

*For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.*

**1 Corinthians 1:18**



## Pastor Lisa's Message

(Excerpted from Lisa's sermon, given Jan. 22, 2017)

Think of a time in history when the wisdom of man was pure foolishness. When the estimation made by human judgment was remarkably flawed.

The Titanic. The White Star Line Company becomes over-confident, even arrogant about its luxury liner. Of it, one commentator said, "The sheer magnitude of materials used would make it hard, even for God to sink the Titanic." But we all know, this unsinkable ship, did sink, in one of the greatest disasters of all time. But do you know this:

It was the smallest of details that led to the greatest disaster of all time? The lessons we can learn from these details are worth taking to heart so that the Ship of Salvation, as Cyprian called the church, can arrive safely at its destination.

Detail 1:

Right before the Titanic set sail, commentators proclaimed this ship unsinkable, due to the know-how of human engineering. But we know our success depends upon God. In all we do, in the decisions we make, in the ministries we build, let us always, remember we trust in God and not ourselves.

Detail 2:

In March, Second Officer Blair is reassigned and deployed off Titanic. When he leaves, he takes along his locker key. In that locker are the binoculars for the crow's nest. Let us not rush head-long into what we do, for Christian ministry and fellowship is a matter of careful reflection. It needs time and prayer. If we act in the present without having a vision of the future, we are sunk before we begin!

Detail 3:

Originally 32 lifeboats were supposed to be on board the Titanic, but that was cut to 16 because White Star Lines argued that "people don't pay to look at lifeboats." We must not become so busy admiring the world and so immersed in our view of it, that we forget what is really important. In the ministry of the church, our priority must be life-saving too, not from ocean waters, but in the waters of baptism. Let our first priority the saving of lives, that is the saving of souls.

Detail 4:

Titanic Wireless operator Jack Phillips was busy, sending passenger messages to shore, so much so that he did not take time to receive the incoming warning about ice bergs. In lives that are too busy, in times that are too demanding, we need to take time to just be still, and wait on the word of God. Let us not only ask our Captain for what we want, but also listen to hear what He wants to tell us daily, by prayer and meditation!

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Detail 5:

Seven warnings about ice in the waters were ignored by Captain Smith. Under pressure from White Star's corporate leader, Bruce Ismay, Smith was determined to make the trans-Atlantic crossing in record time -- six days. Let our goals and our timing be not our own but God's. If we belong to a cause more than to Christ, then we need to remember who has called us and who has saved.

Detail 6:

For years, people assumed that the iceberg had ripped a hole up to 300 feet long in the side of Titanic. But, as modern exploration of the wreck site has shown, cheap rivets caused six small slits in between the steel plates. The total area was just 12 square feet. Many now say if the Titanic had just hit the iceberg head on instead of trying to veer around it, it would not have sunk. You see, the hull was built to withstand such an impact, but the side of the ship was not. Accordingly, with care and a healthy directness, putting pride aside, let us face and carefully consider any problem or disagreement, that we may respond to it appropriately. Unlike Titanic, may we mend any fissure and repair any breaks, even those that seem insignificant, that we safeguard this vessel and all who travel in it.

My prayer, as we get underway for 2017, is that with the help of the Spirit, the year ahead of St. Luke's be one of smooth sailing, that gets us closer to our destination, in terms of worldly ministry and eternal salvation!

Blessings,  
Pastor Lisa

## From Pastor Lisa and Seth

We extend our deep and warmest thanks to St. Luke's congregation for the very generous gift presented to us at Christmas. St. Luke's is a loving congregation who shows its appreciation in so many ways. Your affirmation and thoughtfulness are priceless, and we thank you for remembering us with such care at Christmas. We are exceedingly thankful for you all!

## From The Burnett Family

"The Burnett family wishes to thank our St. Luke's family for all of the cards, meals, prayers, visits and more during Stephen's illness and passing. It is a true blessing to have so many wonderful people supporting us. Mere words cannot express our gratitude adequately."

## FOR ALL YOU DO, THIS THANKS IS FOR YOU!

To Rhea Strum, Ruth Wickstrom and all of our wonderful shepherds for taking ministry beyond the walls of our church!

