

What's Happening at Bethany

January 28 is going to be a BIG and EXCITING day at Bethany UMC. We will be welcoming NEW MEMBERS and CONFIRMANTS into our loving church family. Mark your calendars for this day, as it will be a worship service that celebrates new birth here at Bethany as we kick off our 70th Year Anniversary as a church.

After the worship service on Jan. 28 we will have a 70th Year Anniversary and New Member Brunch! We know we have lots of good cooks, so bring something yummy to share with all and join us!



Our youth will be having a "Summer Mission Trip" meeting immediately following the New Member/Confirmation meal on Sunday, Jan. 28.

Anyone interested in the summer mission trip should stay. Can't stay, but still interested in joining the youth, please contact Bridgett Crawford or Pastor Blaine.

The Youth will be having "Bible Exploration" after the worship service on Sunday, Feb. 4. Questions? Contact Bridgett Crawford.

The youth will be making desserts after church on Sunday, Feb. 11 for the Ash Wednesday meal. All youth and parents ... we need your help!



If you are 55+, you are invited to join the Young at Hearts for their February luncheon at O'Neil's in Harrisonburg on Tuesday, Feb. 6.

Give us a try this year. We have lots of good food and fellowship time. Plus there's lots of laughter!

There will be a Worship Meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 6 at 6 pm at the church. Please let Jackie Dunsmore know if you are unable to attend. Dinner will be provided.

The fellowship hall is reserved on Saturday, Feb. 10 from 9:30 am - 1 pm. If you need to come to the church during those hours, please be considerate of those using the fellowship hall. Thank you!



February means that the Lenten Season is upon us. This Lenten Season we will be reading together Rev. Adam Hamilton's "Final Words From the Cross." Pastor Blaine will be leading a study on Wednesdays beginning February 21 at 10 am and 6:30 pm.

This six week study will complement the Sunday sermons, so even if you cannot attend, feel free to sign up for a book, so you can follow along this Lenten Season. There is a sign up sheet in the Welcome Center.

The youth will be having the 30-hour famine February 23-24. They would like to have 4-5 hours of projects to do on that Saturday. If you have an INSIDE project that the youth can help you do (for a donation to their mission trip over the summer), then please let Lori Mooney know at Brownsugarcookie@yahoo.com or 540-820-7394. She will be putting together the list of people who need projects done and exactly what needs to be accomplished. Since it is February and we expect it to be cold, then we are mainly focusing on inside projects. If you have outside projects that you need help with, please let Lori Mooney also know this, but they will not be done on this day. The youth will try to find another day to do the outside projects before this summer.

Please be in Prayer for ...

Members: Carolyn Roller, Peggy Lucas, Hazel Truslow, Nadine Moore

Extended Family: Alma & Neese Spitzer - aunt & uncle of Barbara Long

Happy Birthday to ...

26th - Jeremy McLaughlin

28th - Peggy Lucas

30th - Sarah Simmons

Feb. 1 - Jackie Dunsmore & Megan Kile

2nd - Reid Hill

3rd - Gary Ruleman

Happy Birthday!

