

HICKORY HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE CONNECTING LINK

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are called to SEEK God's Word, to SHARE and CELEBRATE God's love and to SERVE Jesus Christ in the world.

FEBRUARY 2023



HHPC RECEIVES A WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS GIFT!

HHPC received an amazing Christmas gift this year--a customized electronic marquee (*pictured at left*). This marquee replaces our dated sign and stands outside our front entrance doors alongside 95th Street.

The Beal Family, long-time members of HHPC, graciously gifted us with this high-tech marquee in memory of their beloved son and brother, Steven Beal. We are now able to electronically display HHPC services and events in color right from the office computer!

We thank the Beal Family for their thoughtful and generous gift. This marquee will be a great outreach tool in our community.

WORSHIP WITH US

- Morning Worship on Sundays at 10:00 a.m.

Our services are also recorded and made available later. You can find us on Facebook at *Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church* and on our website at hickoryhillspres.org.

- REV Contemporary Worship on Sundays at 5:00 p.m.

PRAY WITH US

Daily Devotions and Morning Prayer on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:00 a.m. on Facebook Live at *Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church*.

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A Letter from Rev. Edie



Rev. Edie Lenz, Pastor

What brings you joy? What are the hobbies, events, activities, people, or places in your life that bring you the most joy? Sit for a few moments in those spaces in your imagination. As you reflect on the joys, what do you feel? Perhaps it is a sense of longing, maybe a sense of hope, perhaps a sense of gratitude for the blessings you have. Maybe it is joy itself. Joy is a gift of God. We are created for joy and the expressions of gratitude that tend to come with our joy. Joy is one thing that nourishes our souls.

As we approach the season of Lent, I want to spend some time reflecting on what nourishes the soul. Thinking about what brings you joy is just one of the ways we can think about it. What energizes you or inspires you? What hobbies or activities do you engage in that might make you feel both tired and fulfilled? What lifts your spirit or causes you to feel more connected to God or other people? In other words, what nourishes your soul?

Food is a primary source of nourishment for us, but not all food nourishes. Think of all you know about nutrition, empty calories, what is healthy, what your body needs vs. what we tend to consume. The

nourishment our bodies need comes not just from eating, but from eating the kinds of things that provide the nutrients we need to be healthy. Just as our bodies are healthier when we eat a balanced diet with more fruits and vegetables than sugary snacks (*no matter how much we love them*), so, also, not all that we consume nourishes our soul.

Throughout the Lenten season on Sunday morning, REV, and on Wednesday nights, we will be exploring ways that God provides food to our souls. Using some of the multitude of stories about food in scripture, we are going to explore what it means to nourish our souls, how God provides that food, and our role in that nourishment. This food for the soul is something that we don't just receive, it is something we share with others and we will be exploring that too.

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A Letter from Rev. Edie (cont'd from p. 2)

To prepare for Lent, I want to invite you to begin to notice what you are consuming: what you are putting into your body, mind and heart every day. This is an exercise not intended to shame anyone or to make you feel guilty, but rather to invite you to pay attention. Every day we consume all sorts of messaging. We receive messages about our bodies, minds, and hearts. We are shaped by the media, our community, our friends, and families. Whether we realize it or not, we are deeply influenced by what we see, hear, and experience.

What are you consuming? Notice the food choices you make, how you choose to spend your free time, who you engage in conversation, what you are watching or listening to. What are the messages, ideas and values that they are offering? I am not asking you to change anything. I just want you to increase your awareness. As we move

toward Lent, I invite you to slow down and notice what is impacting and shaping you, perhaps in ways you hadn't noticed before. Take time each day to write things down. Just how much time do you spend on social media? Who are you listening to and what are the values they hold? What are those choices you are making?

As we move through the season of Lent, we will also be wondering about how God is at work around us and offering us food for our souls. Is it possible that what we are currently consuming is not as nourishing as it could be? Is it possible that our consumption is doing us more harm than good? What might Jesus offer us as an alternative and how might we begin to make choices that draw us closer as disciples of Jesus?

