

## The Star

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.

Weekly News and Events The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Church Office 336-765-6211

February 12, 2023 Sixth Sunday of Epiphany



Today we welcome the Rev. Dr. David Brondos and his wife, Alicia, to Epiphany. Dr. Brondos has been teaching theology and biblical studies since 1996 at the Theological Community of Mexico, an ecumenical consortium of Protestant seminaries in Mexico City that includes Augsburg Lutheran

Seminary. His teaching reaches throughout Latin America, the Caribbean, US, and Spain.

Alicia is a retired primary school teacher. Since her retirement she has also taken classes at the Theological Community and offered courses in English to the students there.

Welcome! We're so glad you're here!

All children and youth are invited to stay after worship today to help collect money for the Second Harvest Food Bank through the Souper Bowl of Caring. We will provide children with pots and cans to collect the congregation's noisy offering. Our goal is to collect at least \$610 in honor of Epiphany's 61st birthday!





It's time to sign up your children, grandchildren, and friends for Lutheroad Day Camp (June 12th-17th)! Because we are partnering with Augsburg this year, we are able to significantly reduce registration costs! Registration is \$50 per camper, and due at the time of registration (a huge bargain for a

week-long camp). Checks or cash can be sent to the church office made out to the Lutheran Church of the Epiphany. You can register and find out more info at: <a href="https://forms.gle/XVAoJ2qGPq4SE1NN9">https://forms.gle/XVAoJ2qGPq4SE1NN9</a> or scan the QR code on the posters in the church lobby or on the children's ministry bulletin board. Call or email Lauren Saldana at (336-589-6571 or email <a href="mailto:lsaldana@epiphanyws.org">lsaldana@epiphanyws.org</a> with any questions!

Anyone interested in CPR training is invited to join the EECC teachers at 12:30 pm on Tuesday, February 21st. The cost is \$40 per person. If you are interested, please call the church office at 336-765-6211 to register.



#### THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY Office Hours: M-F 9:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:30 pm February 12-19, 2023 Sixth Sunday of Epiphany Sun Adult Encounter: Faith (AL) 9:00 am Kids Encounter: Faith (EECC Caf) 9:00 am Backpack Prep (FH) 9:40 am Worship 10:00 am YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel After Worship Souper Bowl of Caring Mon **Executive Committee** 7:00 pm Mary-Martha Circle 10:00 am Tues Bible Study (AL) 11:00 am LSM 6:00 pm 6:00 pm Handbells Rehearsal **Dorothy Circle** 7:30 pm Wed **EECC Chapel** 10:00 am Widows Might (FH) 1:30 pm 3:00 pm Staff Meeting Choir Rehearsal 6:00 pm Thur Finance Team 6:00 pm Sat **Epiphany Quilters** 10:00 am Transfiguration of Our Lord Sun Adult Encounter: Faith (AL) 9:00 am Kids Encounter:Faith (EECC Caf) 9:00 am Backpack Prep (FH) 9:40 am Worship 10:00 am YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel Move Night (FH) 6:00 pm

# **EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY**



Please give online at Iwr.org/quake or mail a check to Lutheran World Relief, PO Box 17061, Baltimore, MD 21297-1061. Please write QUAKE in the memo.

You may also donate through Epiphany. Make your check out to ELCE, with Quake in the memo.

#### LET US PRAY FOR...

All who are affected by violence The people of Turkey and Syria

#### Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod Pastor Russell Peek

President Joe Biden Governor Roy Cooper Mayor Alan Joines

#### Our sister congregations and our missionary in Mexico

The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia and Pr. David Brondos. The people of Christ's Beloved Community.

#### Active duty military personnel, especially

Travis Gerdes Randal Middleton David Schultz

#### Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

Judy Allison Mark Pope Becky Hartsook Sandy Belcher Andy Powless Pam Holcomb Arnold Boliek Jane Ritchie Cynthaa Jeffries Gail Bonsall Joanne Ritchie Sebastian Kahabek Thomas & Mary Cannon Greg Kurosko Karen Rose Clark Family PJ Lenihan Janie Sapen Mark Crouthamel & Fam. Lisa Madison Jim Schwartz Rose Debruhl Nora Schweitzer Chad Marion Sylvia Ann Derrick Sue Slezak Linda McKenna Carl Dubose Germaine Smith Janette Mickey Emily Ferriter Michele Stanfield Angie Mitchell Howard Flichman Mark Moore Earl Taylor Tara-Lynn Flick Laura Turlington Allison Morris Andrea Francos Alan Vestal Kevin Murray Jeffrey Gaither Emma Wester Lisa Nichols Pat & Joanne Gill Nicole Williams Robin Noland Jonathan Gomez Robert & Marv Peak Ruochong Wong Linda Grale Kimbel Poe John Wooding Carolyn Graham

### Members in need, especially

Sharen Bond Chad Kraft Kathleen Malone Ann Cannon Wanda Rabb Jim Lippard

#### **Homebound and Assisted Living Members**

Bonnie Bryant Jovce Kohfeldt Polly Rector Elizabeth Horton Cole Lippard Virginia Schmitz Bert Joines Sue Muhler Robert Walker Doris Kent

#### We extend our Christian love and sympathy to

Terry Wiley and his family at the death of his brother, Tony Wiley.



We are looking for an additional offering counter. This is usually a one Sunday a month VOLUNTEER obligation. Contact the church office or Lew Saphar (management@epiphanyws.org) if you would be willing to help. Training available.

Help feed our LSM students! You can sign up at https:// www.signupgenius.com/



#### GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR FEBRUARY

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Instant potatoes; Saltine crackers

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Ground coffee (regular), peanut butter, toothbrushes, toothpaste (sample size)

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Paper towels; 13gallon trash bags; individual snacks & drinks; https:// rmhcpt.org/make-a-difference/wish-list/

TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Kleenex, Puffs, etc., body lotion, body wash, bath items, note cards, fronts of greeting cards

CBC FOOD PANTRY - Volunteers to take food donations from church to CBC and to work stocking shelves/distributing food twice a month

EECC - Cheerios, raisins, applesauce (individual, plain)

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Diapers/pullups sizes 2-6



Thank you so much to those of you who contributed to the items that WELCA collected for Ronald McDonald House. They were greatly appreciated.

February 19th is Bold Women Sunday. It is a day to celebrate all women who have acted or are acting boldly in their faith in Jesus Christ. Our guest preacher for that Sunday is Rev. Julie O'Neal, pastor at Burkhead Methodist Church. At the end of the service the congregation will be given a paper bag to be returned with nonperishable food items that will be donated to Crisis Control. Food will be collected through March 5th.



Exodus 24:12-18 Psalm 2 2 Peter 1:16-21 Matthew 17:1-9

#### 2/5/2023 ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

89 Attendance Visitors 5 Offering \$12,242.55

