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Dear Friends,

At a recent Emmanuel Dinner Group gathering, I shared some stories of my time as a missionary in the Philippines. Being able to share these memories re-invigorated in me a sense of wonderment at God’s grace and love found in people all around the world. A friendly voice suggested that I might share some of these experiences with more people at Emmanuel, so in an attempt to shed some light on the life of a young missionary, I am “re-publishing” an old journal entry of mine from December of 2009 here...

“Back in early December I went to a truly magical place by the name of Supo which is located in the province of Abra, the Western border of Mountain Province. The 7 hour trip was filled with excitement, sing-a-longs, rough roads, and good friends. There were about 30 of us in all, consisting mostly of clergy and diocesan development staff members. As we were nearing Supo, we came to a river. But quickly did we realize that there was no bridge to cross! Before I had time to ponder how we might get to the other side, they were loading the car onto a homemade raft of canoes, scaffolding, and bamboo shoots, which was to ferry us to the other side!

Although I had doubts, we made it. So did the car. We were greeted in Supo with open arms. The people were so warm and light-hearted. They cooked the most delicious foods for us, and for the first time I tasted eel, of which there are plenty in nearby rivers.

Throughout the day we went around to bless the church projects that have recently been established in Supo including: gardens, greenhouses, and a fresh water system for the community.

While church projects in Supo are plenteous, as of this time, there is no Episcopal Church building in Supo, for lack of funds. As evening set in, the people of Supo put on performances at the elementary school of song and dance in native and modern style. It was a wonderful celebration!

At night, the young men hung hammocks high in the trees and slept together as if they were the lost boys of Never Never Land. The old men slept around the campfire, and I joined the young ladies on the love-worn wood floor within the safety of their home. Never before have I seen a community of people work so collaboratively with one another while exuding such joy, love, and mutual respect.

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Martie will get a notice on her cell phone.

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If only our larger society worked together in the way that the people of Supo do. The world would surely be a better place!”

To read more from my adventures in the Philippines, visit my blog at... <http://melaniespineapplediaries.blogspot.com>

Enjoy the Adventure,

The Rev. Melanie Slane



Calling All Ladies of ‘a Certain Age’

Listen up ladies of ‘a certain age’! Let’s bring back the WOEBEGONES and get together for lunch next month. We can carry on the tradition of Candy and Eleanor and meet at Mike Duffy’s at 11:30 on Tuesday, February 23. Questions? Call Audrey Claxton at 314.961.5483 or Sandy Baker at 314.821.3309.

Food Center News

For the month of February the food center is asking for contributions of **Peanut Butter** to maintain our shelf stock. Please consider a donation to assist those of our community in need. Just drop them in the food basket as you enter the front doors in the narthex Sunday morning or place them in the food basket outside the Food Center on the pew under the parish bulletin board.

Many thanks to the following individuals for their generous gifts to the Food Center in January.

Dorothea Bean
Irma Cannas
The College School
Chuck & Nancy Converse
Peg Cooper
Thelma Hartnett
The Hair Affair
Holy Redeemer

Tina Kennedy
MJ Kuhn
Charlotte Martin
Bill & Donna Martens
Anne & Ron Rossi
Maureen Walsh
Jennie Werremeyer
Pat Wiltse



Thanks also to the many anonymous donors!

Annual Meeting Roundup

More than 100 members attended Emmanuel's 149th Annual Meeting on the 31st. We enjoyed a delicious breakfast after the 9 a.m. choral Eucharist. Dan called the meeting to order and opened with a prayer at 10:30. If you missed the meeting and would like a copy of the reports you can pick one up from the shelf in the dining room or the Parish Office.

Highlights of the meeting—

Diana Knapp, Parish Treasurer, reported on 2015 results and stated that although the year ended with a deficit, the surplus in 2014 made it possible for the deficit to be absorbed. For 2016, canvass results are 1.6% higher than 2015, and pledge cards continue to come into the office.

