

**CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

SUN 2/14	8:00A	Holy Communion
	9:30A	SS/Adult Ed/Catechism II
	10:45A	tenfortyfive
MON 2/15	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	
	6:30P	Chorus Practice
	7:00P	Book Club
	7:00P	Transition Team
TUE 2/16	9:30A	Pre-School (Tue.—Fri.)
	10:00A	Women's Bible Study
	3:00P	Greek Class
	5:30P	Personnel Meeting
	7:00P	Language Exchange
	7:00P	Parish Council Meeting
	7:00P	Music Committee Meeting
	7:00P	Marketing Meeting
WED 2/17	8:00A	JobSeekers
	12:15P	Ash Wednesday Service
	7:15P	Ash Wednesday Service
	8:30P	Adult Choir
THUR 2/18	11:00A	tenfortyfive Plan Team
	6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
FRI 2/19	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
	9:15A	MOPS
SAT 2/20	7:00A	Men's Bible Study
	3:00P	Praise Band Practice
	5:00P	Holy Communion/Praise Band

**CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

SUN 2/21	8:00A	Service of the Word
	9:30A	SS/Adult Ed/Catechism II
	10:45A	Holy Communion/Praise Band
MON 2/22	9:30A	Pre-School
	6:30P	Celebration Ringers
TUE 2/23	9:30A	Pre-School
	10:00A	Women's Bible Study
	3:00P	Greek Class
	7:00P	Language Exchange
	7:00P	Interim Pastor Team
WED 2/24	8:00A	JobSeekers
	9:30A	Pre-School
	5:45P	Midweek Meal
	6:30P	Classes/Choirs/WE
	7:15P	Lenten Service
THUR 2/25	9:30A	Pre-School
	11:00A	tenfortyfive plan team
	6:30P	Jubilate Ringers
	7:00P	Property Committee
	7:30P	Adult Choir
FRI 2/27	6:00A	Men's Bible Study
	9:30A	Pre-School
	9:30A	MOPS
SAT 2/28	7:00A	Men's Bible Study
	8:15A	Men's Chorus
	5:00P	Holy Communion Service

**DINE & DASH  
EAT & EDUCATE  
NO MID-WEEK MEAL  
ASH WEDNESDAY**



**ALTAR FLOWERS**

- Robert Warfield in memory of Dorothy
- Marna Whitney in celebration of Jennifer's 19th birthday



**Jeffco Action Center Needs Blankets...**as they house homeless people this winter. Place them on the floor under the coat rack.

**Members Remembered  
in Our Prayers**

- Osbourn and Snow families mourning loss of Tricia
- Elaine Hamburger recovering from surgery
- Barb Ivey recovering from surgery
- Dick Stotler recovering from surgery
- Ted Eichhoff hospitalized for tests
- Christian rejoicing with DeAnn Fine at the birth of a son and with grandparents Dean and Debbie Danielson
- Amanda Steiner recovering from a concussion
- Christian rejoicing with Marc and Karen Ellis at the birth of twin boys, Joshua and Caleb



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**WEEKLY CONNECTION**

**JOIN US FOR  
ASH WEDNESDAY  
WORSHIP**



Our Lenten season begins this week with Ash Wednesday on February 17. It will be observed with the imposition of ashes and Holy Communion at 12:15 p.m. and 7:15 p.m. at Our Father. Join us as we begin this Holy Season which culminates with Easter on April 4!

**LENTEN MIDWEEK WORSHIP ON  
WEDNESDAYS AT 7:15 P.M.**

Our theme for Lenten Midweek services will be "The Sign of Jonah" and will be a follow-up to our Bible in 90 Days as we look more in-depth at the life of Jonah. A team of OFLC lay people has met to help make this a multi-sensory experience on Wednesday evenings from 7:15-8 p.m. from February 24 – March 24.

**LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOKS AVAILABLE AT RECEPTIONIST DESK**

Special devotion books for Lent which go with our theme of "The Sign of Jonah" are available at the reception desk for each family of Our Father. We pray that these books will lead you to helpful reflection during this Holy Season.



**Lent begins**

**WE NEED YOUR PICTURES FOR OUR "CROSS OF CONCERN"**

The Lenten Midweek Planning Team is collecting photos (color or black and white) from newspapers, magazines or the internet which reflect situations of need around our world. So pictures of Haiti, the Middle East or poverty in our own community are examples. This is a great activity for your children. Cut them out and put them in the box on the reception desk. At each Lenten service, children will be placing them on a large "cross of concern" which will remind us of the mission field that awaits us.

## Music Ministry

### ADULT CHOIR SINGS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

Adult Choir is reminded that we warm-up at 6:55 p.m. in the chapel on Wednesday and sing for the 7:15 p.m. Ash Wednesday service. We will rehearse after the service from 8:30-9:30 p.m. (No Thursday rehearsal this week.) We welcome new choir members to join us for this new season as we begin work on Easter music.