Grace and Peace in Christ
Rev. Edie





Sunday (and Ash Wednesday) Readings & Reflections

Shown below are readings and sermons that Rev. Edie will focus on during devotions on Ash Wednesday (February 22) and at worship services on Sundays during Lent. If you don't have Internet access, you may read and reflect on these Scripture passages in your bible. You can participate in virtual Sunday worship livestreamed on Facebook at 10:00 a.m. Sunday mornings or recorded and posted on our website at www.hickoryhillspres.org.

<p>February 5, 2023 5th Sunday after Epiphany Readings: Isaiah 58:1-9; Matthew 5:13-20 Sermon Title: <i>The Worship God Chooses</i></p>	<p>February 12 6th Sunday after Epiphany Readings: Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Matthew 5: 21-26, 38-48 Sermon Title: <i>Choosing Life</i></p>	<p>February 19 Transfiguration of the Lord Readings: 2 Peter 1:16-21; Matthew 17:1-9 Sermon Title: <i>Transforming</i></p>
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<p>February 22 Ash Wednesday Readings: Joel 2:1-2, 12-17; Matthew 6: 25-34 Sermon Title: <i>Food for the Soul – Trust</i></p>	<p>February 26 1st Sunday in Lent Readings: Psalm 95; Exodus 16: 1-4; 9-15 Sermon Title: <i>Food for the Soul - Hunger</i></p>
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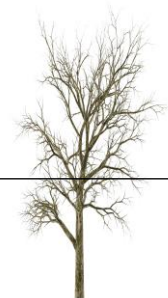
What does the word worship mean to you? When you worship God – what are you doing? How does God invite you to engage or be involved in worship?

The people of God are asked to choose life; what does this choosing mean to you? How does it impact how you live each day?

As we prepare for the Lenten season, reflect on the ways

God provides for you. Can you see God's hand at work in your life?

Our Lenten theme is *Food for the Soul*. Each of our scripture readings will involve food and its role in our lives and in how God loves and cares for us. What is your favorite story about food in the bible? How does that story inform your understanding of God's provision in your life?



Lent is a season of sober, realistic reflection on our own lives and our need for a Savior.



We Pray for Those in Need

The following is a complete list of those we are remembering in prayer. If you are on this prayer list and wish to be removed or you would like to be added to the list, please call the church office at 708-598-3100 or e-mail us at hhpc@hickoryhillspres.org.

You can also send prayer requests online through our website at

www.hickoryhillspres.org/prayerrequest/

WE PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING AND THOSE WITH HEALTH CONCERNS.

Addy; Ali (Susan); **Bay** (Rick); **Bob; Bob** (Tom K); **Bobby** (Toni); **Brad** (Andrew); **Bruce** (Jeni); **Cheryl H** (Evelyn); **Chrissy** (Jeni); **Craig** (Bernie); **Dan** (Diane C.); **Danny F** (Jeni); **Dave D** (Darlene); **David; Diana** (Wilda); **Doris** (Diane's Mom); **Esther** (Grace); **Francie** (Karen G); **Frankie** (Bernie); **Gary and Valarie** (Kim); **Gert; Gordon** (Diane); **Jane** (Jean); **Janet** (Evelyn); **Jay** (Susan); **Jenette L** (Sandy B); **Jill** (Jeni); **John** (Debbie's brother); **Joe** (Shirley D); **Joyce** (Sandy); **Kathy** (Bernie); **Kathy & Terry O'Shea** (Debbie); **Kathy** (Linda L); **Katie & Joe B;** **Kim B** (Jeni); **Kyle** (Katie); **Larry M** (Karen G); **Leanne; Linda L; Liz** (Evelyn); **Mark** (Dianne); **Mary** (Doral); **Matthew; Michael; Michael** (Shirley); **Michele** (Katie); **Papa John** (Jeni); **Pat; Pete** (Esther); **Rae** (Karen G); **Raymond** (Diane C); **Rose Marie** (Toni); **Ryan; Ruth S** (Jen); **Sandi** (Karen G); **Shannon; Sherry** (Peggy); **Sonja** (Nick); **Sonya** (Michelle V); **Suzanne** (Bernie); **Tammy** (Gordon); **Tierney** (Shirley D); **Tracy** (Debbie Z); **Victor M; Wanda** (Jeni)

WE PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED OF STRENGTH AND HEALING.