To our great musicians who did so much for us during the Christmas Season: Bob Ford and the Chancel and Bell Choirs, Katie Lucas, Brain Robinson and Joshua Sykes, along with the Children's Choir, all of whom led a wonderful Christmas Eve Program at 5:30.

Special thanks too, to the combined choirs of St. Luke's and the Lutheran Church of our Saviour for our Advent Cantata!

To Rachel Kaeser, the communication hub for our Youth Ministry!

To Chris Halloran and Karla Lacy, inviting you to "Dinner with Friends!" Next gathering: February 7th. If you eat alone, come and have dinner with friends!

To Ray Kyle who, though he was snowed out on Jan. 8th, still preached a week later on January 15th, giving Pastor Lisa a chance to catch up after vacation. And to Scottie Kyle, for putting in as much time to year-end financial reports as Ray puts into his sermon preparation. Thanks, you two!

To Kelly Rice, who organized a community meeting at the church for residents in our neighborhood relating to recent break-in's. Kelly did a fabulous job, on short notice, of gathering our neighbors together and bringing in knowledgeable speakers who covered important areas of concern. If you are interested in joining a neighborhood watch, find out more from the church office or ask Kelly!

To the United Methodist Men for years putting up and taking down our "Peace on Earth" Christmas sign. It has been retired due to wear. We wait to see what next year may bring.

Special thanks to Thelma Edwards and Becky Jenkins, and their helpers, who did so much to organize the memorial meal right after Christmas. Thanks to all who helped and contributed as well!

To our preschool staff, in appreciation for their wonderful ministry, and our directors, Michele and Vicki! We expect this year's high, of 115 students enrolled, will continue next year!

## BE INFORMED

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<http://www.vaumc.org>

## Bishop Sharma D. Lewis PROVIDES... A Challenge to Read The Bible in 2017



Bishop Sharma D. Lewis

Dear Virginia Annual Conference,

I think you would agree with me that every New Year there are individuals who decide to make a New Year's resolution. I googled "New Year's resolution" to discover that there are several articles written on this popular subject. All of us have made New

Year's resolutions ranging anywhere from losing 10-20 unwanted pounds, starting a new exercise program, paying off our credit cards and giving up a bad habit. I've always found it interesting that people will go to great lengths to make a New Year's resolution — throwing away food that tempts their cravings, buying expensive exercise equipment with a voice-activated trainer, or being the first person to join the gym. Unfortunately, it has been proven that New Year's gym resolutions are normally broken in 90 days, and the gym equipment becomes the new and latest clothes rack in our homes. I've always wondered when individuals are making resolutions if they ever considered making a "Christian resolution." For example, resolving to pray daily for your church, to become an active agent in inviting people to your church or to increase their participation in a ministry in their local church. As your new bishop, I would like to challenge you to look at this yearly tradition from another perspective. Let's make a "Christian resolution" by joining me in reading the Bible together this year. Choose your own translation to make this experience engaging and exciting. Invite others to join you on this journey.

Let's make a "Christian resolution" by joining me in reading the Bible together this year:

- Choose your own translation to make this experience engaging and exciting.
- Invite others to join you on this journey.
- Commit to sticking to the outlined plan at this link: <http://backtothebible.org/reading-guide/15/1>.

Let's become Bible scholars in 2017.

Peace and Blessings,  
Bishop Sharma D. Lewis

## Bob Ford Invites You to Take Note

### **St. Luke's UMC Children's Choir**

Will be rehearsing on Sunday mornings in February on the 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th in the choir room from 9:15 to 9:45.

### **St. Luke's UMC Handbell Choir**

We will be rehearsing on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:25 in the sanctuary to prepare for assisting in the Sunday morning 10:30 worship service at a later date. We invite you to come and give us a ring.

### **St. Luke's UMC Sanctuary Choir**

We will be rehearsing on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 8:45 those appropriate choral offerings to assist in the Sunday morning 10:30 worship service. Thursday rehearsals are the 2nd, 9th, 16th, and 23rd. Interested singers are welcome to join us at 7:30 as we are beginning an extended "Service of Tenebrae" appropriate for Maundy Thursday and Good Friday special musical presentations.

