Glorify God Grow in Christ and Green Valley **Generously Share** God's Love and Grace Presbyterian Church February 2019 From the Pastor's Desk Events, Programs I've lived in Nevada just long enough to know that spring is around the corner; and I can't wait. Activities, and Meetings to attend this month Perhaps like yourself, by this time each year I find myself yearning for longer days, sunlight, and outdoor activities. Just as we need sunlight to stimulate our minds and replenish our bodies with vitamin D, spiritually we grow when we make room in our daily lives for time with God. \*Adult Bible Study 2 New Member Class As I look to the year ahead, I'm excited about numerous learning and growth opportunities at GVPC. 3 Senior Resources I've been given the opportunity to help lead an 8-day trip to Israel with Collette Tours from October 28 to November 5. I hope you will consider being a part of this trip as we explore the landscape of Israel 3 \*GriefShare with its rich Biblical history and visit iconic sights such as the Church of the Nativity, the Sea of Galilee, CareNotes Qumran, Masada, the Western Wall, the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, and the Church Financial Statement 4 of the Holy Sepulchre. For more information, reach out to me or plan to attend a meeting with a Monthly Money Collette representative on Wednesday, February 20 at 6:00 pm. 4 Matters Our Membership and Outreach Committee is planning a New Member Inquiry Class on Saturday, 5 \*Deacons Cornei February 23 at 9:00 am. If you've ever thought about exploring membership at GVPC, I encourage you to sign up for this class. It promises to be a fun and informative morning of learning and making new Session Hiahliahts 5 friendships. \*Page-Turners 6 Adopt-a-Park On Wednesday, March 6, we will begin our observance of Lent with our traditional Ash Wednesday \*Confirmation Communion Service at 7:00 pm. Our service will also include the imposition of ashes. This year during \*Sunday School 7 Lent we will be exploring guideposts on the journey of faith as we look at the stories of men and \*Dana's Place women in the New Testament who had life-changing encounters with Jesus. Each week during Lent, Save the Date 8 I will also be leading a Wednesday evening worship service with a meditation designed to help us focus on our need for God's gifts of grace. 8 Bunco \*Ladies Luncheon Have you ever wondered what takes place at a meeting of Nevada Presbytery? Consider stopping by \*Shopping Trip Westminster Presbyterian Church in Las Vegas from March 11-13 to learn more about how the Ginaerbread 9 churches in our presbytery work together, share ideas, and make decisions in order to help expand \*Friends in the Desert our collective ministry and outreach throughout Nevada. Following her popular presentation last spring, we will be welcoming Rev. Lydia Sarandan to present a 10 \*Youth Connection workshop on "Faith, Perseverance, and Resilience in an Ever-Changing World." Join us on Saturday, March 30 for this opportunity to explore practical ways to cultivate the Christian characteristics of February Calendar 11 perseverance and resilience as we encounter and work our way through life's expected and unexpected challenges. Our morning will begin at 8:30 am with refreshments and our class will begin at Staff, Elders of 9:00 am. Session and Board 12 of Deacons. Worship Services Spring is coming and God's abundant grace is always near. Take time to bask in the Light of Christ. PLEASE NOTE: Grace and Peace -VISION Articles are always due on the

15th of each month

Pastor Adrian

# Monday Night Women's Bible Study

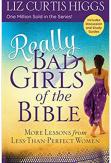
Here We Go Again!

Couldn't get enough of the Bad Girls? Well, come join us as we study the "**Really** Bad Girls of the Bible." If you've already read "Bad Girls of the Bible," welcome back. If this is your first chance to sit across from one another, welcome home. Trust me, it's a safe place to be – a place of grace, not judgment. A place where God is in charge and we're not. Whether they were *Bad and Proud of It*, *Bad for a Good Reason, Bad but Not Condemned*, or found themselves in the wrong place at the wrong time, the lives of the "**Really** Bad Girls of the Bible" all demonstrate one thing: God's Sovereignty. Although we're all less than perfect, these girls are ready to share their stories.