Alice L (Grace); **Angela** (Katie); **Beth** (Teresa); **Bill** (Bernie); **Bill** (Katie); **Brian K.** (Debbie); **Bob** (Dave D); **Bob** (Grace); **Bree's Mom** (Evelyn); **Carol S; Chandra** (Debbie); **Debbie Z; Dina and Al** (Cindy); **Dotty** (Debbie); **Douma Family** (Evelyn); **Edward** (Evelyn); **Esha** (Rev. Edie); **Evy** (Timothy); **Fran; Frank; Grace; Irene and Tiffany** (Katie B); **Howard** (Karen); **Janet** (Evelyn); **Janice** (Gert); **Jessica** (Joan); **Joan P; Joe C; Kevin** (Teresa); **Laura** (Bernie); **Lillian** (Teresa); **Lisa, Marj** (Charlie); **Mathius Family** (Debbie); **Maureen** (Teresa); **Michael** (Kim); **Michelle** (Katie); **Michelle V** (Bernie); **Mike B** (Jeni); **Pam** (Katie); **Patti & Randy** (Jeni); **Renee M; Rich and Cindy** (Sandy); **Robert** (Gert); **Roger** (Bernie); **Roger** (Karen); **Sam** (Debbie Z's dad); **Shirley D; Slava** (Katie); **Stephanie, Mackenzie and Savino;** **Sue** (Grace); **Susanne L** (Sandy B); **Tina** (Evelyn); **Tommy** (Evelyn)

WE PRAY FOR GROUPS WHO ARE IN NEED.

For **Dali, Nafe and Yanko** as they await immigration; the **people of Ukraine** and all those who have been injured or who have died during this war; **healthcare providers**; those in **hospitals and facilities** with health needs; those **unemployed, under-employed** and those **seeking workers**; those in **isolation**; those living in **domestic violence situations**; those battling **addiction**; **fire and police** departments tasked with keeping the peace; **systemic racism and social challenges** in our country; **those with mental health needs**; **those who are being impacted by disasters and other environmental challenges**; those who provide **essential services** we need; **students and teachers**

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO MOURN.

For the **Brike Family** on death of Bob (Rick); for the **Chaisson Family** on the loss of their mother; for family and friends of **Lori** who recently passed away (Rick); for the **Zabelka Family** on the death of **Carla**; for the **Wheeler family** on the death of **Kyle**

WE PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED DURING VARIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

For **Darlene** (Evelyn); **Elise; Holly** (Evelyn); **Kaitlyn** (Karen G); **Karl, Kevin and Michael** and all who are serving in the military (Debbie Z); **Owain** (Rev. Edie);

WE GIVE THANKS FOR THE FAITHFULNESS OF GOD.

We cling to the promises that God is always with us; that there is NOTHING that separates us from the love of God in Christ.





Walk in Discipleship.

Discipleship Report

by Jean Swearingen

The Discipleship Committee of Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church (HHPC) hopes you are enjoying a **Happy 2023!!!**

The committee met on Monday, January 9, 2023.

Discipleship wishes to look back and celebrate our Christmas tree at Brookfield Zoo's *Holiday Magic*. We are thankful for the annual donation of a tree. It allowed visitors of the zoo to see and enjoy the talents of our congregants, and assisted in our desire to reach into the community.

Our **Christmas Tea** was held Sunday, December 4, 2022. We were grateful to offer this event since taking a break for a pesty pandemic. The group was entertained by Trent James, who presented a fun program complete with magic!

Looking Forward to . . .

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School for all school ages is being held every other week.

SUPER SUNDAY . . . SOUPER SUNDAY FEBRUARY 12

Sign-ups are available if you wish to provide a soup/stew/chili for this event. Please join us!

LENT

HHPC will be holding *Lenten Suppers* Wednesday evenings during Lent. Services will begin on Ash Wednesday, February 22.

