerson, Carey Woods, Cinco Woods Rev. Jan Dantone.
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ONE NATION UNDER GOD!

Pray for our Military Family



Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces, at home and abroad; especially;

Benjamin, Brittany, Caitlynn, Caton, Drew, Jared, Joseph, Josiah, Luke, Noah, Phillip, Shawn and William.

Defend them day-by-day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils, which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

~Amen~



OUR FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

During the month of February we will celebrate the birthdays of Claire Wonder on the 1st, W.E. Findley III on the 2nd, Bob Gafford on the 2nd, Darlene Turner on the 7th, JoAnn Hammock on the 7th, Brooke (Hunter) Casanova on the 14th, Matthew Turner on the 24th, Carolyn Hunter on the 24th, and Justin Findley on the 28th. *If we have overlooked someone, please let Debbie, in the office, know.*

OUR FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

During the month of February we do not show any Anniversaries to celebrate.

If we have overlooked someone, please let Debbie, in the office, know.

Remember that you are dust
and that to dust you shall
return

Wednesday,
14 February 2018
5:30pm HE Rite II &
Imposition of Ashes!



ANNOUNCEMENT'S

Diocesan Council 2018

The 114th annual Diocesan Council will be held February 22-24 at the Embassy Suites Hotel and Conference Center in San Marcos, Texas. Find all the emerging details on the Council website.

Bishop Jennifer Brook-Davidson is scheduled to visit us on Sunday, 18 March. WOA will be providing a breakfast brunch after the service.

The MOW/WOA Annual Fish Fry and BAKE SALE is scheduled for Friday, 16 March.

Ladies, start working on the cookies and brownies for the bake sale. Bag them two 2"x2" brownies or 2 cookies per bag. Whole cakes, whole pies, & whole loafs will be sold indoors ONLY.

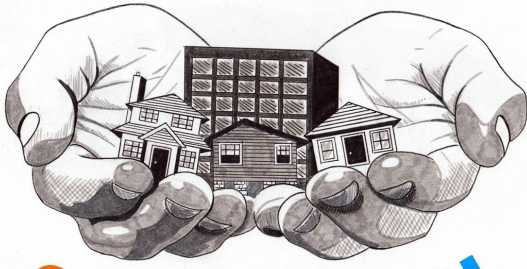
We have several people on our Birthday/ Anniversary list that have had name changes unreported to us. If you have a loved one to add to – remove from – or correct name of, on our list, please contact Ms Debbie in the office via email showing the names and dates & noted for birthday/ anniversary. As well as the current name listed & name changed to (if applicable) and date.

VESTRY will meet at 5:15pm on Tuesday, February 20th.

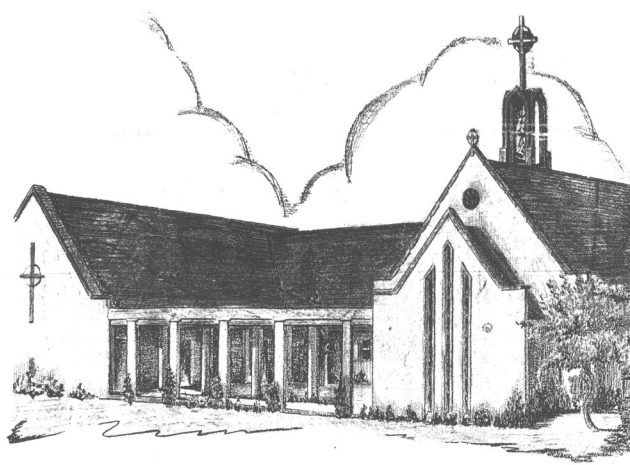
WOA and MOA will meet again on Sunday, February 25th following the service.

Please check the calendar for your scheduled meeting.

COMMUNITY



OUTREACH



The Episcopal Church of The Advent



Friday, March 16th - 5:00pm to 7:00pm.

Dine In!