This 8-week course begins with chapter 1 on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11 in the GVPC Conference Room from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

A sign-up sheet is located in the Narthex. The books can be purchased on Amazon.

Please contact Julie Winkler, Moderator at <u>7winks@cox.net</u> with questions or to sign up.



# Ladies Bible Fellowship

Join us Wednesday, February 6 and 20 at 10:00 am. in the Conference Room.

We are studying Prayer: "Experiencing Awe and Intimacy with God" by Timothy Keller.

For more information, contact group leader Cindy Cerullo or the church office (702) 454-8484.

# Phoebe Bible Study

We invite all Ladies to join us at Phoebe Bible Study. Linda Zeller will lead a study of Proverbs.

This group meets 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Come for an afternoon of insightful discussion.

# Men's Bible Study and Fellowship

This group of men meet at the church on Saturday mornings at 8:00 am for Bible Study and breakfast on the  $2^{nd}$  Saturday of the month.

The group is currently studying the Books of John 1, 2, and 3 led by Kurt Johnson.

On the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month we meet at 11:30 am for a casual lunch at Barley's located at 4500 E. Sunset Rd.

For more information, contact Joe Willis at <u>jwillis40@cox.net</u>. We look forward to meeting you!

# **New Member Inquiry Class**

Are you interested exploring church membership and learning more about GVPC?

Please join us at the GVPC New Member Inquiry Class on **Saturday, February 23 from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm in the GVPC Conference Room.** The class will include a history of the Church, the Creeds and Confessions, Church Polity, structure of the Presbyterian Church, the history of GVPC, and opportunities for Christian Education, Fellowship, and Service.

The membership class is required for anyone who wishes to become a member of GVPC. Those who simply want to know more about the church are also welcome.

Refreshments will be provided and childcare upon request.

A sign up sheet is located in the Narthex or call the church office at (702) 454-8484 for more information, to request childcare, and to RSVP.

#### **Senior Resources**

Many of the ideas for topics are mentioned to me by members of the congregation who want to share a resource that they have found helpful. One of our members has found so much relief in her suffering from neuropathy that she wanted to let others know about it. She is referring to the St. Rose Integrative Medical Center in Henderson. Here is information that I have learned from exploring their website and their ad in the newspaper. An ad that you have probably seen shows a foot about to come down on a bunch of tacks.

#### St. Rose Integrative Medical Center

10561 Jeffreys St. Ste. 100
Henderson, NV 89052
702-342-0034 (phone number on website)
702-703-5765 (phone number on newspaper ad)
Open 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. on Monday through Thursday

The program at St. Rose Integrative Medical Center is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent any specific disease. Their objective is to relieve symptoms of neuropathy and other types of inflammatory neuropathic pain conditions. The treatments are not painful and require no downtime. Dr. Yvonne Charmaine Ortega heads up the program. She has a 30-year career in emergency medicine and has a passion for new, cutting-edge medical technology. Dr. Ortega is widely regarded as a leader in neuropathy medicine and patients from all over the country come here for relief. Free consultations are available. Not all patients are candidates for treatment or are accepted for care. Further information is available at info@stroseimc.com.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Rauenbuehler Director of Congregational Care

