



A Note from our Rector

Can you believe that the month of January has already past in 2015?

Well, strap in because Lent is also approaching quickly.

Ash Wednesday is on February 18th with services and imposition of ashes at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. in the church.

Please also join us for Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner on February 17th in the back of the church at 5:30 p.m.

Please sign up on the sheet in the back of the church to inform us that you are 1) joining us, 2) helping to prep, 3) serving and/or 4) clean up.

Evensong: Please join us every Wednesday in Lent starting on February 25th for Evensong in the church at 7 p.m.

A complete list of Lenten services and Holy Week Services will be provided in an insert in the bulletin.

Finally, please feel free to contact me by phone, email or text.

God's Peace,

Michael+

Rector

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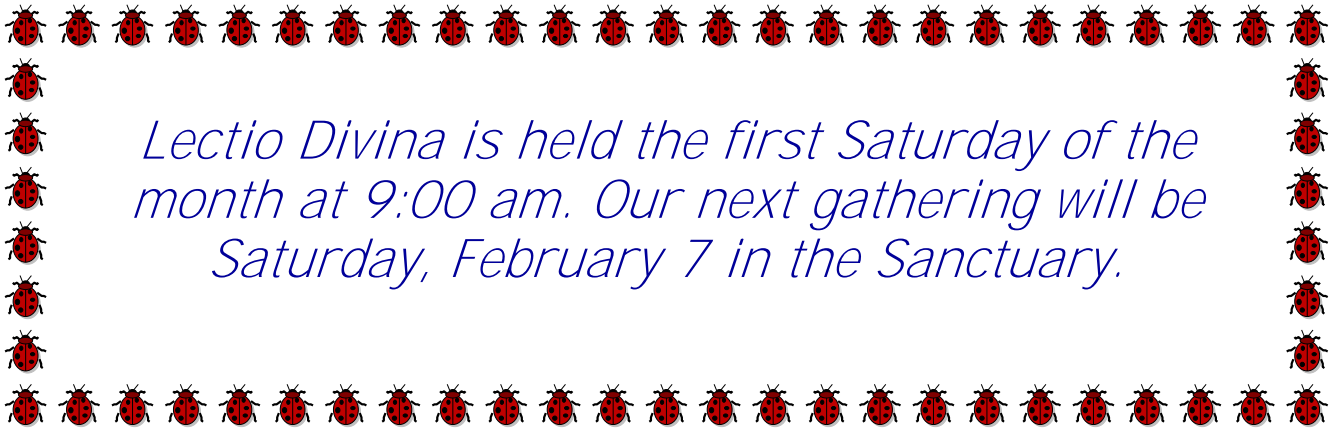
Special points of interest:

- *Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper*
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- *Acolyte Schedule*
- *End of Life Planning Form*
- *Bell Tower*



EChO FOOD BANK NEEDS

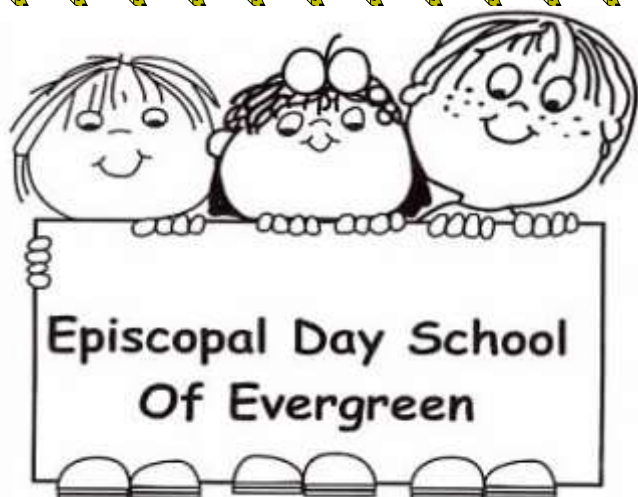
COT's items of the month—hearty soups or stew, chili, canned beans, canned fruit, hot & cold cereal, toothpaste/toothbrushes



Lectio Divina is held the first Saturday of the month at 9:00 am. Our next gathering will be Saturday, February 7 in the Sanctuary.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the first Wednesday of each month at 1 pm in Stewart Lounge. For more information, please contact Liz Jones at [303/679-1301](tel:3036791301) or Georgine McCarthy at [303/670-0887](tel:3036700887).



