

# BLESSINGS FROM BETHEL

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**Greetings to you, and, peace from God our Father, and our Lord Jesus Christ!**

There will be no message from Pastor Lou Ann this month due to the fact that she and Jeri are on vacation. They will return February 27. If anyone is in need of pastoral care, please call Dave or Deb Bankert at 225-6666.

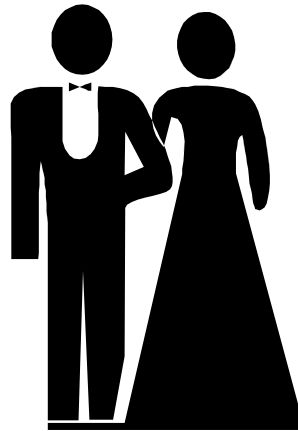
## February Birthdays

7 – Jolene Ernst  
14 – Pat Smeltzer  
14 – Brady Noel  
15 – Pam Ernst  
17 – Miriam Walls  
18 – Cheryl Worley  
18 – Jeff Carroll  
22 – Terry Jarvis  
26 – Curt Miller  
28 – Karen Beard  
28 – Jeff Zumbrum



## February Anniversaries

7 – Dave & Deb Bankert  
20 – Mike & Joan Stevenson



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

## LIST OF SHUT-IN AND PRAYER CONCERN MEMBERS

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## *From the Congregation's Life:*

**JOLENE ERNST** - had knee replacement surgery on JAN 26 at Memorial Hospital, York.  
.She is recovering well at home. GOD BLESS, Jolene!

**LESTER FREY** had a stroke while on vacation in Florida. He and Rose are back home and he is recovering. GOD BLESS, LESTER!

**CHARLOTTE MILLER** has been having problems with Arthritis. She had a lot of pain with her back and now her legs. We certainly uplift Charlotte in prayer and hope she gets better!  
GOD BLESS, Charlotte.

**LORI NOEL** has been experiencing some health problems for a while. She will be having surgery on Feb 28. We certainly keep Lori in our prayers for her surgery and a quick recovery! God bless, Lori!

**MARGIE LINGG** had hip replacement surgery on Feb. 20. Hope all is well with her. GOD BLESS, Margie.

**FLORENCE HOOVER**, Sue Tharp's mother was in York Hospital. Hope all is well with her.  
GOD BLESS, Florence.

**CECELIA WINE**, had thyroid surgery. Hope she is doing well. GOD BLESS, Cecelia.

**CHARLIE THARP** – Father of Connie Delozier – Keep him in your prayers for his illness. GOD BLESS, Charlie.

*We certainly apologize if we fail to mention anyone going through any illnesses or other experiences we mention during our prayer concerns at church! We do keep you in our prayers!*

# COMING EVENTS :

Have you checked out the church website? You can find us at

[www.betheluccspringgrove.com](http://www.betheluccspringgrove.com)

Our e-mail address: [betheluccspringgrove@g-mail.com](mailto:betheluccspringgrove@g-mail.com).

**LENT BEGINS MARCH 9th.** Ash Wednesday services will be held on March 9th at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. This service will again offer the opportunity to receive the imposition of ashes. You may receive the mark of the cross on your forehead or on the back of your hand. If you prefer to not receive the imposition of ashes, that is perfectly fine!

Then for the Wednesday evening services we will also meet at 7:00 pm for worship. We will vary the focus of services from week to week and will offer time of prayer as well as a healing service during one or two of the weekly services. There will be a special theme for each service more information will be offered closer to the start of Lent.

**CHURCH CLEANUP – MARCH 19** –Volunteers are needed to help clean the church. If you are able to help, bring your cleaning supplies.

**SANDWICH SALE – MARCH 30** - Orders are due Sunday, March 13. Pick-up date is Wednesday, March 30. Return orders to Brian Martz.

**HUMOR SUNDAY/EVERYBODY’S BIRTHDAY – MAY 1** – Last year’s Humor Sunday was very successful, so we decided to have it again this year. We have combined this with Everybody’s Birthday, and will be a covered dish dinner. The group Behavioral Nightmare will be entertaining us following the luncheon.

**In case of snow..... tune to Channel 43, Channel 8 or tune your radio to WGTY. We will have the cancellation posted or announced on these stations. We are also looking into getting a phone machine that enables us to change the announcement from a remote location so that we can put a cancellation message on the church phone machine.**