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

November 12, 2017
Consecration Sunday

I know what you're thinking...Lenten suppers already? Trust me, it will be here before you know it. Would your small group be willing to host one of the Lenten suppers this year? The dates available are February 21st, March 14 and 21. If your group would like to host, please sign up on the sheet outside Pr. Doug's office. Please indicate your first and second choice of dates.



Nora Collection



On Tuesday, Dec. 5, I plan to take Christmas to Nora, VA from Epiphany! Everything has to be sorted and

placed in personalized grocery bags in time for their party on Friday, Dec. 15. I wish you could see how Mary White and her small group of volunteers accomplish this for over 600 children! They prepare Christmas baskets of canned hams and food for shut-ins as well.

This wonderful Epiphany family has been a blessing to these folks for many years, sending Christmas joy to so many who, without you, would not have Christmas.

Needs are: new toys and games, socks and underwear. Can you imagine a 5 year old child getting excited over new underwear? In Dickenson County they do!

A table will be waiting in the fellowship hall for your gifts. Thank you so very much!

Kathleen Tucker

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Office Hours: M-F
8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm
November 12-19, 2017

Sun	Consecration Sunday	
	Encounter:Faith	8:45 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	Stewardship Celebration Lunch After Worship	
	FLYP @ Parkway Presbyterian	6:00 pm
Mon	FTCC Class (CR)	12:50-2:00 pm
	Handbells	6:00 pm
	Executive Committee	7:00 pm
Tues	Mary-Martha Circle	10:00 am
	Bible Study	11:00 am
	FTCC Class (CR)	5:50-8:00 pm
	LSM	6:15 pm
	Tuesday Music Night	6:30 pm
	Dorothy Circle (CM)	6:30 pm
Wed	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
	Staff Meeting	3:00 pm
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm
Thur	Leadership School (CM)	6:30 pm
	Epiphany Readers (Library)	7:00 pm
Sat	Quilting Group	10:00 am
Sun	Encounter:Faith	8:45 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	Budget Summit	After Worship
	FLYP @ Parkway Presbyterian	6:00 pm

Free Advent Family Devotional

Sparkhouse brings "The Spirit of Christmas" as a free offering for families this Advent. Devotionals includes a Bible verse, ideas for family activities, and discussion questions. We know this is a busy season, so they can be completed in five minutes or less--or while you are on-the-go with your family! [Sign up here.](#) (This is an online devotional.)



LET US PRAY FOR...

Leaders of church & state, especially

<i>Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA</i>	<i>President Trump</i>
<i>Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod</i>	<i>Governor Cooper</i>
<i>Pastor Doug Kearney</i>	<i>Mayor Joines</i>
<i>Our Congregation Council</i>	

Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico

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

Active duty military personnel, especially

<i>Jay Collette</i>	<i>Randal Middleton</i>
<i>Travis Gerdes</i>	<i>Duncan Miller</i>
<i>Tim Hawkins</i>	<i>David Schultz</i>

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

<i>Rev. Partee Boliek</i>	<i>Wayne Henderson</i>	<i>Robert & Mary Peak</i>
<i>Louis Bryant</i>	<i>Ray & Norma Henry</i>	<i>Nancy Richbourg</i>
<i>Reece Burdette</i>	<i>Ralph Herbison</i>	<i>Jane Ritchie</i>
<i>Ken Cannon</i>	<i>Larry Hostetter</i>	<i>Nora Schweitzer</i>
<i>Becki Carlisle</i>	<i>Richard Jensen</i>	<i>Rick Sells</i>
<i>Patti Deal</i>	<i>Mike Lucas</i>	<i>Alice Seppell</i>
<i>Derrick Gilmore</i>	<i>Becky Marion</i>	<i>Mike Slezak</i>
<i>Joseph Graham</i>	<i>Naomi Meckley</i>	<i>Deborah Truell</i>
<i>Eric Grush</i>	<i>Janet Miller</i>	<i>Dave Vander Lugt</i>
<i>Jeff Grush</i>	<i>Allison Morris</i>	<i>Terry Wessinger</i>
<i>Stephanie Hansen</i>	<i>Trey Morris</i>	<i>Nicole Williams</i>
<i>Kelly Hauser</i>	<i>Marcella Murphy</i>	<i>Linda Wood</i>

Members in need, especially

<i>Sharen Bond</i>	<i>Jim Lippard</i>	<i>Susan Pester</i>
<i>Mary Lynn Chapman</i>	<i>Andy McMurray</i>	<i>Wanda Rabb</i>
<i>Bill Flichman</i>	<i>Martha Oldland</i>	<i>Nancy Stenberg</i>
<i>Kelly Lichtenhan</i>		

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

<i>Bonnie Bryant</i>	<i>Joyce Kohfeldt</i>	<i>Virginia Schmitz</i>
<i>Dottie Bush</i>	<i>Marge Leister</i>	<i>Verdell Thomas</i>
<i>Barbara Coley</i>	<i>Cole Lippard</i>	<i>Martee Umberger</i>
<i>William Garris</i>	<i>Helen Preston</i>	<i>Robert Walker</i>

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to
The Nuss family at the death of their friend, Mark Reed.

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR NOVEMBER

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers; cooking oil

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Ground coffee (regular), sugar, disposable razors, hand lotion and soap (sample sizes) high efficiency laundry detergent packs/pods

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Single serve meals, snacks, fresh fruit, and breakfast items; milk, creamer; sugar; paper towels; disposable hot and cold cups; premie clothes and diapers.

TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Body lotion, body wash, bath items, sacks, note cards

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Shampoo, laundry soap, dish soap (all available at Dollar Tree)

EECC - WalMart 5 oz. cups (case) for \$246 (3,000 cups)



Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18
 Psalm 90:1-12
 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
 Matthew 25:14-30

11/5/17 ATTENDANCE

Attendance	152
Visitors	15

