February

- Sun, Feb. 11 The Gathering Worship Service, 9:00 AM Café Worship Service, 10:30 AM Sunday School & Pipeline, 9:00 AM Next Steps-Step 2 (s.2), 9:00 AM, LL #100 Choir Practice, Noon, LL #106 Iglesia Bíblica Worship Service, 2:00-4:00 PM, S Family Superbowl Party, 4:30 PM, NC/K No Ignite or Fusion
- Mon, Feb. 12 Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM, LL #102 Elder Board Meeting, 6:00 PM, LL #106 Deacon Board Meeting, 6:00 PM, NC
- Wed, Feb. 14 Sr. Life Group, 1:00 PM, NC Awana: Journey/Trek at 5:30 PM, & Cubbies-T & T at 6:15 PM Women's Study, 6:15 PM, LL #106
- Thur, Feb. 15 Moms & Girls' Study, 10:00 AM-Noon, LL #106 Blood Drive, Noon-6:00 PM, NC Iglesia Bíblica Prayer, 6:00 PM, LL #101 No MBC Worship Team Practice
- Fri, Feb. 16 Church in use, 8:45 AM-3:30 PM Primetimers Pizza Hut Lunch, 11:30 AM, Monroe Pizza Hut Iglesia Bíblica Worship Practice, 5:30 PM, S
- Sat, Feb. 17 Iglesia Bíblica Marriage Seminar, 4:00-9:00 PM, all church
- Sun, Feb. 18 The Lord's Table The Gathering Worship Service, 9:00 AM Café Worship Service, 10:30 AM Sunday School & Pipeline, 9:00 AM Next Steps-Step 3, 9:00 AM, Library Iglesia Bíblica Worship Service, 2:00-4:00 PM, S Ignite, 4:00-6:00 PM, NC Fusion, 6:00-8:00 PM, NC
- Mon, Feb. 19 Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM, LL #102
- Wed, Feb. 21 Sr. Life Group, 1:00 PM, NC Awana: Journey/Trek at 5:30 PM, & Cubbies-T & T at 6:15 PM Women's Study, 6:15 PM, LL #106 Thur. Feb. 22 – Mams & Girls' Study, 10:00 AM Mass, LL #106
- Thur, Feb. 22 Moms & Girls' Study, 10:00 AM-Noon, LL #106 Iglesia Bíblica Prayer, 6:00 PM, NC MBC Worship Team Practice, 7:00 PM, S
- Fri-Sun, Feb. 23-25 Fusion Winter Retreat, Westby, WI
- Sun, Feb. 25 Deadline for Elder & Deacon Recommendations

Family "Soup"-er Bowl LVIII Party Today!

Today, February 11th bring a snack to share and a tailgate game or favorite board game. The Ping-Pong table, Bean Bag toss, & Lemonade will be provided. We're going to have some additional fun with this as we prepare for the arrival of Pastor Kevin and Ashley's family. We'd like to "charge" admission to the game – your "ticket" is to bring a canned good (soup, vegetable, beans, etc.) *but, there's a catch!* We'd like you to <u>remove the label</u> and write your <u>phone number</u> and first name/names only on the can. We want to collect these canned goods for Pastor Kevin and Ashley's family to stock their pantry as a house-warming gift. Kevin and Ashley will then have the opportunity over time to get to know you better by either calling you or finding you on a Sunday morning to find out what's in the can, or they'll have a can of surprise for dinner!

Join us in the Nehemiah Center this evening from 4:30 PM until the game ends. Everyone is invited – bring a can and let's have some fun!

Women's Ministry Retreat Interest

The Women's Ministry is hoping to host a women's retreat this summer, the potential dates are Tuesday-Thursday, August 13th-15th in the Markesan area. We are just gauging interest right now; the cost depends upon how many women would be coming. If you could sign the interest form at the Welcome Center, that would help us get an idea of how many women are interested. Also, there's a spot to mark if you'd be interested in future retreats that are on the weekend. Remember this isn't the actual sign-up, but just the interest form, so if you have any interest in a retreat this year, and if you have an interest in one in the coming years, we really need you to sign up. Thank you!

Next Steps-Step 2 (2s.) – "Our Core Beliefs" second session today, February 11th at 9:00 AM, lower level #100. Find out what our core beliefs are and learn some basic Bible doctrines.

*Next Steps-Steps 1, 2, & 3 are required for membership.

Fusion Winter Retreat Cookies

We are in need of a variety of 6 dozen cookies for winter retreat. If you would like to provide some cookies, please sign up at the Welcome Center so we know how many to plan for. Label the cookies for retreat and leave them on the countertop in the lower level workroom by **Wednesday, February 21**st. Thank you!

Ignite & Fusion Snacks

We would love to have homemade snacks for Ignite and Fusion youth group meetings for the next few months. A sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center if you would like to provide the youth groups with treats. Thank you!

All-Church Potluck

Sunday, March 3rd we'll have an all-church potluck after the 2nd service in the Nehemiah Center. This will be Pastor Kevin's first official Sunday as an Associate Pastor at MBC and Jon Payne will be joining us from the EFCA District office.

- > Each family should bring a <u>main dish</u> to share.
- Families with the last name beginning <u>A M should also bring a salad</u>
- Families with the last name beginning <u>N Z should also bring a dessert</u>

Men's Breakfast

<u>Saturday, March 2nd</u> there will be a Men's Breakfast from 8:00-10:00 AM in the Nehemiah Center. All men and their sons are invited for food and fellowship.

Women's Brunch

<u>Saturday, March 9th</u> there will be a Women's Brunch from 10:00 AM-2:00 PM in the Nehemiah Center. All ladies and their daughters are invited for food and fellowship.

Brr...It's Cold Outside BINGO

Library reading challenge for adults and kids has begun and goes <u>until March 1st</u>. Participants need to read books from 3 squares (you can reread a book, but have to reread the entire thing, no skimming or skipping). Upon completion, turn in your BINGO card for a hot chocolate treat (or coffee/tea)!

Elder & Deacon Recommendations

Our annual process for recommendation of Elders and Deacons is underway. If you would like to recommend someone as an Elder or Deacon, pick up a form at the Welcome Center. Recommendations must be received in Pastor Dan's mailbox (lower level workroom) by **Sunday, February 25th**.

Senior Pastor Dan Krahenbuhl Associate Pastor Troy Watson Sunday Worship Services: 9:00 AM Gathering & 10:30 AM Café Radio Broadcast WEKZ – FM 95.5 & AM 1260 – 8:15 AM YouTube & Facebook Sunday YouVersion Available Wireless Network: MBCguest Password: worshiphere



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