Men and Women of Advent
Annual
Fish Fry and Bake Sale

Drive thru
or
Take out!



Ticket on sale now for \$10.00 per fish plate. You can get your tickets from any of the Men or Women of Advent or from the Church office.

Our Continuous Community Need:

Clothing Donations:

Alice Trash & Treasures: 311 E Main Street, Alice Texas 78332

Food Donations:

The Alice Food Pantry: 311 E Main Street, Alice Texas 78332 .

Volunteer of your Time: Contact Gordon Smith at any time 361-701-3194.



From the kitchen

Slow-Cooker Salmon With Shallot and Green Beans

You'll need a 5- or 6-quart slow-cooker.

Servings: 6



Ingredients

1/2 cup water

1/2 cup no-salt-added vegetable broth

1 cup dry white wine

1/2 small onion, thinly sliced

3 sprigs tarragon, plus 1 teaspoon minced tarragon leaves

1/2 teaspoon kosher salt

Freshly ground black pepper

Six 5-ounce skin-on salmon fillets

1 pound haricots verts (thin French green beans), trimmed

1 tablespoon unsalted butter

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 large shallot, minced

2 teaspoons tarragon vinegar (may substitute white wine vinegar)

Directions

Combine the water, broth, wine, onion, tarragon sprigs and salt in the slow cooker. Season with pepper to taste. Stir, then cover and cook on LOW for 30 minutes.

Add the salmon fillets; it's okay if they overlap. Cover and cook on LOW for 1 hour or until the fish is opaque and tender. Use a thin, slotted spatula to carefully transfer the fish to a platter, discarding the skin. Cover loosely to keep warm. Discard the braising liquid and tarragon sprigs.

While the salmon is cooking, bring a large pot of lightly salted water to a boil over high heat.

Add the haricots verts and cook (blanch) for about 4 minutes, until crisp-tender. Immediately pour into a colander in the sink and rinse well under cool running water. Spread on a clean dish towel or paper towels to dry.

When ready to serve, heat the butter and oil in a large skillet over medium heat. Add the shallot and stir to coat; cook for 2 or 3 minutes, until slightly softened. Add the haricots verts and stir to coat and warm through, then add the vinegar and minced tarragon, tossing to incorporate.

Scatter the dressed haricots verts and shallot over and around the salmon fillets. Serve warm or at room temperature.

FROM AROUND OUR DIOCESE

February 2-4

Father Son Retreat

Camp Capers

[REGISTER](#)

Slowing down and spending time with your kids, away from the distractions and responsibilities of day to day life is so valuable. That's why Camp Capers hosts our Father / Son Retreat, to help fathers (and father figures) get out of town with their sons (ages 6-18 years old) and invest time in the important things in life, like s'mores and outdoor games and real talk about the real life challenges faced by Christian men today. Online registration is open. Scholarship assistance is available; email camp.capers@dwtx.org with any questions.

February 10

Harvey Relief Volunteer Opportunity

St. Peter's, Rockport

Volunteers are needed to host a "Community Connection" event at St. Peter's, Rockport, on Saturday, February 10, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This will be an opportunity for community members to connect with one another and share resources. There will be information booths, food, and a variety of activities. Child-care will be provided. The goal is to provide most of the event planning and volunteer support from outside of St. Peter's, so those parishioners may participate as Rockport community members. Please share, and let Gayle Gottlich know of your interest in planning and/or volunteering on Feb. 10 at [pathfinder-ggc@earthlink.net](mailto:ggc@earthlink.net). If successful, similar events could follow in Aransas Pass, Port Aransas, Victoria, Corpus Christi, and Refugio.

