

# UPCOMING EVENTS

**Sunday, February 13: Sunday School for  
all Adults & Children, 9 am**

**Sunday, February 13: Live Worship in the Sanctuary, 10 am**

**Sunday, February 13: Livestream Worship on  
YouTube Channel, 10 am**

**Wednesday, February 16: Pastor Mark's Bible Study on Zoom, 11  
am**

**Looking ahead...**

**Helen Mitchell's Memorial: February 19th, 1 pm**

**Donna Coordes' Memorial: February 26th, 2 pm**

**Jr. & Sr. UMY Rock-a-Thon: April 22nd-April 23rd**

Hi friends,

We are putting together the schedule for the Season of Lent which is fast approaching. In next week's Email we will have a full listing of the Lenten Services here at Kennewick First that we all can participate in.

Here are some of the things happening at Kennewick First in the upcoming days and weeks.

## **Wednesday Morning Bible Study**

Last week we had some issues connecting to the internet to have our Bible Study. The problem is fixed, and we will be meeting again this Wednesday at 11 am to continue our Study of the Book of Romans. Join us on the Zoom Platform as we begin a Study of the Book of Romans . Here is the link: <https://greaternw.zoom.us/j/96778398043> Meeting ID: 967 7839 8043. We are continuing the study on the first chapter of Romans this week.

Feel free to join us for this study with friends!

## **Things to look forward to this Sunday at Worship**

Whether you join us in person or online, we want to encourage you to join us as we share in celebrating and worshipping together. This week Pastor Mark will be continuing to explore the “Good News” that Jesus gives us in the Gospels. On Sunday, Pastor Mark will look at the tension Jesus presents between the roll of Priests and Prophets in his time and ours, in his sermon, “When you work for a ‘non-prophet’ organization.” If you come to the decision that meeting in person is not the best choice for you right now, know that you can tune in on Sunday mornings (or at any other time for that matter) and participate in our times of worship via our YouTube Live Stream. You can find the live stream at: <https://www.youtube.com/PiratesoftheColumbia> Sunday morning at 10 am.

## **Memorial Services Scheduled**

A couple of our dear friends of the congregation have passed away in the last month and memorial services are scheduled to celebrate and remember them.

***Helen Mitchell’s*** Memorial is scheduled for 1 pm on February 19th, and ***Donna Coordes’*** service is scheduled for 2 pm on February 26th.

We hope you can join us in celebrating and remembering these wonderful women who meant so much to many of us!

## **A quick reminder...**

As our community moves through the latest spike in a worldwide pandemic, we want to remind us of all of the protocols we have in place for gathering in person inside our church facilities. We are so appreciative of your help in doing all we can to “do no harm” while we continue to gather in person

- 1) Regardless of your vaccination status, we are asking that everyone who enters our facility wear a mask.
- 2) We will have sanitizing stations at the entrance of the sanctuary, and we ask that everyone sanitize their hands before entering to worship.
- 3) We ask that we maintain a safe social distance from our neighbors while in the building [3-6 feet between family groups/households.]
- 4) Limit the amount of time we are gathered in enclosed places together.
- 5) After each Sunday worship service, we will “fog” the sanctuary with sanitizer when we leave.
- 6) Continue to make our worship services available via a live stream so that you can participate from the safety of your home.
- 7) **Temporarily** suspend congregational singing during worship services.
- 8) Encourage everyone to stay home if you are feeling sick, have a fever or are showing symptoms of the virus or have been in close contact with someone who has the virus.