CareNotes	GriefShare
<ul> <li>The latest order of <b>CareNotes</b> has arrived. These topics have been added to the displays located at the entrance to the Sanctuary:</li> <li>1. Healing the Wounds of Divorce.</li> </ul>	The full GriefShare, Grief Recovery Support Group program will be offered at GVPC for the first time beginning on Sunday, February 10 at 1:00 pm in the Conference Room.
<ol> <li>What to Say to Someone Who Has Cancer.</li> <li>Weaving Body, Mind, and Spirit into Chronic Disease.</li> <li>Turning to a Chaplain for Care and Support.</li> <li>When a Loved One's Care Decisions Are in Your Hands.</li> </ol>	There are 13 weekly sessions that focus on different topics. It is recommended that you attend all sessions, as each session is self-contained.
The motto on each CareNote is <i>"Take One – and Take Heart. Give One – and Give Hope."</i> Please help yourself to these wonderful booklets or share with a loved one or friend who may be experiencing	Please RSVP to the church office or sign up in the Narthex. Next to the signup sheet, there is a brochure that explains GriefShare, including the topic for each session. You can also register by using "Find a Group" feature at <u>www.griefshare.org</u> .
difficulty in their life.	Contact Dave Cornell or Doug Small with questions.

#### **Monthly Money Matters**

January 2019

**2018 Year in Review:** Financially the church ended 2018 in very good shape. A highlight of the year was a generous donation to the building fund that allowed the loan taken to build the CE Building to be retired. The church has no debt for the first time since moving to our present location. The operating fund also ended the year in good shape thanks to the generous offerings from the faithful members of the congregation. Offerings were \$27,529 over the budget which made up for the loss of the rent income from the Filipino congregation. Overall, income was \$17,134 over budget. Expenses were well controlled by those with responsibility for the various accounts. Spending was \$1597 or 0.23 percent over the \$684,400 budget. Overall income exceeded expenses by \$15,537.

Tax Deferral Opportunities: As you start planning your finances for 2019, we want you to be aware of two methods to give to the church that may offer tax advantages for certain people. The first is from the Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) of an IRA. If you are required to make a RMD, you can give up to \$100,000 to recognized charities including your church. The potential advantage of this is that the amount transferred to charity does not have to be shown as income on your tax return; however, the gift cannot be claimed as a deduction if you itemize. This may be of advantage to more people since the latest tax law increased the standardized deduction substantially. To gain the tax advantage, your IRA custodian must send a check directly to the church.

The second method is to donate appreciated stock to the church through Charles Schwab, the church's broker. The advantage of this method is that you do not have to claim the gain on the stock as income but you can claim the value of the shares on the day you donate them as an itemized deduction on your taxes. Please let the church office know if you choose to make a donation in this manner as Schwab does not always know the source of the donated stocks.

If you have questions about how either of these techniques might apply to your situations, contact a tax advisor as the church cannot give tax advice. If you would like more details on how to make your gift with either of these techniques, contact either Allen Randle or Carol Johnson in the church office.

	Financial St	tatement -	- December 2018	
Current Income & Expense			Building Fund Income & Expense	
	YTD Actual	/TD Budget		Year to Date
Offerings	\$687,529	\$660,000	Offerings	\$166,046
Cell Tower Utilities	\$8,123	\$7,400	Monthly Loan Payments	\$131,123
Other Income	\$5,883	\$17,000	Facility Projects	\$14,770
Total Income	\$701,534	\$684,400		
Total Expense	685996.84	684400	Income Over/(Under) Expense	\$20,153
Net Income/(Loss)	\$15,537	\$0		
Temporary Restricted Funds	December	Year	Principal Balance on Loan	\$0
Beginning Balance	\$75,747	\$65,375	BF Checking Account Balance	\$35,322
Restricted Income	\$14,898	\$164,945		\$0
Restricted Expense	\$9,301	\$148,976	Custodial Fund Balance	\$213,342
Ending Balance	\$81,344	\$81,344	<b>Misssion Development Certificates</b>	\$75,260
Checking Account Balance			Total Synod Investments	\$288,602
Operating Fund		\$120,816		
Restricted Funds		\$81,344		

#### Respectfully, The Administration Committee

#### **Deacons Corner**

The Board of Deacons is very grateful for your continued and generous support in the form of money in the Deacons envelopes & items for the food banks we support!! Please, keep it up!! There are lots of people in need.

#### Save the Date!!

Meet Your Deacon Sunday is scheduled for March 17..... Please come and meet your Deacon!

