The Sixth Street Messenger – February 2024

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Church Board Meeting

Sixth Street Christian Church will have a Church Board Meeting on Sunday, February 11th following worship service.

Christian Women's Fellowship News

Christian Women Fellowship will not be meeting for the month of February. We will see you in March.

Choir Practice

Choir will not be meeting on the following days in February. No Rehearsal on Tuesday, Feb 6th & 13th. There will be no choir on the following Sundays February 11th & 18th. Just taking couple weeks off. Choir starts back up on Tuesday, February 20th 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. All choir members are encouraged to come!

Support Middletown Food Pantry

Please help our church support the Middletown Food Pantry. Your donations of food household products and money benefit our neighbors who are in need. The pantry is in need of cracker's and laundry detergent of any kind for the month of February. Thank you for your generosity!

Bible Study

Grace Group

Thursday at 9:00 a.m.

Thursday at 8:00 a.m.

Choir Practice

Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leaders

4th – Jake Smith 11th – Carol Riley 18th – Cheryl Tichenor 25th – Teresa Dennis

<u>Elders</u>

Cheryl Tichenor & Jane Young





Hello Friends,

February...a month when we celebrate love. Despite being one of the most common words in the English language, Love is one of the hardest words to define and often one of the hardest emotions to give or receive. It brings the most steady and kind men to their knees and can start arguments, fights, and even wars. It seems that the ooey gooey romantic love we celebrate today (though valid and beautiful) sits in stark contrast to something else we start this month...Lent. Ash Wednesday most often falls somewhere in this month of love (though not always) and this month it falls on February 14th. Ash Wednesday is a day that marks the beginning of Lent by causing us to remember our own mortality and our need for communion with God. As we light aromatic candles, eat heart shaped chocolates and celebrate the love in our lives, let us remember a different kind of love as well. A love that led to a cross.

Love you all 😊 Rev. Charissa

February Birthday's

4th – Susan Smith 7th – Susan Fredenburg 13th – Rita Johnson 13th – Richard Russell 17th – Garrett Benson 26th – Ruby Cooper

Coffee Fellowship

4th – Linda Soultz 11th – Open 18th – Jerri Peters & Vicki Bixler 25th - Open

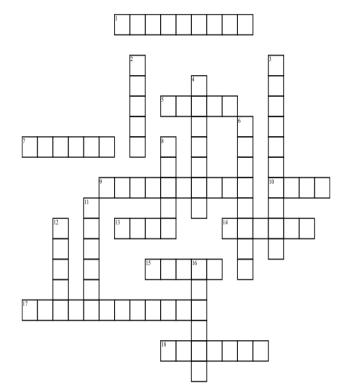
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Calendar of Events for February

- 1st Grace Group 8:00 a.m. Bible Study - 9:00 a.m.
- 2nd Groundhog Day!
- 4th Choir meets: 9:30 a.m.
- 6th No Choir Rehearsal
- 11th Board Meeting Following Worship Service No Choir today.
- 13th No Choir Rehearsal
- 14th Valentine's Day
- 14th Ash Wednesday
- 15th Grace Group 8:00 a.m. Bible Study – 9:00 a.m.
- 18th Week of Compassion Special Offering No Choir today
- 19th President's Day! "Office Closed"
- 20^{th -} Choir Rehearsal 4:30 5:30 p.m.
- 22nd Grace Group 8:00 a.m. Bible Study – 9:00 a.m.
- 25th Week of Compassion Special Offering
- 27th Choir Rehearsal 4:30 5:30 p.m.
- 29th Grace Group 8:00 a.m. Bible Study 9:00 a.m.

LENTEN CROSSWORD



Across 1. ASH ______ 5. The Christian holy book 7. Jesus entered Jerusalem on this animal 9. Day in Lent recalling Jesus' death (2 words) 10. Branches waved at Jesus upon his entry into Jerusalem 13. Was with Jesus at the cross 14. Jesus prayed for 40 days
here3. Holy Co
started after15. What Jesus died upon4. To go w17. We spend Lent
preparing for Jesus death and
18. Giving to ______ is a
good Lenten practice6. The final
(2 words)18. Giving to ______ is a
good Lenten practice11. Season

Down

2. What Jesus shed for our sins

 Holy Communion started after this
To go without
The final week of Lent (2 words)
Number of days in LENT
Season after Lent
Disciple who betrayed Jesus
PALM _____