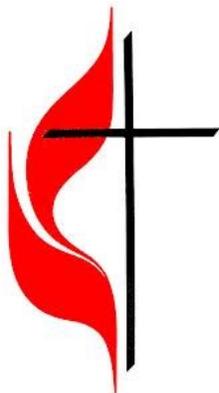


# Aldersgate Hinge

February 2014



## *From the Pastor*

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It's the middle of January as I write this. I'm always amazed at how quickly the time goes. It seems like just a few days ago we started the "All IN" focus. For the past four months, the Sunday morning prayer group has continued to INtercede for (pray for) the people you wrote down. I trust you are continuing to pray daily for those you named on your index card who need to know how much God loves them and become a part of a community of faith. I pray you are investing in their lives and that God will give you opportunities to share your faith and invite them to something at church. If you weren't here last September, you can get involved by writing the names of some people you know who don't know Christ's love and/or are not part of a church family on two cards or even scraps of paper. Keep one for yourself and pray for those people every day. Give one to me and I will add your names to the list we are already praying for. (First names are good enough.) Those who already gave me their card can always add another name and give me another card if there are others you feel called to pray for. Then take time to invest yourself in their lives. Watch and see what God will do. Remember, this is not something we do for a couple months but a way of living out our faith in Christ every day.

In February our thoughts turn to love (probably thanks to Hallmark, candy companies, and jewelers). The greatest love, of course, is the love God has for us in Christ Jesus our Lord. "Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God, but if we love one another, God lives in us and his love is made complete in us." (1 John 4:11-12) In the Gospel according to John, Jesus commands, "Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." (John 13:34)

As Christians we are called to love which includes radical hospitality—welcoming the strangers that God sends our way and INvesting in them as we do our own family and friends. This is not always easy because our natural tendency is to stick with the familiar. On Sundays before and after worship be vigilant in keeping your eyes open for those who are standing alone, whether they are new to the church or have been here for a while. Go talk with them, even if you have to catch up with your friends later. Introduce them to others. Actively listen to them. Also, pay attention to those who usually sit around you and if they aren't there, give them a call during the week. Come to the community dinner, introduce yourself to someone you don't know yet, and join them for a meal. Yet, radical hospitality is not limited to the church building. Practice hospitality wherever you are letting Christ's love shine through you. I'm sure you can think of many ways to extend hospitality and Christ's love to others. The important thing is to be aware of those around us as beloved Children of God and treat them accordingly.

In Christ's love,

*Pastor Anne*

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# Our Ministry of Concern

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## Prayer Concerns

People are added and removed from our ongoing prayer list upon request. Please call the church office to ADD, RE-INSTATE, or REMOVE names.

**Recovering at Home:** Bob Jeffers, Dan Rothfuss, Jan Rothfuss, Joan Michlin, Michael Smith, Nancy Young

**In Rehab:** Dean Hogestyn, Beverly Johnson – Transitional Care at Unity

**Those with Ongoing Health Concerns:** Vonnie Ackerman, Victor (Corkie) Alloco (friend of Kim Latragna), Hayden Armendinger (father of Debbie Kennedy), Nancy Beers (granddaughter of Mavis), John Best, Todd Boer (grandson of Walt & Gege Dunn, Bonnie Bush (friend of Bobbi & Rich Mohrmann), Amanda Condrow (friend of Louie VanKouwenberg), Ursalee Crepinsek (cousin of Myrle/Beverly Johnson), Sarah Crough (niece of Doug & Nancy Jones), Logan Desmone (child of friend of Lisa Deutsch), William Donahue, Valerie Eckels, Robert Fisher, James Fuller (brother of Mary Finacchairo), Steven Gray (brother of David Gray), Shirley Grierson, Becky Hess, Vi Hutchins (friend of Chris Palmer), Rich Keller, Addison Lorraine Kelly (daughter of Jessica Christie and Aaron Kelly), Kyle Kephart (father of Tim Kephart), Mark Kurzen (friend of Rich & Bobbi Mohrmann), Barb Jeffers, Betty Judd, Madeline Larabee (great granddaughter of Nancy Bailey), Kim Latragna, Ruth Loomis, Steven Lynch (son of Sylvia Lynch), Sylvia Lynch, Tom Marsh, Gary Martin (brother of Carole Jermyn), Charlotte & Patrick McCabe (daughter & son-in-law of Betty Baybutt), Joan Michlin, Ardis Nerby (mother of Lisa Deutsch), Dorothy Pearson, Kathy Peck, Kathy Montgomery Peterson (sister/sister-in-law of Ivan & Gloria Montgomery), Kamran Pickering (grandson of Donna Colangelo), Gordon Preston, Donna Sarnacki (sister of Judy Hare), Susan Tuck Rooksby (friend of Bobbi & Rich Mohrmann), Elaine Roney (sister of Meg Jones), David Stanley, Mike Tharrett (friend of Annette Thompson), Suzanne Unell, Ashlee VanKowenberg's Grandpa Gasset, Hal Wagner, Denise White (daughter of Gloria & Rick Baker), Mark Williams (son-in-law of Bob Wiederhold)