The next Blood Drive is scheduled for March 24, please add this date to your calendars. Thank you for your support!!

#### <u>Thank You</u>

Thanks to your unending support, the Board of Deacons were able to gift the Henderson Food Bank almost \$2000.00 for the holiday season.

The Deacons recognize that without you we could not share God's love to the extent as expressed by your generous giving. Please remember to bring your extra food items for the Henderson Presbyterian Church Food Bank and bulk food items for Friends of the Desert.

We thank you again for your continued material and financial support so we can do more for others!

**GVPC Board of Deacons** 

#### **Session Highlights**

The Membership and Outreach Committee is sponsoring the GriefShare Support program from February 10 through May 5, 2019. GriefShare is a weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Mia Rios will lead the group. Contact Doug Small at <u>dwsmall@cox.net</u> to sign up.

A Special Meeting of Session was held on December 5, 2018, to conduct a New Member Inquirer's Class and we welcome Jim and Gina Burns and Lenor Yake to our family of faith. We also welcome Sheri Watts as an affiliate member.

Cora Gayle Sutton, daughter of Ryan and Milah Sutton, received the Sacrament of Baptism on December 23, 2018. We welcome her to our family of faith.

Session approved another training session with The Rev Dr. Lydia Sarandan on March 30-31, 2019. It is a continuation of an earlier session "Everyone Needs Care." More information will follow.

Debra McMorris was nominated and received as Deacon to fill an unexpired term.

A Search Committee was approved to start work on finding our next Director of Music Ministries.

Due to the cancellation of our DIY Messiah Concert, the Missions Committee and the Deacons have generously offered to add money to the funds generated from the basket raffle sales to make up the difference from previous years.

Respectfully submitted,

Hanny Viner Clerk of Session

Page Turners	Adopt-a-Park
The Page Turners Book Club will be meeting at 1:30 pm on Thursday, February 7 in the Conference Room to discuss the book " <i>The House of Silk</i> " by Anthony Horowitz.	On the 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month, our volunteers clean the Trail through the Wash area of Green Valley, Mountain View Park, Valle Verde from the Baptist Church to Wigwam, and the church grounds.
Chosen by the Arthur Conan Doyle Estate because of his proven ability to tell a transfixing story and for his passion for all things Holmes, bestselling author Anthony	Thanks to the following who assisted for their time, dedication and effort in beautifying our community.
Horowitz picks up the narratives of Dr. John Watson as he	Jim & Bug Bond
and Sherlock Holmes tackle an international conspiracy.	David & Jan Carey
	Shari Jackson
Our discussion of the book will be led by Christine Dunn.	Ted & Linda Rauenbuehler
	Rick Wagner
Our book for March 2019 will be	
"The Fates and Furies" by Lauren Groff.	We clean the 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month, and we meet at the church at 8:00 am. Please contact the church office at
Join us for an afternoon for fellowship and discussion.	(702) 454-8484 for more information or to volunteer!
	Please consider joining us in creating and preserving clean and safe trails for all to enjoy!

#### **GVPC 2019 CONFIRMATION PROGRAM**



Information Meeting for Students and Parents Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup> 11:45 am

#### Christian Education Building Room #7

The Christian Education Committee is pleased to announce the formation of the 2019 Confirmation Program for students seventh through twelfth grade. Confirmation is an important step on a young person's faith journey; the youth in confirmation have the opportunity to voice their belief and faith and to claim the promise of their baptism. Together, we will explore the Christian Faith, the Reformed tradition, the Bible, and discover what it means to be a Christian today. Upon completion of the program, students will be invited to become members of the Church by presenting a Statement of Faith to the Session.

Parents and youth are invited to an informational meeting on Sunday, March  $24^{th}$  to learn more about the program, review the class schedule, and discuss the retreat. The first class is March  $30^{th}$  at 10:00 am – 11:00 am

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Renee Kelly at 454-8484 ext 504.