The Vestry approved the budget for 2016 on January 11, 2016, having considered carefully the following:

1. The maintenance of full staff to serve Emmanuel, with benefits
2. Ongoing facilities maintenance and the needs of our aging building, with its increasing usage for fellowship and outreach activities.
3. Continued increase in health and medical benefits.

Retiring Vestry members and Convention delegates were thanked for their contributions, and staff and ministry chairs were acknowledged and thanked.

Mark DeYoung, retiring Senior Warden, gave a thought-provoking talk on swimming for exercise being a metaphor for church membership in these ways—

You have to actually go to the pool ... or church ... You have to find a place in a swim lane ... or a ministry to contribute your talent to ... And you have to actually get in the water ... or walk into church. Challenging words for our active parish.

The Nominating Committee presented its proposed slate of candidates for the Vestry, and Dan asked for nominations from the floor. There being no nominations from the floor, the following slate was accepted by acclamation: **Rene Howard, Matt Schunke, Hilary Perkins, and David Knapp** for 3-year Vestry terms. **Rudy Walz and Tom Jones** were elected for 3-year Diocesan Convention Delegate terms, and **Jeannie Keys and Steve Winning** were elected Alternate Delegates.

At the meeting Dan announced **Ida Early** was chosen as Sr. Warden and following the meeting the vestry elected **Donna Erickson** as Jr. Warden, **Phil Smerek** as Secretary and **Diana Knapp** as Treasurer.

Finally, in his Rector's Reflections Dan shared a story about a monastery and monks that had fallen on hard times. One day the abbot met with an old, prayerful rabbi to "open his heart" to him. After they each opened up to each other, the rabbi, acknowledging the troubles at the monastery, said to the abbot, "You and your brothers are serving God with heavy hearts. You have come to ask a teaching of me. I will give you a teaching, but you can only repeat it once. After that, no one must ever say it aloud again." He then said, "The messiah is among you." When the abbot took the message back to the monks and told them they must never repeat it, things gradually changed for the better as the monks behaved differently toward each other, and the monastery flourished. After relating this story, Dan reiterated "the importance of community and how it shapes our ability to learn, trust, mercy, friendship, tenderness, and how to love. . . . we have been focusing on Hospitality and on how we might better welcome those who come to us seeking a faith community - a church home. People of Emmanuel, as we enter our 149th year of ministry in this corner of Christ's Kingdom, know that the messiah is among you... Now go, and tell no one."

The meeting adjourned at 11:45.

Results of Communications Survey (Part 3 responses to your comments)

Communication



.More Communication Questions: Timing and Method of Distribution of Information

Several parishioners asked for better coordination of the timing of distribution of information (e.g., that information come from the office and social media at the same time). One said that parishioners shouldn't have to be part of the "hip generation/insiders" to get information timely. Another response indicated that those who do not have internet or email capabilities might be left behind.

The information *necessary* for the parish is always printed in the Angelus (and mailed as a hard copy when requested). It's also printed in the Sunday bulletin and often "hyped" during announcements. All liturgical schedules and information about stewardship and finances are also always mailed. Parishioners should be assured that the information most important to the parish family is always printed and mailed.

This information may also be emailed (e.g., schedules, the Angelus). It's the nature of electronic communication that it will arrive faster than US Postal Service delivery, but those who rely on hard copies and mail delivery will receive all significant communications from the office. Those who don't use social media may miss out on birthday and get well wishes, postings with poems, quotes or cartoons, or reminders about events, but they will not miss any information crucial to parish family life.



SPRING RECRUITING HAS BEGUN!



If you like to play coed softball, this is your chance! The Athletic Director, Betsy Mackey, has begun the recruitment process. Scholarships abound for players who can hit, catch, run. The occasional cheerleader or bench warmer is also accepted, no scholarships! Games start in April and are played on Sunday afternoons and evenings through June at Blackburn Park in Webster. Anyone 16 or over can play!

This co-ed team is called The Griffins.

Rumor has it that Coach Mackey is offering bonuses for the right talent!?!

Julia Bullock Concert update

Julia Bullock will certainly feel the love from Emmanuel when she performs at the Sheldon on Wednesday, March 30. There are already 66 parishioners signed up for tickets and we will be a force to be reckoned with, filling the entire back center section of the main floor.