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FYI, Fall Registration for returning families will begin Tuesday, February 17, 2015.

Registration for new families will then open up on Tuesday, February 24. So if you are enrolling for fall, please mark your calendars so you don't miss your spot! And if you know any new families that might be interested in joining us at EDSE, please let them know.

Thanks!

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Tuesday 10-5

Wednesday 10-5

Thursday 12-7

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Joe Kerper, David McDonald

Property: Bill Houston & Jerry
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Treasurer—Ted Terry

Vestry Clerk—Jennifer Francis

Ash Wednesday Services

February 18th

10:00 am and 7:00 pm

Everyone should plan to come to one of the services to begin the journey to the cross and resurrection.



Evensong Services will be offered on all Wednesday evenings in Lent starting on Wednesday, February 25th at 7:00 pm in the church. This beautiful service is an excellent extra devotion during Lent.

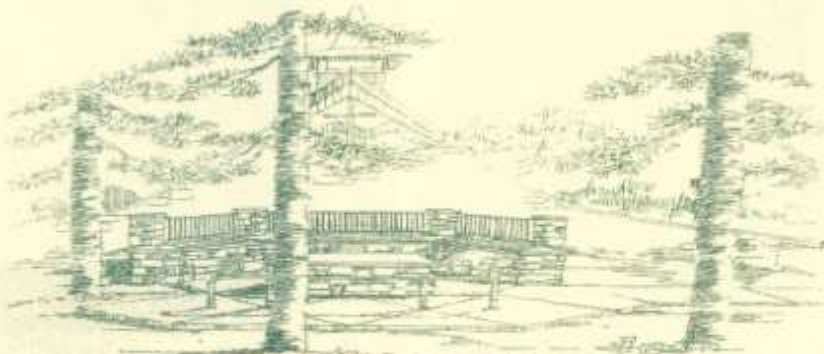
All Souls Grove COLUMBARIUM

Designed to offer a dignified yet economical way of inurnng ashes, the columbarium consists of 100 individual or family crypts each capable of up to 4 burials. The common vault, under the altar, is available for those not desiring individual burial.

Construction is of concrete and stone designed to enhance the tranquil area near bell tower.

Ashes will be placed in a container within each crypt. There will be no restrictions on the type of container used, other than the dictates of size and good taste.

All locations will be on a first come, first served basis.



COLUMBARIUM-ALL SOULS GROVE
CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, EVERETT, COLO.

The Columbarium is governed by a perpetual trust agreement.

The Rite of Christian Burial may be arranged through the church.

Because we are a nonprofit organization we have been able to keep the initial prices low; \$500 for individual or family crypts, \$200 for the common crypt. These prices are subject to change.

We will accept contributions should you not choose to purchase a crypt at this time.

Please call the church office at 303-674-4904 for more information.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Final Directions and Instructions upon the death of

_____ name _____ date _____

File this information where it will be found easily upon your death. It is suggested that you file this with your local church or your attorney, and notify your heirs that this form has been completed for their information.

Name (Complete) _____ Spouse's Name _____
Address _____ Address _____
Birthdate _____ Birthdate _____
Place of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
Baptism Date _____ Baptism Date _____

Father's Full Name _____
Birthdate/Place _____ Living Yes No

Mother's Full Name _____
Birthdate/Place _____ Living Yes No

Names, addresses, and phone numbers of living brothers and sisters

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____

Names, addresses, and phone numbers of persons to notify upon my death

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Social Security Number _____

Last Will Executed dated _____ Will is located at _____

Representative's name and address _____

End of Life Planning Resources, continued

Bank Accounts/Savings Institution Account/Other Income Producing Accounts

Name of Institution	Type	Account Number
1) _____	_____	_____
2) _____	_____	_____
3) _____	_____	_____
4) _____	_____	_____
5) _____	_____	_____

Safe Deposit Box Number & Location _____

Location of Safe Deposit Box Key _____

Armed Forces: Date of Service _____ Branch _____

Serial Number _____

Discharge Certificate located at _____

Attorney's name and address _____

Investment counselor or banker's name and address _____

Insurance agent's name and address _____

Life Insurance Company	Amount	Certificate #	Beneficiary
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1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

Insurance Policies are located at _____

Credit cards and charge accounts Company	Account Number
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INSTRUCTION FOR BURIAL

"The liturgy for the dead is an Easter liturgy. It finds all its meaning in the resurrection. Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we too, shall be raised.