You will see sign-ups appearing for these evening Lenten Soup/Salad meals.

If you are unable to prepare soup, salad, or dessert; the sign-ups will include set-up and clean up. If you wish to help, we'll find something for you!

EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 9

Planning has begun! Once again, keep your eyes and ears ready for sign-ups. More will follow in the March and April newsletters.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)

We have also begun to plan for VBS! Stay tuned . . . *Jean*

SAVE YOUR PULL TABS!

Did you make any New Year Resolutions? How about remembering HHPC continues to save pull tabs!

We have the goal of donating 1 million pull tabs to the Ronald Mc Donald House in Oak Lawn. (HHPC is already a noted donator of 1 million pull tabs with the Ronald McDonald House located at Loyola.)

Collection containers are again located upstairs and downstairs. HHPC made a pull tab donation in late November. **We will let you know our current total as soon as the November weight is verified.**





Mission Report

by Kim Ambrosat

Greetings to you all in 2023!

In mid-January, 6 of us met for our first Mission meeting of the year. Edie tasked us with finding a common thread of what HHPC's mission looks like.

You may ask, and yes, we may joke about our Presbyterian love of food, so, this year, we are going to focus on food. *Feeding the body and the soul.*

This is not to say we will give up our seasonal favorites, just focus on food! Feed the Need, Micro-Pantry, Community Meal, Feed My Starving Children.

On Monday, February 6th, we look forward to our Community Meal and making better connections with our neighbors.

In January, we served 48 meals!

February 22nd is One Great Hour of Sharing.

May we all look forward to a happy, healthy 2023!

Blessings,
Kim



FYI...

*See next page for Acceptable/Nonacceptable
Bottle Caps list.*







ABC Promise Partnership






ABC Acceptable Caps List NEVER ACCEPTABLE

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| No Metal | TRASH.....ANY | |
| drink bottles | ALL food containers | |
| prescription bottles | Cardboard Liners |  |
| plastic Ziplock type bags | soap pumps | |
| trigger sprayers | lotion pumps | |
| ALL fast food drink lids | grocery bags | |
| Plastic that is not a cap or lid, plastic pieces and parts | Caps or lids with (1) (3) (6) or (7) recycle number |  |
| Human or Animal Medical Supplies of any type | K-Cups and Straws | |
| Needle caps | Syringe caps | |
| METAL.....ANY | Plastic toys | |
| | PAPER.....ANY | |

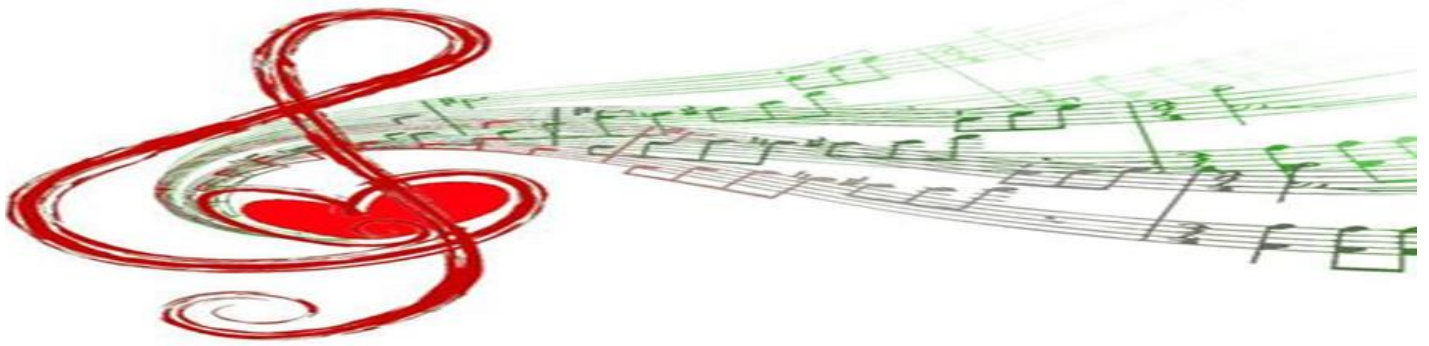
ACCEPTABLE CAPS

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| | medicine Pill bottle caps/ (Info packet removed) | drink bottle caps
soda, water, juice caps, sports drink | |
|  | milk jug, creamer caps | flip-top caps (ketchup) | |
| | detergent caps | spout caps (mustard) | |
|  | hair spray caps | spray paint caps |  |
| | toothpaste caps | ointment tube caps | |
|  | deodorant caps | baby food caps | |
| | apple sauce pouch caps | shampoo/conditioner caps | |