# Sunday Morning Children's Programs

The Green Valley Presbyterian Church nursery is located in the Christian Education building, directly across the campus from the Sanctuary. The nursery is available from 8:45 to 11:45 am on Sunday mornings. Babies from birth through 3 years are welcome.

Children begin the morning in the Sanctuary with their families. After the Children's Sermon the students will be escorted to the C. E. building where they will report to their appropriate classrooms:

Pre-K/Kindergarten – Room 4, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Room 3, 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade – room 1

Sunday school classes for ages 4 through  $5^{th}$  grade are being offered each Sunday morning during the 10:30 am worship service. "*Deep Blue – At Home with God*" is being utilized in our  $1^{st} - 5^{th}$  grade Sunday school classes. Join us as we finish Unit 3: Family Wisdom and begin Unit 4: Observing Lent with your family.

02-03-19 Family Proverbs (Proverbs 10:1; 17:17) 02-10-19 The Stories of the Lost (Luke 15:3-10) 02-17-19 The Forgiving Father (Luke 15:11-32)

02-24-19 The Two Debtors (Luke 7:41-43)

Gospel Light's *"Growing with God"* curriculum is being utilized in our Pre-K/Kindergarten class at 10:30 am and our Celebration Program at 9:00 am.

02-03-19 Lesson #22 - Woman at the Well (John 4:3-42)
02-10-19 Lesson #23 - Jesus' Prayer (Matthew 6:5-13; Mark 1:35-37; Luke 11:1-4)
02-17-19 Lesson #24 - Jesus Loves Children (Matthew 19:13-15; Mark 10:13-16)
02-24-19 Lesson #25- Jesus Loves Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10)

Julie Dorse Director of Children's Ministries

# HAPPY 15TH ANNIVERSARY and OPEN HOUSE DANA'S PLACE, THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

Our church family is invited to celebrate the 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Dana's Place on Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup>. Celebrate the "Blessings of the Library" for our children, parents, grandparents, and everyone involved in nurturing our children.

The Children's sermon that day will focus on Psalm 23, "God is my Shepherd and I am His little lamb." Note: The Rainbow choir will be singing that day at 10:30 am.

Celebrate at the coffee hour with special refreshments. Browse the latest biblical selections on display during the coffee hour. Talk to a Dana's Place member.

THEN..... Take a short walk to the Christian Ed Building...AND continue this celebration with an OPEN HOUSE of the Library. A Dana's Place member will greet you there.

Dana's Place was established in memory of Dana Lesher by her parents, Kay & Neal Lesher and family, with the guidance of Pastor Hilda Pecoraro and with the permission of the Session.

In Celebration, Dana's Place Committee

#### **Monthly Ladies Luncheon**

Thursday, February 7 at 11:30 am at Olive Garden on Sunset Rd.

Please RSVP Linda Rauenbuehler at (702) 558-7829 or <u>Ilrauenbuehler@cox.net</u>.

We have a great group of ladies and we extend the invitation for more to join us! See you there!

# Chico's Shopping Trip

The Fellowship Committee invites all ladies to come shopping with us! We have scheduled a trip to Chico's clothing store in the Las Vegas Premium Outlets on Wednesday, February 13 at 10:00 am.

The Premium Outlet Mall is located on Las Vegas Blvd. and Warm Springs. Chico's is in the far south portion of the mall. We will meet at the store at 10:00 am. Afterwards, we will go to lunch in one of the food courts.

Please RSVP by calling Anna Mae Wood at 702-896-9701 or Linda Rauenbuehler at 702-558-7829 or <u>llrauenbueh-</u> <u>ler@cox.net</u>. Let us know if you would like to meet at the church about 9:40 to carpool or if you would rather drive straight to the outlet mall.