**Nursing Homes/Living Centers:** Nona Antczak – Seabury Woods; Maurice & Evelyn Deuel – Hilton East; Mavis Beers, Phoebe Brown, John Hayashi, Karl Goenitz (Lorraine Christie's father) – Edna Tina Wilson Living Center; Rosetta Knapp – Crimson Ridge Gardens; Jean

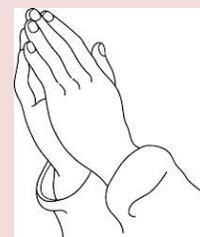
## E-Mail Prayer Chain a Success!

The method of E-Mail for our weekly prayer chain is working well. Because each participant can choose WHEN to pray, these requests can easily be incorporated into one's daily prayer time schedule. Thank you for taking the time for this important ministry!

Please help us keep the printed Church Bulletin prayer concerns list UPDATED. If your family or friend's situation has changed and can be removed (or re-framed) from this current concerns list, please contact me or the church office.

Would someone like to sub for me next month while I am out of town? Please contact me if you are interested. Thanks!

Chitie Edgett, coordinator  
663-5849



Smith – Crimson Ridge Meadows; Phyllis Little – Legacy; Len Mack, Martha Thomson – Woodlands; Fred Hild – The Hurlbut

**Christian Sympathy** is extended to Marilyn Sobus and family on the death of her husband, John, on January 10.

**Christian Sympathy** is extended to the family of Jeanne Barr, who died January 13.

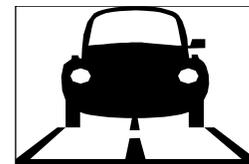
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## Parish Visitations

Call the church office when someone enters the hospital or is discharged or if you, or someone of whom you are aware, desire a pastoral call. This will help provide better pastoral care and avoid unnecessary trips. Arrangements for the Sacrament of Holy Communion are encouraged. Both pastors and the lay visitation ministers visit regularly and would be happy to include others in the visitation schedule.

## Transportation Ministry

Please call the church office if you need a ride for a doctor's appointment.



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# *From the Pastor of Visitation and Membership Care*

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Dear Aldersgate Family:

As we face the cold winter days of the year 2014, what advice would be most helpful? As I pondered this question, I read some excerpts from Phil Calloway's book *When You Need a Good Laugh* quoted in *The Joyful Noiseletter* (used by permission) these words are truly:

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## ***The Right Perspective for 2014***

Once asked the famous author and radio preacher Chuck Swindoll what he takes the most flack for, "Humor," he said. Though many tell him that his laugh is the only one they hear in their homes, others want him to stop.

"How do you deal with their jabs?" I asked. "Some people want you to be as miserable as they are," he responded, "and I'm not getting on that bus." Amen! The trip seems never-ending when we travel with the self-appointed guardians of misery.

