

READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: February

- 1 Ex. 25-26 Ps. 14 Matt. 23
- 2 Ex. 27-28 Prov. 14 Matt. 24
- 3 Ex. 29-30 Ps. 15 Matt. 25
- 4 Ex. 31-32 Prov. 15 Matt. 26
- 5 Reflect on God as Lord of All
- 6 Ex. 33-34 Ps. 16 Matt. 27
- 7 Ex. 35-36 Prov. 16 Matt. 28
- 8 Ex. 37-38 Ps. 17 Mark 1
- 9 Ex. 39-40 Prov. 17 Mark 2
- 10 Lev. 1-3 Ps. 18 Mark 3-4
- 11 Lev. 4-5 Prov. 18 Mark 5
- 12 Reflect on God as Counselor
- 13 Lev. 6-7 Ps. 19 Mark 6
- 14 Lev. 8-10 Prov. 19 Mark 7
- 15 Lev. 11-12 Ps. 20 Mark 8
- 16 Lev. 13-15 Prov. 20 Mark 9
- 17 Lev. 16-17 Ps. 21 Mark 10
- 18 Lev. 18-20 Prov. 21 Mark 11
- 19 Reflect on God as Faithful
- 20 Lev. 21-22 Ps. 22 Mark 12
- 21 Lev. 23-25 Prov. 22 Mark 13
- 22 Lev. 26-27 Ps. 23 Mark 14
- 23 Num. 1-3 Prov. 23 Mark 15
- 24 Num. 4-6 Ps. 24 Mark 16
- 25 Num. 7-9 Prov. 24 Luke 1
- 26 Reflect on God as Author
- 27 Num. 10-12 Ps. 25 Luke 2
- 28 Num. 13-15 Prov. 25 Luke 3



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Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Mission Statement:

Worship Passionately
Love Extravagantly
Witness Boldly

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Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements		Deanna Nelson
Prelude		Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>“To God Be the Glory”</i> (vs. 1,2,3)	Pg. 531
Affirmation of Faith	(The Apostles Creed)	Congregation
Children’s Moment		Mrs. Ashley
	<i>(Kids remain in the Sanctuary today)</i>	
*Doxology	<i>(Ushers bring the offering forward)</i>	Congregation
Prayer Concerns		Deanna Nelson
Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Lee Bateman
Special Music		
Scripture	Luke 23: 32-34	Rev. Lee Bateman
Sermon	Father Forgive Them	Rev. Lee Bateman
Communion		Congregation
*Hymn	<i>“Trust and Obey”</i> (vs. 1,2,4)	Pg. 334
Postlude		Kathy Willis

**Please stand as you are able.*



PRAYER CONCERNS:

Brother Matt & Tammy Scarlotte Holmes John & Dee Mann
Kim Cossey Frank & Gloria Johnston
Mary & Mac Patchel Joyce Lynn Jennie Payne
Kennedy (Hope Sanders' cousin) Mariella Easterling Judy Bianchi



ANNOUNCEMENTS

An Important Reminder: ...Last Names N-Z please have your pictures made this morning in Wesley Hall sometime between 8:30 a.m. and 12 noon. **Anyone who hasn't been able to have their picture made is welcome to do so today.**

Menu for Wednesday, February 7:

Chicken tetrazzini, fresh green salad and dessert.

KEENAGER'S VALENTINE & MARDI GRAS LUNCHEON

Tuesday, February 13 at noon in the FLC. Come enjoy soup and sandwiches. Dress for your favorite day (Valentine's or Mardi gras) if you want to. Meal followed by trivia games led by Debbie Callahan. It's going to be a ton of fun!

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 will be a very special day as we celebrate Valentine's Day and the beginning of Lent with our **Ash Wednesday worship.** Our fabulous kitchen crew is preparing a wonderful meal filled with lots of love from 5:15—6 p.m. in the Family Life Center. **After the meal we will go over to our Sanctuary at 6 p.m. for our Ash Wednesday Worship.** (The Bible study will NOT meet) **Menu:** *Sandra Hill's beef tips and rice, petite lima beans, deluxe fruit salad, chocolate layer dessert, refrigerated cherry dessert.*

The family of Geraldine Perkins thanks you for the loving gestures over time. As her church family, you have sent cards, made calls, provided meals, visited, and remembered her in your prayers. For these acts of Christian love we are both appreciative and grateful.