#### Mama's Wranglers Jackson Family Band & Cloggers

The Fellowship Committee invites all to enjoy the ultimate western experience! "Mama's Wranglers have been named "YOUNG ENTERTAINERS OF THE YEAR" 3 times! Enjoy an array of instruments, 4-part vocal harmonies, and amazing clogging that takes the energy level over the top."

When: Friday, March 1 at 6:30 pm
Where: Firelight Barn Dinner Theater 133 W. Lake Mead Pkwy.
What: BBQ & Live Music
Cost: Tickets \$32 includes dinner and show.

Tickets can be purchased in the Narthex thru February 24. Please contact Bernadette O'Neill with questions.

#### Bunco

Join us at the monthly Bunco event! We will meet on **Thursday, February 21** from 10:00 am -12:00 pm in the GVPC Fellowship Hall.

We have a very friendly, fun and energetic group of players and we welcome you to *Come Roll With Us!* 

For further information please contact Linda Rauenbuehler at (702) 558-7829 or <u>llrauenbuehler@cox.net</u>.

#### SAVE THE DATE

For the following upcoming events at GVPC:

**WOMEN'S BIBLE FELLOWSHIP** WEDNESDAYS, FEBRUARY 6 & 20 ~ 10:00 AM

> LADIES LUNCHEON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7 ~ 11:30 AM OLIVE GARDEN ON SUNSET RD.

**PAGE TURNERS BOOK CLUB** THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7 ~ 1:30 PM

**PHOEBE BIBLE STUDY** FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 & 22 ~ 1:00 PM

**GRIEFSHARE SUPPORT** SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10 ~ 1:00 pm

Women's Bible Study Monday, February 11 ~ 7:00 pm

SHOPPING TRIP - LAS VEGAS PREMIUM OUTLETS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 ~ 10:00 AM

> **GINGERBREAD CRAFT MEETING** MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18 ~ 10:00 AM

Bunco Thursday, February 21~ 10:00 am

**New Member Inquiry Class** Saturday, February 23 ~ 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

> **Men's Luncheon** Tuesday, February 26 ~ 11:30 am Barleys on Sunset

> > **Men's Bible Study** Saturdays ~ 8:00 am

# Welcome All Crafters!

The Gingerbread Fair Committee's February 4<sup>th</sup> meeting will be a luncheon at The Claim Jumper, 601 N. Green Valley Parkway, Henderson, at 11:30 am. To add your name to the list of attendees, call Bernadette O'Neill at 702-340-3525, <u>bmburke99@yahoo.com</u> or Pam Yates at 702-912-0438, <u>pamjohnyates@gmail.com</u>. The cost is \$20 and must be prepaid.

Our craft session for February will be on Monday, February 18<sup>th</sup> in Fellowship Hall at 10:00 am. You are invited to join us for fun and fellowship. Not only do our members work on group projects at craft sessions, they are busy year-round at home creating many of our limited edition and specialty items.

Business meetings for the Gingerbread Fair Committee are usually the first Monday of the month, held in the Conference Room, 10:00 am, at which time we make decisions concerning the October 12<sup>th</sup> fair and financial considerations. The third Monday of the month is usually our craft session, held in Fellowship Hall, 10:00 am, at which group crafts are led by members. Contact Estelle Brennan, craft coordinator, 702-721-6026 or <u>estelleavb@hotmail.com</u>. Multiple craft projects are on-going during these sessions and we always welcome anyone willing to lend a hand and enjoy fellowship at the same time. If you sew, paint, stitch, bead, stamp, crochet, knit, use a glue gun, wood-work.... you get the idea...join us!

Our co-chairs will answer questions you have about our fun group: Shari Jackson at 702-860-4032, <u>sharij89074@cox.net</u> or Julie Winkler at 702-269-0303, <u>7winks@cox.net</u>.