***Have you met sour people whose faces are cemented in a downward scowl? Genetics didn't help them, but changes are they've been sampling at least one of the following forbidden prunes.***

*Don't you every worry? I do. I worry about potholes, cell phone radiation, oversleeping, and getting frisked at airport. You say, "Don't worry. Be happy." I say, "Are you crazy? There's so much to worry about nowadays." Take e-mail. Please take it. I've had enough. Here's information I've found in my e-mail inbox alerting me to emergencies I had no idea I needed to worry about:*

*KFC chickens are mutants.*

*Cold water causes cancer.*

*Mr. Clean Magic Erasers contain formaldehyde.*

*If you go to sleep at a party, you could wake up without a kidney.*

*Shop at a mall, and you may be drugged with a perfume sample.*

*Never ever pick up a five dollar bill in a parking lot. Someone might be lurking beneath your car to grab your leg.*

*We all know that worry is like a porch swing. It gives you something to do but never takes you anywhere. Still we worry about being underpaid, overtaxed, and underappreciated.*

*If chronic worry is pulverizing your complexion and ulcerizing your kidneys, the cure is closer than you think.*

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## ***Don't Worry – Pray!***

*"Don't fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God's wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down" (Philippians 4:6-7).*

***Each time worry arrives, show it through the door of prayer. The more we pray, the less we panic.***

*Feed your mind on things that are honorable, pure, lovely, and of good report. They're seldom in the newspaper or on TV. They are waiting to be discovered in the pages of good books and the words of good friends.*

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## ***A Habit of Rejoicing***

*Default to rejoicing at every opportunity, and your life will be transformed. No lie. You'll find that the God who has shown up for saints throughout history is not about to abandon you.*

***So rejoice, relax, and reflect on God's goodness. Hang out with positive people. Read that book of cartoons. Loosen your tie. Hug a friend's Chihuahua. Share a joke with a friend. Lighten up and laugh.***

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Remember God is with us whatever we face in the year before us!

Sincerely,

*Pastor Jerry*

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# Aldersgate United Methodist Women

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## Reading Circle Meets February 6

*Just Shy of Harmony* by Philip Gulley, one of our favorite authors, is the selection for the Reading Circle on **Thursday, February 6**. Join us in the Church Library at 1:00 p.m. for light refreshments and an entertaining discussion of the book.

For those of you who plan ahead, the selection for March 6 is *1984*, the classic futuristic novel by George Orwell. The books are available each month in the Church Library. Sign a copy out and return it when you are finished so that it is available for others.

Newcomers are always welcome. For further information about Reading Circle, call Frances Crabtree (315-5077).

### ALDERSGATE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN UPCOMING DATES

**February 10** – Sew ‘n Sew’s, 1:00 p.m., Room 1

**March 27** – General Meeting in the Ide Center

## “Baby Shower” for Crossroads Pregnancy Care at Morning Circle

Michelle Lopez, the new Director of Crossroads Pregnancy Care, will speak at Morning Circle on **Tuesday, February 18**. Crossroads is a branch of **Mission Share**. She will talk about the services they provide so that we are better informed about this important work going on in our own neighborhood.

One of the primary needs right now is **clothing for infants newborn to 12 months**. If you have the opportunity, please show your support for this important work by bringing infant clothes — onesies, sleepers, play clothes, sweaters, etc. Wrapping the gifts will not be necessary.

The meeting will start at 11:00 a.m. in the Parlor. Bring a light lunch and enjoy dessert and beverages provided by our hostesses of the month.

## Remember The Future

Church Council wants everyone to continue to be updated about our church-wide study of “Remember The Future”, a statement about the need for churches to change as we enter the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

- “Remember The Future” by Bishop Robert Schnase was made available to everyone on Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Instructions for reacting to it were distributed to all Small Group Leaders on November 25<sup>th</sup>.
- To date, 5 of our 8 Small Groups have completed reading and reporting their reactions to the Church Office. Due date for that is January 31<sup>st</sup>.
- If you read the book individually, Council wants to receive your reactions, too. Please submit to wonderful Candy in the Church Office by Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>.

- Each Small Group is requested to identify one group member to join an Ad Hoc group to review all Small Groups’ reports. Turn names in to Candy.
- Council is in process of selecting a consultant not associated with Aldersgate to guide the Ad Hoc’s review.
- There will be a springtime church-wide meeting to receive the review and recommendations of the Ad Hoc group.
- ANYONE who seeks more information or wishes to voice an opinion is highly encouraged to contact any Church Council member.

