

**Ash Wednesday Schedule (February 26th)**

**\*NOTE: There will be Ashes in the AM at Starbucks this year from 7:00-9:00a.m.\***

**Lenten Supper from 5:15pm to 6:15pm.** Hosted by the Elders and the Ushers. Join us on Wednesdays during Lent for a meal before worship. A different group hosts each week, see schedule below.

**Worship Service Wednesday at 6:30pm.** Services held in the sanctuary on Wednesdays during Lent.

**Lenten Meal Hosts:**

- Feb 26—Elders and Ushers
- March 4th—Confirmation families
- March 11th—Choir
- March 18th—Bell Choir
- March 25th—Council
- April 1st—BOCE and Sunday School teachers

**Preschool Rummage Sale**

We will be taking donations starting on **March 1 after 10:30am** and would like help bringing up items from the basement and setting up tables at that time. On Monday, March 2—Friday, March 6, we will be pricing, sorting, folding, and organizing rummage. **Saturday, March 7 is Rummage Sale Day!** The sale starts at 8:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided for helpers. Please sign up online at: [www.tinyurl.com/preschoolrummage2020](http://www.tinyurl.com/preschoolrummage2020) or on the sign-up sheet on display in the preschool hallway. The preschool greatly appreciates your donations and all you do to make this rummage sale a success.



**Hangers Hangers Hangers** You know you have some you don't need sitting in a box or in a jumble in the corner of a closet. Well, untangle them and bring them to church! The Preschool Rummage Sale needs plastic and wire hangers this year. Please put them in the collection box by the office. Thank you!

**VERBAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
for Sunday morning need to be submitted to  
Katrina Johns by Thursday morning.

**VBS Update:** After a successful open house Wednesday night, we now have 8 leadership positions filled. This leaves us with 3 key positions that need to be filled in order to proceed with planning of VBS this year. The openings are for a volunteer team lead, a game team lead, and a middle school leader. Each of these positions could be filled with one person or a partnership. Our original deadline to fill these positions was this Sunday (2/23), but due to the excellent response at our open house, we are extending the deadline one week (until 3/1). Please consider volunteering for one of these positions.



**Sunday School Lesson** This week the children will learn about when Jesus fed the five thousand from the book of John. A crowd of at least five thousand men, plus women and children, had gathered to hear Jesus preach. When challenged to find a way to feed the hungry crowd, the disciples question how this is possible. But Andrew brings one boy's lunch—five barley loaves and two fish. Miraculously multiplying this meager meal, Jesus feeds them all, with abundant leftovers. The Bible truth is that our God Jesus provides for us and this week's Bible verse is, "God... richly provides us with everything." Timothy 6:17.



**It's St Baldrick's Time Again!** Help raise funds to cure children's cancer by putting a pledge on a head to get it shaved! Team Bethel will be represented at The Brat Stop in Kenosha, WI on **Saturday, March 7th**. Funds from all St Baldrick's events go to the St Baldrick's Foundation to help fund research to find a cure for children's cancer. A donation box will be available by the hub through **Sunday, March 8th** to drop donations or you can donate online - just ask us how. Please make checks out to: St Baldrick's Foundation. If you would like to be part of the team or volunteer at the event, please contact us at [patjolly@sbcglobal.net](mailto:patjolly@sbcglobal.net) or 847-219-4064. We thank you for your continued support!  
- Lance and Pat Rasmussen



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**The Lutheran Witness** Deadline is **TODAY**, Sunday, **February 16** to subscribe to the monthly news and feature color magazine of The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. It will help you to be inspired, see what makes us Lutheran, and hear from church leaders. Get a yearly subscription (11 issues) for \$15.96 per year beginning in May. Registration forms are on the Hub.



### Meet the Council!

**Name:** Kathy DeLassus

**Responsibilities at Bethel:** Chairman of the Preschool board, Choir member, Kitchen Angel

**How long have you been at Bethel?** We came to Bethel in 1983, so about 37 years!

**What are your hobbies?** Gardening, trying new recipes, and riding rollercoasters

**Tell us about your family:** My husband, Paul and I have 3 sons and 7 grandchildren

**What is the best thing about Bethel?** Belonging to a family of Faith

**Favorite color?** Yellow

**Favorite holiday?** Thanksgiving

**Fellowship** There are some Fellowship times that are not sponsored yet: March 1st, 8th, and 29th. Consider joining up with a friend or someone you would like to get to know better and host one of these Sundays. There are helpful guidelines provided by the sign-up sheet next to the kitchen door. Remember, you can get as fancy as you like, but it's not necessary to provide much. You decide!



**Children's activity bags are on the backside of the Hub.**

## This Week's Calendar

### Monday, February 24

12:30 p.m.—Staff Meeting

1:00 p.m.—Pickleball

5:30 p.m.—Uline Basketball

### Tuesday, February 25

5:00 p.m.—HRK Eagles use of Gym

### Wednesday, February 26

7:00-9:00 a.m.—Ashes in the AM @ Starbucks

9:30 a.m.—Quilt tying

5:15 p.m.—Soup Supper

6:30 p.m.—Ash Wednesday Worship in Sanctuary

7:30 p.m.—Confirmation students attend Ash Wednesday service with parent(s) and lay coaches

### Thursday, February 27

9:00 a.m.—Pickleball (gym)

4:30 p.m.—Lounge in Use

4:30 p.m.—Lower Level in Use

6:00 p.m.—Bell Choir

6:00 p.m.—Pickleball (gym)

7:00 p.m.—COOL board

7:30 p.m.—Adult Vocal Choir

### Friday, February 28

**Pastor & Katrina's Day Off**

3:00 p.m.—Aurora Button Club Set-up in Fellowship Hall

### Saturday, February 29

**Pastor & Katrina's Day Off**

8:00 a.m.—Aurora Button Club

8:30 a.m.—Lounge in Use

### Sunday, March 1

8:00 a.m.—Communion in Gym

9:00 a.m.—Fellowship

9:30 a.m.—Bible Study

10:45 a.m.—Communion in Sanctuary

### Serving Ash Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.

**Elder:** Mike Bandman

**Asst Elder:** Jack Warneke

**Ushers:** John Kozlik, OPEN

**Acolytes:** Holly Faitsch, Kelsi Mulley

**Lay Readers:** Tim Faitsch, Joanne Heidlauf

**Greeter:** Carla Thompson

### Worship Schedule

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:45 AM

**Communion** - 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

**Office Hours** Mon. 9AM-3PM,

Tues. & Thurs. 11AM-3PM

Wed. & Fri. 9AM-12PM

Call ahead because times may change.

### Last Week's Attendance

8:00 am—106; 10:45 am—87

Sunday School—73

### Serving Next Week

**Elders:**

**Comm/Asst. Elder:**

**Acolytes:**

**Lay Readers:**

**Ushers:**

**Greeters:**

**Fellowship:**

**March Altar Guild:**

**March Counters:**

### Sunday 8:00 AM

Mike Bandman

JJ Jones

Mae Anderson, Brooke Ratzburg

Jose Rayos, Sandy Lahera

Chris Frenreis, David Lubega

Nichole & Chelsi Todd,

Dawn Werfelmann

OPEN

Kathy Schwartz, Sheila Bunnell, & Linda Moran

Dave and Cheryl Ross

### Sunday 10:45 AM

Bob Souza

Scott Mundrick

Michaela Rosenthal, Ruth Ziegler

Pat Rasmussen, Monte Stoltzman

Lance Rasmussen, OPEN

Chudy Family, Kelley Dörner