ACCEPTABLE LIDS

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|---|--|--|---|
|  | Cottage cheese yogurt lids | cool whip container lids
Pringle can lids |  |
|  | mayonnaise jar lids | coffee can lids | |
|  | peanut butter lids | Butter lids | |
| | Ice cream bucket lids "under 8" in diameter" | cream cheese container lids
Spice lids |  |





Worship & Music Report

by Darlene Delaney

The Worship & Music committee met on January 17, 2023, and discussed plans for the next few months. Lent is fast approaching. Ash Wednesday is February 22 and we will begin the season with a *Soup Supper* and worship at 6:00 p.m. Faith United Presbyterian Church will be joining us.

If you prefer to only come for worship, we will begin at 7:00 p.m.; ashes will be provided. We will continue our Lenten Supper series on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. throughout the season. If you would like to assist in serving or providing food, a sign-up sheet will be available soon.

During the season of Lent, our theme in all our worship gatherings will be *Food for the Soul*. We will be exploring the many ways that God provides for us both in body and soul through stories about food in the bible. Join us on Sunday morning, during REV and Wednesday evenings for different stories and different themes.

A celebration of the 70th Anniversary of the charter of HHPC was held on January 29. We are blessed to have one of the original charter members still with us, Gert Vickers. We are thankful for her years of faithful service and her presence with us.

On April 2, we will celebrate Palm Sunday. Easter this year falls on April 9. We will celebrate with Easter Breakfast, prepared by the Discipleship Committee, at 9:00 a.m. followed by worship at 10:00 a.m.

Greg Rolla is planning a piano recital for May 7, 2023, so mark your calendar for a wonderful afternoon of music of all genres.

We welcomed Cheryle Rizzo to our committee and appreciate her input.

Blessings,
Darlene

Church Musician's Corner

by Greg Rolla

TWO WOMEN COMPOSERS BORN IN FEBRUARY

There doesn't seem to be many women composers born in February, but I did find two!

Roberta Martin was born February 12, 1907, in Arizona, and moved to Chicago at a young age. She became known for her gospel songs and published them through her music company. She sang in Thomas A. Dorsey's gospel choir at Ebenezer Baptist Church and later became its official pianist. She later founded the Roberta Martin Singers and recorded several gospel albums. Some of her songs include *Try Jesus, He Satisfies, God Is Still on the Throne, Let It Be, The Old Ship of Zion, and No Other Help I Know*. She died on January 18, 1969, in Chicago, leaving a gospel legacy for future generations.

Gertrude Simmons Bonnin (*known as Zitlcala-Sa or Red Bird*) was born February 22, 1876, on the Yankton Indian reservation in South Dakota. She belonged to the Yankton, Dakota, Sioux tribe. She studied violin and music composition at the New England Conservatory. Later, Gertrude taught music and was a special education



teacher at the Carlisle Indian Industrial School in Pennsylvania. Her major musical works included *The Sun Dance, Old Indian Legend, and American Indian Stories*. She became a strong advocate for Native American rights, and left a legacy as a musician, writer and activist who fought for women suffrage. She died in Washington DC January 26, 1938.





HHPC CHRISTMAS TEA: A DELIGHTFUL AFTERNOON

HHPC’s **Christmas Tea**, a delightful and long-awaited afternoon affair, was held on Sunday, December 4, 2022, after a two-year Covid-19 interruption. The guests enjoyed magician Trent James, delicious treats and raffle prizes aplenty. We thank Dianne Flynn, Debbie Zimmerman and all those who helped plan and organize this fun-filled event.

