

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF
FEBRUARY 5 – FEBRUARY 12**

Sunday, February 5	8:30 A.M.	Early Celebration of Worship
	9:30 A.M.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Celebration of Worship
	12:00 P.M.	Fellowship Time
	12:30 P.M.	Confirmation/Commissioning Class
Tuesday, February 7	7:00 P.M.	Green Team Meeting
Wednesday, February 8	4:00 P.M.	WOW
	5:00 P.M.	WaYouth Choir
	5:30 P.M.	Primary Choir
	6:00 P.M.	Fellowship Dinner/Middlers
	6:45 P.M.	Adult Study
	7:30 P.M.	Session Meeting
	Thursday, February 9	Noon
	7:00 P.M.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Friday, February 10	7:00 P.M – 9:30 P.M.	Officers' Retreat
Saturday, February 11	8 A.M – 12:30 P.M.	Officers' Retreat
	12:30 P.M.	Lunch Bunch at Joe Root's
Sunday, February 12	8:30 A.M.	Early Celebration of Worship
	9:30 A.M.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Celebration of Worship
	12:00 P.M.	Fellowship Time
		WaYouth Luncheon
		Confirmation/Commissioning Class
	5:00 P.M.	Bell Choir Rehearsal

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

It is our privilege to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion this morning. All baptized believers who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are encouraged to partake of the elements, including children who have an age-appropriate understanding of the Sacrament as well as parental consent. Gluten-free wafers are available on a separate tray; please indicate to an usher or communion server if this is your preference.



PRAYER CHAIN

The Prayer Chain is in need of several new volunteers. If you would like to learn more about this unique way to further your own spiritual journey while also serving God and the church please contact Kay Lascek or the church office.

LENT AND HOLY WEEK BULLETINS

Special bulletins are being ordered for our worship services during Lent and Holy Week. If you would like to contribute toward the purchase please check the form on the Information Table. Bulletins can be given in memory or honor of loved ones.

WISE NIGHT OWLS

Game Night is the theme for the next gathering of the Wise Night Owls at the home of David and Maggie Watson on Saturday, February 25th. Sign up at the Information Table and indicate if you will bring an appetizer or dessert!

LUNCH BUNCH

The Lunch Bunch will gather at the Joe Root's Restaurant on Saturday, February 11th at 12:30 p.m. Please call Peggy Bules or Annette Rothschild to make a reservation.

2012 CONFIRMATION/COMMISSIONING CLASS

This year's Confirmation/Commissioning Class begins its regular meetings today and will continue each Sunday until mid-May. This is a significant step in the faith journey of the twelve class members. It would be a great blessing if congregation would keep these young people in their prayers. Members of the class include:

Blake Bojewski	Trevor Grode	Kathleen Reed
Ashley Buseck	Ben Kocan	Emma Sidorowicz
Claire Christensen	Emma Lewis	Scott Taylor
Erin Gleason	Nathan Miller	Audrie Watkins

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

BLANKET SUNDAY

This Church World service project provides blankets world wide and within the United States for those who have been affected by disasters, as well as tools to build a better life. Look for the "Blanket" program offering envelopes in the pew racks to make a contribution. A \$5.00 contribution will purchase one blanket. We will receive contributions for the "Blanket" program through February 12th. Your help is appreciated.

SOUPER BOWL

As we celebrate the big game today, let's also remember those who are struggling. At the conclusion of worship this morning some of our young people will be in the Narthex with large soup pots. All those leaving the Sanctuary are invited to contribute. The WaYouth will then designate a local feeding ministry to be the recipient of our gifts.

WEST MILLCREEK FOOD PANTRY

The basket for your donations is located in the Lobby next to the coffee table. This week the suggested items are toilet tissue and bar soap. Thank you.

“WAYSIDE’S GOT TALENT”

Please sign up at the Information Table to attend the Wayouth Luncheon on Sunday, February 12th. Cost for adults is \$5.00 and children (age 12 & under) \$3.00. Plan to attend and celebrate Valentine’s Day as well as supporting the summer work trip for our WaYouth.