February 12-14

Abundant Living Retreat Mustang Island Conference Center

[REGISTER](#)

The third annual Abundant Living Retreat: Celebrate the Journey will be held at Mustang Island Conference Center Monday-Wednesday, February 12-14. This conference is an opportunity for older adults to have a fun-filled retreat and to reflect on living fully into the golden years. Experts will guide participants in reflection and activities. Delicious meals provided by Kathy and her crew. The cost for the retreat is \$245 for double occupancy and \$315 for single occupancy. A day rate of \$90 is available for those who live close to the conference center. Register through the link above or contact Lynn Corby, 361-749-1800.

February 22-24

Diocesan Council 2018 San Marcos

The 114th Diocesan Council will convene on Thursday, February 22, at 1:00 p.m. at the Embassy Suites Hotel and Conference Center in San Marcos (1001 E. McCarty, 78666). Diocesan Council will conclude at noon on Saturday, February 24. Host churches this year are: St. Margaret's, San Antonio; St. Andrew's, Seguin; and Resurrection, Windcrest. Watch for developing details on the Council website at council-dwtx.org.

February 23-25

Youth In Action 2018

St. Mark's Episcopal Church, San Marcos

Youth In Action (Feb. 23-25) is entering its ninth year of service. Like Diocesan Council, this event has become a time of reunion, renewal, and youth business. That business is joining us and reaching out to our community in love, as the hands and feet of Jesus Christ. Online registration is open through February 16th. Each church must send at least 1 adult sponsor (who is not attending Council) per 5 youth participants. [For more information and to sign up, click here](#) or visit the Council 2018 website: council-dwtx.org.

February 25-May 6, Sundays

DWTX Softball

Dellview Park, San Antonio

DWTX Episcopal Coed Recreational Softball will play its 35th season on Sunday afternoons between 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. beginning Sunday, February 25, to Sunday, May 6 (five games before Easter and five games after Easter - no games on Easter Sunday, April 1). This is a recreational league, so great athletes are not required. If you're looking for competitive, "city league"-type play, this is not it. We make allowances for all skill levels, because anyone who shows up and wants to play, gets to play. We play at Dellview Park near Vance Jackson and 410 in San Antonio. We also plan to have a couple of hot dog cookouts during the season. For more info contact the "Commissioner," Steve Rogers, at softball@dwtxsports.org or call 210-601-2787. Get more info on [Facebook](#).

From one Kitchen to Another

No-Bake Lemon Icebox Pie

Ingredients

Crust

- 1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs (10 to 12 whole crackers)
- 1/4 cup packed light or dark brown sugar
- 6 tablespoons unsalted butter, melted

Filling

- 8 oz cream cheese, softened
- 1 can (14 oz) sweetened condensed milk
- 1/2 cup freshly squeezed lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon grated lemon peel



Directions

- 1 In medium bowl, mix Crust ingredients. Press evenly into ungreased 9-inch pie plate. Refrigerate 1 hour.
- 2 In large bowl, beat Filling ingredients until smooth. Spread evenly in crust. Refrigerate 4 hours but no longer than 8 hours.
- 3 Serve with whipped cream if desired.

Key Lime Cheesecake Dessert Squares

Filling

- 3 packages (8 oz each) cream cheese
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 3 eggs
- 1 can (14 oz) sweetened condensed milk (not evaporated)
- 3/4 cup Key lime juice
- 2 teaspoons grated lime peel
- 2 tablespoons flour

Topping

- 3/4 cup reserved cookie crust crumbs
- 3/4 cup coconut
- 3/4 cup macadamia nuts, chopped

Directions

- 1 Heat oven to 350°F. Spray 13x9-inch pan with cooking spray.
- 2 In medium bowl, cut butter into cookie mixture using pastry blender or fork, until mixture is crumbly. Reserve 3/4 cup mixture for topping. Press remaining mixture in bottom of pan. Bake 10 minutes.



