



# Weekly Email Blast!

## Events this Week and Beyond!

### Thurs Feb 21

Noon verse-by-Verse Bible Study  
7:30pm AA Meeting  
8:00pm Zumba

### Fri Feb 22

7:00pm FLW Basketball  
7:00pm Fountain of Living Water (FLW)

### Sat Feb 23

11:30am Arline Smith Memorial Service  
Noon Open Library at La Casita  
4:00pm Baby Shower in the gym  
6:00pm Fountain of Living Water (FLW) Men's & Women's groups

### Sun Feb 24

9:30am Worship  
10:45am Sunday School  
11:00am Coffee and Conversation  
IHN/Family Promise families arrive

### Mon Feb 25

5:30pm FLW Basketball  
7:00pm Thorsmen  
8:00 Zumba

### Tues Feb 26

9:00am Tuesday Crew  
6:30pm Festival Chorale rehearsal  
7:00pm FLW (Fountain of Living Water)

### Wed Feb 27

9:00am Rosemallers  
9:00m Basic Life Support class  
11:00am Open Library at La Casita  
11:00am Pastor's Study Group  
4:30 Adult First Aid/CPR class  
6:00pm Bell Choir rehearsal  
7:00pm Vocal Choir rehearsal  
8:00pm Zumba

### Thurs Feb 28

Noon Verse-by-Verse Bible Study  
7:30pm AA Meeting  
8:00pm Zumba

### Fri March 1

7:00pm FLW Basketball  
7:00pm Fountain of Living Water (FLW)

### Saturday March 2

4:00pm Birthday party in the gym

### Sunday March 3

9:30am Worship  
10:45am Sunday School  
11:00am Coffee and Conversation  
IHN/Family Promise families leave

## Endowment Accepting Scholarship Applications!

The Holy Cross Endowment Fund is accepting scholarship applications for 2019. Up to four scholarships of \$500 each will be available to qualified candidates attending an accredited college, university or vocational school. At present there is \$1,000 available for 2019 scholarships, and we hope to raise more. All members, their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren are eligible, excluding employees of Holy Cross and Endowment Committee members.

The Scholarship Policy and Application forms (which contain other rules and details) are available in the church office and in the narthex. Applications must be submitted to the Endowment Committee no later than May 1, 2019.

The 2019 Salem-Keizer Homeless Connect event is again being co-organized by the Salem Leadership Foundation and Community Action Agency. Last year they were able to serve 436 guests with the help of 227 volunteers! Here is the link to the event website where you can find information about the event and how you can get involved:  
<http://www.salemlf.org/CONNECT2019>.

Or you can connect with Jared Rogers at 503/339-6961 or at [rogersjaredt@gmail.com](mailto:rogersjaredt@gmail.com)

*Don't forget to bring in snacks for the weekly brown bags we provide to Washington Elementary students. We're serving 30 children now!*

**Sunday Servants 2-24-19**

**Guest Preacher  
Manuel Borbon**

Worship Assistant:  
Karen Halvorson

Lector:

Naomi Tweet

Communion Assistant:

Naomi Tweet

Acolyte: TBD

**Usher for February:**

Jack Ruscoe

**Sunday Servants 3-3-19**

Worship Assistant:  
TBD

Lector:

TBD

Communion Assistant:

TBD

Acolyte: TBD

**Altar Care for March:**

Karen Halvorson and  
Sarah Tolleson

Are you looking to re-home your under utilized BBQ? We had one that wore out last year.

Please let the office know if this is a donation you would be willing to make!

Thanks!



*An informal gathering of family and friends will be held in the gym on Saturday, February 23, 2019, at 11:30am for Arline Smith, who passed away on January 17th. All church members are welcome to attend. Coffee, cookies and a light lunch will be served.*

**Girl Scout Cookies**

*Will be on sale again, this Sunday, February 24th.*

*You know you can't pass up a box of Thin Mints!*



It's almost time for the Synod Regional Gathering!

Last spring, we met as a region in Corvallis and learned so much about each other and the possibilities for coordination and learning as a Region.

We will meet again coming up on Saturday, March 16th in Corvallis, at Grace Lutheran!

There will be two sessions - the morning session is for folks very involved with this idea from the beginning.

YOU ARE INVITED to attend to learn more about how we as churches and communities can connect beyond our church to the region as a whole.

The full group meeting will begin at 1 pm and conclude by 4 pm.

Who should attend? Anyone who wants to see Lutherans connect MORE, and make MORE of an impact in our communities!

We need: Drivers, and someone to coordinate for Holy Cross (to turn in numbers of people who have RSVPd) Is it you? Call Janet in the office to add your name to the list! - Blessings Pastor Patricia!