The Liturgy, therefore, is characterized by joy, in the certainty that 'neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.'

This joy, however, does not make human grief un-Christian. The very love we have for each other in Christ brings deep sorrow when we are parted by death. Jesus himself wept at the grave of his friend. So, while we rejoice that one we love has entered into the nearer presence of our Lord, we sorrow in sympathy with those who mourn." *The Book of Common Prayer*, page 507.

(When possible, it is suggested that you fill out the following in consultation with your clergy.)

"The death of a member of the church should be reported as soon as possible to, and arrangements for the funeral should be made in consultation with, the Minister of the Congregation." *The Book of Common Prayer*, page 490.

Circumstances permitting, I wish my Burial Service to take place at:

_____ Church
Address _____ City _____

Celebrant _____

"Baptized Christians are properly buried from the church. The service should be held at a time when the congregation has the opportunity to be present." *The Book of Common Prayer*, page 490.

The service shall be "The Burial of the Dead" from *The Book of Common Prayer*; Rite I or Rite II

- I request the Burial Office only to be read.
- I request the Burial Office and Eucharist be done.

Suggested Pall Bearers: _____

If possible, I would like to have the following Psalms and Lessons (for suggestions, see *The Book of Common Prayer*, pages 494 ff.)

I would especially like the following hymns:

"The coffin is to be closed before the service, and it remains closed thereafter. It is appropriate that it be covered with a pall or other suitable covering." *The Book of Common Prayer*, page 490.

Note: Some parishes permit the use of a pall only, within the church building.

Policy regarding acceptance of flowers within the church buildings may vary. Instead of sending flowers, many prefer to make a more lasting memorial. Most parishes have both a general memorial fund and a building fund, as do most charities. Memorial gifts may also be made to the Colorado Episcopal Foundation for a Mission congregation, or for development of new Missions, Education, and Service in the Diocese of Colorado.

If you so desire, please indicate where you would like to have such contributions made:

End of Life Planning Resources, continued

I prefer to be

- Buried
 - Cremated
 - Before or after the funeral
- Disposal of Ashes _____

Location of cemetery lot deed, crypt deed, columbarium contract

I have made arrangements to have certain parts or all of my body donated to _____

Funeral Home to use _____

Coffin specifications Least expensive Mid-range Elaborate

I do/ do not wish to have my coffin open at the funeral home.