- 3 Meanwhile, in large bowl, beat cream cheese, sugar, and vanilla with electric mixer on medium speed until smooth. Beat in eggs one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Stir in condensed milk, key lime juice, lime peel, and flour. Pour filling mixture over crust.
- 4 In medium bowl, mix reserved cookie crumbs, coconut and macadamia nuts. Sprinkle evenly over top of filling. Bake 30 to 35 minutes or until light golden brown and mixture is set. Cool 1 hour or until completely cooled. Refrigerate at least 4 hours before serving. For bars, cut into 6 rows by 4 rows. Store covered in refrigerator.

Pro 20:15 There is gold, and a multitude of rubies: but the lips of knowledge are a precious **jewels**.

Exo 3:5 And he said, Draw not nigh hither: put off thy **shoes** from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground.

1 Samuel 17:40 And he took his staff in his hand, and chose him five smooth **stones** out of the brook, and put them in a shepherd's bag which he had, even in a scrip; and his sling was in his hand: and he drew near to the Philistine.

Psalms 91:4 He shall cover thee with his **feather**, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

Isaiah 40:8 The **grass** withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever.

Exodus 28:34 A golden **bell** and a pomegranate, a golden bell and a pomegranate, upon the hem of the robe round about.









Revelation 1:18 I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; and have the **keys** of hell and of death.

Genesis 8:11 And the dove came in to him in the evening; and, lo, in her mouth was an olive **leaf** pluckt off: so Noah knew that the waters were abated from off the earth.

Acts 28:3 And when Paul had gathered a bundle of **sticks**, and laid them on the fire, there came a viper out of the heat, and fastened on his hand.

Numbers 7:14 One **spoon** of ten shekels of gold, full of incense:

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9	5	2	7	6	3	1	8	4

14	13	12	WALK THE LENTEN PATH...			
15	 Lent	11	2 nd Sunday of Lent	10	9	8
16	Prayer, Fasting & Almsgiving					7
3 rd Sunday of Lent	34		32	31	30	6
17		35			29	5
18	36	5 th Sunday of Lent			1 st Sunday of Lent	
19	37	28	Happy Easter! He is Risen!!		27	4
20	38 Holy Thursday	26			3	
21			40 Holy Saturday	25	2	
22	4 th Sunday of Lent	23	24	25	 Lent	1
						 ASH WEDNESDAY

Bible Scavenger Hunt

February
Challenge

Genesis 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the _____ of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

John 21:10 Jesus saith unto them, Bring of the _____ which ye have now caught.

3 John 1:13 I had many things to write, but I will not with ink and _____ write unto thee:

Psalms 40:8 I delight to do thy will, O my God: yea, thy law is within my _____.

Job 41:31 He maketh the deep to boil like a _____: he maketh the sea like a pot of ointment.

Proverbs 20:27 The spirit of man is the _____ of the LORD, searching all the inward parts of the belly.

Luke 15:22 But the father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a _____ on his hand, and shoes on his feet:

Matthew 13:43 Then shall the righteous shine forth as the _____ in the kingdom of their Father. Who hath ears to hear, let him hear.

Daniel 3:5 That at what time ye hear the sound of the cornet, _____, harp, sackbut, psaltery, dulcimer, and all kinds of musick, ye fall down and worship the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar the king hath set up:

Mark 14:23 And he took the _____, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them: and they all drank of it.

FEBRUARY coloring page



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2018 VESTRY

“The Vestry is the body of elected parishioners called to cast vision, care for finances and property, and collaborate with the Rector in servant leadership of the church.”

Rev. Tom Turner

Aaronette Housley, Treasurer

Roge Hoffman, Sr. Warden

Darlene Turner

Bruce Hoffman, Jr. Warden

John Gust Tsesmelis

Gail Hoffman, Clerk

Elaine Broesche

Bruce Hoffman

Juliette Wood

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Our Mission at Church of the Advent is to reach out to our community through the ministry of our members to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ and to minister to those in need. Within our congregation, our mission is to promote individual and group worship, provide Christian Education for youth and adults and foster fellowship through our extended family in Christ by increasing participation and stewardship, time, talent and treasure.



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