## United Methodist Council on Finance and Administration

Scottie Kyle, Treasurer, shares the following from the United Methodist General Council on Finance and Administration:

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## **A Reminder From Our Financial Secretary, Margaret Anderson**

To all church members:

Your giving statements are now in the church office. Please pick them up at your convenience.

If you have giving envelopes, please use them as it makes it so much easier for Finance to track your giving and produce your statements.

## **Attention, Acolytes!**

A special THANK YOU to all the 2016 acolytes! You did an amazing job participating in our worship services. The 2017 schedule has been posted and, starting in February, we will resume Acolyte training for anyone wishing to join the most dynamic team at St Luke's – the St Luke's Firestarters!!

## **Laurie Hay Introduces The Staff Parish Relations Committee**

The Staff Parish Relations Committee (SPRC) is the administrative unit in the church where staff and congregational interests are integrated to focus on the mission of the church. This committee supports the pastor and staff as they carry out leadership responsibilities and also supports the congregation. The committee generally is comprised of 5-9 individuals, including the Lay Leader, who represent the congregation and serve a three-year term on the SPRC. Duties include the encouragement and support of the pastor and staff, promotion of unity within the church, counsel on the effectiveness of ministry and the relationships within the church, appointments and annual evaluations, and receiving/communicating feedback to staff and congregation. In essence, we strive to help maintain an effective working relationship for St Luke's staff and congregation by making them aware of issues, addressing concerns and working together to implement solutions to ensure that St. Luke's is a spiritual community where all God's children experience Christ's love and redemption, and where we share this through worship, fellowship, education and mission for the community and the world.

### **St Luke's SPRC**

Jane Barto, Chair, Audrey Vogen, Ruth Wickstrom  
Laurie Hay, Ronnie Jones, Karla Lacy  
Tom Proffitt, Bobbie Strum, Lay Leader, Keith Miller

## **A Mission Moment From David Hay**

We are collecting towels in February for CARITAS! If you have gently used, or want to pick up new towels, the Missions team has located Tupperware bins near the carport door. These donations will help our most vulnerable neighbors, those working to break the cycles of addiction and homelessness, to reclaim their dignity through the CARITAS program.

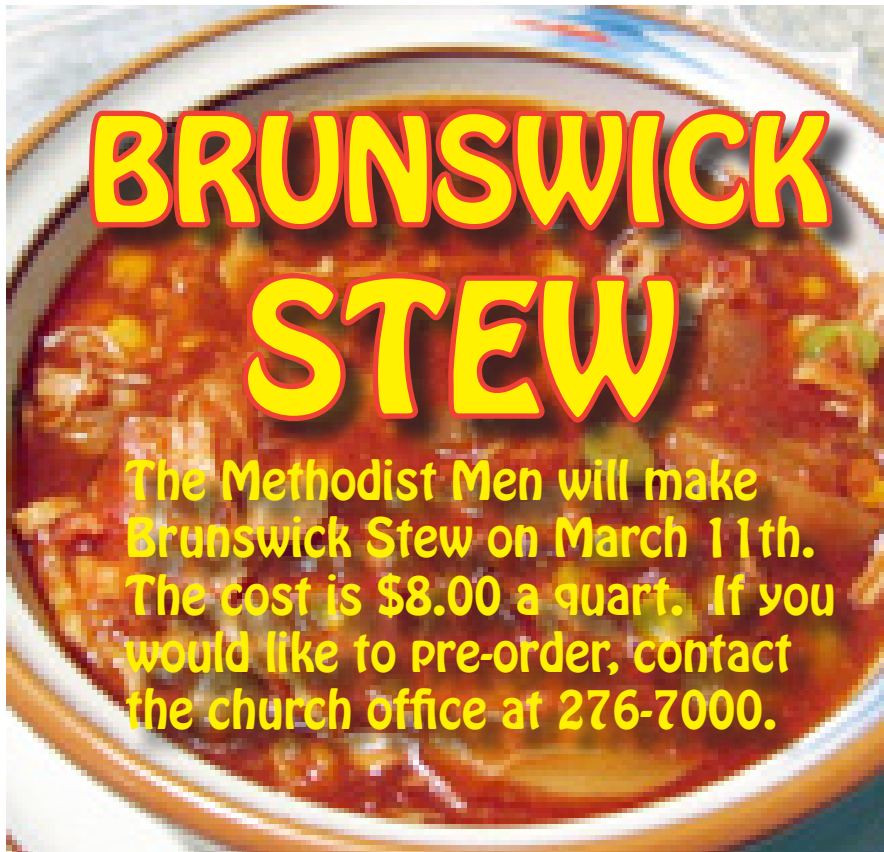
St Luke's will be hosting CARITAS guests again in August. Each month we will be working toward preparing to welcome those guests to our church.