I'm writing to discuss transportation. A number of people have asked if there will be transportation provided. ***The answer is no;*** we're not renting buses to take us there. The easiest solution for those who want a ride would be to look at the sign-up list on the bulletin board outside the dining room and contact someone on the list to ask for a ride.

Failing that, we can carpool from Emmanuel's parking lot. If you don't want to drive and have not made arrangements with someone from the attendance list to provide your transportation, please contact me. Likewise, ***if you are able to provide transportation for someone that night, please let me know how many extra guests you can take in your car.***

Ann Marie Ruhlin (amruhl@sbcglobal.net)

150th JUBILEE CHURCHES SPEAKER SERIES

February 14, 21, 28 and March 6

1:30-3:00 p.m.

As you heard during the Annual Meeting, the clergy of the four Jubilee churches have put together a Speaker Series to be held on Sunday afternoons during Lent. The series will begin February 14 and run through March 6, 2016. Emmanuel starts out the series by hosting February 14. A cookie/coffee reception will follow the speaker's presentations each week.

February 14—"The Culture of Violence" presented by Rev. Rodney Francis of Washington Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church in St. Louis.

Location: Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 9 S. Bompert Ave. Webster Groves, MO 63119

If you'd like to help welcome our visitors or help by making cookies for the reception, please call the office!

February 21—"Church and Societal Change" presented by Deb Krause. Deb is Academic Dean at Eden Seminary.

Location: First Congregational Church, 10 W. Lockwood Ave, Webster Groves, MO 63119

February 28—"Parenting Christians" presented by Dr. Leah Gunning Francis of Eden Seminary.

Location: Webster Groves Presbyterian Church, 45 W. Lockwood Ave, Webster Groves, MO 63119

March 6—"Answering Sexual Harassment" presented by Dr. Kristen Leslie of Eden Seminary.

Location: Old Community Missionary Baptist Church, 238 W. Kirkham Ave., Webster Groves, MO 63119

Ash Wednesday is February 10. There will be three services that day with Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes. 7:00 a.m., Noon and 7:00 p.m.



As is our tradition we will serve a free soup supper at 6:00 p.m. Soups will be Chicken and Wild Rice and Tuscan Vegetable Tortellini. We request diners bring bread or fruit to share and a free will offering for the meal.

Adult Forum February 7 & February 14

Spirituality and Healing Series

February 7— From candy bars to cocaine. Celeste Smith of Magdalene House will speak to us about the life of addiction and how it impacts health and spiritual well-being.

Celeste is Program Director at Magdalene House St. Louis, a residential program for women who have survived a life of prostitution, violence and addictions.

February 14—"Pathways to Healing" is the topic being presented by Peggy Schroeder, RN, MSN and one of our parish nurses. Peggy has been an oncology nurse for over 40 years. She will share what she learned by going from caregiver to cancer patient: how she survived emotionally, physically and spiritually.

Wednesday Evening Programs for All Ages

February 17 - March 9

Potluck Supper at 5:30 p.m.

Lenten Program for adults & children (4-11) at 6:30 p.m.

Nursery for 0-3 yr. 6:25-7:40 p.m.

Cherub Choir at 6:00 p.m.

Junior Choir at 6:30 p.m.

Compline 7:25-7:35 p.m.

Come for a potluck supper at 5:30 p.m. and then break into hour-long small groups of all ages for four weekly sessions. We'll conclude the evening with Compline (a brief prayer service) at 7:25 p.m. This is an opportunity to strengthen the ties of fellowship, while learning something new and contributing your own ideas and insights to the community.

Classes for Adults Are:

1. Christians Living in Conflicted Times: Some Anglican Thoughts – The Rev. Dr. Warren Crews

With all of the conflict going on around the world and in our country how are we as Christians equipped to understand and respond to such conflict?

2. Bible Study: Exodus in Action: A brief look at God, Moses, and the Israelites—Beth Knapp and Laura McCord

The story told in Exodus of Israel's journey from slavery to freedom and God's covenant with the people provides a lens through which all the rest of the Bible can be interpreted.