Pastor Anne, in her Pastors’ Remarks portion of January’s Council meeting, advised that although change is inevitable, we ought to manage change ourselves rather than letting change happen to us.

— from Your Church Council

## Mission Share Thank You

A thank you letter from Tom Hakes, the Director of Mission Share shows the monetary contributions Aldersgate made in 2013: \$1,200 in general support, \$157 from the Souper Bowl of Caring (the youth fundraiser) and \$150 for backpacks for the start of school.

Because this letter was the statement sent for tax records to all Mission Share supporters, it did not include the donations of school supplies prior to the start of school or the regular monthly collections of toilet tissue, feminine supplies, and other personal hygiene items that have also been essential in serving their clients and probably represent a value of two or three thousand dollars. (None of us want to take the time to keep track.)

The commitment of Aldersgate to the needy in the Greece community is notable and truly appreciated. All of us who have had the pleasure of delivering supplies have had the experience of having clients and workers there greet us with smiles and exclamations of great joy. It's hard to realize the importance of such mundane items unless you have had to decide between buying those or paying an electric bill. Please continue your gen-

erous support and keep Mission Share in your prayers that this organization is able to continue to serve our neighbors in a thoughtful, Christ-like way.

## Other Thank You's

The Christmas Offering this year was designated for Gateway-Longview Family Services in Buffalo and for Cookson Hills Center in Oklahoma, both United Methodist outreach centers. Remembering that Christmas is about God's Great Gift to us led you to give \$1,037 to this special offering, of which \$519 was sent to Cookson Hills and \$518 to Gateway-Longview, as of December 31. Your generosity will help God's work in those two locations to continue.

In addition to the \$550 for the shed put together by our volunteers (picked up and delivered to a Habitat house), our Benevolence Treasurer, Dick Caupp, was able to send \$, to the Greece Churches Habitat for Humanity toward funding our sixth house. That figure is on top of sales of BBQ tickets (\$338) and pies (\$557), a portion of which is also retained by the coalition. Expect to hear some news about plans for the next house in the months ahead.



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## February Birthdays

Jackie Hogestyn	February 1
Joan Michlin	February 1
George Shukitis	February 2
Patrick Byrnes	February 4
Todd Farrell	February 5
Ed Geier	February 5
AnnaMarie Sims	February 6
Vince Acciaio	February 9
Ryan Kennedy	February 10
Dominic DeBell	February 11
Ray LaFlair	February 11
Scott Wiley	February 11

Doug Jones III	February 13
Mike Dunn	February 15
Fran Baird	February 15
Ken Sisson	February 17
Gretchen Hughes	February 17
Ethan Cary	February 18
Dave Stanley	February 20
Helen Allen	February 21
Michael Smith	February 23

Harry Muthersbaugh	February 24
Jessica Christie	February 26
Sue Accapezzato	February 26
Michael Thompson	February 26
Grace Watts	February 27
Elijah Tyler	February 27

## February Anniversary

Bob Wiederhold & Bette Edgett	Feb. 10
Dean & Jackie Hogestyn	Feb. 13

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## Church Events & Opportunities

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### Visitation Programs

Aldersgate Church Family is truly blessed by a number of very dedicated members who assist in the visitation of shut-in and sick members. They are especially appreciated now while Pastor Jerry is away on his "winter break" and Pastor Bob is recuperating from foot surgery.

If you are interested in this program and would like to share in the next training sessions, contact Pastor Anne.

Our special thanks to all our visitors who have been such a blessing.

### Tuesday Night Small Group Offers New Study on Impact of Jesus Across History

On January 28, the Tuesday night small group is starting a new study: *Who Is This Man? The Unexpected Impact of the Inescapable Jesus*. It's a 5-session video-based study by John Ortberg that shows how Jesus' influence has swept over history influencing so much of life and how his vision challenges us today. We'd love for you to join us. If you'd like more information, talk with pastor Anne.

