

**A Memorial for Marie Leslie**  
has been given by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coats.

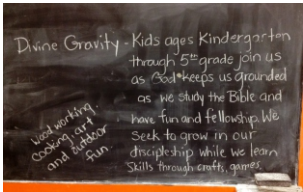
Experience  
Divine

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Wednesday, February 18

5:30 **DIVINE DINING**  
Roast Beef  
Mashed Potatoes and Green Beans  
Your Wonderful Desserts!

*Please bring a guest!*

6:30 **DIVINE GRAVITY - Grounded by God!**  
K-5G



6:30 **YOUTH GROUP**

6:30 **DIVINE DISCOVERIES**  
Adult Bible Studies led by Ed Bateman

7:00 **ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**  
*Friends, Food, Fellowship, Faith--Simply Divine!*

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**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**  
*February 18 • 7:00PM*

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the season of Lent, emphasizing two themes: our sinfulness before God and our human mortality. This deeply moving service focuses on both themes, helping us to realize that both have been triumphed through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

During our Ash Wednesday service, Pastor Beth and Adrian will lightly rub the sign of the cross with ashes onto the foreheads of worshipers. The use of ashes as a sign of mortality and repentance has a long history in Jewish and Christian worship. Historically, ashes signified purification and sorrow for sins. Today, the ash cross on the forehead is an outward sign of our sorrow and repentance for sins.

It is traditional to save the palm branches from the previous Palm Sunday service to burn to produce ashes for this service helping our worship year to move in a full cycle.

~ Adapted from *The United Methodist Book of Worship*

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**THE WAY - BIBLE STUDY**  
*Six week Lenten study with Pastor Beth*

During this in-depth Lenten study (following Adam Hamilton's book *The Way*), we will journey through the Holy Land exploring Jesus' ministry. From Jesus' baptism in the Jordan to his final week in Jerusalem, this study features video shot on location to help us deepen our understanding of Jesus' life and deepen our faith.

The same topic will be covered each Tuesday at 10:00AM and 7:00PM. Choose the time which works best for you or move between study times as your needs change each week. Each session will last between 45 and 50 minutes with a few minutes set aside for prayer.

*February 17*      **Baptism and Temptation:**  
*The Jordan River and the Wilderness*

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**CONFIRMATION CLASS 2015**  
*Sundays, February 15 ~ March 22*  
*4:00 ~ 5:00PM in the Sanctuary*

We will be wandering around the church looking at why we do the things we do. We'll be creative, have some fun, and explore our faith along the way. This isn't your typical lecture series. This is an exciting, hands-on, activity-driven, fast-paced journey through our faith! It's not for the faint of heart!

*For Parents:*

Confirmation refers to the decision a person makes to respond to God's grace with intentional commitment. Youth who would like to attend should have reached the age of 12 and be willing to commit to all six sessions. Parents are encouraged to attend each session with their confirmands.

On Easter Sunday, April 5, confirmands who have completed our intentional time of study and are ready to make a public profession of Jesus Christ as his or her personal Savior will be presented before the congregation to:

- 1) be baptized or publicly reaffirm his or her baptismal vows,
- 2) publically profess his or her faith in Jesus Christ, and
- 3) become a member of  
Divine Street United Methodist Church.



February 15, 2015

*Divine Street United Methodist Church*

*Rev. Elizabeth Gaines, Pastor*  
*Adrian Blue, Director of Youth and Children's Ministries*  
*Melanie Leslie, Director of Music Ministries*  
*Johnson Ramsaur, Interim Organist*  
*Patti Queipo, Preschool Director*

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*A Place to...Belong...Believe...Become*

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
*February 15, 2015 • 11:00 AM*  
**Transfiguration of the Lord**

**ENTRANCE**

*The people come together in the Lord's name.*

**PRELUDE**

"When in our Music God is Glorified" arr. Al Travis

**THE LIGHT OF CHRIST AMONG US**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;  
 God is to be revered above all gods.

*All: Honor and majesty are before God;  
 strength and joy are in God's place!*

One: Ascribe to the Lord, all peoples,  
 ascribe to the Lord glory and strength;

*All: We worship the Lord in holy splendor;  
 tremble before God, all the earth! Alleluia!*

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

"I Stand Amazed in the Presence" UMH 371 vs. 1, 2, 5

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**COMMUNITY JOYS, CONCERNS AND PRAYERS**

**HYMN** "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" UMH 349

**PROCLAMATION**

*The Scriptures are opened to the people.*

**CHILDREN'S SERMON • CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

**ANTHEM** "We Would See Jesus" Rouse

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE** Mark 9:2-9

**SERMON** "Powerful Times" Rev. Elizabeth Gaines

**RESPONSE**

*The people respond with acts of commitment and faith.*

**OFFERING**

Offertory "Glorify Thy Name" arr. Fettke

\*Doxology UMH 95

\*Dedication of the Offering

**SENDING FORTH**

*The people are sent into ministry with the Lord's blessing.*

**\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

"We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding" TFWS 2103

**\*THE LIGHT OF CHRIST GOES FORTH**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*CHORAL RESPONSE • TRINITY CHIMES**

**\*POSTLUDE** "Praise Him! Praise Him!" arr. McDonald

*\*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.*

**SUPPORTING THE CHURCH**

**BY OUR PRAYERS...**

Unless otherwise requested, prayer requests remain on this list for thirty days. We have an active prayer chain. If you have need for immediate prayer, please call the church office or Joanne Taylor at 910-892-7034.

