

# The Star

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Weekly News and Events  
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

February 22, 2015  
First Sunday of Lent / WELCA Sunday



**LENTEN WORSHIP**

Lent is traditionally a time when we pray, fast, and serve others as a way to prepare to celebrate Easter. Lent is 40 weekdays plus six Sundays and reminds us of the forty days Jesus spent in the wilderness. During the other Wednesdays in Lent we will gather for a simple meal

at 6:15 and Holden Evening Prayer at 7 pm. The schedule is as follows:

- 2/25 6:15pm Dinner  
7 pm Holden Evening Prayer (Epiphany)
- 3/4 6:15pm Dinner  
7 pm Holden Evening Prayer (Epiphany)
- 3/11 5:45 pm Dinner (Parkway Presbyterian Church)  
Potter Meditation after dinner**
- 3/18 6:15pm Dinner  
7 pm Holden Evening Prayer (Epiphany)
- 3/25 6:15pm Dinner  
7 pm Holden Evening Prayer (Epiphany)
- 4/1 6:15pm Dinner  
7 pm Holden Evening Prayer (Epiphany)
- 4/2 7 pm Maundy Thursday and First Communion (Epiphany)
- 4/3 Tennebrae (Parkway Presbyterian)

## THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Office Hours: M-F

8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm

February 22-March 1, 2015

<b>Today</b>	<i>WELCA Sunday</i>	
	Encounter: Faith	8:45 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	First Communion Class	11:15 am
	Congregational Study	11:15 am
<b>Mon</b>	Chinese School	1:30-4:20 pm
	Visitation Training	3:00-5:00 pm
	Handbells Rehearsal	6:00 pm
	Congregation Council	7:00 pm
<b>Tues</b>	Toy Builders	9:00 am
	Bible Study	11:00 am
	LSM	6:15 pm
<b>Wed</b>	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
	Threads of Love	Noon
	Lenten Supper	6:15 pm
	Evening Prayer	7:00 pm
	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 pm
<b>Thur Sun</b>	EECC Parent Night	5:00-7:00 pm
	Encounter: Faith	8:45 am
	<b>Worship</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>
	Meet & Greet New Members	11:15 am
	Chinese School	1:30-4:20 pm

Pastor Laura will be out of the office on Thursday and Friday this week.



**Congregational Study**  
led by  
**Pastor Phil Tonnesen**  
Today, 11:15 am



The Book Group (Epiphany Readers) will have an organizational meeting March 8th after the service in the Fellowship Hall. Come and help us make decisions on meeting times and any book suggestions you may have. Any questions, contact Judy Mountjoy.

**LET US PRAY FOR...**

**Leaders of church & state, especially**

*Bishop Elizabeth Eaton                      President Obama  
Bishop Leonard Bolick                      Governor McCrory  
Pastor Laura Wind                              Mayor Joines*

**Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico**

*The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia and Pr. David Brondos*

**Active duty military personnel, especially**

*An Bunjang                                      Sam LeVon  
Jay Collette                                      David & Annabel Schultz*

**Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially**

*Alfred Alson                      Corrie Haynes                      Matt Oldland  
Beverly Bartolomei                      Deborah Hinkle                      Robert Peak  
Bridget McMinn Chin                      Annie Landis                      Alice Seppell  
David Dana                      Helen Larkin                      Lydia Sparrow  
Jean Deaton                      Beth Layhe                      Connie Tomkinson  
Kathie Doctor                      Janet Miller                      Nicole Williams  
Lynn Edwards                      Bill Mock                      Jim Wollweber  
Carolyn Gilden                      Allison Morris                      Bob Wright  
Eric Grush                      Judy Mullane*

**Members in need, especially**

*Bill Flichman                      Jim Lippard                      Susan Pester  
Susan Florian                      Jean Mock                      Harold Williams  
Marge Leister*

**Homebound and Assisted Living Members**

*Don & Barbara Coley                      Bob Huber                      Helen Preston  
Mary Helen Fisher                      Frances Lanier                      Rick Thrasher  
William Garris                      Cole Lippard                      Martee Umberger*

**We extend our Christian love and sympathy to**

*The family and friends of Clayton Bruntjen, Wake Forest student,  
at his death.*

**GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR FEBRUARY**  
**EECC** - Cheerios, Napkins, 3 & 5 oz. cups, 100% Fruit Juice, Baby Wipes  
**CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY** - Saltine Crackers; 100% Fruit Juice  
**SAMARITAN MINISTRIES** - Ground coffee (regular), peanut butter, toothbrushes, toothpaste (sample size)  
**RONALD McDONALD HOUSE** - Single serve chips, pretzels, snacks, microwaveable entrees; cereal, milk, creamer; sugar (5 lb. bags); Swiffer mops, wet replacements pads, and all-purpose cleaner; toilet bowl cleaner, Clorox wipes; laundry detergent, liquid dish soap; toilet paper, paper towels; gas gift cards.  
**TRINITY GLEN** - Kleenex, Puffs, etc.  
**IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY** - Jello, Pudding, Shampoo




**Epiphany @ the NEW Samaritan Inn –  
March 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>**

It's that time of year again. Epiphany is called upon each year to provide a 6 person volunteer crews at the Samaritan Inn and Soup Kitchen. BIG change this year. They have moved next door in a BRAND NEW FACILITY (414 E NW Blvd)!

Sign up in the entry!

<b>2/15/15 ATTENDANCE</b>	
Attendance	147
Visitors	21

**God comes DOWN to us in Love:  
A stewardship question**  
How are we using our financial gifts from God to show God's love?

  
**Bible Readings for Next Week**  
Genesis 17:1–7, 15–16  
Psalm 22:23–31  
Romans 4:13–25  
Mark 8:31–38