### New Crafting Unlimited Workshop, Feb. 28 & Mar. 1

We will host a two-day fundraising crafting time here at Aldersgate on February 28 and March 1. This is open to the Rochester community. Participants will get dedicated table space to work on their craft of choice. Dinner will be served on Friday evening. Breakfast and lunch are included on Saturday. The cost is \$20 for a single day or \$36 for both days.

On optional card workshop will also be offered. For \$20 you will make 10 greeting cards (two each of Birthday, Thank You, Thinking of You, Get Well and Sympathy). No card-making experience is necessary! All supplies will be provided. Please register in advance if interested (there will be limited supplies available on-site on a first-come basis).

Child care will be offered if enough people request it and are willing to help split the cost.

For more information, contact Tammy Ruiz at 585-402-8078 or Susan Galligan at 585-865-4416. Registration forms are available at the office or online at: [www.aumcgreece.org/craftws](http://www.aumcgreece.org/craftws)

### Aldersgate Nights This Month at Ruby Tuesday's on Ridge Road

Sunday, February 2 & Monday, February 3  
4:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Bring your bulletin insert. Ruby Tuesday's donates 20% of the food receipts we collect to our Building Fund.



Please Join Us  
On Shrove Tuesday  
For a Pancake Dinner

Tuesday, March 4  
5:00-7:00 p.m.  
Aldersgate UMC Ide Center

Dinner will include pancakes, sausage,  
and beverages  
\$5.00/individual or \$10.00/household family

There will be fun and festive  
children's activities.

All proceeds will go to the  
Christian Education Special Event  
Programs here at Aldersgate.

Everyone is invited for

**Game Night**

on

**February 15 at 6:00 p.m.**

in Rooms 3 & 4

Featuring Euchre and board games

Week	Topic	Activity
February 2	Jesus Calls Fishermen	Fish Windsock
February 9	Jesus Heals Peter's Mother-in-law	Get Well Kit
February 16	Jesus Teaches the Beatitudes	A Bee Reminder
February 23	Jesus Calms the Storm	Ocean Drums

February's Sunday School lessons will come from the unit *Jesus' Ministry* based on the scripture "We know that God has sent you to teach us. You could not work these miracles, unless God were with you." (John 3:2). We will learn through activities where the children will hear, understand and experience Bible stories, be encouraged to apply the stories to their lives, and to serve others in their own church and community.

**Snowflake Saturday Family Event** in January was a huge success as families learned that God made us all unique and different, just like how every snowflake is unique and different. There was "snow" much to do as children played in the bounce house, conducted a snow science experiment, made snowflake art and snow globes, frosted and decorated snowflake cookies, drank hot chocolate and played football games. Thank you to all the volunteers as we couldn't have done it without you!

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## We're Wild About God!

(A One-day VBS!)

**Looking for a free fun way to start your winter vacation?  
Journey into the Jungle for an Exciting Adventure!**

When: Saturday, February 15

Where: Aldersgate United Methodist Church

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Ages: PreK–6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Please Register Your Child Today!

You can also register online at

[www.aumcgreece.org](http://www.aumcgreece.org) or call the Church

office at 663-3665.

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### Registration Information Needed

Name:

Birth Date:

Street Address:

City:

Zip code:

Home phone:

Email:

Parent(s) name(s)

Parent(s) work phone(s):

In case of emergency, contact:

Allergies or other medical conditions:

School grade:

Name of church, if any:

I hereby  GRANT  DO NOT GRANT (please select one) permission for Aldersgate United Methodist Church to use pictures of my child \_\_\_\_\_ on their website for information or promotional purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent Signature)