February 17—God's call to Moses to speak for Him and for the Israelites

February 24—The ten wonders or plagues with special focus on the Passover

March 2—God's covenant with the Israelites

March 9—The Ten Commandments or Words

3. Inquirer's Class – Dan Appleyard, Martie Metzler and Melanie Slane

We will explore the basics of The Episcopal Church, our faith and practices, with clergy and other parishioners. This program is for new or long-time members or those just beginning to explore the Episcopal Church.

February 17—The Book of Common Prayer and the Sacraments presented by Rev. Martie Metzler

February 24—The Bible presented by Rev. Melanie Slane

March 2—The Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion presented by Rev. Dan Appleyard.

March 9—The Baptismal Covenant presented by Rev. Martie Metzler

Lenten Activities for Kids Ages 4-11

6:25- 7:40—All kids ages 4 to 11 are invited and encouraged to join in the fun based on Lenten themes. Stories, Crafts, videos, board games, and a homework table will be available in a friendly setting while parents are freed up to attend classes. Parents please sign up your children in the dining room if they plan to attend

Please note: *Cherub and Junior Choirs will meet as usual, and choristers will be escorted back and forth to their rehearsals during that time. There is NO choir rehearsal for kids March 2.*

**Living Apart-a conversation and workshop offered as the
2016 Absalom Jones Commemoration on Feb. 6**



Living Apart: Race, Residency and Reality in our Communities

Absalom Jones Commemoration and Diocesan Workshop

Saturday, Feb. 6, 2016

10 AM - 1 PM

Presented by the Dismantling Racism Commission of the Diocese of Missouri

Hosted at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Creve Coeur

Can you take a bus to your church from all St. Louis neighborhoods?
How long would the trip take? More importantly--would you want to?
Do you know the history of how your church location came to be?
Does that location help or hinder your congregation in work towards racial reconciliation?
What have been your experiences with race where you currently live?
When did you first notice race as a child?

These are some of the questions and areas of exploration that shape this year's Diocesan workshop theme of **Living Apart: Race, Residency and Reality in our Communities.**

You may be surprised, even shocked, to learn how neighborhoods were formed in St. Louis and who decides who lives in them. Do you want to know how real estate practices affect education? Where does North St. Louis end and South St. Louis begin? And why?

We encourage you to spend a few hours in a "safe place" engaging in friendly, honest and informative discussions about the influence of segregation on our lives. Listening and sharing will move the conversation forward.

This conversation is free and open to the public.

Lunch is provided.

Organized by the Dismantling Racism Commission of the Episcopal Diocese of Missouri
Sponsored by St. Timothy's Ministry of Racial Reconciliation (MORR)
St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, 808 North Mason Rd. Creve Coeur, MO 63141
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 Chuck Peery, *Organist*
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 Mimi Shipp, *Parish Assistant for Ministry Support (ext 209)*
 Deborah Primm, *Part-time Sexton*
 Rachael Ludwig *Preschool Director (ext 123)*

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UPCOMING BAPTISMAL DATES

Below are the scheduled dates for Baptism and Baptismal Preparation Session. At least one parent must attend a preparation session before a child may be baptized at Emmanuel. You need not have set a baptismal date to come to one of these sessions.

If you are pregnant or still deciding about baptizing your child here, please come. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about baptism.

Call the church office at 961-2393 to make a reservation. A light supper is served.

Baptism Dates

March 26, 7:30 p.m.
 April 3, 9 a.m.



Prep Classes

March 16 6:00 p.m.

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

February 7

Team Captain: Claire Hooker
 1st Crucifer: Maia Langdon
 3rd Crucifer: Clio Langdon
 Acolytes: Lily Partridge, Lauren MacBryde

Ash Wednesday February 10 (7:00 p.m.)

