THE MESSENGER

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Officers for the new year MENS were elected at the January **FETLOW** meeting of the Methodist Men. The officers are: **Dowling Watford. President:**

Randy Burnham, VP; Gene Lenfest, Treasurer and Ed Thornton, Secretary. The men continue to support the Care Portal project for foster children and plan to have another Chick-fil-A fundraiser soon. The next meeting of the Methodist Men will be April 15. All men are invited to attend.



ATTENTION WOMEN: Please mark your calendars for the following dates.

February 6, 1:00 p.m. - Executive **Committee**

February 14, 11:30 a.m. - Lunch at Lakeside Grill

- February 14, 1:00 p.m. Ruth Circle
- February 15, 1:00 p.m. Lydia Circle

February 28, 1:00 p.m. - Days for Girls

Our Ash Wednesday Service will be held on February 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, February On following the worship service Lunchean we will have our monthly covered dish luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is



invited. Ham will be provided. Please bring your favorite vegetable, salad, side dish or dessert and plan to join us for great food and fellowship.

- 2nd -**Don Hanna**
- 4th -Joseph Hall, Brooke Ragamat
- **6**th -Tammy Bean
- 10th -Joe Papasso
- 14th -M/M George Carpenter, Pat Wemmer, M/M Vance Shirley, Brenda Bray
- 15th Elaine Keller
- 17th -**Kerry Simmons**
- 18th -Angela Mintz, Tommy Raulerson
- 19th -**Ruth Yeilding, Josaiah Harris**
- 20th Pat Tenniswood
- 21st -Jessica Suit
- 23rd Tammy Rhodes, M/M Keith Poole
- 24th Justin Murphy, M/M Walter Taylor
- 25th -**Denise Woody**
- 26th Louise Head
- 28th Karyne Brass



The February Giving Tree is for **Big Lake Missions. Their needs** include the following: Hamburger Helper, Tuna Fish, Spam, Macaroni & Cheese, Boxed Cereal, Hearty Soups,

Peanut Butter, Paper Towels, Toilet Tissue, Sturdy 8¹/₂" Paper Plates, Medium-size 3 Compartment Clamshells for Take-outs, Napkins, and Sturdy Plastic Forks and Spoons. Please select a tag from the Tree and donate something to help the needy in our community.