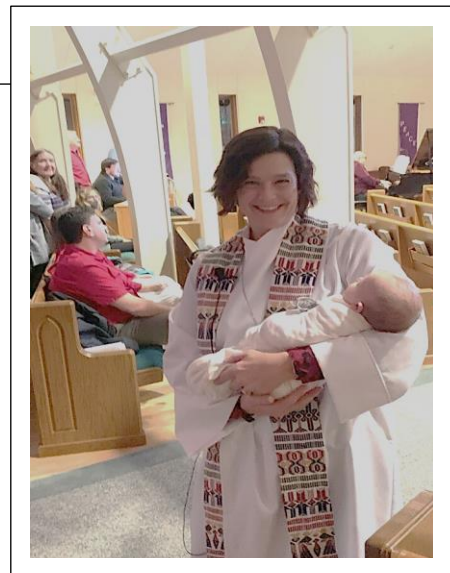


'Round Our Church (cont'd)

HHPC Candlelight Service "Christmas Surprise"

On Saturday, December 24, a **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service** was held at 4:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Musical director Greg Rolla added to the wonder of Christmas with his selected hymns and carols.

At the 11:00 p.m. service, Rev. Edie surprised those in attendance at the service with a beautiful baby (*in flesh appearing*) in her arms—a beautiful sight--adding to the joyful remembrance of our Savior's birth. The beautiful baby is Michaela Swearingen (*shown at right with Rev. Edie*), granddaughter of Alvin and Jean Swearingen.



A Christmas Continental Breakfast for All

On **Christmas Day**, we enjoyed a beautiful morning worship service including breakfast in Fellowship Hall. Rev. Edie and her son, Caleb, prepared a delicious breakfast spread for all in attendance.

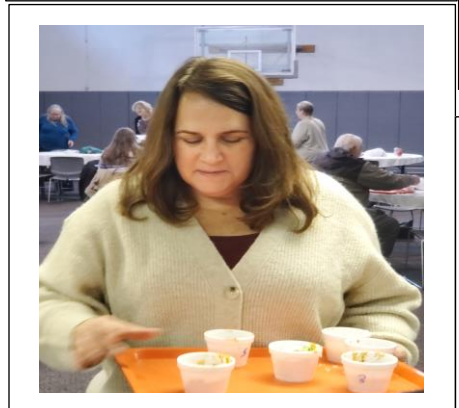


1st Ever Chili Cook-Off Hosted by Deacons

On January 8, 2023, the Board of Deacons held its first-ever **Chili Cook-off**. There were over 50 guests at the Cook-off who tasted and enjoyed many varieties of chili. They were later asked to vote on their selection of the top three recipes.

Our winners were Bernie Roche and George Osika (1st place), Andrew Witek (2nd place) and Grace Muszynski (3rd place).

Whether you cooked chili or were here as our guests, we thank you for your participation.





Try this Recipe!

Heart's Desire Pizza



Ingredients

- 1 tube (16.3 ounces) large refrigerated flaky biscuits
- 1 jar (14 ounces) pizza sauce
- **Optional toppings:** sliced ripe olives, sliced and quartered pepperoni, chopped fresh mushrooms, chopped green and sweet yellow pepper
- 1-1/2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1-1/2 cups shredded cheddar cheese



Birthday wishes go out to our members and friends celebrating their birthdays in February. May God's love and peace be with them always.

FEBRUARY	
Scott Zimmerman	February 5
Mike Swearingen	February 5
Sam Swearingen	February 5
Shirley Dragas	February 27
Rick Vogl	February 27
Sandy Beal	February 28
Kevin Lorenz	February 28



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Recipe Directions

Cut eight 6-in.-square pieces of aluminum foil; place on baking sheets. Lightly coat foil with cooking spray; set aside. On a lightly floured surface, roll each biscuit to a 5-in. square. Cut a 1-in. triangle from the center top and place on the center bottom, forming a heart. Press edges to seal. Transfer to foil squares. Spoon pizza sauce over dough to within 1/4 in. of edges. If desired, sprinkle with toppings. Top with cheeses. Bake at 425° for 10-15 minutes or until golden brown.