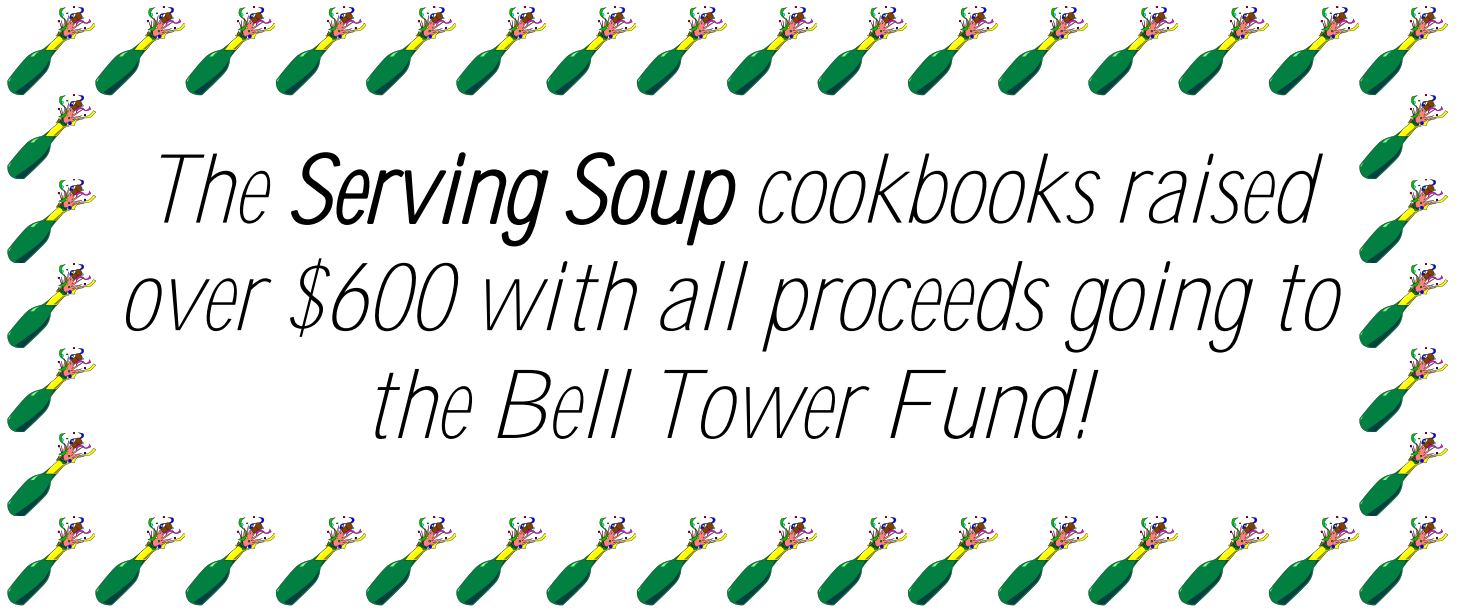
Other information for my survivors

Signature _____

Date _____

This guide was prepared by the Colorado Episcopal Foundation, a service of the Diocese of Colorado, to encourage thoughtful estate planning and funeral preparation. For additional copies or for information on how to remember your parish, mission, or diocese in your Will, write or phone:

The Colorado Episcopal Foundation
1234 Bannock Street
Denver, Colorado 80204
303/534-6778



*The **Serving Soup** cookbooks raised over \$600 with all proceeds going to the Bell Tower Fund!*

Mary Carlson's Sloppy Joe's

- 1/2 cup chopped onion (or 1 pkg lipton's onion soup)
- 1 1/2 pounds lean hamburger or ground pork)
- 2 tsp brown sugar
- 1/2 tsp chili powder
- 1 tbsp paprika
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 tsp mustard
- 1/8 tsp cayenne pepper (or squirt of Sriracha)
- 2 tbsp Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 cup white vinegar
- 1/2 cup tomato sauce
- 1/4 cup ketchup



Brown meat and onion. Drain grease. Add remaining ingredients. Cook on low for at least two hours. Can use a crock pot for the long cooking period.

Serves 6

Prep time: 15 mins Cook Time: 2 hrs

The kneeler bearing the Cross Nika and the Blue Lupine is the second cushion from the right hand (as you face the altar) side, otherwise known as the Epistle Side. A most unusual piece, it shows the familiar Chi Rho cross but adds a large capital N at the base. The "N" is for the Greek Nika, meaning Conqueror, so this is the cross of Christ the Conqueror, of the Imperial Church. A militant conquering Church is not a

popular concept in today's world in which we are so desperate for peace that we crave instead images of the peacemaking and reconciling Christ – the "gentle Jesus, meek and mild." It has been many years since we sang of a Sunday: "The Son of Man goes forth to war/ A kingly crown to gain." The Cross Nika is especially appropriate for Palm Sunday, celebrating Christ's triumphant entry into Jerusalem.

Blue lupine used to be ubiquitous in Evergreen, growing wild everywhere, until it became candy for the elk. The elk moved into Evergreen sometime in the late eighties and early nineties, probably because we were building on their feeding grounds at higher elevations. Do not believe the myth that malignant enemies shipped them here by train. They had been expected to move up to higher elevations when the building began but they fooled us and became part of the landscape. Before then, we never saw elk, and those who wished to and could afford the cost of the necessary water had lovely vegetable or flowers gardens. In fairness to the elk, the droughts of the early 2000's also contributed to the demise of many Evergreen gardens.

The Cross Nita kneeler was donated by Lois Field in honor of her cousin Opal Parson. Lois was a parish member for many years. She lived with another cousin Estelle Coakley, who was a speech therapist with the Easter Seal Foundation, and who was the first woman to serve on the Transfiguration vestry. The cushion was stitched by Jan Bente, whose husband Jim was Junior Warden for many years, and by C. D. Harbridge.

Pre-Teen Youth Group

Saturday, February 7th

2:00 pm

Skating at the Lake House

\$8.00



Remember to dress warmly!

After skating, the group will go to
the Mangham's for pizza!

We have a backup plan if the weather
is bad.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

5:30 pm

February 17th

Please see sign up sheet in
back of church to RSVP and/or
volunteer to setup/cleanup/cook/serve





*The
Order
of the
Daughters
of the King*

Preparation classes for Daughters of the King are being held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at 4:45 pm in the little chapel. If you are interested in DOK or would like to find out more information, please contact Floy Senior at 303-674-0757.

Vestry Report—January 12, 2015

- New accounting system to be implemented following resignation of past bookkeeper*
- State board has approved EDSE to accept more students*

All parishioners are welcome to sit in on the open sessions of the Vestry meetings.



The Transfiguration Book Club

Monday, February 23rd—6:30—9:30 PM in the Church

All are invited to join in on this fun and interesting group—ladies AND gentlemen!

Even if you have never come to any of the meetings before, please **come.....and bring friends! You can come even if you haven't read the book, too!**

Please bring a snack and drink to share!

If you have question or concerns, email:

Shelley Black—Shelley_Black@att.biz

Kit Snyder—snyderkit@hotmail.com



Need a house sitter or a pet sitter?



Contact Jennifer Francis!
queenbead72@yahoo.com or
408-367-9427

Announcements

10:15 Service Acolyte Schedule

February 1

1. Stephanie Park
2. Mary Hatfield
3. Tom Lukich

February 8

1. Pat Crist
2. Mary Hatfield
3. Jennifer Francis
4. Kalieb Horsely

February 15

1. Mary Jean Bedard
2. Pat Crist
3. Shelley Black

February 22

1. Stephanie Park
2. Jennifer Francis
3. Kalieb Horsely
4. Shelley Black



A HUGE Thank You to *Pat Crist* for leading and scheduling the acolytes for COT for so long! Also, a big Thank You to *Holly Hall-Perry* who will be taking over the scheduling of the acolytes and *Isobel Tutchton* who will be leading acolyte training!

Prayers

Anointing and Healing Prayers

Anointing and healing prayers are offered by Father Michael and the Daughters of the King during the 10:15 service on the last Sunday of each month. All are welcome to come to the front of the church after communion for this special offering. This month the prayers will be on February 22nd.

Morning Prayer Service

sponsored by the Daughters of the King and in fellowship with EDSE is offered on THURSDAY mornings at 9:30 AM in the church. The Daughters and Friends of the Episcopal Day School extend an invitation to all to attend this wonderful service. Please feel free to walk the Labyrinth after.

Evening Prayer Service

also sponsored by the Daughters of the King is offered on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 5:30 pm in the Chapel of St. Mary and St. Joseph. The next Evening Prayer services will be February 9th and 23rd.



Bell Tower

After 103 years The Mission of the Transfiguration Bell Tower has under gone a long awaited restoration. Thanks to Historicorp, it's professional staff and many volunteers the Tower has been restored to it's original grandeur.

The tower was completely disassembled, and damaged logs replaced using original technics. The tower was then reassembled and lifted into place, and set on new footings designed to minimize damage from rain and snow. The bell was lifted into position and the roof reattached. All this occurred over three weekends in October. To further protect the tower Bryan Kelly owner of "Tall Pines Painting" of Golden Colorado volunteered to clean the old logs and stain the tower free of charge. The restored Tower is ready to use. Feel free to ring the bell for all services.



