



The WYANDOTTE VISITOR

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FEBRUARY

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*"Becoming passionately
outward-focused for
Jesus Christ."*

OFFICE HOURS
Tuesday-Friday
9:00AM-Noon

Office closed on Monday

Heading into February, we are torn between thinking winter may never end and being hopeful for spring and the experience of resurrection. What better time for Lent to begin.

During the month of February we will be finishing up our current sermon series "New Year, Same Promises" as we look at the on-going promises of God. Following that we will head off into our Lenten series "The God Story" which uses the traditional elements of storytelling to help us see the threads that run through the Bible from Genesis to Revelation.

Lent is intended to be a time of self-denial, moderation, fasting, and the forsaking of sinful activities and habits. Ash Wednesday commences this period of spiritual discipline. This year, Ash Wednesday falls on February 22. I will be available at the church that day, 8-9 AM, 12-1 PM, and 4:30-5:30 PM for anyone who wishes to stop by to receive the cross of ashes on their forehead as a reminder of our relationship with Christ. As we hear the words, "Remember you are dust and to dust you shall return," we are reminded of our own mortality, and of the crucifixion of Christ, and we are called to repentance from our sins.

Also in conjunction with the Lenten season, we will once again offer a Lenten Bible study to go with the sermon series. This will take place on Wednesday evenings during Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday at 6:00 PM. During the month of February, these will take place at the church, and dinner will be provided. I hope you will be able to join us for this study.

Last, but certainly not least, the Outreach committee has identified UMCOR as the recipient of our Lenten and Easter special offering. We had a wonderful response to our Advent and Christmas offering, yet there seems to be no end to the needs for UMCOR response. I want to challenge our church to not only meet, but to exceed, the amount we raised in December for this vital ministry of the Methodist Church.

Have a great month, and I'll see you in church (and the grocery store, and the library, and ...?)

Blessings,
Pastor Kim

February Sermon Schedule

New Year, Same Promises

February 5	God's Promise of Guidance (Matt. 5:13-20)
February 12	God's Promise of Freedom (Deut. 30:15-20)
February 19	Transfiguration Sunday

The God Story

February 26	Introduction (Genesis 1:1-2, 1:26-2:4)
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WOMEN'S MINISTRY:

Women's Bible Study

Monday 6:30-8:00 PM

Ladies Quilting Group

Meets on Mondays, 9:30 AM-Noon
New ladies are always welcome!

Friendship Circle

Thursday, February 16, 2023
at 10:00 AM

All women of the church & friends are welcome

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Two Adult Sunday School Classes are available

Pastor Kim leads a weekly Sunday School class that looks at current events and discusses how the Bible speaks to contemporary life. The lesson is emailed out on Thursday of each week for discussion on Sunday. If you would like to take part, please contact Pastor Kim. This class meets on Sundays at 9:00 am in the library.

The Crusaders Class is an adult Sunday school class that meets in the room just off Fellowship Hall. They participate in a number of different studies. This class also meets at 9:00 am.

Children's Sunday school is available when children are present.

Wyandotte Church
Invites you to join us for:

Men of INTEGRITY

A Weekly meeting every Thursday at 12 Noon
where we discuss current events, news, and events of our lives
with a biblical perspective and strive to become men with integrity.
7901 OAKLAND Ave. KCK



The Outreach Committee has chosen The HUB, a ministry of the UMC in Argentine, to be a recipient of our congregational generosity. They have given us a list of hygiene supplies to be made available in their free community market. There will be a different focus each month. For the month of February, deodorant, vegetable oil, and hats are the focus. Donations can be placed in the Fellowship Hall.

Wyandotte Dinners Out

Wednesday, February 1

Location: Pizza Stop

6:00 PM

Topic: We Can

Wednesday, February 15

Location: The Dotte Spot

6:00 PM

Topic: TBD

February

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Member Care 3:00 PM S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-6:00 PM The Dotte Spot Wyandotte Dinner Out Pizza Stop 6:00 PM	2 Men of Integrity Noon 	3	4
5 Sunday School 9:00 AM Worship Service Communion 10:00 AM	6 Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon Women's Bible Study 6:30-8:00 PM	7 Retired School Personnel 10:00AM-2:00PM	8 S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-7:00 PM	9 Outreach Committee 10:00 AM Men of Integrity Noon	10 Newsletter Deadline Noon	11
12 Sunday School 9:00 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM	13 Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon Women's Bible Study 6:30-8:00 PM	14 Education Committee 6:00 PM 	15 Worship Comm. 10:00 AM S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-6:00 PM The Dotte Spot Wyandotte Dinner Out The Dotte Spot 6:00 PM	16 Men of Integrity Noon Friendship Circle 10:00 AM	17	18
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26 Sunday School 9:00 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM	27 Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon FOOD KITCHEN 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 6:30-8:00 PM	28	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> ASH WEDNESDAY IMPOSITION OF ASHES 8-9 AM, 12-1PM, 4:45-5:45PM IN THE SANCTUARY </div>			

FROM ROSIE VANHOOZER

Rosie's Baby Sprinkle for the TWINS

Roger T. Sermon Community Center/City Theater
201 N Dodgion Ave, Independence, MO 64050

What to expect

Okay. It's time to start planning this thing. As most, or some of you know, I'm pregnant... with TWINS!!! A boy and a girl.

