## **Coming Events**

MON TUES	MAR 4 MAR 5	12:00 10:00 11:00	Lord & Ladies Bible Study	
		6:00	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper	
WED	MAR 6	7:00	Ash Wednesday Worship	
		7:30	Choir Practice	
<b>THURS</b>	MAR 7	6:45	Bell Choir Practice	
SUN	MAR 10		day in Lent	
		8:00	Worship	
		9:15	Sunday School	
		10:30		
		11:30	Bethany Connect Packing	
MON	MAR 11	12:00	Luncheon Bible Study	
TUES	MAR 12	10:00	Lord & Ladies Bible Study	
		7:00	Council Meeting	
WED	MAR 13	5:30	Youth Group	
		6:15	Soup Supper	
		7:00	Lent Worship	
		7:30	Choir	
<b>THURS</b>	MAR 14	9:00	Bethany Quilters	
		6:45	Bell Choir Practice	
SUN	MAR 17	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sur	<sup>d</sup> Sunday in Lent	
		8:00	Worship	
		9:15	Sunday School	
		9:15	Yahweh Yarners	
		10:30	Worship	

## **BETHANY ANNOUNCEMENTS 3-3-19**

**Today at 9:30 -** the Sunday School presents, "Worship Time." Come and get a glimpse of what the kids are learning at Sunday School! A special offering will be taken to help with Vacation Bible School expenses.

**Food Bank Focus** – The "urgent need" for March is canned fruit. Thanks!

**Bethany Connect Packing Rescheduled** – for Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 worship service.

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake & Ham Supper Party, 6 PM Tues. March 5**<sup>th</sup> **– fun for all ages!** Pancakes created (to order) by our youth group and their parents! Filled and/or topped with your choice(s) of butter, syrups, whipped cream, fruits, nuts, chocolate chips...and more...with a side of ham. Traditionally this day before Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, was a time to use up all the rich items in the home (such as eggs, dairy and meat). So, come have fun – you might even learn why it's called "Shrove" Tuesday and other fun facts. Did we mention it's a Party? *Donations happily accepted (but not required) to help pay for Youth Holden Village Trip.* 

**Lent Mid-Week Schedule** – Lent begins with Ash Wednesday worship on March 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. There will be five Wednesday soup suppers beginning on Wed. March 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 PM (watch for a sign-up sheet in the narthex), followed by "The Healing of the Nations" prayer service at 7:00 PM.

**Lenten Devotionals** — are available on the table in the narthex, "Lasting Hope, Devotions for Lent." Please take one! We will be using the Psalm portions from the devotional for our Sunday worship during Lent.

**Special Thanks** — "I want to thank everyone from my Bethany church family who contributed to my upcoming mission trip to Peru. I have now reached my goal thanks to the generosity of the endowment committee and several other individual donations. I appreciate all of your prayers as I prepare for the trip and travel to Peru on June 9th. I will return on June 23rd. I look forward to visiting Bethany this summer to share photos and memories from the trip!" David Bacher

**Update:** Food Bank Winter Campaign — Thank you to everyone who donated hats, scarves, and gloves for our clients. Our total number of articles was 154, including some miscellaneous articles. Many of our clients made it through the winter more comfortably, especially the homeless. It was a great turn-out; thanks!

**Living Lutheran** — The March edition of Living Lutheran is available on the stand by the entry doors. Please take one!