### NO CHILDREN'S CHOIRS THIS WEEK

There will be no children's choirs or handbells this week on Ash Wednesday, February 17, as we want families to worship together. On Wednesdays, February 24- March 24, we will have children's choir rehearsals only (no bells) from 6:30-7:10 p.m. and then children are encouraged to worship with their families from 7:15-8 p.m.

### JUBILATE RINGERS PARTICIPATE IN HANDBELL FESTIVAL



Many of our Jubilate Ringers will be participating in a regional Handbell Festival this Saturday, February 20, in Colorado Springs. They will participate in a mass concert at 7 p.m. that night in Colorado Springs. For more information, see Margaret Hinchey or Shirley Pamp. All Jubilate Ringers are reminded that we will have an extended rehearsal on Thursday, February 18, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. as we prepare for the festival.

### CELEBRATION RINGERS WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Ever wanted to learn a new skill or play a new musical instrument. Join the Celebration Ringers...we promise music, fun, great people and an upper body workout for 1 ½ hours twice a month. AND you'll learn to play the handbells! You can't beat that deal. This one of a kind opportunity is open to our youth who have finished confirmation and all adults. We meet the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month from 6:30-8pm. Call Shirley Pamp if interested.

## Women's Ministry

### Women's Retreat May 7-8, 2010

"Wonder Women of the Word" with guest appearances of the "Wicked Women of the Word." Sarah Bjornebo as our guest speaker at the Franciscan Center in Colorado Springs...sign up at the reception desk.



### ACOLYTE TRAINING

We will have an Acolyte training session on Sunday, Feb. 28, after the 10:45 AM service (Noon). Any fourth graders through adults, (this is NOT just for children!) are encouraged to join us. Sign on the Yellow Sheet if you are going to come so we have enough pizza and ice cream. Questions? Call Mike Warner at 720-482-9365.

### Marketing Team Meeting – Tuesday, Feb. 16, 7:00 p.m.

### CAPTIVE FREE IS COMING TO OFLC!!

Join Captive Free, a young adult ministry band sponsored by Youth Encounter, on Friday night, March 12 at 7:00pm for a Family Night Program! They will be performing contemporary Christian songs, putting on a puppet show for the kiddos, and more. You can also see them lead worship at the 5:00 PM Saturday worship service on March 13, as well as leading music with our Sunday School kids on Sunday, March 14. You won't want to miss the opportunity to meet Captive Free and hear their awesome music!! If you have any questions regarding their visit to OFLC, please contact Stephanie Rolf at 303-471-4046.

## Sunday Education Opportunities (9:30-10:30 a.m.)

- **Great Beginnings** – Any members NOT in small groups are invited to experience topics similar to what might be discussed in a home small group. **Leaders: Elaine Hamburger & Linda Olsen in Room 303**
- **God's Gift of the Bible: How the Bible Came to Be** - How did we get this written form of God's Word? When? By whom? For what purpose? **Leader: Pr. Werner Boos in the Fellowship Hall**
- **Key Questions about the Bible** – Explore some questions that were raised as people read the Bible. Take time to dig deeper into Scripture. **Leader: Sarah Bjornebo in Rooms 300-301**
- **Youth Culture 101** – Understand the values, beliefs and practices of today's youth. **Leader: Micah Steiner in Room 302**
- **Community** – This weeks topic: How can Christians say Jesus Christ is the only way to God? **Pr. CJ Ransdell in the Community Room**



### "What Do the Jews Believe?"

Special Jewish information class 9:30 a.m., Sunday, February 21, with noted Rabbi and Author Raymond Zwerin.

### Bible Discovery for Children 9:30-10:30 Check locations on stairway.

**SPARK!** During late service, children—3's - Fifth Grade—leave worship for an educational experience after the children's talk and return by 11:45.

**Book Club**—Monday, February 15, 7:00 p.m., **The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society** by Shaffer & Barrows, Conference Room

### Wednesday Adult Education Opportunities

(No Classes on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 17)

- **See Through the Scriptures** – A semester captivating course that brings clarity to the biblical story. It's NOT too late to join us! Cost: \$20 for timeline and two books **Leader: Linda Olsen in Room 302**
- **Living In the Faith, Living Out the Faith** - Learn to live each day through faith in and reliance on God through Jesus Christ, blending the spiritual and the temporal. **Leader: David & Suzanne Lee**

### Vacation Bible School Date Set

Mark your calendars for June 21-25 now! Talk to Stephanie Rolf the Director at 303-471-4046 if you are interested in serving on the staff to make this happen.

### Commitment to Our 2010 Ministry

Still accepting forms in the Wooden Box by Christ Rising.

**Prayer Sisters Ministry** – It's not too late to participate! Talk to Diane Miller to get forms.



**Habitat** – New dates are March 5 & 6, Friday and Saturday. Sign on the Yellow Sheet.



### MOPS – Mothers of Preschoolers

For ALL preschool (under age 5) mothers even if you can only come part time or for the Girls' Nights Out...If you can come on Fridays, the group meets on the first and third Friday mornings, **9:15-11:30 a.m.** Bring children to the nursery; moms meet in Room 300 at the top of the stairs.

**Feb. 19 is a Morning Play Day! Join us!**