Lou Allred	Stacey Johnson	Rochelle Pope
Mary L. Blalock	Ida C. Lawrence	Nancy Thomas
Chris Byrd	Janice Lever	Hannah Willoughby
Elliott Gifford	Frances Opperman	Judie Wilkinson
Anne Johnson	Teeny Perry	Kay Wood

**BY OUR SERVICE...**

**ACOLYTES**

February 15 Grace Wilson  
 February 22 Kyle Parker

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

February 22 Barbara Bynum  
 March 1 Kathy Bond

**ALTAR GUILD**

February Kathy Gower\*, Suzanne Wood  
 March Barbara Bynum\*, Kathy Bond

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH VOLUNTEERS**

February 15 Carson Welch  
 February 22 Wendy Spell

**FINANCE VOLUNTEERS**

February 15 Mickey Hollingsworth, Rudy King

**GREETERS**

February 15 Mickey, Nina Hollingsworth;  
 Joyce Draughon  
 February 22 Gordon, Polly Clapp;  
 Linda, Herman Medlin

**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS**

February 15 Joanne Taylor  
 February 22 Lisa Ennis

**USHERS**

February James Best, Richard Bond  
 Mark Brannon, Whit Brewer  
 March Harold Butts, Pete Bynum  
 Jerry Callahan, Gordon Clapp  
 April Charlie Crumpler, David Ennis  
 Al Gower, Larry Johnson

**YOUTH SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY DINNERS**

February 15 Coats

**WEDNESDAY VOLUNTEERS**

February 18 Slusser

**BY OUR ATTENDANCE...**

**RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK:**

Sunday School Attendance	50
Worship Attendance	125
Offering Received	\$ 3,120.20
Weekly Cash Needs	\$ 6,304.14

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**CALENDAR**

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>9:00AM</i>	<i>Chapel Prayer</i>
			<i>9:30AM</i>	<i>Courtyard Coffee/Juice</i>
			<i>9:45AM</i>	<i>Sunday School</i>
			<i>10:45AM</i>	<i>Sanctuary Music</i>
			<i>11:00AM</i>	<i>Worship Service</i>
			<i>Our nursery is staffed from 9:00AM until 12:30PM</i>	
			<i>12:15PM</i>	<i>Cherub Choir</i>
			<i>4:00PM</i>	<i>Confirmation Class</i>
			<i>5:00PM</i>	<i>Youth Group</i>
			<i>5:00PM</i>	<i>Handbell Rehearsal</i>
			<i>6:00PM</i>	<i>Trustees</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>10:30AM</i>	<i>UMW</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>10:00AM</i>	<i>Lenten Bible Study</i>
			<i>7:00PM</i>	<i>Lenten Bible Study</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>7:00PM</i>	<i>Ash Wednesday Service</i>
<i>February 20 - 21</i>				<i>UMW*</i>
				<i>*Women in Mission - Wake Forest UMC</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>7:00PM</i>	<i>Church Council</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>3:00PM</i>	<i>Youth to DUMA</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>5:30PM</i>	<i>Chili Cook Off</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>February</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>9:30AM</i>	<i>UMW Meeting*</i>
				<i>*Capital District Cluster meeting - North Raleigh UMC</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3:00PM</i>	<i>UMW Joint Meeting</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>9:00AM</i>	<i>Stop Hunger Now</i>

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**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

February 1 Polly Clapp	February 17 Harold Butts
February 2 Heidi Hamilton	February 18 Willie Ferrell
February 2 Patti Queipo	February 19 Lillie Turlington
February 5 Casey Nunnery	February 19 Nicholas Turlington
February 5 Ronnie Wood	February 19 Betsy West
February 9 Susan Horton	February 20 William Creel III
February 10 Joey Nunnery	February 20 Nathaniel Duval
February 11 Carrie Priest	February 22 Avery Apperson
February 11 Anna O. Uzzell	February 23 Greyson Spell
February 11 Attie Ross Welch	February 23 Katie Turlington
February 13 Huntsie Strickland	February 23 Lauren E. Walker
February 14 Sherrell Taylor	February 24 Peggy Mason
February 14 Debbie Wood	February 24 Carolyn Smith
February 15 Juanita Simmons	February 28 Barbara Bynum