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>AA MEETINGS (FH)</b> Daily (except Sun.) 7:30 AM Sunday 7:00 AM Sunday 7:30 PM (3/4) Monday 7:00 PM Wednesday 5:30 PM Thursday (Women) 7:30 PM	<b>ALANON</b> Monday 7:00 PM (8)  <b>GAM-ANON</b> Friday 7:00 PM (2)  <b>GAMBLER'S ANONYMOUS</b> Friday 7:00 PM (3/4)					<i>1</i> 11:00 AM Grief Share (P) 4:00 PM Chili Cook Off (Ide, K)
<b>2 Boy Scout Sunday</b> 8-8:30AM Prayer Meeting (P) 9:30 AM Contemporary Worship 9:30 AM Adult Sunday School (P) 9:45 AM Children's Sunday School 10:45 AM High School Sunday School (2) 11:00 AM Traditional Worship 11:00 AM Adult Sunday School (P) 11:15 AM Children's Sunday School 3:00 PM Hispanic Worship (C, N) 6:30 PM Sm. Group (O'Connor) (P)	<b>3</b> Aldersgate at Ruby Tuesdays 6:00 PM Youth—High School (YR) 6:30 PM Boy Scouts (2) 6:30 PM ACWT (S) 7:00 PM Sm. Group (O'Connor) (P)	<b>4</b> 9:00 AM—2:00 PM Library Work Time (L) 12:00 PM Men's Lunch at Ezzy's 1:00 PM Sm. Group (Coburn) (2) 6:00 PM Boy Scouts (2) 6:00 PM Boy Scouts (8)	<b>5</b> 10:30 AM Exercise (Ide) 5:00 PM Exercise (Ide) 6:30 PM Prayer (8) 6:30 PM Basketball (Ide) 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (S) 7:00 PM Sm. Group (P) 7:00 PM Hispanic Youth (FH)	<b>6</b> 1:00 PM Reading Circle (L) 5:00 PM Bell Choir (G) 7:00 PM Sm. Group (Sisson) (P) 7:00 PM D. Jones Class (2) 7:30 PM Stewardship (L)	<b>7</b> 1:00 PM Exercise (FH) 7:00 PM Bi Lingual Bible Study (8) 7:30 PM Hispanic Youth (FH) 7:30 PM Set up for Friendship Dinner (Ide)	<b>8</b> 11:00 AM Grief Share (P) 6:00 PM Friendship Dinner (Ide, K)
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## Serving in Worship This Month

### Ushers

	9:30 AM	11:00 AM
2/2	Al & Myrt Holmes Hal & Scott Wagner	Tom & Zuni Simons Nancy Bader Scott Wiley
2/9	Al & Myrt Holmes Susan DeVincentis Evelyn Welker	Nancy Bader Bette Edgett Betty Hild Mary Sims
2/16	United Methodist Women	United Methodist Women
2/23	Al & Myrt Holmes Ray Poling Shawna Bigler	John & Karen Best Tony Gilson Eric Lindenau

### Acolytes

	11:00 AM
2/2	Zachary Farrell, Stephen Samuel
2/9	Michelle Maggio, Marie Sims
2/16	Matthew Thomson, Zachary Farrell
2/23	Natalie and Emma Bock



### Scripture Readers

	9:30 AM	11:00 AM
2/2	Confirmation Class	Gary Hogestyn
2/9	Kathy Bernardi	Sue Accapezzato
2/16	Shawna Bigler	Candy Metzger
2/23	Gloria Montgomery	Confirmation Class



ALL items for the March  
Hinge are due by  
**February 15.**

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## **Come to the Friendship Dinner, February 8**

The Hispanic/Latino Ministry will host its 3rd Annual Friendship Dinner from 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. on February 8.

Choose one of the following meals:

Menu 1: Chicken Francese, Mashed Potato and Steamed Vegetables or White Rice and Pink Beans.

Menu 2: Roasted Pork, Rice with Pigeon Peas and Potato Salad.

All dishes include side salad, garlic bread, desert and drinks.

There will be pizza and soft drinks free for the kids and youth.

The cost is \$15.00/per person. All proceeds are going towards buying the youth van.

Tickets will be sold after the church services or contact the church office.

### **Help Needed!**

HELP NEEDED! The Hispanic/Latino Ministry is seeking to buy a 12 passenger. The main use of the van is to take our youth church activities. The van can also be used for other church activities. The cost of the van is about \$15,000 not including insurance and plates. At this time, we have collected \$8,600.00. We are asking you to help with a donation to close gap in order to buy the van. Make all donations to Hispanic Benevolence Fund.

Blessings/Pastor Hector