## **Rebecca Morris Reminds Us That It's Silent Auction Time**

Our annual Silent Auction is coming up on April 29th and we are currently soliciting donations. If any church member would like to donate, it would be greatly appreciated and your name will be displayed on our "wall of thanks". Donations could be frozen meals or that special cake you bake, a craft item or even something that you no longer want in your household, but is in good condition. If you know someone with a business that would be willing to donate that would be great as well. Imagine if everyone donated one item! "Many hands make light work." Thank you for your support and we look forward to a successful and fun event.

## **Line Dancing**

Come to our Free Weekly Line Dancing and Chair Exercise Class! Shirley Jones is our wonderful instructor. Get 2017 off to a great and healthy start while enjoying fun and fellowship, too. This class is open to the neighborhood and community. Bring a friend and join us!



## Super Bowl Sunday

Super Bowl Sunday is February 5th and the Youth are getting set to make it a Soup-er one! We invite you to make Superbowl Sunday a sporting event with a purpose this year! Bring in a can of soup February 5th for the Belmont Food Pantry.

In addition, stay after church for our soup and grilled cheese luncheon before the big game. We promise you'll be home with time to spare before kick off!

## IMPORTANT QUESTION FOR FALLING CREEK FARMS RESIDENTS:

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING A NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH IN THIS COMMUNITY? IF SO, PLEASE CONTACT SHIRLEY GARY AT THE CHURCH OFFICE ASAP (276-7000).

## Mark Your Calendars Now!

Summer will be here before we know it and, with it, VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AND CARITAS! Please give prayerful consideration to helping with these two important activities. Vacation Bible School will take place from July 16-20, followed by CARITAS from August 12-19, 2017.

## *Birthdays*

- February 1 Becky Jenkins  
Jason Williams
- February 2 Randi Hayes
  
- February 5 Kevin Russell  
Stephanie Burnett
- February 6 Gayle McGonigle  
Ashley Driskill  
Nikki Driskill
- February 8 Sean Wythe
- February 10 Katie Haley  
Katherine Stefi Harris
- February 12 Carolyn Beeckler
- February 15 Ruth Russell  
Tom Proffitt
- February 16 Christina Hylton
- February 17 Robert Hall  
Rebecca Heath  
Matt Pritchard  
Tee Leigh
- February 19 Andrea Brown  
Betty Hubble  
Justin Burnett
- February 20 Kara Seamster  
Maria Proffitt  
Wesley Pritchard
- February 22 Scottie Kyle
- February 24 Mary Nell Kloss
- February 25 Thelma Edwards  
Rachel Jenkins  
Bruce Anderson  
Stewart Ball



HAPPY BIRTHDAY, IBBIE - FROM YOUR SAFE HAVEN FRIENDS AND ST. LUKE'S HELPERS!



## “Sorrow and Love flow mingled down”

Our sympathy is extended to Ann Brown and family. Ann's father claimed the promise of the Resurrection on January 25, 2017

We continue to remember those families who mourn: the Burnett's, the Tucker's, the Lucas family, and Phyllis and Wilmer Downs.

Stephen Burnett joined the Saints above on December 24th, 2016.  
Timothy James Tucker, Sr., claimed the promise of the resurrection December 30, 2016.

Doug Lucas' father claimed the promise of the resurrection on Wednesday, January 4, 2017.

Phyllis Downs' brother, Robert Supples, claimed the promise of the resurrection on January 15, 2017.



## Upheld in our Prayers

Please keep the following in your prayers.

