

March Birthdays Have a Very Happy Day

March 03 Brenda Branch
March 04 Garnett Williams
March 06 Stan Holdcraft
March 07 Amy McDaniel
March 10 Mary Jo McDonald
March 13 Jennifer Blank
March 15 Rick Blank
March 17 Michael Beans
March 17 Molly Wray



March 19 Joleen Jackson
March 20 Walt Barbknecht
March 24 Thea Mosher
March 25 Sean Towle
March 26 Nicholas Simpson
March 28 Andrea Gasaway
March 29 Linda Jackson
March 31 Lester Lincke

CHURCH CHAT

"ANY OR ALL INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTIFICATION"



- + March 05 9:00 a.m. Adult Ed (Love God & Neighbor, lesson 2)
- + March 05 10 a.m. Worship Service"
- + March 06 Pastor off
- + March 06 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts in undercroft
- + March 07 10 a.m. 3B in Edith Boyd Lounge
- + March 08 10 a.m. Outreach
- + March 09 10 a.m. 3B in Edith Boyd Lounge
- + March 10 Office Closed -Pastor available by appointment
- + March 11 10 a.m. Faith Foundation Tweens Upstairs
- + March 11 11:30 a.m.-1:00 Soup Kitchen
- + March 12 9:00 a.m. Adult Ed
- + March 12 10 a.m. Worship Service

EASTER LILY FORMS

If you would like to order an Easter Lily, please complete the form and return to Diane Yettaw, Administrative Assistant, along with your payment by the deadline of March 26th. Thank you

WEEKLY CHURCH ENVELOPES

I spoke with the company on February 22 and was told they are now looking at the middle to end of March for shipping the envelopes. They are still experiencing production issues.

If you are writing a check, an envelope is not needed unless you feel more comfortable putting your check in an envelope. If so, please use one of the pew envelopes.

Again, please be patient, we will get them to you as soon as they arrive.

Sorry for the delay but it is out of our hands.

HELP NEEDED TO FEED THE CONFIRMATION CLASS

The confirmation class is meeting after church the 4th Sunday of every month. We are looking for people to provide lunch for the class. A few pizzas and a dessert would be great! If you are willing to support the students in this way please contact Jennifer Casper at 219-575-0135

or mrsghost628@yahoo.com.



ELEVATE OUR WELCOME”

Pledge cards are available in the Narthex. If you prefer to pledge online, please use the QR code or use this link:

<https://forms.gle/72QL9QWYZdLxZbmi8>

CURRENT STATUS OF OUR ELEVATOR FUND CAMPAIGN

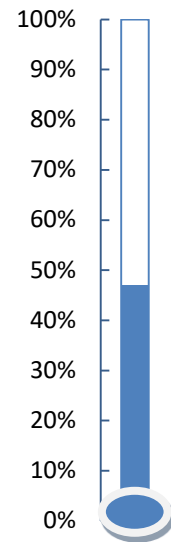
TARGET: \$150,000.00 (100%)

CONGREGATION GIFTS ACHIEVED \$21,495.00 (14.33%)

GRANT \$50,000.00 (33.3%) **ACHIEVED WITH GRANT** \$71,495.00 (47.66%)

All pledge amounts are welcome. Your pledge can be for two years

Payments can be made until May 2024.



GRANT

A grant has been pursued and written by a team including Rob McFarland, Pat Molden, and Pastor Ericka Kilbourne.

Further information will be communicated as it is available to us.



DISCERNMENT GATHERING #2

- Sun., March 12th following worship in the library
- Questions? Contact Brian Spiece or Jose Soto

SOUP KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS

We want YOU! Volunteers are needed on the second and third Saturdays of the month to help with this vital mission. Bring your family, bring your friends, and feed the hungry of our community.

Talk to Sue Ransom - 219 561-1877



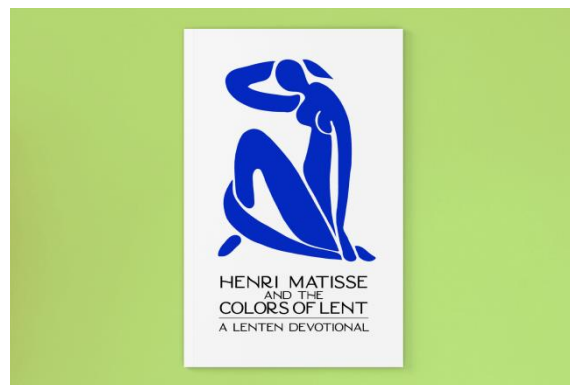
MESSAGE FROM MISSION COMMITTEE

The Mission Committee would like the congregation to know that the February 3rd Sunday program is available on YouTube. Judge Greta Friedman was our speaker and gave us a very interesting program on LaPorte County Problem Solving Court. We would encourage you to watch this on YouTube. If you have any questions, please contact Janice Casper.

ON DISPLAY IN THE EDITH BOYD LOUNGE

Please take a moment to check out Laurel IZARD Art Quilts that are being displayed in the Edith Boyd Lounge. Her bio and artist statement is also available for you to read to learn about the artist. She will be donating 10% of all sales to our Elevator Fund.

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL



If you would like a paper copy or a digital copy of the devotional, please email dyettaw@fpcmicity.org or call 219-879-4501. All who request or receive a devotional will also be sent the usage, printing, and assembly instructions.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

[*Woman with a Hat \(1905\)*](#)
[*The Roofs of Collioure \(1905\)*](#)

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

[*Open Window, Collioure \(1905\)*](#)

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[Link to schedule appointment with Pastor Ericka:
_ https://calendly.com/pastorericka/60min?month=2020-09](https://calendly.com/pastorericka/60min?month=2020-09)

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