

# THE MESSENGER

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**CANCELLED:** The monthly covered dish dinner for April has been cancelled due to the broken a/c system.



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

April 1, 1:00 p.m. - Executive

Committee

April 9, 11:30 a.m. - Lunch at Big Tasty

April 9, 1:00 p.m. - Ruth Circle

April 17, 1:00 p.m. - Lydia Circle

The financial report looks better due to your generous support and the sale of the church bus. We have a positive balance for the first time this year! The Finance Committee also agreed to transfer funds left in the Disaffiliation Fund to the General Fund. This will greatly assist in keeping a positive balance and hopefully help us make it through the slower summer months.



3<sup>rd</sup> - Judy Mattern  
10<sup>th</sup> - Doc Thrift, Judy McCutchan  
11<sup>th</sup> - Ethan Kersey, Pat Klapper  
15<sup>th</sup> - Kendall Harrison  
19<sup>th</sup> - Shaina Ragamat, Tom Yackamouih

20<sup>th</sup> - Janice Mohr  
22<sup>nd</sup> - Ray Fuller, Elwin Kessler  
23<sup>rd</sup> - Nicole Plant  
25<sup>th</sup> - Linda Austin  
29<sup>th</sup> - Carolyn Sweatt, Martha Gillette  
30<sup>th</sup> - Chelsea Townsend

The 35+ year old a/c unit for the Fellowship Hall has finally quit and cannot be replaced. The Trustees are considering ductless mini splits. The current unit is located in the attic and would require removing the ceiling to replace. We will need additional funds to make this replacement. If you would like to donate to help, please mark your check or envelope "Building Fund".



The Methodist Men will have their quarterly meeting on April 17 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All men of the church are invited to

attend. The men continue to serve children through the CarePortal program. Recently a gas card was furnished to a single mother to be able to continue classes. Thank you for your support and prayers for this ministry.



Palm Sunday  
April 13 - 10:00 a.m.  
Maundy Thursday Service  
April 17 - 7:00 p.m.  
Easter Sunday  
April 20 - 10:00 a.m.