Joan Bowker	Jimmy deKrafft	Brian Kaeser
Dean Smith	Bill Brown	Ron Halloran
Ronnie Jones	Bill Coleman	Cheryl Nester
Opal Holshouser	Barbara Stone	Laura Patterson
Karen & Reg Whitton	Marie Goodwyn	Muffin Morris
George Burnett	Betty Ward	Philip Hecker
Kim D'Esposito Lachelier	Renae Hedrick	Sarah Salisbury
Margaret Tucker	Marynell Kloss	Eden Kloss
Gayle Harbison	Julie Ritterskamp	Gayle McGonigle
Lois Kinney	Bob Ford	Rev. Tom Brown

### Our Military

Robbie Bowen	Aaron Frankey	Larry Russell
Holden Russell		

### People to remember

Annie Davis — 5410 Claridge Drive  
Chesterfield, VA 23832 276-4322

Margaret Tucker — 9703 Groundhog Drive  
North Chesterfield, VA 23235

Ron Halloran — Hickory Hill Retirement Center  
900 Cary Shop Road  
Burkeville, VA 23922



# ST. LUKE'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 2017 CHURCH LEADERSHIP

**Lisa K. Sykes, Minister**

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### ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Chairperson-Andrea Brown

### COMMITTEE ON LAY LEADERSHIP

Chairpersons-Lisa K. Sykes,Bobbie Strum, Lay Leader

#### 2017

Katie Haley  
Clinton Gary  
Ronnie Weade

#### 2018

Shirley Jones  
A. Ray Kyle  
Chris deKrafft

#### 2019

Donna Miller  
Heather Jones

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chairperson-Andrew Russell

#### 2017

Nancy Taylor  
Rick Beeckler  
Ray Jenkins  
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#### 2018

Bill Brown  
Debbie Smart  
Charlotte deKrafft

#### 2019

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#### 2017

Jane Barto  
Laurie Hay  
Tom Proffitt

#### 2018

Audrey Vogen  
Ronnie Jones

#### 2019

Ruth Wickstrom  
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Bill Brown

## DELEGATE TO VIRGINIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

A. Ray Kyle

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Becky Jenkins	MOPS	Tee Leigh
Margaret Tucker		

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**Hospitality Committee:** Pat Knust, Diane Johnson



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**Sunday School Teachers:**

**The Lois Callis Sunday School Class:** Donna Miller, Charlotte deKrafft, Jerry Anderson

**Prospectors Sunday School Class:** Carolyn Beeckler, Gary Dunlap, Rhea Strum

**Youth Sunday School Class:** Chris deKrafft

**Children's Sunday School Class:** Maria Proffitt, Heather Jones, Kay Callis, Cheryl Nester, Ibbie Smith, Substitute

The Pastor's Study – Pastor Lisa and class members

**Youth Coordinators:** Chris deKrafft & Nancy Taylor

**Youth Treasurer:** Rick Beeckler

**Children's Church:** Heather Jones, Carolyn Beeckler, Rhea Strum, Ofelia Dunlap, Charlotte deKrafft

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**Children's Co-coordinator:** Heather Jones

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**MOPS Co-coordinator:** Christina Hylton

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A. Ray Kyle

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Katie Haley    Pastor Lisa

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**Chairperson, Mission/Outreach Ministries:** David and Laurie Hay

**Chairperson, Stewardship:** Donna Miller

**Youth Coordinators:** Chris deKrafft & Nancy Taylor

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# WHAT'S UP!!



**ST. LUKE'S HELPING HANDS AT SAFE HAVEN'S 2016 CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION**



**Dodgeball Tournament - The Avengers - 2017**



# February, 2017 CALENDAR

## Wednesday, Feb. 1

10:00 am Susannah Wesley Circle, F.H.  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts, Troop 337, F.H..

## Thursday, Feb. 2

6:30-7:30 Adult Hand Bell Practice, S  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts, Troop 5228, B  
7:00 pm NAMI, F.H.  
7:30 Chancel Choir, M.R. & S

## Friday, Feb. 3

5:00 pm Cub Scout Pinewood Derby (F.H.)

## Saturday, Feb. 4

8:00 am Cub Scout Pinewood Derby (F.H.)

## Sunday, Feb. 5

(Soup-er Bowl-Bring can of soup)  
9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
11:30 am Souper Bowl (F.H.)  
11:30 am Trustees Committee Meeting, (P)  
4:00-5:30 pm Youth, F.H.

