



HEALING

Marilyn Norleen
Dinah Washington
Gloria Enstrom
Doug Timmons
Laura Zellmer
Harry Howe
Madison Vance
Reese Levine
Will Tissue
Suff Klingman
Kramer Collins
Susie Morgenstern
Mallory Weiss
Mary Helene Wagner
Dorothy Lee
Kathy McCarty Schwab

Martha (Ann Brohm's sister)

WELLNESS

Rolf Benseler Ann Brohm Carol Kramer DeLane Riveness Marilynn Lindahl

PEACE / COMFORT

Kitti Colucci Kristy Lindahl

MILITARY

Keep our armed forces safe and give them courage, hope and strength.
Brian Henson Megan Howard

Peter & Melanie Kler



Itar flowers this morning have been given by the Merlin family in celebration of Ben's birthday. Happy Birthday, Ben!

Happy Birthday & Happy Anniversary

February 24 Ben Merlin

February 25 Marissa Perla February 26 Nadine Coburn

Robert Valentine

February 28 Maren Kjell

Stacey Rosenzweig

February 29 March 1

Karen Rose Kalvass Christine Padilla Dr. Bob & Carole Weyand This Week

Sunday, February 23

9:30 am Congregational Worship
10:00 am Sunday School (PreK-5th Gr.)
10:30 am Coffee Fellowship (CFM)
hosted by Steve & Nina Berchtold
10:45 am KidMin Sunday School Ends
11:00 - 11:45 am Adult Ed
11:00 am KCCL Bible Study
12:15 pm KCCL Worship
3:00 pm GS Troop
Monday, February 24

11:00 am LARC 10:30 am AA Meeting CFM 3:30 pm OMP

Tuesday, February 25 - Shrove Tuesday

11:00 am LARC11:00 am Caregiver Coffee6:00 pm Pancake Supper Gregersen Hall

Wednesday, February 26

Ash Wednesday

9:30 am Altar Guild10:30 am Preschool Chapel11:00 am LARC3:30 pm OMP7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, February 27

10:30 am Preschool Chapel 11:00 am LARC 6:00 pm Canticle Choir 7:00 pm Shepherd's Bells

Friday, February 28

11:00 am LARC

Saturday, February 29

9:00 am WORKDAY - Coffee & Donuts @ 9:00 a.m.

7:00 am - 12 noon Lamorinda Rugby Club Scrapbooking

Sunday, March 1 - Lent 1

12:15 pm KCCL Worship

9:30 am Congregational Worship
10:00 am Sunday School (PreK-5th Gr.)
10:30 am Coffee Fellowship (CFM)
hosted by Julie & Terry Hamre
10:45 am KidMin Sunday School Ends
11:00 - 11:45 am Adult Ed
12 noon Bible & Lunch Bunch
11:00 am KCCL Bible Study
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Upcoming Events

TODAY, Sunday - Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 25, Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

February 26 - Wednesday 9:30 a.m. Altar Guild, CFM

Ash Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.
Loaves & Fishes, Pittsburg
February 29, Saturday - Leap Day
(Karen Kalvass will be Sweet 16)
March 1, Sunday - 12 noon Bible & Lunch

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March 3 - Election Day CFM is a polling site
March 4 - Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. Lenten Soup
Supper in Gregersen Hall followed at 6:30
p.m. with worship in the CFM Chapel
March 5, Thursday, 9:00 a.m. Women's Bible
Study CFM Lessen 0. Hesen and Leal

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO EVENING SERVICE TONIGHT.



Ash Wednesday

Palm Sunday
Maundy Thursday
Good Friday
Easter Sunday

26th February
2020

5th April 2020

9th April 2020

10th April 2020

12th April 2020

Work Day, Saturday, February 29, 9 to 12 Coffee & Donuts @ 9:00 a.m.

Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church February 23, 2020 www.holyshepherd.org Office Hours 8:30 am - 2:00 pm Monday - Thursday Phone 925-254-3422 We are again helping Friendly Manor by providing dinner napkins. The supply is running low, so we are holding another collection! If you wish to participate, please purchase dinner napkins (Dollar Tree, Costco, Safeway, wherever!) and bring to the CFM. There is a red bin near the table in the entry. Thank you! The Service Committee (Karen Rose Kalvass)

Sign-up dates for Loaves & Fishes can be found on the table in the entry to CFM. If you know anyone that could be encouraged to "sign up" on the Roster of interested folks for either please let Pete Schmitt know.

Martinez - 2nd Thursday of the month Pittsburg - 4th Wednesday of the month

Save the Date! Church Fellowship Event Saturday, March 14 **Crab Feed**

Serving: Crab (w/melted butter), Pasta, Bread, Salad, Dessert \$35/person, \$12/age 12 and under, 2 years and younger free (Ticket price will include 2 drinks water, soda, beer or wine) 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Look for sign-up sheet today. **Questions: Cristi Chow**

Dear Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church

January 26

Your amazing gift of \$15,630 for the mission of IHP is going to help to get the safe birthing center open probably a month or more earlier than we had anticipated. Thank you! How many lives will that impact? We'll never know exact numbers, but we know how important it will be to every life touched.

Preparations are underway to host the 8 teams plus students, planning to come to Zinga in 2020 including finishing up the Lofstrom guest house. It will sleep 16 besides us and 22 if

Blessings & gratitude,

Paula & Denny



From Karen Rose Kalvass

Daffodils will be for sale March 8th and possibly the 15th for \$12 each with proceeds to Friendly Manor.

Can you please help with any of the following?

- 1) Selling daffodils on Sunday March 8.
- 2) Identify someone in our congregation that is a shut-in or could use some cheer (let me know if you wish to be indicated as the donor or want it to be from the congregation). If from you, please write a little note card to go with it.
- 3) Make 2-3 dozen cookies for the care packages. Need by morning of March 8th.
- 4) Help deliver the daffodil care packages.
- 5) Sponsor a daffodil care package for \$12 each.
- 6) Write notes to be included in the care packages.

I can help with items
Your name:
Email and or phone number

Care package recipient

(put this in the offering plate or contact Karen)

Thanks so much for your help! Please let me know if you have questions.

Karen Rose Kalvass 925.285.4669 or krkvolunteer@gmail.com



hrove Tuesday (also known as Pancake Day) is the last day before the period that Christians

call Lent. It is traditional on this day to eat pancakes. Join us Tuesday February 25 at 6:00 p.m. in Gregersen Hall for a pancake dinner!



uring the Wednesdays of the Season of Lent, we will be sharing 'Soup Suppers' in Gregersen Hall and reflective worship experiences in the CFM Chapel. Many find these paired times of food and fellowship -- followed by thoughtful worship -- to be a great way to get into the spirit of the Lenten season. Soup Suppers begin promptly at 6:00 p.m. in Gregersen Hall and worship follows at 6:30 p.m. If you're able to bring soup (or bread) to one (or more!) of our midweek events, please sign up on the clipboard in the CFM entryway, or contact Lisa in the Church Office. Our first Lenten Soup Supper for 2020 occurs on March 4.

Dear Friends at Holy Shepherd,

I am so greatful (sic) for the sponsorship of my lovely kids Irene and Ian. I received Tshs 1,145,000 today. (\$500)

May the Almighty God Bless everyone who is contributing for us.

We love you so much. Lulu Bavuma

Lulu is the widow of Eglah Bayuma who last visited HSLC in 2009 as a singer and drummer with New Life Band of Tanzania.

On their 2012 USA Tour, Eglah was diagnosed with leukemia and became too ill to tour in Ca.



Eglah passed away in 2014, leaving behind his wife, Lulu, and two children, Irene and Ian.

HSLC Scholarship Fund for Kids of NLB members has continued their scholarships.

Irene is 13 years old and is in class seven at St Margareth Academy Kisongo.

She wishes is to be a Human Doctor, likes to sing and dance, read books and travel.

Ian is 8 years old and is in class three at St Margareth Academy Kisongo.

He wishes to be a Pilot. He likes singing, playing drums, reading books and travelling.



Lulu and kids - Ian & Irene

Worship Attendance 2/16: 60

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