FUN PUN MESSAGES FOR VALENTINE'S DAY



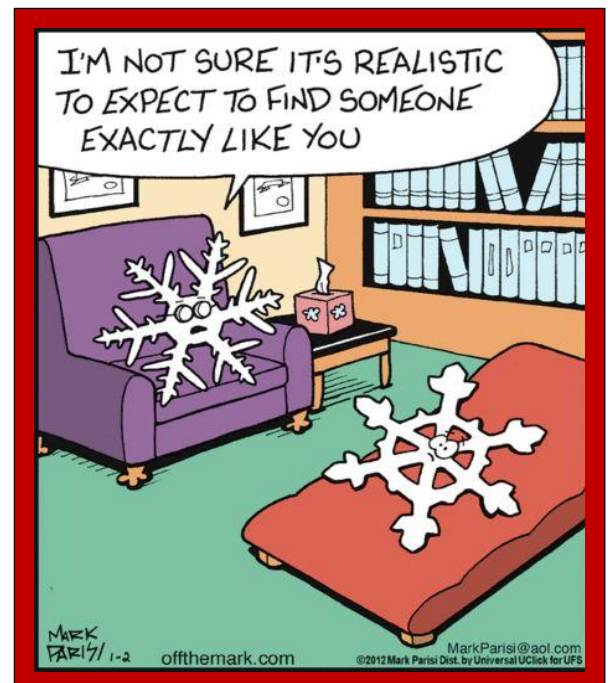
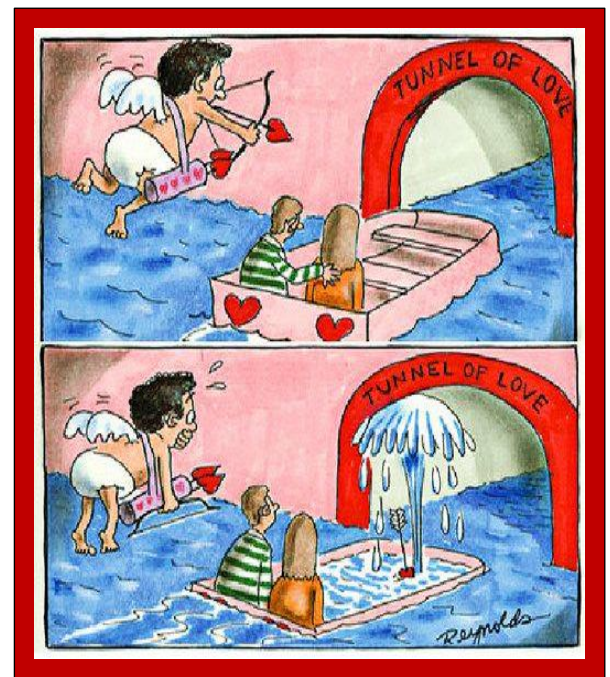
Peace Out,
Friends!

FOOD PUNS

I simply donut know what I'd do
without you, Valentine.
I only have fries for you.
Brie mine.
You got a pizza my heart.
Olive you so much.
You melt me.
My heart beats for you.
Love you so matcha.
I think you're grate.
Pie like you berry much.
I love you s'more and s'more.
You're simply my jam.
Love you from my head
to-ma-toes.
We're mint to be.
You make miso happy.
Words can't espresso how much
I love you.
You are one in a melon.
Will you peas be mine?
I a-peach-iate you.
We make a great pear.
Happy Valentine's Day,
cute-tea!
I have a whole latte love
for you.
Let's canoodle.
You've got me tongue-tied.
I love you a waffle lot.
You are the loaf of my life.
To my butter half on this
Valentine's Day.