Team Captain: Isabelle Appleyard
 Acolytes: Alison Dunn, Sophia Wilson



February 14

Team Captain: Hannah Myers
 1st Crucifer: Elijah Myers
 3rd Crucifer: Emma Sabath
 Acolytes: Sarah Kaul, Cole Witte

February 21

Team Captain: Maia Langdon
 1st Crucifer: Claire Hooker
 3rd Crucifer: Clio Langdon
 Acolytes: Lauren MacBryde, Josh Copeland



February 28

Team Captain: Thomas Hotaling
 1st Crucifer: Anne Buck
 3rd Crucifer: Sawyer Buck
 Acolytes: Lily Partridge, Taylor Knapp

BIRTHDAYS

ABOUT THE PARISH FAMILY

February 2
Susan Shillito

February 10
Bill Cochran

February 5
Bill Rowe
Chris Wagnon
John Ziegler

February 11
Duane Benson

February 6
Jeannie Keyes
Leo Moore

February 12
Peter Love

February 7
Jeanene Mascia
Matt Schunke

February 13
Teddy Burst
Heidi Richter
Marion Scatcherd



February 14
Brian Stephenson

February 8
Chloe Hooker
Eric Mitchell
Meghan Peet
Mandi Winkler

February 15
Mark DeYoung
Sarah Nelsen

February 9
Katie Allman
Susie Feldmann



Congratulations to **Sarah Teczar** on her recent engagement to **Krys Mroczkowski**. (spell that without looking!) Sarah is the daughter of Lisa and Steve Teczar!

Congratulations to **Andrew Shipp** for being awarded the St. Louis Chapter of U.S. Lacrosse, **Women’s Commitment Award**. Andrew coaches girl’s Lacrosse at Cor Jesu Academy!

Our sympathies to **Sharon Prah** on the recent death of her aunt, **Shirley Steinmeyer**.

If you have something you’d like to share, please email us at emmepisc@emmanuelepiscopal.org and we’ll spread the news!

Our sympathies to **Cathy Mueller** on the recent deaths of her brother-in-law, **Edward Alt, II** and her cousin, **Jack Hailman**. Cathy’s sister, **Susan Furry Alt** & her husband were long-time members of Emmanuel now living in Dallas.



ANNIVERSARIES

SAVE THE DATES

February 21
Mimi & David Shipp

February 27
Linda & Dave Burns



First Congregational Church of Webster Groves celebrated their **150th January 31, 2016**.

There’s a **new group (not yet named)** just starting to explore issues around racism that were discussed at Trinity Institute Next meeting is Thursday, **February 25 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Tree House room. They will be reading Ta –Nehisi Coates’ book, “Between the World and Me”.

Play Readers Friday, March 4 at 6:30 p.m. Curtain up at 7:00 p.m. It’s play readers because they use scripts. This is a great “chill” evening and usually funny!

Jr. High Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, March 6 at 6:00 p.m.

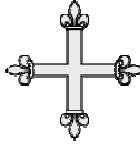
THE PRAYERS OF THE PARISH ARE REQUESTED FOR:

PLEASE keep the office updated on the progress of those you have placed on this list so our list remains timely.

ARMED FORCES

Parishioners: Aaron Faust, Adam Erickson

Brian Maginn, Christi & Denny Maginn's son
Stephen Carson, Nan Rimbach's nephew
Ron Asher, Sara Loyet's nephew



IN HOSPITAL/MED TESTS or TESTS/TREATMENT

Parishioners: Warren Druschky

Wayne Moody, former parishioner
Ed Porter, Lissa Johnson's uncle
Don Weiland, Brian Weiland's father
Wayne Wagon, Bill Wagon's father
Patty Tiernan, friend of Audrey Claxton
Pat McAtee, friend of Jerry Cooper
Joy Ferguson, Doris Ferguson's daughter-in-law
Aaron Crowell, friend of Angie MacBryde
Jodie Johnson, Lissa Johnson's mother
Fran Gebhart, Doris Ferguson's daughter
Peggy Thacker McCaslin, Kerry Thacker's daughter
Sue Snyder, Nancy McClary's friend
Charlie Schaefer, Tom's father
Doug Warner, Bob Ziegler's friend
Sue Hannah, Maureen Walsh's friend

