

The Steeple



MARCH 2025

SERVING AT THE TABLE

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Minister's Report for February 12, 2025, Board Meeting

January 1 marked the beginning of my 4th month here as transitional interim. The time has passed very quickly and we still have a lot to do before the transition to the new settled pastor takes place. We did not make any progress with the Transition Team in January and it has been next to impossible to schedule a meeting in February. We plan to meet on Monday, March 10, and may be able to complete our task at that meeting. If so, we can present our report to the board on March 12.

I worked with Melissa in planning activities for children & youth through the spring. I also made some pastoral visits, both in person and by telephone. I continue to try to stay ahead regarding worship planning by at least two weeks, so that both Laura and Kim will have the information they need in order to select music and prepare the bulletin. I try to stay connected to West Area and Regional events and have registered for clergy boundaries training and the West Area Workshops on March 1. I am also considering registering for the Kentucky Disciples Clergy retreat in April.

Grace and Peace, Ron Buck

Church News:

Cadiz Christian Church Board met on February 12, 2025

Church Directory:

The deadline for participation is March 1, 2025. Please fill out the information form. There are copies available in the basket at the back of the church.

As it has been a while since pictures of members and families have been updated, we ask that members who wish to, please provide a recent picture. These can either be uploaded directly to the church at:

<u>cadizsteeple@gmail.com</u> or: contact Betty Mae Lancaster at 270-839-4501 or Joanna Mulas at 323-478-1111 to arrange for a photo to be taken at the church.

We hope everyone will participate.

WEST AREA WORKSHOPS 2025

On March 1, 2025, at Henderson First Christian Church (830 S. Green St.) the West Area Workshops begin.

The Leadership Development Team has selected the theme:

"I Pray They Will Be One" with John 17:18-23 as our guiding scripture.

Saturday, March 1, 2025

10:00 a.m. Central Registration and Exhibits

10:30-11 a.m. Opening Worship 11:10-noon Workshop #1

12:10-12:50 p.m. Lunch

1-1:50 p.m. Workshop #2 2-2:50 p.m. Workshop #3

3-3:30 p.m. Closing Worship

The Youth Group had their first Progressive Lunch Sunday February 23, 2025 at the Church







Church News: continued...

- Ash Wednesday is March 5th
- March 7, 2025 World Day of Prayer. Ecumenical celebration day sponsored by Church Women United. Materials are available by visiting worlddayofprayer.net or calling (212) 870-3049.
- March 8, 2025 International Women's Day. What a great opportunity to learn about and support the Week of Compassion Women's Empowerment Fund at weekofcompssion.org/ways-to-give
- It's time to plan summer mission trips. Week of Compassion can help! Long-term recovery sites are ready for your group. Find more info at: weekofcompassion.org/volunteer
- March 9, 2025 Day Light Savings Time. SPRING FORWARD, set clocks ahead 1 hour Saturday night
- The Youth Group will be having an Easter Egg Hunt April 20th. If you are able to donate Candy for this event, please give to Melissa French-Tremmel
- If you have an event, class, or general information, you would like in the newsletter, please provide the office with a summary and or photos that can be used. It's a great way to keep everyone updated and involved. Please have all information to the office by the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

Youth Group Activities:

• February 9, 2025 the youth group made chocolate-covered strawberries and had delivered them to various members of the congregation.

The Youth Group received a handmade Thank you note from Jean McGee. She wrote Never Stop doing Little Things for others. Sometimes, those little things occupy the biggest part of their heart. You will always be in my Heart. Thank you...To all of the children who spent time to make gifts for older people—Thank You! Your card was so pretty and the strawberries were so delicious—yumm.... I am almost ninety years old and my favorite people are children. I love and appreciate your kindness and your caring enough, and your love.





Pictures from Sunday School





HOSPITAL VISITATIONS

If you or someone you know is in the hospital or having surgery, and would like an elder to visit or add you to the prayer list, please let us know.

Elders: Mike and Judy Davis, Dan Grigson, Carey and Sheri Lancaster, Craig and Stephanie Perry, Ronnie Cook, Ken Cooley and Chappell Wilson



March 2025

Sun Time Change 3/9	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat 1 West Area Workshops
2 Transfiguration Sunday Carfternoon by Jessara Trigg Co Senior Center 127 Joy Lane 12-4 PM Come and go event	3 CEA-HOW 5PM	4 AA 6PM	5 Ash Wednesday Choir 5PM Elders Mtg 6:30PM	6	7 World Day of Prayer	8 International Women's Day Set Clocks ahead 1 hour
9 First Sunday in Lent Girl Scout Sunday Day Light Saving Time	10 CEA-HOW 5PM	11 AA 6PM	12 Choir 5PM Board Mtg 6:30PM	13 Kim work 8am-1pm	14	15
16 Second Sunday in Lent	17 CEA-HOW 5PM CWF 12PM	18 AA 6PM	19 Choir 5PM	20 CMF 6PM	21	22
23 Third Sunday in Lent	24 CEA-HOW 5PM	25 AA 6PM	26 Choir 5PM	27	28	29
30 Fourth Sunday in Lent Candy Donations needed for Egg Hunt at Easter	31 CEA-HOW 5PM					

MARCH BIRTHDAYS:

- 1 Sandra Kerney
- 7 Jesse Siegmund
- 17 Trudy Carr
- 17 Judy Vier
- 20 Kayden French-Tremmel
- 22 Olivia Bush
- 23 Connie Cook
- 23 Carrie Steinbeck
- 23 Martha Steinbeck
- 25 Vicky Jones
- 28 Mary Scott Naghtin
- 29 Danna Grigson Cramer
- 29 Natalie Bridges
- 31 Clare Martin



MARCH ANNIVERSARIES:

No Anniversaries this month