This kids' music class ROCKS!

Our classes provide a musical playground for kids 3 months to 5 years & their music-loving grownups!

Never been to an Aardvarks class? Come see what the rockin' is all about at our upcoming drop-in events!

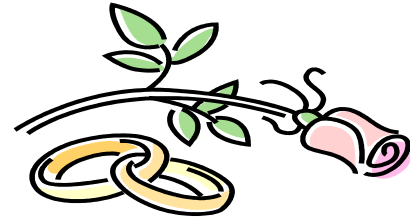
United Methodist Church of Evergreen
3757 Ponderosa Drive

Mondays, Feb 23, March 9 & March 23 at 10am
\$15 for one kiddo. \$5 for each additional sibling.
Reservations recommended.

Then join us for the full 10-week spring session!
Monday mornings April through June. 10 & 11am

for more information and to register for your class today visit
www.RockyMtnAardvarks.com

Celebrate!!!



February Birthdays

Karen Coriden 2/5

Mylee Ramirez 2/5

Hayden Riddle 2/5

Cort Langworthy 2/8

David Black 2/11

Jamie Williams 2/13

Walter Hane 2/14

Jane Wilson 2/16

Steven Peters 2/18

Barbara Houston 2/21




Liz Jones 2/21

February Anniversaries

Brian and Susan Page
February 3

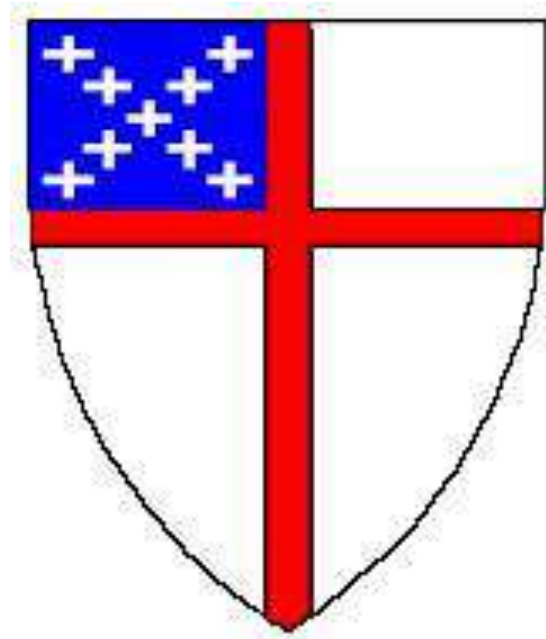
Russell and Polly
Boley
February 12

February 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 8 Holy Eucharist 10:15 Holy Eucharist and Sunday School 3 Brass Quintet	2 9-3 EDSE 5:30 EDSE Board Mtg	3 9-3 EDSE	4 9-3 EDSE 1 Prayer Shawl 7:30 pm AA	5 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	6 9-3 EDSE	7 8 am AA 9:00 am Lectio Divina 9-2:30 Bridal Open House
8 8 am Holy Eucharist 10:15 am Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	9 9-3 EDSE 4:45 DOK Training 5:30 pm Evening Prayer	10 9-3 EDSE 6 Property Committee 7 ECHO Board Meeting	11 9-3 EDSE 7:30 pm AA	12 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	13 9-3 EDSE	14 8 am AA 
15 8 Holy Eucharist 10:15 Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	16 9-3 EDSE 5:30 Vestry	17 9-3 EDSE 5:30 Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper 5:30 Friendship Bridge	18 9-3 EDSE  10 Ash Wednesday Service 7 Ash Wednesday Eucharist 7:30 pm AA	19 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	20 9-3 EDSE	21 8 am AA
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Newsletter Submissions

Please contact Stephanie Park with ideas, suggestions and monthly reports for the newsletter. Monthly reports to be submitted **no later than the 22nd** of each month.

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Have something to add to the newsletter?!?!
Please contact Stephanie Park.
(see contact information to the left).

Upcoming ideas for pages: recipe exchange,
community coupons, trivia and games.

**ALL IDEAS WELCOME AND
ENCOURAGED!!!**