LONG TERM MEDICAL NEEDS

Parishioners: Caroline Birdsall, Jack Shelby, Edythe Pangle, Joan Amerman, and Roberta Gehbauer

Gene Dames, Friend of Jennie Werremeyer
Ben Schneider, MacBryde's grandson
Ann Neukomm, Mart Mitchell's aunt
Celine Martines, Michael's mother
Annie Mae Fielder, Roberta's mother
Tom & Carolyn Yager, Jim & Mary Ann Groetsch's friends
George Benson, Hilary Perkins' step-father

RECUPERATING

Parishioners: Caroline Birdsall, Bob Schnitker, George Kaiser, Sean Kelly

Burnell Esbenshade
Steve Wilson, Lynne Shields' friend
Dave Torgeson, Nancy McClary's friend

THANKSGIVINGS

Virginia Benson, Hilary Perkins' mother
Audrey Claxton
Anne Munroe
Richard Feldmann, Bob Feldmann's brother



SERIOUS ILLNESS

Parishioners: Carol Kimball, Andrew Davis

Richard Schuckenbrock, Dexter Schraer's cousin
Cole Hancock, infant son of Melanie Slane's friend
Larry Pickeral, former parishioner
David Ripes, friend of Pam Belloli
Eleanore Orman, friend of Shari Kelts'
Shirley Hillebrand, friend of Maryellen Bell
Ann Paullin, Betty Cochran's sister
Roberta Mackenzie, friend of Jennie Werremeyer
Jim Wallace, Barb Russell's brother-in-law
Cyd Alloway, Christine Remming's mother
Jodi Adamson, Christi Maginn's sister
Val Lewis, friend of Tricia Copeland
Tina Smith Reckamp, friend of Tricia Copeland
Renae Baker, Sandy & Phil's daughter-in-law
Cathy, friend of Delena Moredock
Cathy Ammons, Allison Williams' friend
Dickie Priest, Betsy Mackey's friend
Carole Smith, friend of Nancy McClary
Heather McFadden, Margaret DeYoung's friend
Marty Schmitt, Margaret DeYoung's friend
Barbara Hulett, Maryellen Bell's friend
Tammy Stutz & family, Tracy Crews' friend
Jim Spangler, John Mitchell's brother-in-law
Debra Dean-Ciriani, Lisa Teczar's friend
Patricia McGregor, Stella Spalt's cousin
Sue Fritchley, Tom & Sandi Fischer's friend
Kate Bell, Nancy McClary's friend
Keira Stout, child of Grace Clark's co-worker
Robert, Jane Emerson's friend
Glenda Morris, mom of Charlie Walch's employee
Alexandra Pawlik, Janet Dobbs' friend

SPECIAL NEEDS

Parishioners: Jean Weingaertner, and Rosemary Vorih

Lena Elizabeth Cuthill
William Richardson Cuthill
Nete Bubliss, Maryellen Bell's sister-in-law
Keith Stumpf, JoAnne Warren's friend
Laura Worth, Shari Kelts' friend
Keturah Grunblatt, friend of Shari Kelts'
Julie Drefke, Friend of Diana Knapp
Becca Atherton, friend of Becca Shipp's
Becky Petty, friend of Melanie Slane
Ieshia Charging Hawk, friend of adult mission trip group
Sue Kohler, Sue & Lou Clauss' friend
Andrew Jones, Steve & Lisa Teczar's nephew
Charlotte Roberts, Tina Kennedy's mother
Mary Jane Carter, Bill (Marilyn) Keller's aunt
Maggie & Jemma Moccasin, friends of Adult Mission Trip
Greg Goodman, Barb Russell's friend
Katya Soll, Shari Kelts' daughter
Barbara Schlectic, Lynn Stephenson's mother
Murphy Family, friends of Kuhns

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTSFor a complete listing of events, please consult our online calendar at www.emmanuelepiscopal.org**SUNDAYS**

Community Coffee Time
Between 9:00 & 10:30 services

Faith Quest/Rite 13/J2A
Feb 7 & 14 at 10:15 a.m.