### Friends in the Desert

On January 12, we served our guests a meal of all beef chili cheese dogs, coleslaw, bread and butter pickles, brownies, chips, milk, lemonade and coffee. Once again, our guests were very happy with the menu! We served 87 hot meals, as well as 35 take-out meals. Grateful thanks to all who donated money and food or who came to help serve.

Our GVPC "Lunch Brigade" (the GVPC team responsible for preparing the sack lunches for FITD) prepared and delivered 90 sack lunches to our Friends In The Desert this month. If you are interested in joining the FITD Lunch Brigade (the team responsible for preparing sack lunches every second Friday of the month and dropping them off at GVPC) please contact Judy Avery for more information at(702) 528-6775 or email her at <u>javery30@gmail.com</u>.

After enjoying their home cooked meal, our FITD visitors were given the opportunity to pick up items of clothing donated by the members of our congregation. Our supply of men's and women's white crew socks and X-Large sweatshirts and ladies sweat pants in large is running low. If you would like to donate any of these items for distribution next month, you may leave them on the shelves in the Sacristy or in the church office. Please mark your items FITD.

The February 9<sup>th</sup> luncheon will be comprised of teriyaki meatballs, rice, green beans, asian salad, rolls and butter and Valentine's cookies. The February co-chairs are Lorne Schmidt (702) 738-0738 and Terry McNamara (702) 588-3803.

Volunteers for food items and/or helping to serve are always appreciated and welcome. The full menu is located on the sign up board at the back of the Narthex. Items you sign up for must be delivered to the church Fellowship Hall kitchen no later than 11:30 am on Friday, Feb. 8, or delivered to the back door at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church (43 West Pacific Ave, Henderson) on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> by 10:45 am. Please mark all items you leave at the church "FITD" with your name.

Blessings to all of you in God's service of helping the less fortunate,

Connie Mulick and Dianna Schuster-Proud January 2019 FITD Co-Chairs

# **PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH CONNECTION**

**FEBRUARY 2019** 

# SUCCESS!!

The New Years Lock in at Grace Presbyterian **Church!** 



#### 2019 IS OFF TO A GREAT START!

THANK YOU TO DEBBIE MELDRUM, AND AMBER HART FOR SUPPLING LUNCH IN JANUARY!

# LOOKING FORWARD TO CHRIST - CENTERED YEAR!

#### John 3:16-18 The Message (MSG)

<sup>16-18</sup> "This is how much God loved the world: He gave his Son, his one and only Son. And this is why: so that no one need be destroyed; by believing in him, anyone can have a whole and lasting life. God didn't go to all the trouble of sending his Son merely to point an accusing finger, telling the world how bad it was. He came to help, to put the world right again. Anyone who trusts in him is acquitted; anyone who refuses to trust him has long since been under the death sentence without knowing it. And why? Because of that person's failure to believe in the one-of-a-kind Son of God when introduced to him.

#### Souper Bowl of Caring:



Is inspiring a youth-led movement to help hungry and hurting people around the world. A simple prayer: "Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those who are without a bowl of soup to eat ." "Details in March!

# **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

NASCAR ~ Set up, Feb. 23 at 8:30; NASCAR RACE DAYS ~ March 1st - 3rd, times to be announced.

March 9<sup>th</sup> (Sat) The Road Show 2019 at the Henderson Pavillion the cost for a group of 15 is \$5.00, see Renee for details!

Youth group will meet from 11:30 – 2:30 each Sunday with the exception of March 3rd due to NASCAR!

**COMING SOON! A SNAPCHAT Private Group Newsletter!** Serving Christ with you, Renee Kelly (702) 454-8484 X 504

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# Join us for Worship:

#### Saturday Evening 5:00-6:00 PM A Cry Room is available for parents with infants.

Sunday Morning Traditional Service 9:00 & 10:30 AM with Communion the first Sunday of each month. *Nursery Provided.* 

Sunday School 10:40 AM– 11:30 AM for children K-5th grade

<u>Coffee Hour and Fellowship</u> 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall