



February 2018  
Charge  
Happenings

Worship Times:  
**Livingston – 8:30 a.m.**  
415 Woodward Ave  
Livingston, WI 53554

**Arthur – 9:45 a.m.**  
473 Center Street  
Platteville, WI 53554

**Stitzer – 11:00 a.m.**  
11542 Kluckhohn St  
Stitzer, WI 53825

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**“Livingston, Arthur & Stitzer United Methodist Churches”**  
and our children’s ministry page at:  
**“Kingdom Kids Ministry”**

Hello!

This month Lent will begin. Lent consists of the 40 days before Easter (not counting Sundays). During Lent we are to prepare our hearts for Jesus’ resurrection. This means being more intentional about our faith during these 6 weeks.

I invite you to participate in our Wednesday Lenten soup/sandwich meal and worship. The meal will be served from 6-7 pm and worship will begin at 7 pm. This is a great time of fellowship, but also a meaningful time to pause midweek and reflect.

Here is the schedule for the locations of the Wednesday dinner and worship:

2/14: Livingston (Ash Wednesday)  
2/21: Stitzer  
2/28: Livingston  
3/7: Stitzer  
3/14: Livingston  
3/21: Arthur

I invite you to come and prepare our hearts together for our risen Lord.

See you in Church,  
Pastor Ty

# Helping our Communities

## Fennimore Food Pantry

Stitzer collects items for the Fennimore Food Pantry. Items they need most include: **tuna, ramen noodles, vegetable beef soup, canned fruit, shampoo & whole kernel corn.** They would take any non-perishables, cleaning or paper products also. Place donations in the basket in the back of the church.



## Mobile Second Harvest Food Pantry at Ss Anthony and Philip Church

Livingston collects donations for the Mobile Second Harvest Food Pantry in Highland. This month the personal care item is **Dish Soap (20 oz.)** Donations are to be placed in the wicker basket in the church entryway. Thank you to Mary Sue Divine for delivering the items.

Community First Bank in Livingston is collecting **Gas Card & Gift Card donations for the Bowles Family.** Please consider donating!



Family Promise Week  
February 11<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>  
Please be available if volunteers are needed.  
Our Charge covers Monday, Wednesday & Thursday.



The Rewey Lucky Stars 4-H Club is hosting a:  
**Soup 4 Bowles Fundraiser**  
For Noah Bowles & his family  
**Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**4:30 - 7:00 pm**  
**At the Rewey Fire Station**  
Come enjoy a meal of soups, turkey & dressing sandwiches and desserts to support a local family in need! Cost: \$8 Adults, \$4 Children (5-12)

# February Happenings

***February 11-18<sup>th</sup> – Family Promise week***

***February 14<sup>th</sup> – Senior Dinner at 12:30pm at Livingston***

***February 14<sup>th</sup> – Ash Wednesday Dinner & Worship at Livingston***

***February 21<sup>st</sup> – Lenten Dinner & Worship at Stitzer***

***February 28<sup>th</sup> – Lenten Dinner & Worship at Livingston***

## **This Month in Livingston**

Worship at 8:30am

Greeters & Ushers: The Kleist Family

Acolyte: Kleist Kids

Special Music: Feb. 4 – Communion  
Feb. 11 – Randy Warne  
Feb. 25 – Sunday School Kids

NO UMW during the winter months!

February 5 – Council Meeting at 6pm

February 19-23 – IGEMS Car Service Week



## **This Month in Stitzer**

Worship at 11:00am

UMW at 6:30pm, Cheryl hosting, Laurene has program – February 13

Council Meeting at 7pm – February 20

## **This Month in Arthur**

Worship at 9:45am



## **Anniversaries**

February 1 – Jim & Jill Jentz  
Eugene & Barb Myers  
February 23 – Steve & Cindy Becker  
February 25 – Roger & Jeri Durni

If you or anyone you know is missing from the calendar, please contact Beth at the office: 943-6606. We want to celebrate you!

# Kingdom Kids Ministry News

Mark your calendars today! The Kingdom Kids will be hosting their annual



Pancake Breakfast on March 18<sup>th</sup>!



## *Lenten Worship Schedule*

Lent begins February 14<sup>th</sup>. This means our tradition of Lenten worships with soup & sandwich dinners begin also. Dinner will be served from 6-7pm and worship will begin at 7pm. Please join us!

February 14<sup>th</sup> – Ash Wednesday at Livingston

February 21<sup>st</sup> – at Stitzer

February 28<sup>th</sup> – at Livingston

March 7<sup>th</sup> – at Stitzer

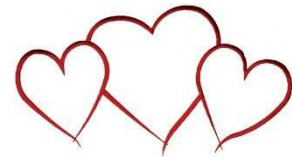
March 14<sup>th</sup> – at Livingston

March 21<sup>st</sup> – at Arthur



### **IGEMS Morning Car Service**

Contact Pastor Ty to sign up! We are scheduled for February 19-23<sup>rd</sup>.



### *Family* **FUN** night

With Lent and Easter coming up, we are taking a couple months off & will resume in April... Thank you for understanding!

### **Souled Out Youth Group**

Meets each Wednesday night at 7pm for 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders. The first two Wednesdays of each month is at the Livingston UMC, the rest of the month is at the Montfort UMC. Invite your friends!