## Monday, Feb. 6

4:45 pm Safe Haven  
5:30-7:00 pm Al-Anon (P)  
7:00-8:00 pm Cub Scouts, B & 106, 108, 110, 112  
7:00-8:00 pm Boy Scouts, F.H. & all rooms upstairs

## Tuesday, Feb. 7

3:00 pm Exercise/Line Dancing (F.H.)  
6:00 pm Dinner with Friends (F.H.)

## Wednesday, Feb. 8

10:00 am Young at Heart, F.H.  
7:00-8:00 pm Cub Scout Parents, B

## Thursday, Feb. 9

6:30-7:30 pm Adult Hand Bell Practice, S  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts - Troop 5228 (B)  
7:00 pm NAMI, F.H.  
7:30 pm Chancel Choir, M.R. & S

## Friday, Feb. 10

9:00-12:00 Noon Quilting Group, F.H.

## Sunday, Feb. 12

(BOY SCOUT SUNDAY)  
9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
11:30 am Finance (P)

## Monday, Feb. 13

9:45 am-11:45 am MOPS (F.H.)  
10:05-10:45 am Preschool Chapel  
5:30-7:00 pm Al-Anon (P)

## Tuesday, Feb. 14

(Wear Red for Heart Day)  
10:05-10:30 am Preschool Chapel (S)  
HAPPY VALENTINES DAY

## Wednesday, Feb. 15

1:30 pm Memorial Committee Meeting  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts, Troop 337, F.H.

## Thursday, Feb. 16

6:30-7:30 Adult Hand Bell Practice, S  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts, Troop 5228, B  
7:00 pm NAMI, F.H.  
7:30 Chancel Choir, M.R. & S

## Friday, Feb. 17

Eagle Erie Youth Retreat

## Saturday, Feb. 18

Eagle Erie Youth Retreat

## Sunday, Feb. 19

9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship

## Monday, Feb. 20

4:45 pm Safe Haven  
5:30-7:00 pm Al-Anon (P)

## Thursday, Feb. 23

6:30-7:30 pm Adult Hand Bell Practice, (S)  
6:30-7:30 pm Girl Scouts, Troop 5228, (B)  
7:00 pm NAMI, F.H.  
7:30 pm Chancel Choir Practice, (M.R. & S)

## Friday, Feb. 24

9:00-12:00 Noon Quilting Group, F.H.

## Sunday, Feb. 26

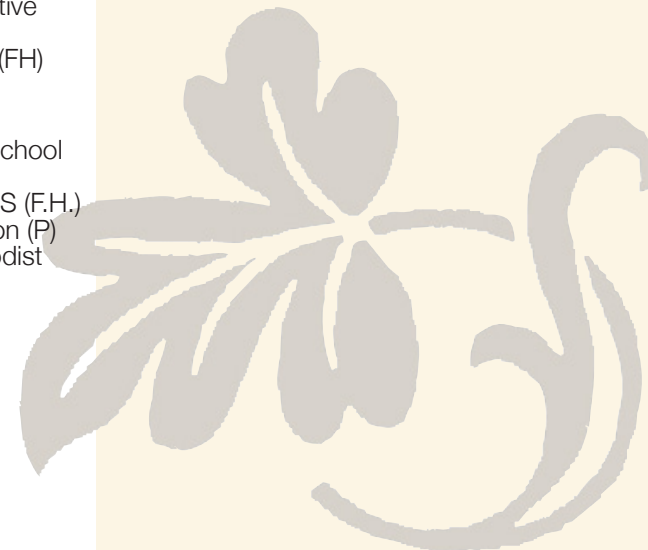
9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
11:30 am Administrative Council meeting (P)  
4:00-5:30 pm Youth (FH)

## Monday, Feb. 27

9:45 -10:45 am Preschool Chapel  
9:45-11:45 am MOPS (F.H.)  
5:30-7:00 pm Al-Anon (P)  
6:30 pm U.M. Methodist Men (F.H.)

## Tuesday, Feb. 28

10:05-10:30 Chapel (S).



**Location Codes:** F.H. – Fellowship Hall, P – Parlor, B – Basement, M.R. – Music Room, S – Sanctuary



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