SERVING DINNER AT EMMAUS

Wayside’s turn to serve dinner at the Emmaus Soup Kitchen is on Wednesday, February 8. The kitchen is located at 218 East 11th Street. The time required for this service is from 3:00 to 5:45 pm. If you are interested and able please sign up on the Information Table.

DESSERTS FOR EMMAUS

Thanks to all who provided desserts for the Emmaus Soup Kitchen. As usual they were tempting!

OFFICERS’ RETREAT

The annual Officers’ Retreat will be held next weekend with sessions on Friday evening (7:00 – 9:00 p.m.) and Saturday morning (8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.). All officers are encouraged to contact the church office as soon as possible to confirm that attendance. Members of the congregation are invited to keep all our officers in their prayers throughout this week.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

WOW KIDS CLUB will consider how to deal with bullies

MIDDLERS this week will discuss “Do I need to worry about hell?” Should be a hot discussion!

SENIOR HIGHS this week will discuss another essential idea about being a Christian. Next week they and their parents are needed for the WaYouth Luncheon.

ADULT EDUCATION

Issues of Faith: This week and next Rev. Dr. Hal Kelley will present glimpses from N.T. Wright’s book, “Surprised by Hope: Rethinking Heaven, the Resurrection, and the Mission of the Church”.

Embracing an Adult Faith discusses contemporary issues of faith and life.

Adult Bible Study under the instruction of Don Worthington is studying the prophets.

The Bible and More led by Jim Haas, explores biblical and contemporary themes.

MEDS

MEDS continues studies on a William Barkley commentary on the Gospel of Mark.

YOUTH SKI OVERNIGHT

Middlers and Senior Highs are invited to an overnight and day of skiing on Sunday, February 19 and Monday, the 20th. We will join with the Warren youth group for our fun outing. Registration forms are available on the Information Table. Scholarships are available and first time skiers are encouraged to take advantage of the special deal. Rental forms must be signed by parents and permission forms for wall climbing are also required by the camp.

WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, February 5, 2012

WELCOME

Welcome to Wayside Presbyterian Church. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and rejoice in the privilege God has given us to serve in this community as part of the Body of Jesus Christ. We thank our Lord for those who worship with us from time to time as visitors and invite any who are without a church home to come and join us in serving Christ as members of this church family.

FOR OUR CHILDREN

Child care is available during the entire worship hour for infants and preschool children. Children may remain for the entire service or take advantage of child care (kindergarten and younger). Children’s worship activity bags are available for children remaining in the worship service. Please return them following worship.

SERVICE NOTES

A hearing enhancement system is available for those who have need. An usher will be happy to provide you with a receiver this morning. Large print bulletins are also available.

Thanks to those who helped today at the 11:00 a.m. service:

Ushers: Maia Edwards-Borowicz, Lucas Buseck, Jake Duska, Nick Duska, Andy Esper, Laura Harper, Pam Monaco, Karen Potocki, Dan Taylor, Jennifer Taylor

Worship Assistant: Jean Moore

Acolytes: Claire Christensen, Scott Taylor

Sound Board: Kitty Menges

Greeter: Bill Pentz

Information Table: Becky Worthington

Fellowship Time: Micki Loesel

Childcare Helpers: Erica Jewell, Nursery; LeeAnn Warnaka, Preschool

Just a reminder to those scheduled to help next week at 11:00 a.m.:

Ushers: Alex Borowski, Bill DeWitt, Tom Fye, Jon Hoyt, Ron Kolb, Lee McVey, Brianna Morrow, Hanna Pardini, Bill Pentz, Brian Sundberg

Worship Assistant: LeeAnn Warnaka

Acolytes: Erin Gleason, Kathleen Reed

Sound Board: Jim Allman

Greeters: Ed and Nancy Snyder & Family

Information Table: Ed Snyder

Fellowship Time: Pattie and Chuck Pora

Childcare Helpers: Christie Szklenski, Nursery; Natalie Thompson, Preschool