Adult Forum
Feb 7, 14, 21, 28 at 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study with Ron Crown
Feb 7 & 14 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Sunday
Feb 7 at 9:00 a.m. service

Jr. High Movie Night
Feb 7 4:30-7:30 p.m.

City Streets Cook-In/SASH
Feb 14 at 11:30 in kitchen by
Sr. High Youth Group

Jubilee Speaker Series
Feb 14 1:30-3:00 p.m.
At Emmanuel

Feb 21 1:30-3:00 p.m.
At First Congregational Church
10 W. Lockwood Ave.

Jr. High Brown Bag
Feb 21 at 11:15 a.m.

MONDAYS

Caring Ministries
Feb 8 at 7:30 p.m.

No EPS
Feb 15

**Office Closed—President's
Day**
Feb 15

TUESDAYS

**Contemplative Prayer in
Chapel**
Feb 9 at 5:30 p.m. in Chapel
Feb 23 at 5:30 p.m. in Chapel

Newsletter Deadline
Feb 9

WEDNESDAYS

Holy Eucharist at Noon
Every Wednesday

Fellowship Dinner
Feb 3 at 5:30 p.m.

Ash Wednesday Services
Feb 10 at 7:00 a.m., Noon and
7:00 p.m.

Ash Wednesday Soup Supper
Feb 10 at 6:00 p.m.

Foundation Bd. Meeting
Feb 17 at 6:00 p.m.

Lenten Potluck Supper
Feb 17, 24 at 5:30 p.m.
March 2, 9 at 5:30 p.m.

Lenten Series—Adult & Kids
Feb 17, 24 at 6:30 p.m.
March 2, 9 at 6:30 p.m.

Bible Study (Rm. 214)
Feb 3, 10, 17, 24 at 10:30 a.m.

Cherub Choir
Rehearsal at 6:00 p.m.
Feb 10 No rehearsal

Junior Choir
Rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.
Feb 10 No rehearsal

Emmanuel Adult Choir
Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.
Feb 10 Rehearsal at 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAYS

Men's Bible Study at Stratton's
Thursdays at 7:00 a.m.

Sr. High Leader Meeting
Feb 4 at 7:00 p.m.

Prayer Shawl Ministries
Feb 4, 18 at 7:00 p.m.

Noon Brown Bag
Feb 11 at Noon in kitchen

FRIDAYS

Mardi Gras Dress Rehearsal
Starting at 5:00 p.m.

Lenten Eucharist
Feb 12, 19, 26 at 7:00 a.m.
March 4, 11, 18 at 7:00 a.m.
Breakfast following on Feb 12,
19, 16

No EPS
Feb 12

MOE Retreat
Feb 12 5:00 p.m. head to Todd
Hall in Columbia, IL
Feb 13 until 3:00 p.m.

Vestry Retreat
Feb 26 7:00 p.m. in Parish Hall.

SATURDAYS

Mardi Gras Celebration
Feb 6 6:00p.m.-10:30 p.m.

MOE Retreat
All day at Todd Hall

EPS Valentine's Day Tea
Feb 13 at 11:30 a.m. Parish Hall

Vestry Retreat Parish Hall
Feb 27 8:30a.m. -2:00 p.m.

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Sunday Worship Schedule and Propers

Child care is available in the nursery (near the Big Bend entrance) from 9:45 a.m. until after the 10:00 a.m. service.

Sunday Service Schedule: 8:00a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

Propers for Feb 7—Last Sunday after Epiphany

Exodus 34:29-35
Psalm 99
2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2
Luke 9:28-36



Propers for Feb 21—Second Sunday in Lent

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18
Psalm 27
Philippians 3:17-4:1
Luke 13:31-35

Propers for Feb 14—First Sunday in Lent

Deuteronomy 26: 1-11
Psalm 91: 1-2, 9-16
Romans 10:8b-13
Luke 4: 1-13

Propers For Feb 28—Third Sunday in Lent

Exodus 3:1-5
Psalm 63:108
I Corinthians 10:1-13
Luke 13:1-9