ANIMAL PUNS

You are the deer-est
Valentine of all.
Meow and forever, I love you.
I'm not lion: You're the love of
my life.
You octopi my heart and
mind.
You are o-fish-ally the cutest.
No bunny compares to you,
Valentine.
Seal-ed with a kiss.
I ruff you.
You're one in a chameleon.
We need each otter.
Owl always love you.
You're my pup of tea.
Rhino, you're the one for me.
Bee mine?
Can't bear life without you.
You're my otter half forever.
You give my life porpoise,
Valentine.
I'm not lion when I say my
Valentine is the best.





**HHPC DRIVE-THRU
COMMUNITY MEAL
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6
5:30 P.M. – 6:00 PM**

**SOUPER SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 12, 2023
11:30 AM – FELLOWSHIP HALL**
If you will make soup, sign-up sheet is on the narthex table.



**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN
FEED THE NEED
SATURDAY & SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 18 & 19, 2023**
Sign-up sheet is on the narthex table.

**ASH WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY 22, 2023
LENTEN SOUP SUPPER
AND WORSHIP
6:00 PM**

Faith United
Presbyterian Church
will join us and
ashes will be
provided.



Lent 2023 - Food for the Soul

Sunday AM:

February 26	Hunger	Manna in the Wilderness	(Exodus 16:1-4, 9-15)
March 5	Connection	Elijah and the Widow	(1 Kings 17:8-16)
March 12	Nourishment	Elijah in the Wilderness	(1 Kings 19:1-12)
March 19	Mission	Sheep and Goats	(Matthew 25:31-46)
March 26	Living water	Jesus at the Well	(John 4:1-15)
April 2	Communion	Last Supper? (PALM SUNDAY)	(Matthew 26:17-30)
April 9	Celebration	EASTER	

Sunday REV:

February 26	Temptation	Jesus in the Wilderness	(Matthew 4:1-17)
March 5	Worship	Feast on the Mountain of God	(Isaiah 25:6-10a)
March 12	Trust	Lord's Prayer - Daily Bread	(Matthew 6:7-15)
March 19	Rules	Grain on the Sabbath	(Matthew 12:1-8)
March 26	MEAL	Early Church witness through food	(Acts 2:38-47)
April 2	Communion	Last Supper	(Luke 22:14-23)
April 9	NO REV		

Wednesday Evenings: Jesus

February 22	Trust	Do not worry	(Matthew 6:25-34)
March 1	Provision	Feeding of the 5,000	(Matthew 14:13-21)
March 8	Welcome	Great Banquet	(Luke 14:15-24)
March 15	Heart of the Matter	Inside and out	(Mark 7:1-8, 14-23)
March 22	Good Gifts	Ask, Search, Knock	(Matthew 7:7-12)
March 29	Welcoming Jesus	Zacchaeus	(Luke 19:1-10)

FEBRUARY 2023 CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1 11:00 AM CHAIR YOGA WITH CAROLINE BEGINS TODAY	2 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	3	4
5 10:00 AM Morning Worship 5:00 PM REV Worship	6 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study 5:30 PM HHPC Community Meal	7 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	8 11:00 AM Chair Yoga (Gym)	9 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	10	11
12 10:00 AM Morning Worship 11:30 AM Souper Sunday 5:00 PM REV Worship	13 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study 6:30 PM Discipleship meets 7:30 PM Session meets	14 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY! 	15 11:00 AM Chair Yoga (Gym)	16 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live Life Screening Testing in Gym (for early detection of stroke and cardiovascular disease) <i>Info on narthex table</i>	17	18 10:00 AM Evelyn Garlic's Cardmaking Class FMSC Feed the Need Packing begins (see sign-up sheet in narthex)
19 10:00 AM Morning Worship No REV Worship today 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM FMSC Feed the Need Packing (This is HHPC's volunteer time slot; see list for more time slots in narthex)	20 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study	21 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	22 11:00 AM Chair Yoga (Gym) 6:00 PM Ash Wednesday Lenten Supper Series begins (Faith United will join us) Ashes will be provided..	23 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	24	25
26 10:00 AM Morning Worship 11:30 AM Board of Deacons meet 5:00 PM REV Worship	27 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study	28 10:00 AM Morning Devotion on Facebook Live	29 11:00 AM Chair Yoga (Gym) 6:00 PM Lenten Supper Series continues			