Link registry: <https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/rosie-vanhoozer-curtis-beeks-april-2023-independence/22BQBUEWOK92H>

The sprinkle will be in the Sermon Centers "4th floor" meeting room

Dear WUMC Family,
Thank you so much for the generous Christmas gift. I am thankful to be part of such a warm and loving congregation.
I wish and pray for each of you to experience love, joy, and peace throughout the new year.
Much love,
Fonda

Thank You!



From the Family of James E. Jones (Jim) &
Lorene Jones & Gregory Jones

My church members & friends:
Thank you so much for all your love, prayers, calls & visits during this difficult time. Keep me in your prayers.

Thanks,
Lorene Jones

Thank you



The family of Clyde Strimple wish to acknowledge and thank you for providing a reception for those in attendance to his funeral service. This reception helped us immensely. It helped us to welcome and thank people for coming.

We are a small family and all of us live out of town. For you to fill this need was truly a blessing and very much appreciated. Your thoughtfulness will not soon be forgotten.

Thank you!
The Strimple Family

SHARE

Come unwind in the middle of a hectic week. Come enjoy a time of coloring and fellowship in a relaxed atmosphere.

Join us every Wednesday from 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Sites vary, see calendar

All are welcome and need not be a member of the church to join.



Sundays 10:00 AM

Worship with us ONLINE at

www.wyandotteumc.com

or

[www.Facebook.com/WyandotteUMC/videos](https://www.facebook.com/WyandotteUMC/videos)

Preaching Schedule

February 5	Rev. Kim Dominic
February 12	Rev. Kim Dominic
February 19	Rev. Kim Dominic
February 26	Rev. Kim Dominic

Scripture Reader

February 5	Fay Sturm-White
February 12	Ruth Miller
February 19	Pat Gates
February 26	Judi Whiles



Is going away. We are working on getting the funds that have been donated. Thank you for your contributions.

If you'd like to read scripture on Sunday, get with Pastor Kim or contact the office at 788-5503.

If you're not attending in-person worship, please continue to mail in your offerings. If you need offering envelopes, call the office.

Nursery at 10:00 am

February 5	Kathy M & Pat Gates
February 12	TBD
February 19	Jennifer & Ramona
February 26	TBD

**To volunteer in the nursery:
You can sign up in the sanctuary or contact Jennifer Beard at:
jebear28@gmail.com**

NEWSLETTER

Newsletters are sent by e-mail.

If you prefer a printed copy, please call or email the office and one will be sent to you.

Deadline for articles for the March Newsletter will be Friday, February 10, 2023.
(please send by email to admin@wyandotteumc.com.)

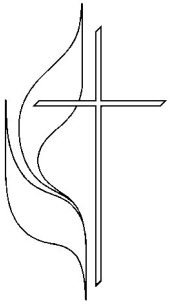
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February 5	Don & Nancy Bradbury, Donna Leshar, Bob Babbitt
February 12	Kathy Manherz, Fay Sturm-White
February 19	Tim & Ramona Stowe
February 26	Carla & Robert Chadwick

NOTE

Mailing of the March Newsletter will be Friday February 24, 2023.

If you have an address update or correction, please let the office know by calling: 913-788-5503 or emailing admin@wyandotteumc.com.



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Need prayer?
 Have questions?
 Want off our mailing list?
 Call (913) 788-5503

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

TIME SENSITIVE

Please save your Best Choice labels and Box Tops for Education for United Women in Faith.

Labels go in the box on the shelf above the coat rack in Fellowship Hall.

Would you like to see your name on the front of The Wyandotte Visitor? Sponsor the newsletter for \$50 and you will be recognized as the sponsor of the month! Call the church for details.

Do you have extra "stuff" lying around? Buttons? Keys you'll never use again? Zippers, shoe laces, dog collars, beads, Velcro, buckles, or felt? Clean out your craft materials and donate them to our quilting group. Making "Fidget Blankets" and arm pieces is a project planned for the group. Thank you! Check out the display in Fellowship Hall!

February Birthdays and Anniversaries

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| 2/5 - Molly Mae Burnett | 2/18 - Nancy Bradbury |
| 2/6 - Justin Thomas | 2/21 - Anita Andrews |
| 2/10 - Renee Kimbrough | 2/26 - Sharon Roscher |
| 2/13 - Kay Manherz | 2/26 - Hazel Matlock |
| 2/14 - Dennis & Sharon Roscher | 2/26 - Charles & Hazel Matlock |
| 2/15 - Beth Eaton | 2/28 - Logan Zunick |
| 2/18 - Ernie Arnote | |

If your birthday or anniversary is not shown on the listing that is printed each month, please call the church office so it can be added to our list.

Help Raise Funds for Church Maintenance Project

Maintaining the church building can be costly. Here's how you can help:

Trustees sell gift cards to raise funds. A listing of the cards available for purchase is on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.